

# Week of July 24: House's last week before August recess, Senate's healthcare vote, Trump associates testify on Russia

## Outlook for Congress:

### Monday

July

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- **Democratic Leadership** unveils their "Better Deal" agenda in Berryville, Virginia
- **The Senate Intelligence Committee** will interview Jared Kushner in a closed-door setting about any possible Russia connections (8:00 AM)

### Tuesday

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- **Senate Ag Committee** hearing on commodities, credit and crop insurance perspectives for the 2018 Farm Bill (8:30 AM)
- **Senate Judiciary Committee** nomination hearings for an 8<sup>th</sup> Circuit judge, DC district judge, federal claims judge and an assistant AG (9:30 AM)
- **House Foreign Affairs Committee** hearing on "Authorization for the Use of Military Force and Current Terrorist Threats (10:00 AM)
- **Senate Banking, Housing and Urban Affairs Committee** nomination hearings for multiple HUD, Commerce and Treasury roles (10:00 AM)
- **Healthcare vote reportedly scheduled by Leader McConnell** on either full-repeal, the BCRA or a different piece of legislation
- **House Intelligence Committee** will interview Jared Kushner about any possible connections to Russia's interference in the 2016 election
- **House votes** on Russia sanctions package disliked by the White House

### Wednesday

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- **Senate Special Committee on Aging** hearing on finding a cure for type 1 diabetes and the artificial pancreas (9:30 AM)
- **Senate Judiciary Committee** public hearing with testimony by Paul Manafort and Donald Trump Jr. changed to private interviews (10:00 AM)
- **House Agriculture Committee** hearing on "Renegotiating NAFTA: Opportunities for Agriculture" (10:00 AM)
- **House Foreign Affairs Committee** hearing on "U.S. Cyber Diplomacy" (10:00 AM)
- **Senate Veterans Affairs Committee** markup of S.1598, a bill expanding GI educational benefits (12:00 PM)

### Saturday

July

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- **Senate Majority Leader McConnell and Minority Leader Schumer** hold a meeting with President Moon Jae-in of South Korea (11:00 AM)
- **House leaves for August Recess**

## Outlook for the White House:

- **Monday morning**, Senior Advisor to the President and First-Son-in-Law Jared Kushner will testify in a closed session before the Senate Select Intelligence Committee
- **Later**, the President will have lunch with Vice President Mike Pence before meeting with "victims" of Obamacare
- **In the afternoon**, he will travel to Beaver, West Virginia to deliver remarks at the 2017 National Boy Scout Jamboree
- **Tuesday**, Trump will attend an evening campaign rally in Youngstown, Ohio