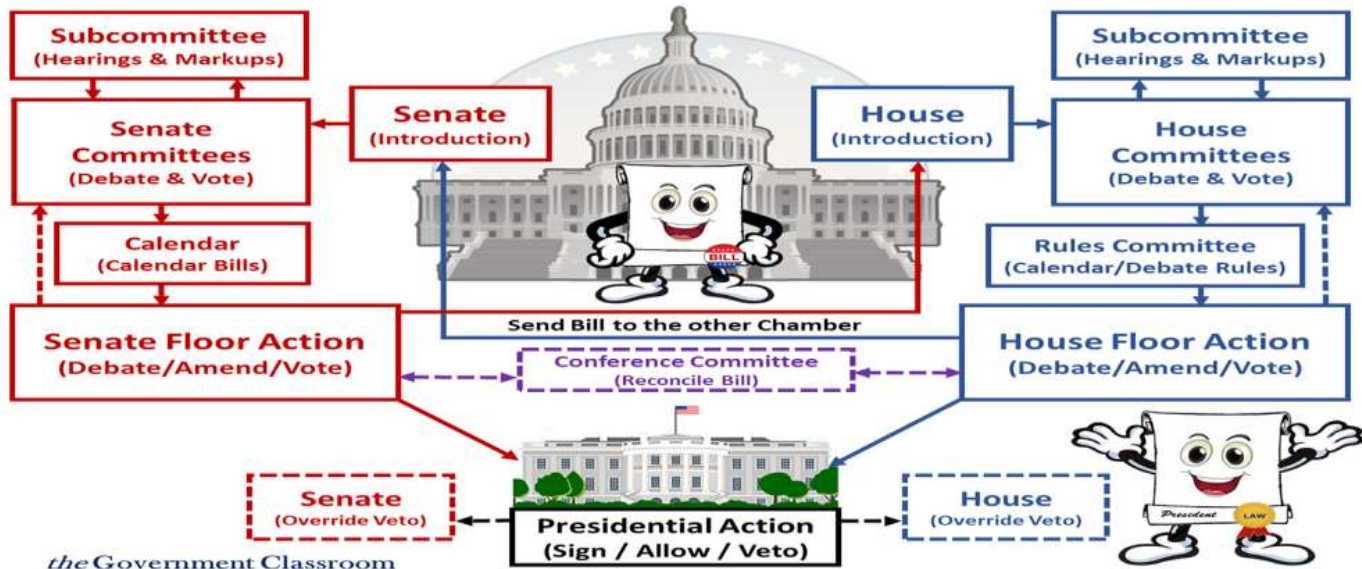


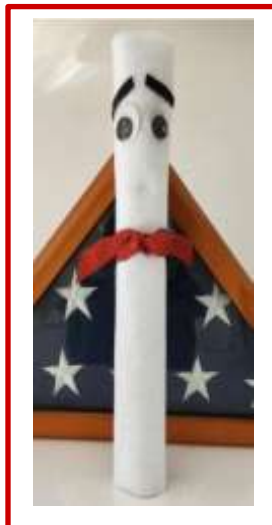
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## How a Bill Becomes a Law



### LET'S GET READY TO VOTE!

- RESEARCH AND ASK CANDIDATES WHERE THEY STAND ON VETERAN ISSUES
- GO TO LEGISLATIVE CONFERENCES, TOWN HALLS, MEET AND GREETs, ETC
- ON ELECTION DAY, OFFER RIDES TO POLLING STATIONS FOR SOMEONE IN NEED
- WEAR CLOTHING/PIN WITH VFW AUX EMBLEM TO TOWN HALLS, RALLIES, OR DEBATES.
- NEVER ENDORSE A CANDIDATE ON BEHALF OF THE VFW AUX
- NEVER WEAR VFW CLOTHING WHEN ENDORSING OR ACTIVELY CAMPAIGNING FOR A CANDIDATE



### Legislative priority goal-

#### Disability Assistance and Memorial Affairs

To ensure Veterans and their survivors have timely access to earned benefits, Congress and VA must:

- Crack down on unaccredited claims consultants known as Claim Sharks.
- Study all toxic and environmental exposures, and implement programs to ensure health care and benefits are provided to all exposed service members and veterans.
- Properly oversee and update the modernized appeals process and digital claims processing.
- Increase Dependency and Indemnity Compensation benefits for survivors.
- Improve the accuracy of disability compensation claims related to military sexual trauma.
- Increase burial allowances to account for inflation.
- Ensure that earned VA benefits are never offset by the use of other federal benefits.

