

# FAIR's Comparison of the House Immigration Bills

	<b>Goodlatte Bill</b> (Securing America's Future Act)	<b>"Compromise" Bill</b> (Border Security and Immigration Reform Act)
<b>Amnesty</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Grants a 3-year renewable legal status to current DACA recipients (approximately <b>700,000</b>)</li> <li>No special path to a green card and eventual citizenship</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Grants a 6-year renewable legal status to the DACA eligible population (approximately <b>1.8 million</b>)</li> <li>At the beginning of the sixth year, green cards will begin to be awarded to amnesty recipients under a new visa program</li> <li>Children of long-term foreign workers here on temporary visas (approximately <b>75,000</b>) can apply for the aforementioned program</li> </ul>
<b>Legal Immigration</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Ends extended chain migration</li> <li>Eliminates the diversity visa lottery</li> <li>Increases immigration levels for skilled workers while reducing overall immigration levels</li> <li>Creates a new agricultural guest worker program</li> <li>Establishes a renewable nonimmigrant visa for parents of U.S. citizens</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Eliminates two chain migration categories, with some visas relocated to employment-based visa categories</li> <li>Eliminates the diversity visa lottery, with visas put in escrow and reallocated to the new green card program for amnesty recipients</li> <li>Creates a new points-based visa program that is limited to the DACA population and children of foreign workers in the U.S. on temporary visas</li> <li>Ends the per country cap</li> </ul>
<b>Border Infrastructure</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Authorizes border wall funding (money would still need to be appropriated)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Fully funds President Trump's \$25 billion request for the border wall through advanced appropriations</li> <li>Amnesty recipients are only eligible to adjust to green card status if the border wall funds have not been rescinded or reprogrammed</li> </ul>
<b>Enforcement</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Mandatory universal E-Verify</li> <li>Increases penalties for employers who violate laws that protect American workers</li> <li>Denies federal funding to sanctuary cities and creates a legal cause of action so victims of illegal alien crimes can sue said jurisdictions</li> <li>Indemnifies officials who cooperate with ICE detainers, expands the 287(g) program, and establishes clear probable cause standards for detainers</li> <li>Closes loopholes in current law that sustain illegal border surges (credible fear, quick repatriation of UACs, Flores Settlement, etc.)</li> <li>Incorporates Kate's Law to penalize repeat criminal offenders</li> <li>Combats visa overstays by making unlawful presence a misdemeanor</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No mandatory E-Verify</li> <li>Does not deny funding to sanctuary cities</li> <li>Creates a legal cause of action so victims of illegal alien crimes can sue sanctuary jurisdictions</li> <li>Indemnifies officials that cooperate with ICE detainers</li> <li>Closes loopholes in current law that sustain illegal border surges (credible fear, quick repatriation of UACs, Flores Settlement, etc.)</li> </ul>