



# The Daily Whip

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House Meets At...	Last Vote Predicted At...
<b>12:30 p.m.: Morning Hour</b> <b>2:00 p.m.: Legislative Business</b>  <b>Unlimited "One Minutes"</b>	<b>7:00 p.m.</b>

**\* ON THURSDAY WE EXPECT IMPORTANT VOTES ON THE HOUSE BUDGET RESOLUTION. ATTENDANCE IS CRITICAL. PLEASE NOTIFY THE DEMOCRATIC WHIP'S FLOOR STAFF IF YOU WILL BE ABSENT.**

## FLOOR SCHEDULE AND BILL SUMMARY

Votes will be postponed until 6:30 p.m.

### Suspensions (5 bills):

- 1) **H.R. 958** - Hydrographic Services Amendments of 2003 (*Rep. Young {AK} - Resources*)
- 2) **H.R. 2408** - National Wildlife Refuge Volunteer Act of 2003 (*Rep. Saxton - Resources*)
- 3) **H.R. 2489** - Cowlitz Indian Tribe Distribution of Judgment Funds Act (*Rep. Baird - Resources*)
- 4) **H.R. 3926** - Organ Donation and Recovery Improvement Act (*Rep. Bilirakis - Energy & Commerce*)
- 5) **H.Res. 522** - Expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that there is a critical need to increase awareness and education about heart disease and the risk factors of heart disease among women (*Rep. Snyder - Energy & Commerce*)

## TOMORROW'S OUTLOOK

The GOP Leadership has announced the following schedule: On Wednesday, the House will meet at 10:00 a.m. to consider nine bills under suspension of the rules. In addition, the House is expected to begin consideration of: **H.Con.Res. 393 - Budget Resolution for FY05** (*Rep. Nussle - Budget*)

### Daily Quote...

"But the most egregious thing about the current PAYGO debate is that it is happening after taxes have been cut three times and a huge new entitlement prescription drug plan has already been enacted without the revenue loss and spending increase having to be offset. That's not just the budget equivalent of closing the barn door after the horse has already gotten out. It's closing the door, locking it and installing a new surveillance system to make sure the horse can't get back in."

-Budget analyst Stan Collender on *NationalJournal.com* today