AMCA 2019 Key Committees by Priority Issue

KEY COMMITTEES IN THE SENATE

Senate Committee on Appropriations – Subcommittee on Labor, Health and Human Services, Education, and Related Agencies

Why: Allocates funding for the Center for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) Division of Vector Borne Disease, including SMASH Act funding, AMCA Appropriations requests.

- Roy Blunt (MO), Chairman
- Richard Shelby (AL)
- Lamar Alexander (TN)
- Lindsey Graham (SC)
- Jerry Moran (KS)
- Shelley Moore Capito (WV)
- John Kennedy (LA)
- Cindy Hyde-Smith (MS)
- Marco Rubio (FL)
- James Lankford (OK)
- Patty Murray (WA), Ranking Member
- Dick Durbin (IL)
- Jack Reed (RI)
- Jeanne Shaheen (NH)
- Jeff Merkley (OR)
- Brian Schatz (HI)
- Tammy Baldwin (WI)
- Chris Murphy (CT)
- Joe Manchin (WV)

Senate Committee on Appropriations – Subcommittee on Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and Drug Administration, and Related Agencies

Why: Oversees the budget for the IR-4 Public Heath Pesticide Program (PHP) – an AMCA Appropriations request.

- John Hoeven (ND), Chairman
- Mitch McConnell (KY)
- Susan Collins (ME)
- Roy Blunt (MO)
- Jerry Moran (KS)
- Cindy Hyde-Smith (MS)
- John Kennedy (LA)
- Jeff Merkley (OR), Ranking Member
- Dianne Feinstein (CA)
- Jon Tester (MT)
- Tom Udall (NM)
- Patrick Leahy (VT)
- Tammy Baldwin (WI)

Senate – Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions

Why: Oversight of the Strengthening Mosquito Abatement for Safety and Health (SMASH) Act. Legislation is anticipated to be introduced in 2019 by Senator Angus King (I-ME). In the 115th Congress, Senator King introduced S.849, the SMASH Act, which was approved by the U.S. Senate in that session of Congress.

- Lamar Alexander (TN), Chairman
- Mike Enzi (WY)
- Richard Burr (NC)
- Johnny Isakson (GA)
- Rand Paul (KY)
- Patty Murray (WA), Ranking Member
- Bernie Sanders (VT)
- Bob Casey, Jr. (PA)
- Tammy Baldwin (WI)
- Chris Murphy (CT)
### Senate Committee on Energy and Natural Resources

**Why:** Jurisdiction regarding Endangered Species Act (ESA) Reform, as Congress should direct the NMFS to reinitiate consultation on the recently issued BiOp for Chlorpyrifos, Diazinon, and Malathion.

**Chairman:** Lisa Murkowski (AK)
**Ranking Member:** Joe Manchin (WV)

### Senate Committee on Environment and Public Works (EPW)

**Why:** NPDES – The Committee oversees environmental policy including the Clean Water Act. Note, no NPDES has been introduced in the Senate in the 116th Congress. In the 115th Congress, S.340 – Sensible Environmental Protection Act – was sponsored by Sen. Crapo (R-ID) and Sen. McCaskill (D-MO).

**Chairman:** John Barrasso (WY)
**Ranking Member:** Tom Carper (DE)

KEY COMMITTEES IN THE HOUSE

House Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Labor, Health and Human Services, Education, and Related Agencies

Why: Allocates funding for the Center for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) Division of Vector Borne Disease, including SMASH Act funding, AMCA Appropriations requests.

- Rosa DeLauro (CT), Chairman
- Lucille Roybal-Allard (CA)
- Barbara Lee (CA)
- Mark Pocan (WI)
- Katherine Clark (MA)
- Lois Frankel (FL)
- Cheri Bustos (IL)
- Bonnie Watson Coleman (NJ)
- Tom Cole (OK), Ranking Member
- Andy Harris (MD)
- Jaime Herrera Beutler (WA)
- John Moolenaar (MI)
- Tom Graves (GA)

House Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and Drug Administration, and Related Agencies

Why: Oversees funding for the IR-4 Public Heath Pesticide (PHP) – an AMCA Appropriations request.

- Sanford Bishop (GA), Chairman
- Rosa DeLauro (CT)
- Chellie Pingree (ME)
- Mark Pocan (WI)
- Barbara Lee (CA)
- Betty McCollum (MN)
- Henry Cuellar (TX)
- Jeff Fortenberry (NE), Ranking Member
- Robert Aderholt (AL)
- Andy Harris (MD)
- John Moolenaar (MI)

House Committee on Energy and Commerce – Subcommittee on Health

Why: Oversight of the Strengthening Mosquito Abatement for Safety and Health (SMASH) Act (HR 345). The measure was adopted by the House of Representatives through inclusion within the Pandemic and All Hazards Preparedness and Advancing Innovation Act (PAHPA), which passed the House on January 10, 2019.

- Anna Eshoo (CA), Chairman
- Eliot Engel (NY)
- G.K. Butterfield (NC)
- Doris Matsui (CA)
- Kathy Castor (FL)
- John Sarbanes (MD)
- Ben Ray Luján (NM)
- Kurt Schrader (OR)
- Joe Kennedy III (MA)
- Michael C. Burgess (TX), Ranking Member
- Fred Upton (MI)
- John Shimkus (IL)
- Brett Guthrie (KY)
- Morgan Griffith (VA)
- Gus Bilirakis (FL)
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**House Committee on Natural Resources**

**Why:** Jurisdiction over fisheries and wildlife, restoration, refuges and conservation. Oversight *Endangered Species Act (ESA) Reform*, as Congress should direct the NMFS to reinitiate consultation on the recently issued BiOp for Chlorpyrifos, Diazinon, and Malathion.

- Raúl Grijalva (AZ), Chairman
- Jim Costa (CA)
- Jared Huffman (CA)
- Ruben Gallego (AZ)
- A. Donald McEachin (VA)
- Wm. Lacy Clay (MO)
- Joe Neguse (CO)
- Steven Horsford (NV)
- Debbie Dingell (MI)
- Matt Cartwright (PA)
- Joe Cunningham (SC)
- Ed Case (HI)
- Jeff Van Drew (NJ)
- Grace Napolitano (CA)
- Gregorio Sablan (Northern Mariana Islands)
- Alan Lowenthal (CA)
- Darren Soto (FL)
- Anthony Brown (MD)
- Nydia M. Velazquez (NY)
- Mike Levin (CA)
- Deb Haaland (NM)
- Paul Tonko (NY)
- Diana DeGette (CO)
- TJ Cox (CA)
- Michael San Nicholas (Guam)
- Rob Bishop (UT), Ranking Member
- Aumua Amata Coleman Radewagen (American Samoa)
- John R. Curtis (UT)
- Jennifer Gonzalez Colon (PR)
- Garrett Graves (LA)
- Jodie B. Hice (GA)
- Doug Lamborn (CO)
- Bruce Westerman (AR)
- Don Young (AK)
- Liz Cheney (WY)
- Paul Cook (CA)
- Russ Fulcher (ID)
- Paul A. Gosar (AZ)
- Kevin Hern (OK)
- Mike Johnson (LA)
- Daniel Webster (FL)
- Robert J. Wittman (VA)
House Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure (T&I): Subcommittee on Water Resource and Environment

**Why:** Topics of interest include the Clean Water Act, the Environmental Protection Agency, and invasive aquatic species. Note former Chairman Rep. Gibbs is the sponsor of the NPDES bill, HR 890 – The REDTAPE Act, with 12 Republican cosponsors. The House passed NPDES legislation, the Reducing Regulatory Burdens Act, in the 115th Congress, but did not see final passage in the Senate.

- Grace Napolitano (CA), Chairman
- Debbie Mucarsel-Powell (FL)
- Eddie Bernice Johnson (TX)
- John Garamendi (CA)
- Jared Huffman (CA)
- Alan Lowenthal (CA)
- Mark DeSaulnier (CA)
- Salud Carbajal (CA)
- Adriano Espaillat (NY)
- Lizzie Fletcher (TX)
- Abby Finkenauer (IA)
- Antonio Delgado (NY)
- Chris Pappas (NH)
- Angie Craig (MN)
- Harley Rouda (CA)
- Frederica Wilson (FL)
- Stephen Lynch (MA)
- Tom Malinowski (NJ)
- Peter DeFazio (OR), ex officio

- Bruce Westerman (AK), Ranking Member
- Daniel Webster (FL)
- Thomas Massie (KY)
- Rob Woodall (GA)
- Brian Babin (TX)
- Garret Graves (LA)
- David Rouzer (NC)
- Mike Bost (IL)
- Randy Weber (TX)
- Doug LaMalfa (CA)
- Brian Mast (FL)
- Gary Palmer (AL)
- Jenniffer González Colon (PR)

- Sam Graves (MO), ex officio