



# The Daily Whip

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**TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 13, 2005**

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

## FLOOR SCHEDULE AND BILL SUMMARY

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

### Suspensions (6 bills):

- 1) **H.R. 3649** - Sportfishing and Recreational Boating Safety Amendments Act of 2005 (*Rep. Young (AK) - Transportation and Infrastructure*)
- 2) **S.Con.Res. 26** - A concurrent resolution honoring and memorializing the passengers and crew of United Airlines Flight 93 (*Sen. Conrad - Transportation and Infrastructure*)
- 3) **S. 252** - Dandini Research Park Conveyance Act (*Sen. Reid - Resources*)
- 4) **H.R. 539** - Caribbean National Forest Act of 2005 (*Rep. Fortuño -Resources*)
- 5) **S. 264** - Hawaii Water Resources Act of 2005 (*Sen. Akaka - Resources*)
- 6) **S. 276** - Wind Cave National Park Boundary Revision Act of 2005 (*Sen. Johnson - Resources*)

## TOMORROW'S OUTLOOK

The GOP Leadership has announced the following schedule: on Wednesday, the House is expected to consider three bills under Suspension of the Rules and will also consider **H.R. 3132 – Children's Safety Act of 2005** (*Rep. Sensenbrenner – Judiciary*) (*Subject to a Rule*).

### Daily Quote...

"The bungled response to the hurricane has helped drag down Bush's job-approval rating, which now stands at 42 percent -- the lowest of his presidency -- in the Post-ABC poll and down three points since the hurricane hit two weeks ago. Fifty-seven percent disapprove of Bush's performance, a double-digit increase since January.

Even some members of Bush's own party appear to have lost faith in their leader: The president's overall approval rating among Republicans has declined from 91 percent in January to 78 percent in the latest poll.

Overall, half the country now characterizes Bush as a 'strong leader' -- down 12 points since May of last year. And the proportion who say he can be 'trusted in a crisis' likewise has fallen from 60 percent to 49 percent now."

- A story in the *Washington Post* today