CLEANING EQUIPMENT TRADE ASSOCIATION

The Voice of the Pressure Washing Industry

Date: September 8, 2026
Updated Message from the President of CETA
Subject: Congressional Review Act Resolutions VOTE

Dear CETA Members and Board of Directors,

We have heard from House leadership that, based on everyone's efforts over the last few weeks, there is a desire to have these CRAs on the House floor next week. The one potential obstacle is concern over member attendance needed to pass the rule. To ensure we have enough GOP support for the rule we are reaching out to both the GOP members that were absent last week.

CETA encourages you to reach out and let the below listed Representatives know the importance of these CRAs to American manufacturing and encourage their attendance when Congress comes back into session on Monday, September 14th.

GOP Member Attendance for Outreach:

- Byron Donalds: U.S. representative for Florida's 19th congressional district
- Neal Dunn: U.S. representative for Florida's 2nd congressional district
- Michael McCaul: U.S. House of Representatives for Texas's 10th congressional district
- Mary Miller (IL): represents the 15th District of Illinois
- Cory Mills: U.S. representative from Florida's 7th congressional district
- Jay Obernolte U.S. representative for California's 23rd district
- William Andrew Ogles: U.S. representative for Tennessee's 5th congressional district

You can use the sample letter below. Please note that it follows the same format as the letter we sent last week, with the only change being the request that they attend to vote.

Sample Email/letter:

Dear Representative [Last Name]:

As a constituent and member of Cleaning Equipment Trade Association (CETA), I respectfully ask you to let House leadership know that you support scheduling H.J. Res. 214—and the other pending Congressional Review Act resolutions for a vote immediately when Congress returns after Labor Day. In addition, we kindly ask for your attendance at Congress for the possible vote. Your support is critical for passage.
Introduced on August 10, 2026, by Representative Jay Obernolte of California, H.J. Res. 214 would overturn the EPA authorization allowing California to enforce its emissions standards for small off-road engines (SORE), including equipment such as pressure washers, lawnmowers, leaf blowers, and other small-engine products. The resolution is currently before the House Energy and Commerce Committee.

Time is critical. These standards have significant consequences for our business, CETA members, our industry, our employees, and the customers and communities we serve. Delayed action will prolong uncertainty and increase the burden on affected businesses and consumers.

Please communicate your support directly to House leadership and urge the Energy and Commerce Committee to advance H.J. Res. 214 promptly so it can be placed on the House schedule for a vote as soon as Congress returns. CETA members and the communities we serve are counting on Congress to act without delay.

Thank you for your leadership and attention to this urgent matter. I would appreciate knowing whether you will support H.J. Res. 214 and urge House leadership to schedule it for a vote.

Sincerely,

[Name]
[Title/Organization, if applicable]
[Street Address]
[City, State, ZIP]
[Email and Phone Number]

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