

# CONGRESSWOMAN DINA TITUS

NEVADA'S FIRST CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

2025 IN REVIEW

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# OVERVIEW



**\$433M**

in federal grants for  
NV-01



**31**

bills introduced



**517**

items co-sponsored

Despite Republicans shutting down the government for a record forty-three days and Speaker Johnson closing the House for another month and a half to avoid the release of the Epstein Files, Congresswoman Dina Titus continued delivering results for District One. She introduced a record **31 bills** in one year which would help bring down costs, increase wages, protect Las Vegas's tourism economy, and improve transportation and infrastructure in Southern Nevada.

Congresswoman Titus took **312 votes**, introduced **31 bills**, cosponsored **517 legislative items**, returned **20,618 messages from constituents**, and spoke on the floor of the U.S. House of Representatives **10 times**. Additionally, **over \$433 million** in federal grants were delivered to Nevada's First District for programs Rep. Titus has fought to preserve in recent years. Rep. Titus's District Office closed **764 constituent cases** and returned **\$2,323,418 to taxpayers** in District One. Finally, Congresswoman Titus and her staff attended **491 events and meetings** throughout Southern Nevada, including **17 school visits** and **16 ribbon cuttings**, and held **6 town halls** to hear directly from her constituents.



# MAJOR ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- **Signed into law:** the bipartisan **Travel Trailer and Camper Tax Parity Act** which would help RVs stay competitive with other elements of the recreation industry and allow more people to explore the Southwest.
- **Signed into law:** provisions of the **RESTRAIN Act** that would ban atmospheric nuclear testing.
- **House passage:** Rep Titus's **Sloan Canyon Conservation and Lateral Pipeline Act** to safeguard Southern Nevada's water security, enhance environmental conservation efforts, and prevent major disturbances to homes and businesses in Henderson.
- **Committee passage:** **five Titus-led provisions in the State Department authorization bill** that would ensure our diplomatic corps remains agile and adaptable, combat global malnutrition, reduce visa wait times to increase tourism to Southern Nevada, and increase security cooperation with European allies.

- **Committee passage:** four **Titus-led amendments to the State Department authorization bill** to prevent F-35s from going to adversarial countries, advance bilateral relations with Cyprus, strengthen efforts to crack down on poaching and wildlife trafficking, and stop Russian weapons systems from proliferating throughout NATO.
- **Committee passage:** the bipartisan **Disaster Survivors Fairness Act** to cut red tape and streamline assistance for victims of natural disasters.
- **Committee passage:** the bipartisan **DHS Special Events Program and Support Act** to codify the Special Event Assessment Rating and secure sports, entertainment, business, and cultural events that Las Vegas is known for.
- **Committee passage:** the bipartisan **Promoting Resilient Buildings Act** which will ensure that homebuilders and local governments have much-needed flexibility in disaster mitigation planning and building which will save taxpayer dollars in the long-run.
- **Committee passage:** successfully negotiated the inclusion of provisions from Rep. Titus's bipartisan **Extreme Weather and Heat Modernization Act** as part of the FEMA Act of 2025 which would empower emergency managers to better respond to extreme heat in Southern Nevada.

- **Committee passage:** Secured an amendment to the **Amtrak Transparency and Accountability for Passengers and Taxpayers Act** to ensure passenger and employee safety on Amtrak.
- **Committee passage:** the bipartisan **End the Cyprus Embargo Act of 2025** to advance the U.S.-Cyprus bilateral relationship and advance U.S. security interests in the Eastern Mediterranean.
- **Committee passage:** the bipartisan **ACPAC Modernization Act** to help improve consumer protection in aviation while supporting Las Vegas's tourism economy.
- **Secured protections and funding for wild horses** in the House's Interior Appropriations Bill despite the White House's efforts to omit funding.
- **Successfully defeated Republicans' proposal to sell off more than half a million acres of public lands** in the West, including in Nevada, to the highest bidder. Congresswoman Titus successfully amended the Big BS Bill to strike the section, making hers the only Democratic amendment to be reflected in the final text.



# MAJOR BILLS INTRODUCED

- The bipartisan [\*\*FAIR BET Act\*\*](#) which would restore the 100% loss deduction for gamblers so they do not pay taxes on money they have not won.
- The [\*\*RESTRAIN Act\*\*](#) to prevent the resumption of explosive nuclear testing in Nevada following President Trump's announcement that he would do so.
- The [\*\*PRESUME Act\*\*](#) to prohibit the VA from requiring evidence of a certain dose of radiation to determine if a veteran is considered radiation-exposed for the purposes of "presumptive benefits."
- The bipartisan [\*\*Wild Horse and Burro Protection Act\*\*](#) to eliminate the use of helicopters in BLM wild horse gathers and require a report to explore the benefits of alternative methods for humanely gathering horses.
- The [\*\*Extreme Weather and Heat Response Modernization Act\*\*](#) to empower FEMA to better address extreme heat and to provide communities with more resources, including cooling centers, to keep people safe during extreme heat events.

- The bipartisan [\*\*Closing the Bump Stock Loophole Act\*\*](#) to permanently ban the use of bump stocks that convert rifles into machine guns and allow mass shootings like the 2017 Harvest Festival shooting in Las Vegas that claimed 60 lives.
- The [\*\*Protect Our Students Act\*\*](#) to unlock federal funding for safety improvements to school zones and prevent students from being harmed by traffic incidents on their way to or from school.
- The bicameral [\*\*Housing Vouchers Fairness Act\*\*](#) to increase the number of vouchers allocated to fast-growing states such as Nevada to lower rental housing costs.
- In light of ballooning costs on everything from building materials to coffee, Rep. Titus is leading [\*\*Resolutions Terminating the Authority to Impose Tariffs on Canada, Mexico, and Brazil\*\*](#) to stop the tariff wars, bring down costs for Nevadans, and rein in Trump's emergency authorities.
- The bipartisan [\*\*NURSE Act\*\*](#) to establish a grant program within the U.S. Department of Education to give high-need schools the ability to hire and retain additional school nurses.
- The bicameral [\*\*Nuclear Waste Informed Consent Act\*\*](#) requires state, local, and tribal governments to provide consent before the construction of a permanent nuclear waste repository at Yucca Mountain.
- A bipartisan [\*\*resolution in recognition of the cultural, spiritual, and economic value of the 618 million acres of public lands\*\*](#) in the United States and encouraging people to visit those lands on fee-free Public Lands Day.

- The bipartisan [\*\*Humane Transport of Farmed Animals Act\*\*](#) to protect farm animals from disease and inhumane treatment when they are transported over long distances in the United States.
- The [\*\*BUFFER Act\*\*](#) to mitigate the health effects of extreme heat in Southern Nevada by allowing transit agencies like RTC to increase their spare bus ratio from 20 percent to 30 percent of their fleet if their region regularly experiences extreme weather events.
- The bipartisan [\*\*SLOT Act\*\*](#) to update the nearly 50-year-old reporting threshold for slot machine winnings by raising it to \$5,000 and indexing it to inflation.
- The [\*\*Fine Arts Protection Act\*\*](#) to hold the Trump administration accountable for protecting historical works of art owned by the federal government. This bill will safeguard the public's right to access art dating back to the 1850s and will maintain the preservation of historical artifacts that describe our shared American story.
- The [\*\*LIFT Act\*\*](#) to raise the minimum wage and all Fair Labor Standards Act subminimum wages to \$17 per hour over the next three years with annual increases after that, provide income protections for tipped workers, and expand the Earned Income Tax Credit to cover more workers.

# MAJOR EVENTS IN THE DISTRICT

## **FAIR BET Town Hall**

**August 11, 2025**

In August, Rep. Titus was joined by a distinguished panel of gaming policy advocates and tax experts to discuss the gaming loss tax deduction change that was made in the Senate's version of the Republican Budget Bill. During the bill's negotiations, Senators on the Senate Finance Committee inserted a provision without the consent of the House that changed the 100% loss deduction for gamblers to 90%. Under this tax change, Nevadans could be forced to pay taxes on "phantom income." The Senate change will push people not to report their winnings and/or to use unregulated platforms. The town hall focused on the impacts of the Senate's change, what it means for Nevada's tourism economy, and the need to pass Rep. Titus's **FAIR BET Act** to restore the 100% deduction.

Rep. Titus has led the Nevada delegation on this effort to undo the Senate's provision. The Nevada Resorts Association, the American Gaming Association, Governor Lombardo, the Las Vegas Review-Journal, the Las Vegas Sun, and a number of tribes have all come out in support of Rep. Titus's bill. The Chairman of the House Ways and Means Committee – the Committee that has jurisdiction over tax issues – has also committed to advancing legislation to address this issue.



# Women's Town Hall

October 23, 2025

**Rep. Titus hosted a town hall to confront the urgent and escalating challenges facing women in Southern Nevada** and across the country. Joined by a diverse panel of experts, Rep. Titus underscored how the Administration's actions - from restricting access to essential health care, cutting funding for Head Start, to weakening the **Violence Against Women Act** - are eroding the foundation of women's equality, safety, and economic security. She also stressed that efforts to undermine core nutrition and family support programs further threaten the wellbeing of women and children.

Rep. Titus detailed her work to counter these harmful efforts, including pushing to make WIC a mandatory program, defending the Office on Violence Against Women, and safeguarding every woman's right to access essential reproductive health services.



# UNLV/Three Square Food Drive

November 1, 2025

During the Republican government shutdown, **Rep. Titus joined UNLV and Three Square Food Bank to help distribute food to federal workers** who missed paychecks and SNAP beneficiaries whose benefits had dried up. In Nevada, 500,000 people depend on SNAP to afford groceries while 14,000 federal workers in the State missed at least one paycheck during the shutdown.

## Affordability Town Hall

November 16, 2025

**Rep. Titus joined State Treasurer Zach Conine and Clark County Commissioner Michael Naft to discuss how federal, state, and local government officials are working together to address the affordability crisis.** From housing prices, grocery costs, and rising healthcare premiums, life is becoming too unaffordable for Nevadans. Rep. Titus shared her work to address the cliff by talking about her efforts to extend the **Affordable Care Act** enhanced premium subsidies, raise the minimum and subminimum wages, lower rental housing costs, and end Trump's trade wars by eliminating his tariff authority.



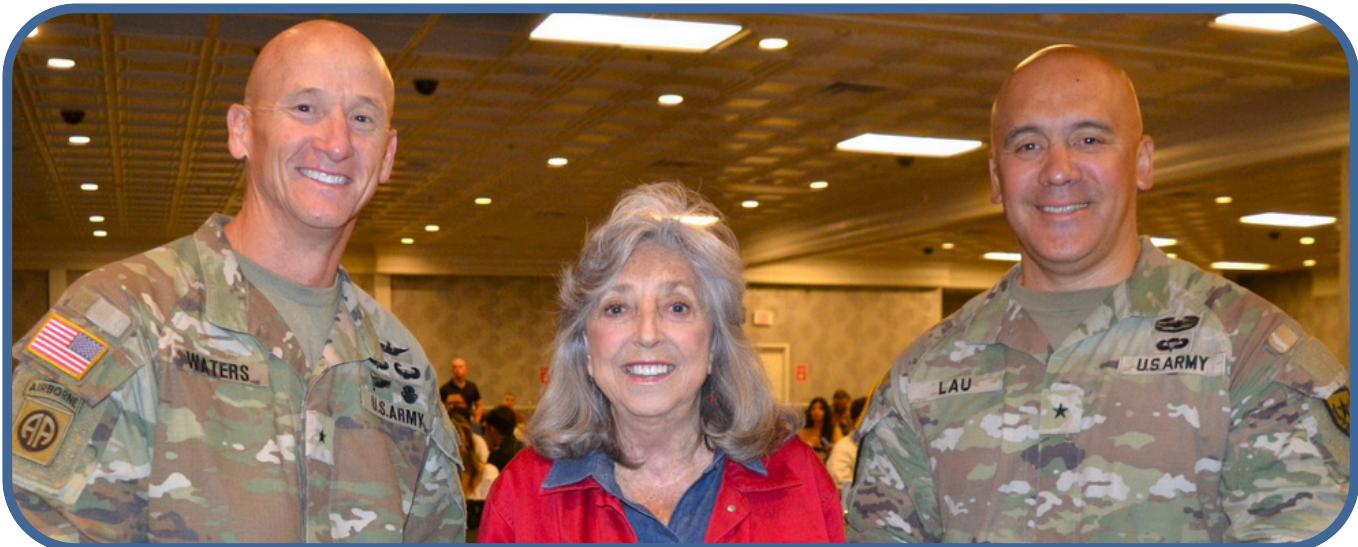
# Nevada National Guard 17th Sustainment Brigade

## Welcome Home Event

September 6, 2025

**Rep. Titus joined the Nevada Army National Guard to welcome home the 17th Sustainment Brigade from their 10-month deployment in the Middle East.** The Brigade's first deployment since 2016, Nevada Guardsmen provided mission-critical logistics and sustainment support across 21 countries within the CENTCOM area of responsibility. The brigade commanded four battalions—including its own 17th Special Troops Battalion—and successfully executed over 300 missions, ranging from supply chain management and equipment maintenance to medical services and transportation support. Their efforts were instrumental in maintaining operational readiness and ensuring the success of U.S. and allied missions across the region.

Rep. Titus offered a tribute to the Brigade, marking the success of Nevada's National Guard, the determination and work ethic of Nevadan soldiers, and the vital role the Guard plays in securing the country and the global events in Nevada like the Las Vegas Formula 1 Grand Prix.



# Solar for All Press Conference

October 21, 2025

In October, **Rep. Titus spoke at a press conference alongside Attorney General Ford and the Nevada Environmental Justice Coalition in support of the Solar for All program.** The Solar for All grant initiative designed to fund projects that expand access to residential and community solar in low-income and disadvantaged communities. The Trump Administration, however, terminated the program and refused to distribute funds as Congress directed. As the sunniest state in the country, Nevada's solar energy capacity exceeds that of any other state and has the potential to lower energy costs and provide Nevadans a clean, reliable energy source.

Rep. Titus spoke out against the Trump Administration's decision to rollback clean energy programs, including Solar for All, and his assault on clean energy in favor of dirty fossil fuels. By decimating programs like Solar for All, the White House is causing energy prices to skyrocket while making Nevadans sicker.



# Hoover Dam Visitor Center

## Ribbon Cutting

June 17, 2025

**The Hoover Dam Visitor Center opened a new interactive experience in June, and Rep. Titus joined for the ribbon cutting ceremony.** This new exhibit hall complete with scale models of the Hoover Dam, artifacts from its past, and personal stories of the enormous undertaking of the work itself. The project was completed thanks to \$15 million in funding from the Southern Nevada Public Lands Management Act (SNPLMA), aimed at transforming the experience of visitors to the dam. Rep. Titus was able to successfully secure funding for this project to safeguard the legacy of one of Southern Nevada's gems for future generations to enjoy.



# Ways and Means Field Hearing

## July 25, 2025

In July, the House Ways and Means Committee held a field hearing in Las Vegas to analyze the impacts of the Republicans' Budget Bill on Southern Nevadans. **Rep. Titus joined Committee members in questioning witnesses about the Senate's unfair gaming provision and her FAIR BET Act, but also the devastating cuts to Medicaid, SNAP, and tuition assistance programs on which hundreds of thousands of Nevadans depend.**

Rep Titus also highlighted the fact that provisions in the bill would result in a budget catastrophe for Nevada due to a \$350 million reduction in state funds from reduced tourism numbers. While the economic drivers for Southern Nevada continues to decline as a result of the Republicans' Budget Bill, the need will rise.



# FLOOR SPEECHES

- **May 21** – Floor speech opposing Republican Budget Bill and devastating provisions that would unduly harm Southern Nevadans
- **June 24** – Floor Speech defending public lands and opposing the Republican sell-off to help fund their Budget Bill.
- **July 2** – Requesting unanimous consent to consider an amendment to the Republican Budget Bill that would prevent any cuts to Medicaid and SNAP
- **July 14** – In support of Rep. Titus's *FAIR BET Act* to restore the 100% tax deduction for gambling losses that was removed in the Senate.
- **August 29** – In support of the United Nations' International Day Against Nuclear Testing and urging the continuation of nonproliferation regimes and arms control treaties.
- **September 15** – Welcoming His All-Holiness Bartholomew I, Ecumenical Patriarch of Constantinople, to the United States during his visit to Washington and New York. His All-Holiness is the leading religious figure for Orthodox Christian communities around the world.
- **November 19** – Opposing Trump's announcement that the U.S. would be resuming explosive nuclear testing and highlighting the health impacts on Southern Nevadans such a decision would cause.
- **December 11** – In support of the *Protect America's Workforce Act* to nullify Trump's executive order preventing federal workers from unionizing.
- **December 12** – Celebrating A'ja Wilson of the Las Vegas Aces being named TIME's Athlete of the Year.
- **December 15** – Speaking in support of her *Sloan Canyon Conservation and Lateral Pipeline Act* ahead of the bill's passage.



# CASEWORK SUCCESS STORIES



Congresswoman Titus's staff is able to resolve hundreds of cases every year from constituents throughout District One. Below are just a few of the many successes District Office staff had throughout 2025 helping Southern Nevadans navigate federal agencies and get the guidance they need. If you are seeking federal assistance, do not hesitate to reach out to our District Office.

A **constituent from Las Vegas** contacted Rep. Titus's office in March seeking help receiving backpay he was owed by the Social Security Administration (SSA). After getting approved for disability pay in January, the constituent did not hear from SSA for weeks and he reached out to Rep. Titus's District Office. District staff reached out to SSA and were able to get his \$81,000 disability payment released. In October, his children also received their backpay of over \$20,000.

A **constituent from Henderson** and his family filed their amended tax return in January 2025 and had not received any additional information since then. The constituent contacted Rep. Titus's District Office in September seeking assistance with getting this issue resolved. District staff were able to push the Taxpayer Advocate Service to release his refund and have the \$21,000 he was owed deposited into his account in November.

An **East Las Vegas constituent**, a disabled veteran, was wrongfully charged \$22,000 following a medical procedure. She believed her VA benefits should have covered the costs and she reached out to Rep. Titus's District Office seeking assistance. District staff engaged with the VA and was able to confirm that the procedure indeed should have been covered by the VA. The charge was resolved and the costs were fully covered by the constituent's VA benefits.

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