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Need to Know: How A Stafford Increase Would Impact Your State

The Center for American Progress, Campus Progress, and the USAction Education Fund released new reports that detail what an increase in the interest rate on Stafford student loans would mean for several states.

If Congress doesn't act, the interest rate on these loans will double—from 3.4 percent to 6.8 percent—on July 1.

These reports paint a vivid picture of the impact an interest rate hike would have on young people, who are already dealing with a high unemployment rate, large amounts of student debt, and changes to education funding and college costs. Also included are testimonials from students and family members who depend on federal education loans.

Nationwide, 7.4 million student borrowers would be affected by the rate doubling.

Read the report: <http://cpro.gs/Jvt5hl>

In **MICHIGAN**, students will save **\$976** on average
by keeping the Stafford interest rate steady.
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Tweet @ Your Representatives

Below is a list of all congress members from Michigan with Twitter handles and Facebook pages. Tweet at your representatives or post on their walls using our shareables and sample language we've provided, or feel free to use your own! If you have a personal story of how student debt impacts your life, **we'd love to hear it:** <http://cpro.gs/lqL4Dc>

House:

Dan Benishek (R-1)

@CongressmanDan <http://on.fb.me/KWQ530>

Bill Huizenga (R-2)	@RepHuizenga	http://on.fb.me/JOGX4F
Justin Amash (R-3)	@repjustinamash	http://on.fb.me/L1pDpf
Dave Camp (R-4)	@RepDaveCamp	http://on.fb.me/JwPQ1W
Dale Kildee (D-5)	@DaleKildee	http://on.fb.me/IUiffd
Fred Upton (R-6)	@RepFredUpton	http://on.fb.me/JOGBLh
Tim Walberg (R-7)	@RepWalberg	http://on.fb.me/J5kXU8
Mike Rogers (R-8)	@RepMikeRogers	http://on.fb.me/maa8Ld
Gary Peters (D-10)	@RepGaryPeters	http://on.fb.me/L1paDt
Candice Miller (R-10)	@CandiceMiller	http://on.fb.me/KWPxuO
Thaddeus McCotter (R-11)	@RepThadMcCotter	http://on.fb.me/JBTRBw
Sander Levin (D-12)	N/A	http://on.fb.me/KhrtUf
Hansen Clarke (D-13)	@RepHansenClarke	http://on.fb.me/IUhNNX
John Conyers, Jr. (D-14)	@repjohnconyers	http://on.fb.me/JYksYy
John Dingell (D-15)	@john_dingell	http://on.fb.me/JqNggH

Senate:

Carl Levin (D-MI)	@SenCarlLevin	http://on.fb.me/L3f8bk
Debbie Stabenow (D-MI)	@StabenowPress	http://on.fb.me/JQMowG