



Congressional Round-Up

September 14-18, 2026

Every week, the Environmental and Energy Study Institute publishes a legislative tracker of environment- and energy-related bills introduced, advanced, and passed by Congress, as well as relevant committee hearings. This document was put together with information from congress.gov, press releases from congressional offices, and news stories. (Note that we may have inadvertently missed a bill or hearing.)

Highlights:

The House passed the *Water Resources Development Act of 2026* ([H.R.9497](#)). Reps. Sam Graves (R-Mo.), Rick Larsen (D-Wash.), Mike Collins (R-Ga.) and Frederica Wilson (D-Fla.) led the biennial reauthorization of the bill, which [invests in](#) flood control, ecosystem restoration, and other water resources projects under the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers. The bill, which the House Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure advanced in early September, has since been taken up in the Senate for consideration.

The House passed three bills to facilitate domestic critical mineral recovery and recycling: the *Battery Recycling for America's Competitive Economy (BRACE) Act* ([H.R.9615](#)) led by Rep. Mariannette Miller-Meeks (R-Iowa), the *Environmental Monitoring and Remediation Technology Assessment Initiative (EMRTAI) Authorization Act of 2026* ([H.R.9616](#)) introduced by Reps. August Pfluger (R-Texas) and Greg Landsman (D-Ohio), and the *Coordinating and Harnessing America's Recovery of Minerals (CHARM) Act* ([H.R.9617](#)) from Reps. Gary Palmer (R-Ala.) and Paul Tonko (D-N.Y.). To learn more about critical mineral supply chains and recycling, visit EESI's critical minerals [issue brief](#), as well as our fact sheets on [lithium](#) and [cobalt](#).

The House passed the *Ratepayer Protection Act* ([H.R.9340](#)). Reps. Gabe Evans (R-Colo.) and Kathy Castor (D-Fla.) introduced the bill, which would [require](#) state utility regulators to consider federal rules for data center-related grid upgrades. These rules include requirements that certain large-load customers, such as data centers, cover the full costs of all power generation and energy infrastructure upgrades made to support them. The Senate has since taken up the bill for consideration.

The Senate passed Reps. Kim Schrier (D-Wash.) and Russ Fulcher's (R-Idaho) *Hydropower Licensing Transparency Act* ([H.R.3657](#)). The House passed the bill in July 2025, and if signed into law, it would [bolster](#) the clean energy sector and help meet increased energy demand by making [hydropower dam](#) licensing processes more efficient.



The House passed the *Load Forecasting Enhancement Act* ([H.R.9332](#)), led by Reps. Troy Balderson (R-Ohio) and Rob Menendez (D-N.J.). The bill would [require](#) the Federal Energy Regulation Commission (FERC) to work with state public utilities to develop a set of best practices for predicting future grid needs and capacity. For more information, watch EESI's briefing about [grid capacity](#).

September 18, 2026

The House and Senate did not meet today.

September 17, 2026

House:

Bills Introduced:

H.R.10486

To provide for the continuation of FEMA operations during a lapse in appropriations, and for other purposes.

Sponsor: [Bell, Wesley \[Rep.-D-MO-1\]](#) **Cosponsors:** ([20](#))

Committees: House - Transportation and Infrastructure; Science, Space, and Technology; Financial Services

Latest Action: House - 09/17/2026 Referred to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, and in addition to the Committees on Science, Space, and Technology, and Financial Services, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker.

H.R.10488

To restore and strengthen the obligation of the Environmental Protection Agency to protect human health and the environment, to halt unlawful deregulatory actions, to require enforcement of the Clean Air Act, and for other purposes.

Sponsor: [Casten, Sean \[Rep.-D-IL-6\]](#) **Cosponsors:** ([4](#))

Committees: House - Energy and Commerce; Transportation and Infrastructure; Agriculture; Natural Resources; Science, Space, and Technology

Latest Action: House - 09/17/2026 Referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committees on Transportation and Infrastructure, Agriculture, Natural Resources, and Science, Space, and Technology, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker.

H.R.10489

To amend title VI of the Public Utility Regulatory Policies Act of 1978 to establish a Federal renewable electricity standard for retail electricity suppliers, and for other purposes.

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Sponsor: [Clarke, Yvette D. \[Rep.-D-NY-9\]](#) **Cosponsors:** (0)

Committees: House - Energy and Commerce

Latest Action: House - 09/17/2026 Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.

H.R.10491

To direct the National Institutes of Health to conduct a study on the effects of 750-kilovolt or greater transmission lines, and for other purposes.

Sponsor: [Davidson, Warren \[Rep.-R-OH-8\]](#) **Cosponsors:** (0)

Committees: House - Energy and Commerce

Latest Action: House - 09/17/2026 Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.

H.R.10493

Reclaim Local Control Act

Sponsor: [Emmer, Tom \[Rep.-R-MN-6\]](#) **Cosponsors:** (3)

Committees: House - Transportation and Infrastructure

Latest Action: House - 09/17/2026 Referred to the House Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

H.R.10500

To amend the Natural Gas Act with respect to the judicial review of an application for a certificate of public convenience and necessity, and for other purposes.

Sponsor: [Lee, Laurel M. \[Rep.-R-FL-15\]](#) **Cosponsors:** (0)

Committees: House - Energy and Commerce; Judiciary

Latest Action: House - 09/17/2026 Referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on the Judiciary, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker.

H.R.10505

To reauthorize the Tropical Forest and Coral Reef Conservation Act of 1998.

Sponsor: [Salazar, Maria Elvira \[Rep.-R-FL-27\]](#) **Cosponsors:** (2)

Committees: House - Foreign Affairs

Latest Action: House - 09/17/2026 Referred to the House Committee on Foreign Affairs.

H.R.10506

To confer in the Secretary of Agriculture the authority to use civil investigative demands for enforcement of the Packers and Stockyards Act, 1921, and for other purposes.

Sponsor: [Scanlon, Mary Gay \[Rep.-D-PA-5\]](#) **Cosponsors:** (0)

Committees: House - Agriculture

Latest Action: House - 09/17/2026 Referred to the House Committee on Agriculture.

H.R.10508

To strengthen services provided in rural areas, and for other purposes.

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Sponsor: [Thompson, Mike \[Rep.-D-CA-4\]](#) **Cosponsors:** (1)

Committees: House - Ways and Means; Energy and Commerce; Judiciary; Agriculture; Education and Workforce; Transportation and Infrastructure

Latest Action: House - 09/17/2026 Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committees on Energy and Commerce, the Judiciary, Agriculture, Education and Workforce, and Transportation and Infrastructure, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker.

H.Res.1564

Recognizing September 17, 2026, as National Teach Ag Day.

Sponsor: [Mann, Tracey \[Rep.-R-KS-1\]](#) **Cosponsors:** (21)

Committees: House - Agriculture

Latest Action: House - 09/17/2026 Referred to the House Committee on Agriculture.

Committee Hearings:

LEGISLATIVE MEASURES

Committee on Natural Resources: Subcommittee on Indian and Insular Affairs held a [hearing](#) on...[H.R. 8674](#), the "Geese House Site Conveyance Act". Testimony was heard from Representatives Randall and Begich; and public witnesses.

Senate:

Bills Introduced:

S.5434

A bill to amend title VI of the Public Utility Regulatory Policies Act of 1978 to establish a Federal renewable electricity standard for retail electricity suppliers, and for other purposes.

Sponsor: [Welch, Peter \[Sen.-D-VT\]](#) **Cosponsors:** (1)

Committees: Senate - Energy and Natural Resources

Latest Action: Senate - 09/17/2026 Read twice and referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

S.5438

A bill to ratify and approve all authorizations, permits, verifications, extensions, biological opinions, incidental take statements, and any other approvals or orders issued pursuant to Federal law necessary for the establishment and administration of the Coastal Plain oil and gas leasing program, and for other purposes.

Sponsor: [Sullivan, Dan \[Sen.-R-AK\]](#) **Cosponsors:** (0)

Latest Action: Senate - 09/17/2026 Introduced in the Senate. Read the first time. Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under Read the First Time.

S.5439

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A bill to direct the Secretary of Agriculture to improve safety standards for wildland firefighters.

Sponsor: [Schiff, Adam B. \[Sen.-D-CA\]](#) **Cosponsors:** ([0](#))

Committees: Senate - Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry

Latest Action: Senate - 09/17/2026 Read twice and referred to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

S.5440

A bill to transfer certain Federal land into trust for the benefit of the Confederated Tribes of the Grand Ronde Community of Oregon, and for other purposes.

Sponsor: [Merkley, Jeff \[Sen.-D-OR\]](#) **Cosponsors:** ([1](#))

Committees: Senate - Indian Affairs

Latest Action: Senate - 09/17/2026 Read twice and referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

S.Res.864

A resolution expressing support for the designation of the week of September 19 through September 26, 2026, as "National Estuaries Week".

Sponsor: [Whitehouse, Sheldon \[Sen.-D-RI\]](#) **Cosponsors:** ([28](#))

Committees: Senate - Environment and Public Works

Latest Action: Senate - 09/17/2026 Referred to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

Bills Reported:

H.R.837

To require the Secretary of Agriculture to convey the Pleasant Valley Ranger District Administrative Site to Gila County, Arizona.

Sponsor: [Crane, Elijah \[Rep.-R-AZ-2\]](#) **Cosponsors:** ([0](#))

Committees: House - Natural Resources | Senate - Energy and Natural Resources

Latest Action: Senate - 09/17/2026 Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 660.

H.R.3857

Snow Water Supply Forecasting Reauthorization Act of 2025

Sponsor: [Hurd, Jeff \[Rep.-R-CO-3\]](#) **Cosponsors:** ([2](#))

Committees: House - Natural Resources | Senate - Energy and Natural Resources

Committee Report: [H. Rept. 119-293](#)

Latest Action: Senate - 09/17/2026 Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 661.

H.R.3872

To amend the Mineral Leasing Act for Acquired Lands to make that Act applicable to hardrock minerals.

Sponsor: [Fallon, Pat \[Rep.-R-TX-4\]](#) **Cosponsors:** ([2](#))

Committees: House - Natural Resources | Senate - Energy and Natural Resources

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Committee Report: [H. Rept. 119-357](#)

Latest Action: Senate - 09/17/2026 Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 669.

[H.R.5631](#)

Geothermal Energy Advancement Act

Sponsor: [Hurd, Jeff \[Rep.-R-CO-3\]](#) **Cosponsors:** (5)

Committees: House - Natural Resources | Senate - Energy and Natural Resources

Committee Report: [H. Rept. 119-660](#)

Latest Action: Senate - 09/17/2026 Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 663.

[H.R.6365](#)

Wintergreen Emergency Egress Act

Sponsor: [McGuire, John J. \[Rep.-R-VA-5\]](#) **Cosponsors:** (7)

Committees: House - Natural Resources | Senate - Energy and Natural Resources

Committee Report: [H. Rept. 119-511](#)

Latest Action: Senate - 09/17/2026 Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 664.

[H.R.7831](#)

License to Drill Act

Sponsor: [Kennedy, Mike \[Rep.-R-UT-3\]](#) **Cosponsors:** (3)

Committees: House - Natural Resources | Senate - Energy and Natural Resources

Committee Report: [H. Rept. 119-665](#)

Latest Action: Senate - 09/17/2026 Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 665.

[S.91](#)

Western Wildfire Support Act of 2025

Sponsor: [Cortez Masto, Catherine \[Sen.-D-NV\]](#) **Cosponsors:** (1)

Committees: Senate - Energy and Natural Resources

Latest Action: Senate - 09/17/2026 Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 629.

[S.291](#)

Lower Colorado River Multi-Species Conservation Program Amendment Act of 2025

Sponsor: [Padilla, Alex \[Sen.-D-CA\]](#) **Cosponsors:** (5)

Committees: Senate - Energy and Natural Resources

Latest Action: Senate - 09/17/2026 Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 630.

[S.1257](#)

A bill to amend the Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act to authorize the use of funds for certain additional CARE Act projects, and for other purposes.

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Sponsor: [Risch, James E. \[Sen.-R-ID\]](#) **Cosponsors:** (1)

Committees: Senate - Energy and Natural Resources

Latest Action: Senate - 09/17/2026 Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 631.

S.1321

Moab UMTRA Project Transition Act of 2025

Sponsor: [Curtis, John R. \[Sen.-R-UT\]](#) **Cosponsors:** (1)

Committees: Senate - Energy and Natural Resources

Latest Action: Senate - 09/17/2026 Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 633.

S.1413

A bill to authorize additional funding for the San Joaquin River Restoration Settlement Act.

Sponsor: [Padilla, Alex \[Sen.-D-CA\]](#) **Cosponsors:** (1)

Committees: Senate - Energy and Natural Resources

Latest Action: Senate - 09/17/2026 Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 634.

S.2015

National Prescribed Fire Act of 2025

Sponsor: [Wyden, Ron \[Sen.-D-OR\]](#) **Cosponsors:** (5)

Committees: Senate - Energy and Natural Resources

Latest Action: Senate - 09/17/2026 Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 635.

S.2016

Chugach Alaska Land Exchange Oil Spill Recovery Act of 2025

Sponsor: [Murkowski, Lisa \[Sen.-R-AK\]](#) **Cosponsors:** (1)

Committees: Senate - Energy and Natural Resources

Latest Action: Senate - 09/17/2026 Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 636.

S.2437

Snow Water Supply Forecasting Program Reauthorization Act of 2025

Sponsor: [Hickenlooper, John W. \[Sen.-D-CO\]](#) **Cosponsors:** (1)

Committees: Senate - Energy and Natural Resources

Latest Action: Senate - 09/17/2026 Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 637.

S.2498

National Park System Long-Term Lease Investment Act

Sponsor: [Tillis, Thomas \[Sen.-R-NC\]](#) **Cosponsors:** (1)

Committees: Senate - Energy and Natural Resources



Latest Action: Senate - 09/17/2026 Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 638.

S.2554

Alaska Native Landless Equity Act

Sponsor: [Murkowski, Lisa](#) [Sen.-R-AK] **Cosponsors:** (1)

Committees: Senate - Energy and Natural Resources

Latest Action: Senate - 09/17/2026 Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 639.

S.2753

Urban Canal Modernization Act

Sponsor: [Risch, James E.](#) [Sen.-R-ID] **Cosponsors:** (1)

Committees: Senate - Energy and Natural Resources

Latest Action: Senate - 09/17/2026 Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 640.

S.2754

Crystal Reservoir Conveyance Act

Sponsor: [Bennet, Michael F.](#) [Sen.-D-CO] **Cosponsors:** (1)

Committees: Senate - Energy and Natural Resources

Latest Action: Senate - 09/17/2026 Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 641.

S.2887

Route 66 National Historic Trail Designation Act

Sponsor: [Cruz, Ted](#) [Sen.-R-TX] **Cosponsors:** (5)

Committees: Senate - Energy and Natural Resources

Latest Action: Senate - 09/17/2026 Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 644.

S.3693

Large-Scale Water Recycling Reauthorization Act

Sponsor: [Cortez Masto, Catherine](#) [Sen.-D-NV] **Cosponsors:** (1)

Committees: Senate - Energy and Natural Resources

Latest Action: Senate - 09/17/2026 Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 647.

S.3715

Chiricahua National Park Act

Sponsor: [Kelly, Mark](#) [Sen.-D-AZ] **Cosponsors:** (1)

Committees: Senate - Energy and Natural Resources

Latest Action: Senate - 09/17/2026 Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 667.

S.3720

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Bay Area Ridge National Scenic Trail Feasibility Study Act

Sponsor: [Schiff, Adam B. \[Sen.-D-CA\]](#) **Cosponsors:** (1)

Committees: Senate - Energy and Natural Resources

Latest Action: Senate - 09/17/2026 Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 666.

[S.3723](#)

Western South Dakota Water Supply Project Feasibility Study Act

Sponsor: [Thune, John \[Sen.-R-SD\]](#) **Cosponsors:** (1)

Committees: Senate - Energy and Natural Resources

Latest Action: Senate - 09/17/2026 Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 648.

[S.3725](#)

Lewis & Clark Regional Water System Expansion Feasibility Study Act

Sponsor: [Thune, John \[Sen.-R-SD\]](#) **Cosponsors:** (5)

Committees: Senate - Energy and Natural Resources

Latest Action: Senate - 09/17/2026 Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 649.

[S.3732](#)

Water Security and Drought Resilience Act

Sponsor: [Gallego, Ruben \[Sen.-D-AZ\]](#) **Cosponsors:** (2)

Committees: Senate - Energy and Natural Resources

Latest Action: Senate - 09/17/2026 Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 650.

[S.3736](#)

Dakota Mainstem Water Supply Project Feasibility Study Act

Sponsor: [Rounds, Mike \[Sen.-R-SD\]](#) **Cosponsors:** (1)

Committees: Senate - Energy and Natural Resources

Latest Action: Senate - 09/17/2026 Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 651.

[S.3738](#)

MORE WATER Act

Sponsor: [Padilla, Alex \[Sen.-D-CA\]](#) **Cosponsors:** (0)

Committees: Senate - Energy and Natural Resources

Latest Action: Senate - 09/17/2026 Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 652.

[S.3743](#)

A bill to direct the Secretary of the Interior to carry out a feasibility study on a selective water withdrawal system at Glen Canyon Dam, and for other purposes.

Sponsor: [Lee, Mike \[Sen.-R-UT\]](#) **Cosponsors:** (1)

Committees: Senate - Energy and Natural Resources

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Latest Action: Senate - 09/17/2026 Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 653.

S.3792

Water Project Navigators Act

Sponsor: [Hickenlooper, John W. \[Sen.-D-CO\]](#) **Cosponsors:** (1)

Committees: Senate - Energy and Natural Resources

Latest Action: Senate - 09/17/2026 Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 654.

S.4040

Dakota Water Resources Act Amendments of 2026

Sponsor: [Hoeven, John \[Sen.-R-ND\]](#) **Cosponsors:** (2)

Committees: Senate - Energy and Natural Resources

Latest Action: Senate - 09/17/2026 Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 655.

S.4041

Cooperative Watershed Management Program Reauthorization Act of 2026

Sponsor: [Daines, Steve \[Sen.-R-MT\]](#) **Cosponsors:** (2)

Committees: Senate - Energy and Natural Resources

Latest Action: Senate - 09/17/2026 Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 656.

S.5039

License to Drill Act

Sponsor: [Lee, Mike \[Sen.-R-UT\]](#) **Cosponsors:** (0)

Committees: Senate - Energy and Natural Resources

Latest Action: Senate - 09/17/2026 Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 659.

September 16, 2026

House:

Bills Introduced:

H.R.10411

To direct the Secretary of Agriculture to consider certain acreage not planted due to a lack of irrigation water to be eligible for prevented planting payments, and for other purposes.

Sponsor: [Hurd, Jeff \[Rep.-R-CO-3\]](#) **Cosponsors:** (1)

Committees: House - Agriculture

Latest Action: House - 09/16/2026 Referred to the House Committee on Agriculture.

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[H.R.10420](#)

To increase the water supply available to the Colorado River Basin, expedite the construction of water, energy, and infrastructure in the Basin, provide Federal financial assistance for water augmentation projects, advance water augmentation for satisfaction of the Mexican Water Treaty, and authorize the development of additional Federal water infrastructure.

Sponsor: [Biggs, Andy \[Rep.-R-AZ-5\]](#) **Cosponsors:** ([0](#))

Committees: House - Natural Resources; Foreign Affairs

Latest Action: House - 09/16/2026 Referred to the Committee on Natural Resources, and in addition to the Committee on Foreign Affairs, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker.

[H.R.10425](#)

To restore and strengthen the obligation of the Environmental Protection Agency to protect human health and the environment, to halt unlawful deregulatory actions, to require enforcement of the Clean Air Act, and for other purposes.

Sponsor: [Casten, Sean \[Rep.-D-IL-6\]](#) **Cosponsors:** ([2](#))

Committees: House - Energy and Commerce; Natural Resources; Agriculture; Transportation and Infrastructure

Latest Action: House - 09/16/2026 Referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committees on Natural Resources, Agriculture, and Transportation and Infrastructure, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker.

[H.R.10432](#)

To provide for a land exchange between the city of Greeley, Colorado, and the Forest Service, and for other purposes.

Sponsor: [Evans, Gabe \[Rep.-R-CO-8\]](#) **Cosponsors:** ([0](#))

Committees: House - Natural Resources

Latest Action: House - 09/16/2026 Referred to the House Committee on Natural Resources.

[H.R.10434](#)

To amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to establish a dedicated trust fund for investments in oil and gas communities.

Sponsor: [Gonzalez, Vicente \[Rep.-D-TX-34\]](#) **Cosponsors:** ([0](#))

Committees: House - Ways and Means; Oversight and Government Reform

Latest Action: House - 09/16/2026 Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker.

[H.R.10441](#)

To extend the period of performance for certain disaster recovery projects in the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico, and for other purposes.



Sponsor: [Hernández, Pablo Jose \[Resident Commissioner-D-PR-At Large\]](#)

Cosponsors: (2)

Committees: House - Transportation and Infrastructure

Latest Action: House - 09/16/2026 Referred to the House Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

H.R.10454

To direct the Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency to take appropriate actions to advance textile circularity, and for other purposes.

Sponsor: [Pingree, Chellie \[Rep.-D-ME-1\]](#) **Cosponsors:** (1)

Committees: House - Energy and Commerce

Latest Action: House - 09/16/2026 Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.

H.R.10458

To transfer certain Federal land into trust for the benefit of the Confederated Tribes of the Grand Ronde Community of Oregon, and for other purposes.

Sponsor: [Salinas, Andrea \[Rep.-D-OR-6\]](#) **Cosponsors:** (4)

Committees: House - Natural Resources

Latest Action: House - 09/16/2026 Referred to the House Committee on Natural Resources.

H.R.10462

To amend the Public Health Service Act to establish the Firefighter PFAS Injury Compensation Program, and for other purposes.

Sponsor: [Soto, Darren \[Rep.-D-FL-9\]](#) **Cosponsors:** (1)

Committees: House - Ways and Means; Energy and Commerce; Budget

Latest Action: House - 09/16/2026 Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committees on Energy and Commerce, and the Budget, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker.

H.R.10465

To clarify the requirements for authorizing the use, occupancy, and development of public lands for hyperscale data centers, and for other purposes.

Sponsor: [Titus, Dina \[Rep.-D-NV-1\]](#) **Cosponsors:** (0)

Committees: House - Natural Resources; Agriculture

Latest Action: House - 09/16/2026 Referred to the Committee on Natural Resources, and in addition to the Committee on Agriculture, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker.

H.R.10466

To direct the Secretary of Energy to provide funding to electric and natural gas utility service providers to eliminate the arrears of residential customers of such service providers, support implementation of and participation in percentage of income payment programs and other energy affordability measures, and for other purposes.

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Sponsor: [Tonko, Paul \[Rep.-D-NY-20\]](#) **Cosponsors:** ([0](#))

Committees: House - Energy and Commerce

Latest Action: House - 09/16/2026 Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.

H.R.10467

To amend the Clean Air Act to require the Environmental Protection Agency to impose and collect a charge on the total annual electricity consumption by certain facilities from the owners or operators of such facilities.

Sponsor: [Tonko, Paul \[Rep.-D-NY-20\]](#) **Cosponsors:** ([0](#))

Committees: House - Energy and Commerce

Latest Action: House - 09/16/2026 Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.

H.R.10468

To provide financial and technical assistance to State utility commissions to improve the oversight and regulation of energy utilities and ensure the provision of safe and reliable energy utility services at just and reasonable rates, and for other purposes.

Sponsor: [Tonko, Paul \[Rep.-D-NY-20\]](#) **Cosponsors:** ([0](#))

Committees: House - Energy and Commerce

Latest Action: House - 09/16/2026 Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.

H.R.10469

To amend the Energy Policy and Conservation Act to provide financial assistance, through States and Indian Tribes, to establish and maintain energy hubs to increase awareness and access to energy and energy efficiency programs and opportunities to improve energy affordability, and for other purposes.

Sponsor: [Tonko, Paul \[Rep.-D-NY-20\]](#) **Cosponsors:** ([0](#))

Committees: House - Energy and Commerce

Latest Action: House - 09/16/2026 Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.

H.Res.1545

Recognizing the importance of Latino community leadership and engagement in outdoor recreation and conservation activities that protect United States natural resources, and expressing support for the designation of September 12 through September 20, 2026, as "Latino Conservation Week".

Sponsor: [Barragán, Nanette Diaz \[Rep.-D-CA-44\]](#) **Cosponsors:** ([12](#))

Committees: House - Natural Resources

Latest Action: House - 09/16/2026 Referred to the House Committee on Natural Resources.

Passed House:

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[H.R.1342](#)

Stopping Political Discrimination in Disaster Assistance Act

Sponsor: [Perry, Scott \[Rep.-R-PA-10\]](#) **Cosponsors:** (2)

Committees: House - Transportation and Infrastructure | Senate - Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs

Latest Action: Senate - 09/16/2026 Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

[H.R.9340](#)

Ratepayer Protection Act

Sponsor: [Evans, Gabe \[Rep.-R-CO-8\]](#) **Cosponsors:** (42)

Committees: House - Energy and Commerce

Latest Action: House - 09/16/2026 Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.

[H.R.9497](#)

Water Resources Development Act of 2026

Sponsor: [Graves, Sam \[Rep.-R-MO-6\]](#) **Cosponsors:** (3)

Committees: House - Transportation and Infrastructure

Latest Action: House - 09/16/2026 Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.

[H.J.Res.213](#)

Providing for congressional disapproval under chapter 8 of title 5, United States Code, of the rule issued by the Environmental Protection Agency relating to the "California State Nonroad Engine Pollution Control Standards; Commercial Harbor Craft Regulations; Notice of Decision".

Sponsor: [Gallagher, James \[Rep.-R-CA-1\]](#) **Cosponsors:** (5)

Committees: House - Energy and Commerce

Latest Action: House - 09/16/2026 Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.

Committee Hearings:

INCREASING DEMAND AND OPPORTUNITIES FOR HOMEGROWN PRODUCTS HERE AND ABROAD

Committee on Agriculture: Full Committee held a [hearing](#) entitled "Increasing Demand and Opportunities for Homegrown Products Here and Abroad". Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

EXAMINING WATER RIGHTS AND HABITAT MANAGEMENT POLICIES

Committee on Natural Resources: Subcommittee on Water, Wildlife and Fisheries held a [hearing](#) on [H.R. 177](#), the "Yosemite National Park Equal Access and Fairness Act"; [H.R. 3717](#), the "Golden Mussel Eradication and Control Act of 2025"; [H.R. 5935](#), the "Agua Caliente Band of Cahuilla Indians Water Rights Settlement Act"; [H.R. 6869](#), to

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amend the Aamodt Litigation Settlement Act to modify a provision relating to the extension of certain dates for the completion of the Regional Water System, and for other purposes; [H.R. 8546](#), the "Pechanga Band of Indians Water Rights Settlement Technical Amendments Act"; [H.R. 9017](#), the "Restore Florida Water Independence Act of 2026"; [H.R. 9590](#), the "SAFE for Manatees Act"; and [H.R. 10117](#), the "GATOR Act of 2026". Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

RECOGNIZING AMERICAN HISTORICAL SITES AND PROMOTING PROPER LAND MANAGEMENT

Committee on Natural Resources: Subcommittee on Federal Lands held a [hearing](#) on ...[H.R. 2323](#), the "Big Bend National Park Boundary Adjustment Act"; ...[H.R. 9104](#), the "Rock Creek National Park Act of 2026"; ...[H.R. 9999](#), the "Mountain Pine Beetle Coordination Act"; ...and [S. 1377](#), the "Theodore Roosevelt National Park Wild Horses Protection Act". Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

EMPOWERING TRIBAL LAND MANAGEMENT

Committee on Natural Resources: Subcommittee on Indian and Insular Affairs held a [hearing](#) on [H.R. 7269](#), the "Helping Our People Act of 2026"; and [H.R. 8674](#), the "Geese House Site Conveyance Act". Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Other Committee Meetings:

FULL COMMITTEE MARKUP

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Full Committee held a [markup](#) on...[H.R. 7502](#), the "Recycled Materials Attribution Act" [and other bills].

FULL COMMITTEE MARKUP

Committee on the Judiciary: Full Committee held a [markup](#) on...[H.R. 8330](#), the "Stop Climate Shakedowns Act of 2026" [and other bills].

MARKUP OF H.R. 10346 [AND OTHER BILLS]

Committee on Ways and Means: Full Committee held a [markup](#) on [H.R. 10346](#), the "Stop China's Exploitation of Congolese Children and Adult Forced Labor through Cobalt Mining Act" [and other bills].

Senate:

Bills Introduced:

[S.5407](#)

A bill to amend title 23, United States Code, to include roundabouts as eligible projects under the surface transportation block grant program, and for other purposes.

Sponsor: [Young, Todd \[Sen.-R-IN\]](#) **Cosponsors:** [\(1\)](#)

Committees: Senate - Environment and Public Works

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Latest Action: Senate - 09/16/2026 Read twice and referred to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

S.5409

A bill to restore and strengthen the obligation of the Environmental Protection Agency to protect human health and the environment, to halt unlawful deregulatory actions, to require enforcement of the Clean Air Act, and for other purposes.

Sponsor: [Whitehouse, Sheldon \[Sen.-D-RI\]](#) **Cosponsors:** (1)

Committees: Senate - Environment and Public Works

Latest Action: Senate - 09/16/2026 Read twice and referred to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

S.5410

A bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to establish the Firefighter PFAS Injury Compensation Program, and for other purposes.

Sponsor: [Booker, Cory A. \[Sen.-D-NJ\]](#) **Cosponsors:** (0)

Committees: Senate - Finance

Latest Action: Senate - 09/16/2026 Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.

S.5413

A bill to withhold Federal highway funds from States that provide driver's licenses or identification cards to aliens who are unlawfully present in the United States, and for other purposes.

Sponsor: [Husted, Jon \[Sen.-R-OH\]](#) **Cosponsors:** (1)

Committees: Senate - Environment and Public Works

Latest Action: Senate - 09/16/2026 Read twice and referred to the Committee on Environment and Public Works

S.5415

A bill to direct the Administrator of the Federal Aviation Administration to enter into appropriate arrangements with the National Academies of Sciences, Engineering, and Medicine to provide for a report on the health impacts of air traffic noise and pollution, and for other purposes.

Sponsor: [Warren, Elizabeth \[Sen.-D-MA\]](#) **Cosponsors:** (1)

Committees: Senate - Commerce, Science, and Transportation

Latest Action: Senate - 09/16/2026 Read twice and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

S.5418

A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to exclude data centers from the definition of qualified opportunity zone businesses.

Sponsor: [Hawley, Josh \[Sen.-R-MO\]](#) **Cosponsors:** (0)

Committees: Senate - Finance



Latest Action: Senate - 09/16/2026 Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Bills Reported:

[S.5045](#)

Wildfire Emissions Prevention Act of 2026

Sponsor: [Curtis, John R. \[Sen.-R-UT\]](#) **Cosponsors:** (7)

Committees: Senate - Environment and Public Works

Latest Action: Senate - 09/16/2026 Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 620.

[S.5249](#)

MORE American Fuel Act of 2026

Sponsor: [Kelly, Mark \[Sen.-D-AZ\]](#) **Cosponsors:** (3)

Committees: Senate - Environment and Public Works

Latest Action: Senate - 09/16/2026 Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 621.

Passed Senate:

[H.R.3657](#)

Hydropower Licensing Transparency Act

Sponsor: [Schrier, Kim \[Rep.-D-WA-8\]](#) **Cosponsors:** (3)

Committees: House - Energy and Commerce | Senate - Energy and Natural Resources

Committee Report: [H. Rept. 119-193](#)

Latest Action: Senate - 09/16/2026 Message on Senate action sent to the House.

[H.R.7250](#)

To reauthorize the Fort Peck Reservation Rural Water System Act of 2000.

Sponsor: [Downing, Troy \[Rep.-R-MT-2\]](#) **Cosponsors:** (0)

Committees: House - Natural Resources | Senate - Energy and Natural Resources

Committee Report: [H. Rept. 119-675](#)

Latest Action: Senate - 09/16/2026 Message on Senate action sent to the House.

Committee Hearings:

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Full Committee held a [hearing](#) to examine [S. 456](#), to amend the Energy Policy Act of 2005 to expedite geothermal exploration and development in previously studied or developed areas, [S. 1568](#), to amend the Energy Policy and Conservation Act to modify standards for general service lamps, [S. 2644](#), to require the Secretary of the Interior to conduct a special resource study to assess the suitability and feasibility of establishing the Camden Battlefield area in the State of South Carolina as a unit of the National Park System, [S. 4103](#) and [H.R. 2709](#), bills to improve the health and resiliency of giant sequoias, [S. 4116](#), to advance next-generation geothermal electricity generation demonstration projects in new

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regions, [S. 4166](#), to amend the Energy Policy and Conservation Act to require States to include supporting the physical security, cybersecurity, and resilience of local distribution systems in State energy security plans, [S. 4023](#), to establish the America's Living Library Project, [S. 4489](#), to authorize the Dry-Redwater Regional Water Authority System in the State of Montana, [S. 4787](#), to expedite resolution of certain administrative proceedings at the Department of the Interior, [S. 4846](#), to amend the United States-Mexico Transboundary Aquifer Assessment Act to reauthorize the United States-Mexico transboundary aquifer assessment program, [S. 4870](#), to amend the Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act to reauthorize the Earth Mapping Resources Initiative, [S. 4955](#), to amend the Act of May 17, 1954, to revise the boundary of Gateway Arch National Park, [S. 5048](#), to amend the Federal Power Act to modernize the hydropower licensing process, [S. 5101](#), to prohibit the Secretary of the Interior from taking any action to expand the Mid-Continent Limestone Quarry located near Glenwood Springs, Colorado, [S. 5169](#), to expand the boundaries of the Shenandoah Valley Battlefields National Historic District, to recognize and enhance the Shenandoah Valley Battlefields National Historic District partnership model, [S. 5338](#), to amend the Energy Policy and Conservation Act to prohibit the Secretary of Energy from prescribing any new or amended energy conservation standards for a product that is not technologically feasible and economically justified, [S. 5293](#), to direct the Secretary of Agriculture and the Secretary of the Interior to establish prepositioning protocols for aerial wildfire suppression for early-season fine fuel wildland fires, [S. 5352](#), to amend the Water Infrastructure Improvements for the Nation Act and the Water Desalination Act of 1996 to reauthorize certain desalination programs, [S. 5359](#), to direct the Secretary of Agriculture to convey to Pennington County, South Dakota, certain National Forest System land, [S. 5360](#), to amend the Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act to reauthorize the Rural and Municipal Utility Advanced Cybersecurity Grant and Technical Assistance Program, [S. 5374](#), to facilitate the conveyance of certain land in Bonners Ferry, Idaho, platted under section 2387 of the Revised Statutes, [H.R. 900](#), to direct the Director of the United States Geological Survey to establish a program to map zones that are at greater risk of sinkhole formation, [H.R. 1682](#), to amend the Federal Lands Recreation Enhancement Act to provide for lifetime National Parks and Federal Recreational Lands Passes for family members of members of the Armed Forces who lost their lives while serving their country, and an original bill to extend authorizations for aquatic ecosystem restoration projects, multi-benefit watershed health projects, and WaterSMART grants.

September 15, 2026

House:

Bills Introduced:

[H.R.10383](#)



To require the Secretary of the Army to expedite the completion of agreements with non-Federal interests for beneficial use of dredged material from federally authorized harbors in the State of Ohio, and for other purposes.

Sponsor: [Kaptur, Marcy \[Rep.-D-OH-9\]](#) **Cosponsors:** ([0](#))

Committees: House - Transportation and Infrastructure

Latest Action: House - 09/15/2026 Referred to the House Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

H.R.10384

To authorize the Secretary of the Army to conduct a study to determine the feasibility of carrying out a project for flood risk management, including riverbank stabilization, ecosystem restoration, and recreation, along the Maumee River in the vicinity of Glass City Riverwalk, Toledo, Ohio, and for other purposes.

Sponsor: [Kaptur, Marcy \[Rep.-D-OH-9\]](#) **Cosponsors:** ([0](#))

Committees: House - Transportation and Infrastructure

Latest Action: House - 09/15/2026 Referred to the House Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

H.R.10385

To amend the Water Resources Development Act of 1992 to increase the amount of funds authorized for the Secretary of the Army to carry out wastewater infrastructure projects in Village of Kelleys Island, Ohio, and for other purposes.

Sponsor: [Kaptur, Marcy \[Rep.-D-OH-9\]](#) **Cosponsors:** ([0](#))

Committees: House - Transportation and Infrastructure

Latest Action: House - 09/15/2026 Referred to the House Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

H.R.10386

To amend the Water Resources Development Act of 1992 to increase the amount and purposes of funds authorized for the Secretary of the Army to carry out water and wastewater infrastructure projects in Toledo and Oregon, Ohio, and for other purposes.

Sponsor: [Kaptur, Marcy \[Rep.-D-OH-9\]](#) **Cosponsors:** ([0](#))

Committees: House - Transportation and Infrastructure

Latest Action: House - 09/15/2026 Referred to the House Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

H.R.10387

To amend the Water Resources Development Act of 2000 to authorize the Secretary of the Army to carry out additional Great Lakes fishery and ecosystem restoration projects not eligible under current policy of the Department of the Army, and for other purposes.

Sponsor: [Kaptur, Marcy \[Rep.-D-OH-9\]](#) **Cosponsors:** ([0](#))

Committees: House - Transportation and Infrastructure; Natural Resources



Latest Action: House - 09/15/2026 Referred to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, and in addition to the Committee on Natural Resources, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker.

H.R.10388

To clarify and update Federal policy governing operation and maintenance of the Toussaint River Federal navigation project in Carroll Township, Ohio, as authorized under section 107 of the River and Harbor Act of 1960, and for other purposes.

Sponsor: [Kaptur, Marcy \[Rep.-D-OH-9\]](#) **Cosponsors:** (0)

Committees: House - Transportation and Infrastructure

Latest Action: House - 09/15/2026 Referred to the House Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

H.R.10395

Critical Materials Future Act of 2025

Sponsor: [McCollum, Betty \[Rep.-D-MN-4\]](#) **Cosponsors:** (2)

Committees: House - Energy and Commerce

Latest Action: House - 09/15/2026 Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.

H.R.10402

To amend the Department of Energy Organization Act to require financial assistance provided by the Department of Energy to promote high labor standards, community benefits, domestic manufacturing, and investments in small and disadvantaged communities, and for other purposes.

Sponsor: [Tonko, Paul \[Rep.-D-NY-20\]](#) **Cosponsors:** (1)

Committees: House - Energy and Commerce; Science, Space, and Technology

Latest Action: House - 09/15/2026 Referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker.

Passed House:

H.R.2140

Diesel Emissions Reduction Act of 2025

Sponsor: [Matsui, Doris O. \[Rep.-D-CA-7\]](#) **Cosponsors:** (3)

Committees: House - Energy and Commerce

Latest Action: House - 09/15/2026 Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.

H.R.6633

High-Capacity Grid Act

Sponsor: [Fedorchak, Julie \[Rep.-R-ND-At Large\]](#) **Cosponsors:** (4)

Committees: House - Energy and Commerce



Latest Action: House - 09/15/2026 Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.

[H.R.9332](#)

Load Forecasting Enhancement Act

Sponsor: [Balderson, Troy \[Rep.-R-OH-12\]](#) **Cosponsors:** (6)

Committees: House - Energy and Commerce

Latest Action: House - 09/15/2026 Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.

[H.R.9339](#)

Affordable Innovation for the Grid Act

Sponsor: [Harshbarger, Diana \[Rep.-R-TN-1\]](#) **Cosponsors:** (6)

Committees: House - Energy and Commerce

Latest Action: House - 09/15/2026 Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.

[H.R.9615](#)

BRACE Act

Sponsor: [Miller-Meeks, Mariannette \[Rep.-R-IA-1\]](#) **Cosponsors:** (3)

Committees: House - Energy and Commerce

Latest Action: House - 09/15/2026 Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.

[H.R.9616](#)

EMRTAI Authorization Act of 2026

Sponsor: [Pfluger, August \[Rep.-R-TX-11\]](#) **Cosponsors:** (1)

Committees: House - Energy and Commerce

Latest Action: House - 09/15/2026 Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.

[H.R.9617](#)

CHARM Act

Sponsor: [Palmer, Gary J. \[Rep.-R-AL-6\]](#) **Cosponsors:** (1)

Committees: House - Energy and Commerce

Latest Action: House - 09/15/2026 Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.

[H.J.Res.210](#)

Providing for congressional disapproval under chapter 8 of title 5, United States Code, of the rule submitted by the Environmental Protection Agency relating to "California State Nonroad Engine Pollution Control Standards; Ocean-Going Vessels At-Berth; Notice of Decision".

Sponsor: [Fong, Vince \[Rep.-R-CA-20\]](#) **Cosponsors:** (7)

Committees: House - Energy and Commerce



Latest Action: House - 09/15/2026 Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.

[H.Res.1530](#)

Providing for consideration of...the joint resolution (H.J. Res. 210) providing for congressional disapproval under chapter 8 of title 5, United States Code, of the rule submitted by the Environmental Protection Agency relating to "California State Nonroad Engine Pollution Control Standards; Ocean-Going Vessels At-Berth; Notice of Decision"; providing for consideration of the joint resolution (H.J. Res. 213) providing for congressional disapproval under chapter 8 of title 5, United States Code, of the rule issued by the Environmental Protection Agency relating to the "California State Nonroad Engine Pollution Control Standards; Commercial Harbor Craft Regulations...and for other purposes.

Sponsor: [Fischbach, Michelle \[Rep.-R-MN-7\]](#) Cosponsors: ([0](#))

Committees: House - Rules

Committee Report: [H. Rept. 119-825](#)

Latest Action: House - 09/14/2026 Placed on the House Calendar, Calendar No. 90.

Committee Hearings:

NUCLEAR SPENT FUEL POLICY: EXAMINING NUCLEAR LIFECYCLE INNOVATION CAMPUSES

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Energy held a [hearing](#) entitled "Nuclear Spent Fuel Policy: Examining Nuclear Lifecycle Innovation Campuses". Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

INNOVATION IN DISASTER PREVENTION: ADVANCING TECHNOLOGY FOR PREDICTION AND RESPONSE

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Full Committee held a [hearing](#) entitled "Innovation in Disaster Prevention: Advancing Technology for Prediction and Response". Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Other Committee Meetings:

FULL COMMITTEE MARKUP

Committee on Natural Resources: Full Committee held a [markup](#) on [H.R. 181](#), to amend the Endangered Species Act of 1973 to provide that artificially propagated animals shall be treated the same under that Act as naturally propagated animals, and for other purposes; [H.R. 184](#), the "Action Versus No Action Act"; [H.R. 1555](#), the "Bureau of Land Management Mineral Spacing Act"; [H.R. 4598](#), the "Technical Corrections to the Northwestern New Mexico Rural Water Projects Act, Taos Pueblo Indian Water Rights Settlement Act, and Aamodt Litigation Settlement Act"; [H.R. 5745](#), the "Marine Fisheries Habitat Protection Act"; [H.R. 7254](#), to amend the National Trails System Act to direct the Secretary of the Interior to conduct a study on the feasibility of designating the Bay Area Ridge National Scenic Trail, and for other purposes; [H.R. 7954](#), the "Don Young Doug LaMalfa Indian Buffalo Management Act"; [H.R. 8195](#), the "Responsible

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Cormorant Management and Control Act of 2026"; [H.R. 8483](#), the "Barona Group of Capitan Grande Band of Mission Indians Land Transfer Act of 2026"; [H.R. 9621](#), the "Northwest Endangered Salmon Predation Prevention Act of 2026"; ...[H.R. 9600](#), the "Common Sense 250 Act of 2026"; [H.R. 9640](#), the "Earth MRI Reauthorization Act of 2026"; [H.R. 9785](#), the "South Dakota Water Feasibility Studies Act"; [H.R. 10136](#), the "Crossett Experimental Forest Act of 2026"; [and] [H.R. 10306](#), the "Technical Correction to the Shoshone-Paiute Tribes of the Duck Valley Reservation Water Rights Settlement Act of 2025".

FULL COMMITTEE MARKUP

Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure: Full Committee held a [markup](#) on...[H.R. 6448](#), the "Rural Airport Infrastructure Support Act of 2026" [and] [H.R. 8409](#), the "Post-Disaster Protection Act".

Senate:

Bills Introduced:

[S.5400](#)

A bill to provide for multilateral semiconductor technology supply chain coordination, and for other purposes.

Sponsor: [Curtis, John R. \[Sen.-R-UT\]](#) **Cosponsors:** (0)

Committees: Senate - Foreign Relations

Latest Action: Senate - 09/15/2026 Read twice and referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

[S.5401](#)

A bill to amend the Department of Energy Organization Act to require that financial assistance provided by the Department of Energy promote high labor standards, community benefits, domestic manufacturing, and support for small or disadvantaged communities, and for other purposes.

Sponsor: [Heinrich, Martin \[Sen.-D-NM\]](#) **Cosponsors:** (0)

Committees: Senate - Energy and Natural Resources

Latest Action: Senate - 09/15/2026 Read twice and referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

[S.5402](#)

A bill to extend authorizations for aquatic ecosystem restoration projects, multi-benefit watershed health projects, and WaterSMART grants, and for other purposes.

Sponsor: [Wyden, Ron \[Sen.-D-OR\]](#) **Cosponsors:** (1)

Committees: Senate - Energy and Natural Resources

Latest Action: Senate - 09/15/2026 Read twice and referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.



Bills Reported:

[S.388](#)

Promoting Resilient Buildings Act

Sponsor: [Cornyn, John \[Sen.-R-TX\]](#) **Cosponsors:** ([1](#))

Committees: Senate - Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs

Latest Action: Senate - 09/15/2026 Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 616.

September 14, 2026

House:

Bills Introduced:

[H.R.10355](#)

Disaster Loan Outreach Consistency Act

Sponsor: [Mejia, Analilia \[Rep.-D-NJ-11\]](#) **Cosponsors:** ([1](#))

Committees: House - Small Business

Latest Action: House - 09/14/2026 Referred to the House Committee on Small Business.

[H.Res.1537](#)

Supporting the designation of the week of September 14 through September 18, 2026, as "National Clean Energy Week".

Sponsor: [Miller-Meeks, Mariannette \[Rep.-R-IA-1\]](#) **Cosponsors:** ([26](#))

Committees: House - Energy and Commerce; Science, Space, and Technology

Latest Action: House - 09/14/2026 Referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker.

Bills Reported:

[H.R.2140](#)

Diesel Emissions Reduction Act of 2025

Sponsor: [Matsui, Doris O. \[Rep.-D-CA-7\]](#) **Cosponsors:** ([3](#))

Committees: House - Energy and Commerce

Latest Action: House - 09/14/2026 Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 718.

[H.R.6633](#)

High-Capacity Grid Act

Sponsor: [Fedorchak, Julie \[Rep.-R-ND-At Large\]](#) **Cosponsors:** ([4](#))

Committees: House - Energy and Commerce

Latest Action: House - 09/14/2026 Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 723.

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[H.R.9332](#)

Load Forecasting Enhancement Act

Sponsor: [Balderson, Troy \[Rep.-R-OH-12\]](#) **Cosponsors:** (6)

Committees: House - Energy and Commerce

Latest Action: House - 09/14/2026 Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 722.

[H.R.9339](#)

Affordable Innovation for the Grid Act

Sponsor: [Harshbarger, Diana \[Rep.-R-TN-1\]](#) **Cosponsors:** (6)

Committees: House - Energy and Commerce

Latest Action: House - 09/14/2026 Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 721.

[H.R.9615](#)

BRACE Act

Sponsor: [Miller-Meeks, Mariannette \[Rep.-R-IA-1\]](#) **Cosponsors:** (3)

Committees: House - Energy and Commerce

Latest Action: House - 09/14/2026 Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 717.

[H.R.9616](#)

EMRTAI Authorization Act of 2026

Sponsor: [Pfluger, August \[Rep.-R-TX-11\]](#) **Cosponsors:** (1)

Committees: House - Energy and Commerce

Latest Action: House - 09/14/2026 Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 720.

[H.R.9617](#)

CHARM Act

Sponsor: [Palmer, Gary J. \[Rep.-R-AL-6\]](#) **Cosponsors:** (1)

Committees: House - Energy and Commerce

Latest Action: House - 09/14/2026 Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 719.

[H.Res.1530](#)

Providing for consideration of...the joint resolution (H.J. Res. 210) providing for congressional disapproval under chapter 8 of title 5, United States Code, of the rule submitted by the Environmental Protection Agency relating to "California State Nonroad Engine Pollution Control Standards; Ocean-Going Vessels At-Berth; Notice of Decision"; providing for consideration of the joint resolution (H.J. Res. 213) providing for congressional disapproval under chapter 8 of title 5, United States Code, of the rule issued by the Environmental Protection Agency relating to the "California State Nonroad Engine Pollution Control Standards; Commercial Harbor Craft Regulations...and for other purposes.

Sponsor: [Fischbach, Michelle \[Rep.-R-MN-7\]](#) **Cosponsors:** (0)

Committees: House - Rules

Committee Report: [H. Rept. 119-825](#)

Latest Action: House - 09/14/2026 Placed on the House Calendar, Calendar No. 90.



Passed House:

[H.R.2317](#)

Northern Nevada Economic Development and Conservation Act of 2026

Sponsor: [Amodei, Mark E. \[Rep.-R-NV-2\]](#) **Cosponsors:** ([0](#))

Committees: House - Natural Resources; Agriculture

Latest Action: House - 09/14/2026 Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.

[H.R.3276](#)

Local Communities & Bird Habitat Stewardship Act of 2026

Sponsor: [Dingell, Debbie \[Rep.-D-MI-6\]](#) **Cosponsors:** ([21](#))

Committees: House - Natural Resources

Committee Report: [H. Rept. 119-758](#)

Latest Action: House - 09/14/2026 Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.

[H.R.3925](#)

Yuhaaviatam of San Manuel Nation Land Exchange Act

Sponsor: [Obernolte, Jay \[Rep.-R-CA-23\]](#) **Cosponsors:** ([0](#))

Committees: House - Natural Resources

Committee Report: [H. Rept. 119-760](#)

Latest Action: House - 09/14/2026 Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.

[H.R.4219](#)

National Wildlife Refuge System Invasive Species Strike Team Act of 2025

Sponsor: [Case, Ed \[Rep.-D-HI-1\]](#) **Cosponsors:** ([1](#))

Committees: House - Natural Resources

Committee Report: [H. Rept. 119-771](#)

Latest Action: House - 09/14/2026 Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.

[H.R.4931](#)

National Park System Long-Term Lease Investment Act

Sponsor: [Murphy, Gregory F. \[Rep.-R-NC-3\]](#) **Cosponsors:** ([0](#))

Committees: House - Natural Resources

Latest Action: House - 09/14/2026 Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.

[H.R.6021](#)

Archie Cavanaugh Migratory Bird Treaty Clarification Act

Sponsor: [Begich, Nicholas J. \[Rep.-R-AK-At Large\]](#) **Cosponsors:** ([0](#))

Committees: House - Natural Resources

Committee Report: [H. Rept. 119-774](#)



Latest Action: House - 09/14/2026 The title of the measure was amended. Agreed to without objection.

H.R.6893

Chesapeake Bay Watershed Advancement for Training, Education, Restoration, and Science (WATERS) Act

Sponsor: [Scott, Robert C. "Bobby" \[Rep.-D-VA-3\]](#) **Cosponsors:** ([7](#))

Committees: House - Natural Resources

Committee Report: [H. Rept. 119-763](#)

Latest Action: House - 09/14/2026 Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.

H.R.7889

AWRC Act of 2025

Sponsor: [Wittman, Robert J. \[Rep.-R-VA-1\]](#) **Cosponsors:** ([10](#))

Committees: House - Natural Resources

Committee Report: [H. Rept. 119-764](#)

Latest Action: House - 09/14/2026 Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.

H.R.8454

To provide for the transfer of administrative jurisdiction over certain Federal land in the State of California, and for other purposes.

Sponsor: [McClintock, Tom \[Rep.-R-CA-5\]](#) **Cosponsors:** ([0](#))

Committees: House - Natural Resources

Committee Report: [H. Rept. 119-777](#)

Latest Action: House - 09/14/2026 Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.

S.240

Crow Tribe Water Rights Settlement Amendments Act of 2025

Sponsor: [Daines, Steve \[Sen.-R-MT\]](#) **Cosponsors:** ([1](#))

Committees: Senate - Indian Affairs

Committee Report: [S. Rept. 119-93](#)

Latest Action: House - 09/14/2026 Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.

S.283

Illegal Red Snapper and Tuna Enforcement Act

Sponsor: [Cruz, Ted \[Sen.-R-TX\]](#) **Cosponsors:** ([4](#))

Committees: Senate - Commerce, Science, and Transportation

Committee Report: [S. Rept. 119-24](#)

Latest Action: House - 09/14/2026 Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.

S.550

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A bill to provide for the equitable settlement of certain Indian land disputes regarding land in Illinois, and for other purposes.

Sponsor: [Mullin, Markwayne \[Sen.-R-OK\]](#) **Cosponsors:** (1)

Committees: Senate - Indian Affairs

Committee Report: [S. Rept. 119-76](#)

Latest Action: House - 09/14/2026 Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.

S.759

Modernizing Access to Our Public Oceans Act

Sponsor: [Cruz, Ted \[Sen.-R-TX\]](#) **Cosponsors:** (1)

Committees: Senate - Commerce, Science, and Transportation

Committee Report: [S. Rept. 119-40](#)

Latest Action: House - 09/14/2026 Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.

Senate:

Bills Introduced:

S.5388

A bill to establish a student loan forgiveness plan for certain borrowers who are employed at a qualified farm or ranch.

Sponsor: [Murphy, Christopher \[Sen.-D-CT\]](#) **Cosponsors:** (2)

Committees: Senate - Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions

Latest Action: Senate - 09/14/2026 Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

S.5391

A bill to improve compliance with mine safety and health laws, empower miners to raise safety concerns, prevent future mine tragedies, and for other purposes.

Sponsor: [Kaine, Tim \[Sen.-D-VA\]](#) **Cosponsors:** (0)

Committees: Senate - Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions

Latest Action: Senate - 09/14/2026 Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

Bills Reported:

H.R.681

To amend the Act of August 9, 1955 (commonly known as the “Long-Term Leasing Act”), to authorize leases of up to 99 years for land in the Mashpee Wampanoag Tribe Reservation and land held in trust for the Wampanoag Tribe of Gay Head (Aquinnah), and for other purposes

Sponsor: [Keating, William R. \[Rep.-D-MA-9\]](#) **Cosponsors:** (0)

Committees: House - Natural Resources | Senate - Indian Affairs



Committee Report: [H. Rept. 119-449](#)

Latest Action: Senate - 09/14/2026 Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 555.

[H.R.2388](#)

Lower Elwha Klallam Tribe Project Lands Restoration Act

Sponsor: [Randall, Emily \[Rep.-D-WA-6\]](#) **Cosponsors:** (0)

Committees: House - Natural Resources | Senate - Indian Affairs

Committee Report: [H. Rept. 119-287](#)

Latest Action: Senate - 09/14/2026 Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 556.

[S.236](#)

A bill to amend the Act of August 9, 1955 (commonly known as the "Long-Term Leasing Act"), to authorize leases of up to 99 years for land in the Mashpee Wampanoag Tribe Reservation and land held in trust for the Wampanoag Tribe of Gay Head (Aquinnah), and for other purposes.

Sponsor: [Markey, Edward J. \[Sen.-D-MA\]](#) **Cosponsors:** (2)

Committees: Senate - Indian Affairs

Latest Action: Senate - 09/14/2026 Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 553.

[S.1513](#)

Lower Elwha Klallam Tribe Project Lands Restoration Act

Sponsor: [Cantwell, Maria \[Sen.-D-WA\]](#) **Cosponsors:** (1)

Committees: Senate - Indian Affairs

Latest Action: Senate - 09/14/2026 Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 554.

[S.3791](#)

Regional Ocean Partnerships Reauthorization Act of 2026

Sponsor: [Wicker, Roger F. \[Sen.-R-MS\]](#) **Cosponsors:** (13)

Committees: Senate - Commerce, Science, and Transportation

Latest Action: Senate - 09/14/2026 Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 563.

