

HR 1776

Buffalo Bayou National Heritage Area Study Act

Congress: 107 (2001–2003, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Public Lands and Natural Resources

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Sponsor

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Party: Democratic • State: TX • Chamber: House

Cosponsors (3 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Bentsen, Ken [D-TX-25]	D · TX		May 10, 2001
Rep. Jackson-Lee, Sheila [D-TX-18]	D · TX		May 10, 2001
Rep. Lampson, Nick [D-TX-9]	D · TX		May 10, 2001

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Natural Resources Committee	Senate	Hearings By (subcommittee)	Apr 18, 2002
Natural Resources Committee	House	Reported by	Sep 25, 2001

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Public Lands and Natural Resources

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
107 S 1809	Identical bill	<b>Apr 18, 2002:</b> Committee on Energy and Natural Resources Subcommittee on National Parks. Hearings held. With printed Hearing: S.Hrg. 107-642.

Buffalo Bayou National Heritage Area Study Act - Requires the Secretary of the Interior, in consultation with the State of Texas, the City of Houston, and other appropriate organizations, to study the suitability and feasibility of establishing the Buffalo Bayou National Heritage Area in west Houston, Texas.

Sets forth the requirements for such study, including analysis and documentation regarding whether the Study Area: (1) has resources that represent distinctive aspects of American heritage best managed through public/private partnerships; (2) has traditions and folklife reflective of valuable parts of the national story; (3) provides conservation, recreational, and educational opportunities; (4) contains resources supporting interpretation; (5) has a developed financial plan and a potential management entity; and (6) has a conceptual boundary supported by the public.

Sets forth the boundaries of the Area. Requires the Secretary to report to the appropriate congressional committees within three years of receiving funding for this study,.

## Actions Timeline

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- **Dec 16, 2002:** Signed by President.
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- **Dec 16, 2002:** Became Public Law No: 107-337.
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- **Dec 4, 2002:** Presented to President.
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- **Nov 20, 2002:** Passed/agreed to in Senate: Passed Senate without amendment by Unanimous Consent.(consideration: CR 11/19/2002 S11652-11655)
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- **Nov 20, 2002:** Message on Senate action sent to the House.
- **Sep 9, 2002:** Committee on Energy and Natural Resources. Reported by Senator Bingaman without amendment. With written report No. 107-262.
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- **Sep 9, 2002:** Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 579.
- **Jul 31, 2002:** Committee on Energy and Natural Resources. Ordered to be reported without amendment favorably.
- **Apr 18, 2002:** Committee on Energy and Natural Resources Subcommittee on National Parks. Hearings held.
- **Oct 31, 2001:** Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.
- **Oct 30, 2001:** Reported (Amended) by the Committee on Resources. H. Rept. 107-256.
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- **Oct 30, 2001:** Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 156.
- **Oct 30, 2001:** Mr. Walden moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended.
- **Oct 30, 2001:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H7382-7383)
- **Oct 30, 2001:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H.R. 1776.
- **Oct 30, 2001:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended Agreed to by voice vote.(text: CR H7382)
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- **Oct 30, 2001:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Oct 3, 2001:** Executive Comment Received from Interior.
- **Oct 3, 2001:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **Oct 3, 2001:** Ordered to be Reported (Amended) by Voice Vote.
- **Sep 25, 2001:** Subcommittee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **Sep 25, 2001:** Forwarded by Subcommittee to Full Committee (Amended) by Voice Vote.
- **Jul 17, 2001:** Subcommittee Hearings Held.
- **May 14, 2001:** Referred to the Subcommittee on National Parks, Recreation and Public Lands.
- **May 14, 2001:** Executive Comment Requested from Interior.
- **May 9, 2001:** Introduced in House
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