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HR 897

Coastal Community Conservation Act of 2001

Congress: 107 (2001–2003, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Public Lands and Natural Resources

Introduced: Mar 6, 2001

Current Status: Subcommittee Hearings Held.

Latest Action: Subcommittee Hearings Held. (May 24, 2001)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Saxton, Jim [R-NJ-3]

Party: Republican • State: NJ • Chamber: House

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Natural Resources Committee	House	Hearings By (subcommittee)	May 24, 2001
Transportation and Infrastructure Committee	House	Referred to	Mar 7, 2001

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Public Lands and Natural Resources

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Mar 6, 2001)

Coastal Community Conservation Act of 2001 - Amends the Coastal Zone Management Act of 1972 to replace the resources management improvement grant program with a coastal community conservation grant program.

Makes Coastal Zone Management Fund amounts available to offset costs of implementing coastal zone management programs.

Revises coastal zone enhancement grant provisions, including: (1) expanding eligible grant objectives; (2) requiring State matching funds; and (3) amending allocation criteria.

Makes the Walter B. Jones Excellence in Coastal Zone Management Awards program discretionary. (Currently the Secretary of Commerce is required to implement the program.)

Authorizes appropriations for: (1) administrative grants; (2) coastal zone enhancement grants; and (3) Walter B. Jones Excellence in Coastal Zone Management Awards.

Directs the Secretary to: (1) report with respect to coastal zone management program outcome indicators; and (2) submit to specified congressional committees draft legislation authorizing a national coastal zone management outcome monitoring and performance evaluation system.

Establishes the National Coastal Reserve System (in lieu of the National Estuarine Research Reserve System). Sets forth System provisions.

Actions Timeline

- May 24, 2001: Subcommittee Hearings Held.
- Mar 16, 2001: Referred to the Subcommittee on Fisheries Conservation, Wildlife and Oceans.
- Mar 16, 2001: Executive Comment Requested from Commerce.
- Mar 7, 2001: Referred to the Subcommittee on Water Resources and Environment.
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