

HR 4506

Small Disaster Assistance Act of 2004

Congress: 108 (2003–2005, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Emergency Management

Introduced: Jun 3, 2004

Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on Economic Development, Public Buildings and Emergency Management.

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Economic Development, Public Buildings and Emergency Management. (Jun 4, 2004)

Official Text: <https://www.congress.gov/bill/108th-congress/house-bill/4506>

Sponsor

Name: Rep. Hastings, Alcee L. [D-FL-23]

Party: Democratic • **State:** FL • **Chamber:** House

Cosponsors (4 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Deutsch, Peter [D-FL-20]	D · FL		Jun 3, 2004
Rep. Foley, Mark [R-FL-16]	R · FL		Jun 3, 2004
Rep. Shaw, E. Clay, Jr. [R-FL-22]	R · FL		Jun 3, 2004
Rep. Wexler, Robert [D-FL-19]	D · FL		Jun 3, 2004

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Transportation and Infrastructure Committee	House	Referred to	Jun 4, 2004

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Emergency Management

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Small Disaster Assistance Act of 2004 - Amends the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act to authorize the President, after an event that results in major damage to or destruction of 100 homes or fewer, to declare, at the request of a Governor, that a major disaster exists and provide Federal assistance upon determining that such assistance is necessary due to the existence of one or more of the following factors in the affected area: (1) a large population of historically and economically disadvantaged individuals; (2) a median family income level below the national, State, or local average; (3) high unemployment; (4) a large population of uninsured homeowners or renters; (5) a large elderly population; (6) a high concentration of damage; and (7) a high level of trauma, including injuries, deaths, disruption of community services, and emergency needs.

Actions Timeline

- **Jun 4, 2004:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E1045-1046)
- **Jun 4, 2004:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Economic Development, Public Buildings and Emergency Management.
- **Jun 3, 2004:** Introduced in House
- **Jun 3, 2004:** Referred to the House Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

LegiList

CONGRESS, MADE CLEAR.

Search Every Federal Bill, Law, and Vote

LegiList is the fastest way to research Congress. Track any bill from introduction to enactment, see how every legislator voted, follow committee activity, and read the full text of every bill — all in one place, always up to date.

legilist.com

Free Course: Learn How Congress Actually Works

LegiList Learn is a free, self-paced course that walks through the entire legislative process — from drafting a bill to a presidential signature. Seven modules, plain language, no politics. Earn a certificate when you finish.

legilist.com/learn

Developer API: Build Apps on Legislative Data

The LegiList API gives developers direct access to bills, votes, legislators, committees, and more. Start free with 1,000 requests per day — no credit card required. Upgrade to Pro when you need to scale.

legilist.com/api

Public data belongs to the public. — legilist.com