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S 1346

Michigan Lighthouse and Maritime Heritage Act

Congress: 109 (2005–2007, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Public Lands and Natural Resources

Introduced: Jun 30, 2005

Current Status: Became Public Law No: 109-436.

Latest Action: Became Public Law No: 109-436. (Dec 20, 2006)

Law: 109-436 (Enacted Dec 20, 2006)

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Stabenow, Debbie [D-MI]

Party: Democratic • State: MI • Chamber: Senate

Cosponsors (1 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Levin, Carl [D-MI]	D · MI		Jun 30, 2005

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Natural Resources Committee	Senate	Hearings By (subcommittee)	Jul 28, 2005
Natural Resources Committee	House	Referred to	Oct 3, 2006

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Public Lands and Natural Resources

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
109 HR 3532	Identical bill	Sep 7, 2006: Subcommittee Hearings Held.

(This measure has not been amended since it was reported to the Senate on April 20, 2006. The summary of that version is repeated here.)

Michigan Lighthouse and Maritime Heritage Act - Directs the Secretary of the Interior to conduct and report on a special resource study of resources related to the maritime heritage of Michigan to determine: (1) suitable and feasible options for the long-term protection of significant maritime heritage resources in Michigan; and (2) the manner in which the public can best learn about and experience such resources.

Instructs the Secretary, in conducting the study, to: (1) review federal, state, and local maritime resource inventories and studies to establish the potential for interpretation and preservation of maritime heritage resources in Michigan; (2) recommend management alternatives that would be most effective for long-term protection and providing for public enjoyment of maritime heritage resources; (3) address how to assist regional, state, and local partners in increasing public awareness of and access to maritime heritage resources; (4) identify sources of financial and technical assistance available to communities for the preservation and interpretation of maritime heritage resources; and (5) identify opportunities for the National Park Service and the State of Michigan to coordinate the activities of appropriate units of national, state, and local parks and historic sites in furthering the preservation and interpretation of maritime heritage resources.

Authorizes appropriations.

Actions Timeline

- Dec 20, 2006: Signed by President.
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- Dec 20, 2006: Became Public Law No: 109-436.
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- Dec 11, 2006: Presented to President.
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- Dec 6, 2006: Mrs. Drake moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill.
- Dec 6, 2006: Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR 12/7/2006 H8855-8856)
- Dec 6, 2006: DEBATE The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on S. 1346.
- Dec 6, 2006: Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill Agreed to by voice vote.(text: CR 12/7/2006 H8855)
- Dec 6, 2006: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill Agreed to by voice vote. (text: CR 12/7/2006 H8855)
- Dec 6, 2006: Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- Oct 3, 2006: Referred to the Subcommittee on National Parks.
- Oct 3, 2006: Executive Comment Requested from Interior.
- Sep 29, 2006: Passed/agreed to in Senate: Passed Senate with an amendment by Unanimous Consent.(consideration: CR S10531; text as passed Senate: CR S10531)
- Sep 29, 2006: Passed Senate with an amendment by Unanimous Consent. (consideration: CR S10531; text as passed Senate: CR S10531)
- Sep 29, 2006: Received in the House.
- Sep 29, 2006: Message on Senate action sent to the House.
- Sep 29, 2006: Referred to the House Committee on Resources.
- Apr 20, 2006: Committee on Energy and Natural Resources. Reported by Senator Domenici under authority of the order of the Senate of 04/07/2006 with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. With written report No. 109-234.
- Apr 20, 2006: Committee on Energy and Natural Resources. Reported by Senator Domenici under authority of the order of the Senate of 04/07/2006 with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. With written report No. 109-234.
- Apr 20, 2006: Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 396.
- Mar 8, 2006: Committee on Energy and Natural Resources. Ordered to be reported with an amendment in the nature of a substitute favorably.
- Jul 28, 2005: Committee on Energy and Natural Resources Subcommittee on National Parks. Hearings held. With printed Hearing: S.Hrg. 109-201.
- Jun 30, 2005: Introduced in Senate
- Jun 30, 2005: Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR 7/1/2005 S7828-7829)
- Jun 30, 2005: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources. (text of measure as introduced: CR 7/1/2005 S7829)