

## HR 1351

Voluntary Public Access and Wildlife Habitat Incentive Program Act of 2005

**Congress:** 109 (2005–2007, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Agriculture and Food

**Introduced:** Mar 16, 2005

**Current Status:** Executive Comment Requested from USDA.

**Latest Action:** Executive Comment Requested from USDA. (Apr 4, 2005)

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Rep. Sweeney, John E. [R-NY-20]	R · NY		Sep 14, 2006

## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Agriculture Committee	House	Referred to	Mar 24, 2005

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

Agriculture and Food

## Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
109 S 548	Identical bill	<b>May 17, 2005:</b> Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S5296-5297)

## Summary (as of Mar 16, 2005)

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Voluntary Public Access and Wildlife Habitat Incentive Program Act of 2005 - Amends the Food Security Act of 1985 to direct the Secretary of Agriculture to establish a program under which States and tribal governments may apply for grants to encourage owners and operators of privately-held farm, ranch, and forest land to voluntarily make such land available for public access under State- and tribally-administered plans.

Amends the Farm Security and Rural Investment Act of 2002 to exclude from excess base acreage computation for direct and counter-cyclical payment purposes certain conservation enrolled farm land not planted in an agricultural commodity.

## Actions Timeline

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- **Apr 4, 2005:** Executive Comment Requested from USDA.
- **Mar 24, 2005:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Conservation, Credit, Rural Development and Research.
- **Mar 16, 2005:** Introduced in House
- **Mar 16, 2005:** Referred to the House Committee on Agriculture.

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