

HR 1675

Together-Immediately Defeating Erosion Act of 2005

**Congress:** 109 (2005–2007, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Public Lands and Natural Resources

**Introduced:** Apr 18, 2005

**Current Status:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Conservation, Credit, Rural Development and Research.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Conservation, Credit, Rural Development and Research. (Apr 25, 2005)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/109th-congress/house-bill/1675>

Sponsor

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**Party:** Republican • **State:** LA • **Chamber:** House

Cosponsors (6 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Alexander, Rodney [R-LA-5]	R · LA		Apr 18, 2005
Rep. Baker, Richard H. [R-LA-6]	R · LA		Apr 18, 2005
Rep. Jefferson, William J. [D-LA-2]	D · LA		Apr 18, 2005
Rep. Jindal, Bobby [R-LA-1]	R · LA		Apr 18, 2005
Rep. McCrery, Jim [R-LA-4]	R · LA		Apr 18, 2005
Rep. Melancon, Charlie [D-LA-3]	D · LA		Apr 18, 2005

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Agriculture Committee	House	Referred to	Apr 25, 2005
Transportation and Infrastructure Committee	House	Referred to	Apr 19, 2005

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Public Lands and Natural Resources

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
109 S 734	Related bill	<b>Apr 6, 2005:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

Together-Immediately Defeating Erosion Act of 2005 - Amends the Federal Water Pollution Control Act to direct the Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) to use appropriated funds to participate in environmental restoration and resource protection programs and projects in the Louisiana coastal area and to enter into an agreements with other federal agencies to to carry out interagency projects.

Amends the Watershed Protection and Flood Prevention Act to direct the Secretary of Agriculture, acting through the Natural Resources Conservation Service, to use authorized funds to: (1) give technical and financial assistance to local organizations in planning and carrying out watershed projects for flood protection and other purposes consistent with the comprehensive Louisiana coastal conservation, protection, and restoration program; (2) enter into a project agreements with other federal agencies; and (3) implement projects to protect or restore watersheds and the ecosystem in coastal Louisiana.

### **Actions Timeline**

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- **Apr 25, 2005:** Executive Comment Requested from USDA.
- **Apr 25, 2005:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Conservation, Credit, Rural Development and Research.
- **Apr 19, 2005:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Water Resources and Environment.
- **Apr 18, 2005:** Introduced in House
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