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White Pine County Conservation, Recreation, and Development Act of 2006

Congress: 109 (2005–2007, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Public Lands and Natural Resources

Introduced: Aug 1, 2006

Current Status: Committee on Energy and Natural Resources Subcommittee on Public Lands and Forests. Hearings

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Latest Action: Committee on Energy and Natural Resources Subcommittee on Public Lands and Forests. Hearings held.

With printed Hearing: S.Hrg. 109-792. (Nov 16, 2006)

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Ensign, John [R-NV]

Party: Republican • State: NV • Chamber: Senate

Cosponsors (1 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Reid, Harry [D-NV]	$D \cdot NV$		Aug 1, 2006

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Natural Resources Committee	Senate	Hearings By (subcommittee)	Nov 16, 2006

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Public Lands and Natural Resources

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
109 HR 6111	Related bill	Dec 20, 2006: Became Public Law No: 109-432.

White Pine County Conservation, Recreation, and Development Act of 2006 - Directs the Secretary of the Interior (Secretary) to conduct sales of certain Bureau of Land Management (BLM) land in White Pine County, Nevada.

Pam White Wilderness Act of 2006 - Designates certain federal land in Nevada as wilderness components of the National Wilderness Preservation System.

Transfers administrative jurisdiction over: (1) certain land from BLM to the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (USFWS) for inclusion in Ruby Lake National Wildlife Refuge; and (2) specified National Forest Service (Department of Agriculture) land to BLM (Department of the Interior).

Directs the Secretary to convey: (1) specified land to the state of Nevada if the state and the county concerned enter into an agreement supporting such conveyance; and (2) certain land to White Pine County, Nevada, to be used for the expansion of White Pine County airport and White Pine County Industrial Park.

Directs the Secretary to study and designate the preferred route for the Silver State Off-Highway Vehicle Trail.

Transfers certain land to the Ely Shoshone Indian Tribe.

Directs such Secretaries of Agriculture and of the Interior to carry out the Eastern Nevada Landscape Restoration Project to: (1) implement the Great Basin Restoration Initiative; and (2) restore native rangelands and woodland in White Pine and Lincoln Counties in Nevada.

Makes conforming amendments to the Southern Nevada Public Land Management Act of 1998.

Great Basin National Heritage Route Act - Establishes the Great Basin National Heritage Route to provide public access to certain resources in White Pine County, Nevada, Millard County, Utah, and the Duckwater Shoshone Reservation in Nevada.

Actions Timeline

- Nov 16, 2006: Committee on Energy and Natural Resources Subcommittee on Public Lands and Forests. Hearings held. With printed Hearing: S.Hrg. 109-792.
- Aug 2, 2006: Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S8603-8604)
- Aug 1, 2006: Introduced in Senate
- Aug 1, 2006: Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S8303-8304)
- Aug 1, 2006: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.