

HR 763

Revolutionary War and War of 1812 Battlefield Protection Act of 2005

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Public Lands and Natural Resources

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Sponsor

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Party: Democratic • State: NJ • Chamber: House

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Rep. Markey, Edward J. [D-MA-7]	D · MA		Feb 10, 2005
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Rep. Souder, Mark E. [R-IN-3]	R · IN		Feb 10, 2005
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Rep. McNulty, Michael R. [D-NY-21]	D · NY		Feb 16, 2005
Rep. Towns, Edolphus [D-NY-10]	D · NY		Feb 16, 2005
Rep. Andrews, Robert E. [D-NJ-1]	D · NJ		Mar 8, 2005
Rep. Davis, Danny K. [D-IL-7]	D · IL		Mar 8, 2005
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Rep. Fossella, Vito [R-NY-13]	R · NY		Apr 12, 2005
Rep. Ryan, Tim [D-OH-17]	D · OH		Apr 13, 2005
Rep. Sanders, Bernard [I-VT-At Large]	I · VT		May 10, 2005
Rep. Hastings, Alcee L. [D-FL-23]	D · FL		Jun 8, 2005
Rep. Higgins, Brian [D-NY-27]	D · NY		Jun 6, 2006

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Natural Resources Committee	House	Referred to	Feb 28, 2005

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Public Lands and Natural Resources

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Feb 10, 2005)

Revolutionary War and War of 1812 Battlefield Protection Act of 2005 - Amends the American Battlefield Protection Act of 1996 to direct the Secretary of the Interior, acting through the American Battlefield Protection Program, to establish an acquisition grant program for battlefields and associated sites identified in the Revolutionary War and War of 1812 Historic Preservation Study (battlefield report).

Authorizes the Secretary to provide grants to States or local governments (eligible entities) to pay the Federal share of the cost of acquiring such sites. Permits eligible entities to acquire an interest in eligible sites using such grants in partnership with nonprofit organizations.

Requires the non-Federal share of the cost of acquisition of eligible sites to be not less than 50 percent of the total.

Subjects acquired property to the Land and Water Conservation Fund Act's prohibition against conversion to other than public outdoor recreation uses without the Secretary's approval.

Requires the Secretary to submit to Congress a report on activities carried out under this Act and updates to the battlefield report.

Actions Timeline

- **Feb 28, 2005:** Referred to the Subcommittee on National Parks.
- **Feb 10, 2005:** Introduced in House
- **Feb 10, 2005:** Introduced in House
- **Feb 10, 2005:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E222-223)
- **Feb 10, 2005:** Referred to the House Committee on Resources.