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HR 5879

Save our Border Communities Act of 2008

Congress: 110 (2007–2009, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Emergency Management

Introduced: Apr 23, 2008

Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on Economic Development, Public Buildings and Emergency

Management.

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Economic Development, Public Buildings and Emergency Management.

(Apr 24, 2008)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Filner, Bob [D-CA-51]

Party: Democratic • State: CA • Chamber: House

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Transportation and Infrastructure Committee	House	Referred to	Apr 24, 2008

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Emergency Management

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Apr 23, 2008)

Save our Border Communities Act of 2008 - Directs the Secretary of Homeland Security to provide payment to first responders for costs associated with providing emergency services at U.S. international borders, but only to the extent that such costs are not otherwise reimbursed through any federal program and cannot otherwise be recovered.

Actions Timeline

- Apr 24, 2008: Referred to the Subcommittee on Economic Development, Public Buildings and Emergency Management.
- Apr 23, 2008: Introduced in House
- Apr 23, 2008: Referred to the House Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.