

## HR 2548

Keep America's Waterfronts Working Act of 2009

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**Chamber:** House

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

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### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Natural Resources Committee	House	Hearings By (subcommittee)	Oct 20, 2009

### Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Public Lands and Natural Resources

### Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

### Summary (as of May 21, 2009)

Keep America's Waterfronts Working Act of 2009 - Amends the Coastal Zone Management Act of 1972 to direct the Secretary of Commerce, acting through the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), to establish a Working Waterfront Grant Program to make a grant, through a regionally equitable, competitive funding process, to any coastal state to implement a plan to preserve and expand access to coastal waters for persons engaged in commercial fishing, recreational fishing, aquaculture, boatbuilding, or other water-dependent coastal-related business.

Authorizes the Secretary to award planning grants to coastal states to develop or revise comprehensive working waterfront plans.

### Actions Timeline

- **Oct 20, 2009:** Subcommittee Hearings Held.
- **Jun 1, 2009:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Insular Affairs, Oceans and Wildlife.
- **May 21, 2009:** Introduced in House
- **May 21, 2009:** Referred to the House Committee on Natural Resources.