

## S 3261

### Buffalo Bayou National Heritage Area Act

**Congress:** 111 (2009–2011, Ended)

**Chamber:** Senate

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

**Introduced:** Apr 27, 2010

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

**Latest Action:** Committee on Energy and Natural Resources Subcommittee on Public Lands and Forests. Hearings held. (Sep 29, 2010)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/111th-congress/senate-bill/3261>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Sen. Hutchison, Kay Bailey [R-TX]

**Party:** Republican • **State:** TX • **Chamber:** Senate

### Cosponsors

*No cosponsors are listed for this bill.*

### Committee Activity

| Committee                              | Chamber | Activity                   | Date         |
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| Energy and Natural Resources Committee | Senate  | Hearings By (subcommittee) | Sep 29, 2010 |
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### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Public Lands and Natural Resources

### Related Bills

| Bill        | Relationship   | Last Action  |
|-------------|----------------|--|
| 111 HR 5144 | Identical bill | <b>Apr 29, 2010:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on National Parks, Forests and Public Lands. |

Buffalo Bayou National Heritage Area Act - Establishes the Buffalo Bayou National Heritage Area in Texas. Designates the Buffalo Bayou National Heritage Area Corporation as the management entity for the Heritage Area. Requires the Corporation to submit a management plan for the Heritage Area.

Requires the federal cost share of any activity carried out using assistance under this Act to be half of that activity's cost.

Sets forth requirements for the approval or disapproval of the management plan by the Secretary of the Interior.

Specifies this Act's effect on private property protections and water rights with regard to the Heritage Area. Bars anything in this Act from being meant as modifying the Rio Grande Natural Area Act.

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### **Actions Timeline**

- **Sep 29, 2010:** Committee on Energy and Natural Resources Subcommittee on National Parks. Hearings held.
- **Sep 29, 2010:** Committee on Energy and Natural Resources Subcommittee on Public Lands and Forests. Hearings held.
- **Apr 27, 2010:** Introduced in Senate
- **Apr 27, 2010:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S2709)
- **Apr 27, 2010:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.