

## HR 4671

### National Discovery Trails Act of 2010

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**Chamber:** House

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

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**Current Status:** Referred to the Subcommittee on National Parks, Forests and Public Lands.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on National Parks, Forests and Public Lands. (Feb 26, 2010)

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## Sponsor

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Rep. Hastings, Alcee L. [D-FL-23]	D · FL		Jul 15, 2010
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Rep. Garamendi, John [D-CA-10]	D · CA		Jul 22, 2010
Rep. Markey, Betsy [D-CO-4]	D · CO		Jul 22, 2010
Rep. Shimkus, John [R-IL-19]	R · IL		Aug 10, 2010
Rep. Capito, Shelley Moore [R-WV-2]	R · WV		Nov 17, 2010

## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Natural Resources Committee	House	Referred to	Feb 26, 2010

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

Public Lands and Natural Resources

## Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

## **Summary** (as of Feb 23, 2010)

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National Discovery Trails Act of 2010 - Amends the National Trails System Act to establish national discovery trails which shall be extended, continuous interstate trails located so as to provide for outdoor recreation and travel and to connect representative examples of America's trails and communities.

Authorizes the designation of such trails on federal lands and, with the consent of the owner, on non-federal lands.

Designates as a national discovery trail the 6,000-mile American Discovery Trail which shall extend from Cape Henlopen State Park in Delaware to Point Reyes National Seashore in California, traveling northern and southern routes from Cincinnati, Ohio, to Denver, Colorado.

Sets forth requirements for designation as a national discovery trail.

Requires the appropriate Secretary for each national discovery trail to: (1) administer the trail in cooperation with a competent trailwide volunteer-based organization; and (2) submit a comprehensive plan for the protection, management, development, and use of such trail.

## **Actions Timeline**

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- **Feb 26, 2010:** Referred to the Subcommittee on National Parks, Forests and Public Lands.
- **Feb 23, 2010:** Introduced in House
- **Feb 23, 2010:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E214)
- **Feb 23, 2010:** Referred to the House Committee on Natural Resources.