

## HR 3388

Wood-Pawcatuck Watershed Protection Act

**Congress:** 112 (2011–2013, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

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

**Introduced:** Nov 4, 2011

**Current Status:** Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

**Latest Action:** Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources. (Jul 24, 2012)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/112th-congress/house-bill/3388>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Langevin, James R. [D-RI-2]

**Party:** Democratic • **State:** RI • **Chamber:** House

### Cosponsors (2 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Courtney, Joe [D-CT-2]	D · CT		Nov 4, 2011
Rep. Cicilline, David N. [D-RI-1]	D · RI		Nov 16, 2011

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Natural Resources Committee	Senate	Referred To	Jul 24, 2012
Natural Resources Committee	House	Discharged from	Jun 7, 2012

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Public Lands and Natural Resources

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
112 S 3423	Related bill	Jul 23, 2012: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

**(This measure has not been amended since it was reported to the House on July 17, 2012. The summary of that version is repeated here.)**

Wood-Pawcatuck Watershed Protection Act - Amends the Wild and Scenic Rivers Act to designate for study for potential addition to the national wild and scenic rivers system specified segments of the Beaver, Chipuxet, Queen, Wood, and Pawcatuck Rivers in Rhode Island and Connecticut.

Requires the study of such rivers' designation to: (1) include the effect of designation on existing commercial and recreational activities, energy production and transmission infrastructure, and the authority of state and local governments to manage such activities; and (2) identify authorities allowing the influence of local land use decisions or restrictions on non-federal land, condemnation authorities, and all private property located in the study area.

### **Actions Timeline**

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- **Jul 24, 2012:** Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.
- **Jul 23, 2012:** Mr. Hastings (WA) moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended.
- **Jul 23, 2012:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H5087-5088)
- **Jul 23, 2012:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H.R. 3388.
- **Jul 23, 2012:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended Agreed to by voice vote.(text: CR H5087)
- **Jul 23, 2012:** On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended Agreed to by voice vote. (text: CR H5087)
- **Jul 23, 2012:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Jul 17, 2012:** Reported (Amended) by the Committee on Natural Resources. H. Rept. 112-603.
- **Jul 17, 2012:** Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 438.
- **Jun 7, 2012:** Subcommittee on National Parks, Forests and Public Lands Discharged.
- **Jun 7, 2012:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **Jun 7, 2012:** Ordered to be Reported (Amended).
- **Apr 17, 2012:** Subcommittee Hearings Held.
- **Nov 29, 2011:** Referred to the Subcommittee on National Parks, Forests and Public Lands.
- **Nov 4, 2011:** Introduced in House
- **Nov 4, 2011:** Referred to the House Committee on Natural Resources.