

HR 3397

Cabin Fee Act of 2012

Congress: 112 (2011–2013, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Public Lands and Natural Resources

Introduced: Nov 10, 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. (Sep 11, 2012)

Official Text: <https://www.congress.gov/bill/112th-congress/house-bill/3397>

Sponsor

Name: Rep. Hastings, Doc [R-WA-4]

Party: Republican • **State:** WA • **Chamber:** House

Cosponsors (3 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Simpson, Michael K. [R-ID-2]	R · ID		Nov 10, 2011
Rep. Rehberg, Denny [R-MT-At Large]	R · MT		Dec 8, 2011
Rep. Hunter, Duncan D. [R-CA-52]	R · CA		Dec 20, 2011

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Natural Resources Committee	Senate	Referred To	Sep 11, 2012
Natural Resources Committee	House	Reported By	Jul 17, 2012

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Public Lands and Natural Resources

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
112 S 1906	Related bill	Mar 22, 2012: Committee on Energy and Natural Resources Subcommittee on Public Lands and Forests. Hearings held. With printed Hearing: S.Hrg. 112-642.

Cabin Fee Act of 2012 - Directs the Secretary of Agriculture (USDA) to set an annual fee for, and requires the payment of such fee to the United States by, an authorized owner of a privately built and owned recreational cabin located on National Forest System land.

Reduces such fee to \$100 annually if access to a cabin is significantly impaired, either by natural causes or governmental actions.

Requires payment of a transfer fee to the United States upon the transfer of a cabin between private parties for consideration.

Requires the Secretary to grant a cabin owner the right to administrative appeal of a cabin fee decision, which may be reviewed by bringing a civil action in U.S. district court.

Actions Timeline

- **Sep 11, 2012:** Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.
- **Sep 10, 2012:** Mr. Hastings (WA) moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended.
- **Sep 10, 2012:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H5730-5732)
- **Sep 10, 2012:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H.R. 3397.
- **Sep 10, 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 H5730-5731)
- **Sep 10, 2012:** On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended Agreed to by voice vote. (text: CR H5730-5731)
- **Sep 10, 2012:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Jul 17, 2012:** Reported by the Committee on Natural Resources. H. Rept. 112-602.
- **Jul 17, 2012:** Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 437.
- **Nov 17, 2011:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **Nov 17, 2011:** Ordered to be Reported by Unanimous Consent.
- **Nov 10, 2011:** Introduced in House
- **Nov 10, 2011:** Referred to the House Committee on Natural Resources.