

## HR 4342

### WAVE4 Act

**Congress:** 112 (2011–2013, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Transportation and Public Works

**Introduced:** Mar 29, 2012

**Current Status:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Water Resources and Environment.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Water Resources and Environment. (Mar 30, 2012)

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### Sponsor

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Rep. Johnson, Timothy V. [R-IL-15]	R · IL		Mar 29, 2012
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Rep. Olson, Pete [R-TX-22]	R · TX		Apr 18, 2012
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Rep. Kinzinger, Adam [R-IL-11]	R · IL		Apr 25, 2012
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Rep. Jackson, Jesse L., Jr. [D-IL-2]	D · IL		May 16, 2012
Rep. Holden, Tim [D-PA-17]	D · PA		Jun 18, 2012
Rep. Roskam, Peter J. [R-IL-6]	R · IL		Jun 18, 2012
Rep. Hultgren, Randy [R-IL-14]	R · IL		Jun 20, 2012
Rep. Johnson, Bill [R-OH-6]	R · OH		Jun 27, 2012
Rep. Roe, David P. [R-TN-1]	R · TN		Jun 27, 2012
Rep. Crawford, Eric A. "Rick" [R-AR-1]	R · AR		Jul 17, 2012
Rep. Biggert, Judy [R-IL-13]	R · IL		Jul 24, 2012
Rep. Rogers, Mike D. [R-AL-3]	R · AL		Jul 24, 2012
Rep. Bonner, Jo [R-AL-1]	R · AL		Aug 2, 2012
Rep. Bachus, Spencer [R-AL-6]	R · AL		Sep 10, 2012
Rep. Cummings, Elijah E. [D-MD-7]	D · MD		Sep 10, 2012
Rep. Kind, Ron [D-WI-3]	D · WI		Nov 27, 2012

## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Transportation and Infrastructure Committee	House	Referred to	Mar 30, 2012
Transportation and Infrastructure Committee	House	Referred to	Mar 30, 2012
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Mar 29, 2012

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

Transportation and Public Works

## Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Waterways Are Vital for the Economy, Energy, Efficiency, and Environment Act of 2012 or WAVE4 Act - Directs the Secretary of the Army, acting through the Chief of Engineers, to require certain delivery process reforms for qualifying construction and major rehabilitation projects for navigation infrastructure of inland and intracoastal waterways.

Directs the Secretary, working in conjunction with the Inland Waterways Users Board, to submit to Congress a 20-year program for making capital investments on inland and intracoastal waterways. Authorizes such program to be based on the 20-year capital investment strategy contained in the Inland Marine Transportation System (IMTS) Capital Projects Business Model, Final Report published on April 13, 2010, as approved by the Board.

Amends the Internal Revenue Code to limit expenditures from the Inland Waterways Trust Fund to 50% of the total cost of the construction or rehabilitation project. Prohibits expenditures from the Fund for: (1) construction or rehabilitation of dams, or (2) rehabilitation expenditures equal to or exceeding \$100 million.

### **Actions Timeline**

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- **Mar 30, 2012:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Coast Guard and Maritime Transportation.
- **Mar 30, 2012:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Water Resources and Environment.
- **Mar 29, 2012:** Introduced in House
- **Mar 29, 2012:** Referred to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, and in addition to the Committee on Ways and Means, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.