

SRES 462

A resolution recognizing National Foster Care Month as an opportunity to raise awareness about the challenges faced by children in the foster care system, acknowledging the dedication of foster care parents, advocates, and workers, and encouraging Congress to implement policy to improve the lives of children in the foster care system.

Congress: 112 (2011–2013, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Families

Introduced: May 16, 2012

Current Status: Resolution agreed to in Senate without amendment and with a preamble by Unanimous Consent. (text: CR)

Latest Action: Resolution agreed to in Senate without amendment and with a preamble by Unanimous Consent. (text: CR S3689-3690) (Jun 4, 2012)

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Landrieu, Mary L. [D-LA]

Party: Democratic • **State:** LA • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors (12 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Grassley, Chuck [R-IA]	R · IA		May 16, 2012
Sen. Begich, Mark [D-AK]	D · AK		May 24, 2012
Sen. Blumenthal, Richard [D-CT]	D · CT		May 24, 2012
Sen. Blunt, Roy [R-MO]	R · MO		May 24, 2012
Sen. Cardin, Benjamin L. [D-MD]	D · MD		May 24, 2012
Sen. Collins, Susan M. [R-ME]	R · ME		May 24, 2012
Sen. Inhofe, James M. [R-OK]	R · OK		May 24, 2012
Sen. Johnson, Tim [D-SD]	D · SD		May 24, 2012
Sen. Levin, Carl [D-MI]	D · MI		May 24, 2012
Sen. Murray, Patty [D-WA]	D · WA		May 24, 2012
Sen. Nelson, Ben [D-NE]	D · NE		May 24, 2012
Sen. Wyden, Ron [D-OR]	D · OR		May 24, 2012

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions Committee	Senate	Discharged From	Jun 4, 2012

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Families

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
112 HRES 659	Related bill	May 16, 2012: Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.
112 SRES 203	Related bill	May 26, 2011: Submitted in the Senate, considered, and agreed to without amendment and with a preamble by Unanimous Consent. (consideration: CR S3462; text as passed Senate: CR S3462; text of measure as introduced: CR S3454)
112 HRES 242	Related bill	May 3, 2011: Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.

Summary (as of Jun 4, 2012)

(This measure has not been amended since it was introduced. The summary of that version is repeated here.)

Recognizes National Foster Care Month as an opportunity to raise awareness about the challenges that children in the foster care system face.

Encourages Congress to implement policy to improve the lives of children in the foster care system.

Supports the designation of May as National Foster Care Month.

Actions Timeline

- **Jun 4, 2012:** Senate Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions discharged by Unanimous Consent.(consideration: CR S3689-3690)
- **Jun 4, 2012:** Senate Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions discharged by Unanimous Consent. (consideration: CR S3689-3690)
- **Jun 4, 2012:** Passed/agreed to in Senate: Resolution agreed to in Senate without amendment and with a preamble by Unanimous Consent.(text: CR S3689-3690)
- **Jun 4, 2012:** Resolution agreed to in Senate without amendment and with a preamble by Unanimous Consent. (text: CR S3689-3690)
- **May 16, 2012:** Introduced in Senate
- **May 16, 2012:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S3237-3238)
- **May 16, 2012:** Referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. (text of measure as introduced: CR S3236)