

HR 5995

Wild Olympics Wilderness and Wild and Scenic Rivers Act of 2012

Congress: 112 (2011–2013, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Public Lands and Natural Resources

Introduced: Jun 21, 2012

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. (Jun 29, 2012)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Dicks, Norman D. [D-WA-6]

Party: Democratic • State: WA • Chamber: House

Cosponsors (1 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Natural Resources Committee	House	Referred to	Jun 29, 2012

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Public Lands and Natural Resources

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
112 S 3329	Identical bill	Jun 21, 2012: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

Wild Olympics Wilderness and Wild and Scenic Rivers Act of 2012 - Designates certain federal land in the Olympic National Forest in the state of Washington as wilderness and as components of the National Wilderness Preservation System. Designates certain other land, identified on the same map as such proposed areas, as potential wilderness.

Amends the Wild and Scenic Rivers Act to designate as wild, scenic, or recreational rivers specified segments of the following rivers in the state of Washington:

- Elwha River;
- Dungeness River;
- Big Quilcene River;
- Dosewallips River;
- Duckabush River;
- Hamma Hamma River;
- South Fork Skokomish River;
- Middle Fork Satsop River;
- West Fork Satsop River;
- Wynoochee River;
- East Fork Humptulips River;
- West Fork Humptulips River;
- Quinault River;
- Queets River;
- Hoh River;
- Bogachiel River;
- South Fork Calawah River;
- Sol Duc River; and
- Lyre River.

Withdraws the federal land within the boundaries of the designated river segments from: (1) entry, appropriation, or disposal under the public land laws; (2) location, entry, and patent under the mining laws; and (3) disposition under all laws relating to mineral and geothermal leasing or mineral materials.

Actions Timeline

- **Jun 29, 2012:** Referred to the Subcommittee on National Parks, Forests and Public Lands.
- **Jun 21, 2012:** Introduced in House
- **Jun 21, 2012:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E1113-1114)
- **Jun 21, 2012:** Referred to the House Committee on Natural Resources.