

HRES 762

Expressing the sense of the House of Representatives regarding community-based civil defense and power generation.

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Policy Area: Emergency Management

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Transportation and Infrastructure Committee	House	Referred to	Aug 3, 2012

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Emergency Management

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Encourages: (1) every community to work with citizens, leaders, and institutions ranging from local fire halls and schools to faith-based organizations to develop its own civil defense program to create sustainable local infrastructure and planning capacity for tranquil times and disaster scenarios; (2) every citizen to develop an individual emergency plan to prepare for the absence of government assistance for extended periods; (3) each local community to foster the capability of providing at least 20% of its own critical needs, such as local power generation, food, and water, while protecting local infrastructure whenever possible from threats to centralized infrastructure; and (4) state governments and federal agencies to support the ability of local communities to become stronger, self-reliant, and better able to assist neighboring communities in times of great need.

Actions Timeline

- **Aug 3, 2012:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Economic Development, Public Buildings and Emergency Management.
- **Aug 2, 2012:** Introduced in House
- **Aug 2, 2012:** Referred to the House Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.