HR 2401

Good Neighbor Forestry Act

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Chamber: House
Policy Area: Public Lands and Natural Resources
Introduced: Jun 17, 2013
Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on Conservation, Energy, and Forestry.
Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Conservation, Energy, and Forestry. (Aug 13, 2013)
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Sponsor

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Agriculture Committee	House	Referred to	Aug 13, 2013
Natural Resources Committee	House	Referred to	Jun 25, 2013

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Public Lands and Natural Resources

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
113 HR 4	Related bill	**Nov 13, 2014:** Read the second time. Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 597.
113 HR 1526	Related bill	**Sep 23, 2013:** Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.
113 S 327	Related bill	**Sep 10, 2013:** Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 175.
113 HR 2518	Related bill	**Jun 26, 2013:** Referred to the Committee on the Budget, and in addition to the Committee on Rules, 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.
113 HR 1947	Related bill	**Jun 20, 2013:** On passage Failed by recorded vote: 195 - 234 (Roll no. 286).
113 HR 1895	Related bill	**May 22, 2013:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Conservation, Energy, and Forestry.
113 HR 1345	Related bill	**Apr 23, 2013:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Conservation, Energy, and Forestry.
113 HR 818	Related bill	**Apr 11, 2013:** Subcommittee Hearings Held.

Summary (as of Jun 17, 2013)

Good Neighbor Forestry Act - Authorizes the Secretary of Agriculture (USDA), with respect to National Forest System land, and the Secretary of the Interior, with respect to Bureau of Land Management (BLM) land, to enter into cooperative agreements and contracts with state foresters to provide forest, rangeland, and watershed restoration, management, and protection services that include: (1) activities to treat insect infected forests; (2) activities to reduce hazardous fuels; (3) activities involving commercial harvesting or other mechanical vegetation treatments; or (4) any other activities to restore or improve forest, rangeland, and watershed health, including fish and wildlife habitat.

Permits state foresters to enter into subcontracts to provide such restoration, management, and protection services.

Actions Timeline

- **Aug 13, 2013:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Conservation, Energy, and Forestry.
- **Jun 25, 2013:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Public Lands and Environmental Regulation.
- **Jun 17, 2013:** Introduced in House
- **Jun 17, 2013:** Referred to the Committee on Natural Resources, and in addition to the Committee on Agriculture, 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.

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