

## S 2560

### United States Fish and Wildlife Service Resource Protection Act

**Congress:** 113 (2013–2015, Ended)

**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Public Lands and Natural Resources

**Introduced:** Jun 26, 2014

**Current Status:** Committee on Environment and Public Works Senate Subcommittee on Water and Wildlife. Hearings held.

**Latest Action:** Committee on Environment and Public Works Senate Subcommittee on Water and Wildlife. Hearings held. With printed Hearing: S.Hrg. 113-772. (Jul 16, 2014)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/113th-congress/senate-bill/2560>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Sen. Cardin, Benjamin L. [D-MD]

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

### Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Environment and Public Works Committee	Senate	Hearings By (subcommittee)	Jul 16, 2014

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Public Lands and Natural Resources

### Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

### Summary (as of Jun 26, 2014)

United States Fish and Wildlife Service Resource Protection Act - Authorizes the Fish and Wildlife Service (USFWS) to seek compensation from individuals or entities for costs or damages for destroying, causing the loss of, or injuring any living, nonliving, historical, cultural, or archaeological resource on land managed by the USFWS, or for causing the USFWS to carry out actions to prevent, minimize, or abate such destruction, loss, or injury.

Requires amounts recovered as a result of such destruction, loss, or injury to be made available to USFWS to: (1) reimburse response costs and damage assessments; (2) restore, replace, or acquire the equivalent of a resource that was destroyed, lost, or injured; or (3) monitor and study those resources.

## Actions Timeline

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- **Jul 16, 2014:** Committee on Environment and Public Works Senate Subcommittee on Water and Wildlife. Hearings held. With printed Hearing: S.Hrg. 113-772.
- **Jun 26, 2014:** Introduced in Senate
- **Jun 26, 2014:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S4160-4162)
- **Jun 26, 2014:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Environment and Public Works. (text of measure as introduced: CR S4162)