

## HR 3962

### Making Public Lands Public Access Act

**Congress:** 113 (2013–2015, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

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

**Introduced:** Jan 29, 2014

**Current Status:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Public Lands and Environmental Regulation.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Public Lands and Environmental Regulation. (Feb 3, 2014)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/113th-congress/house-bill/3962>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Daines, Steve [R-MT-At Large]

**Party:** Republican • **State:** MT • **Chamber:** Senate

### Cosponsors

*No cosponsors are listed for this bill.*

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Natural Resources Committee	House	Referred to	Feb 3, 2014

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Public Lands and Natural Resources

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
113 S 1660	Related bill	<b>Nov 6, 2013:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

### Summary (as of Jan 29, 2014)

Making Public Lands Public Access Act - Amends the Land and Water Conservation Fund Act of 1965 to direct the Secretary of the Interior and the Secretary of Agriculture (USDA) to ensure, from amounts requested for the Land and Water Conservation Fund per fiscal year, that not less than the greater of 1.5% of the requested amounts or \$10 million be made available for certain projects identified on an annual priority list to be developed pursuant to this Act.

Requires projects identified on such a list to secure, through rights-of-way or the acquisition of lands or interests from willing sellers, recreational public access to existing federal public lands that have significantly restricted access to hunting, fishing, and other recreational purposes.

## Actions Timeline

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- **Feb 3, 2014:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Public Lands and Environmental Regulation.
- **Jan 29, 2014:** Introduced in House
- **Jan 29, 2014:** Referred to the House Committee on Natural Resources.