

## HR 876

Idaho Wilderness Water Resources Protection Act

**Congress:** 113 (2013–2015, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

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

**Introduced:** Feb 27, 2013

**Current Status:** Became Public Law No: 113-136.

**Latest Action:** Became Public Law No: 113-136. (Jul 25, 2014)

**Law:** 113-136 (Enacted Jul 25, 2014)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/113th-congress/house-bill/876>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Simpson, Michael K. [R-ID-2]

**Party:** Republican • **State:** ID • **Chamber:** House

### Cosponsors

*No cosponsors are listed for this bill.*

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Natural Resources Committee	Senate	Hearings By (subcommittee)	Jul 30, 2013
Natural Resources Committee	House	Discharged from	Apr 24, 2013

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Public Lands and Natural Resources

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
<a href="#">113 S 1430</a>	Identical bill	<b>Aug 1, 2013:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

**(This measure has not been amended since it was introduced. The summary of that version is repeated here.)**

Idaho Wilderness Water Resources Protection Act - Directs the Secretary of Agriculture (USDA) to issue a special use authorization for the continued operation and reconstruction of a water storage, transport, or diversion facility located on National Forest System land in the Frank Church-River of No Return Wilderness and the Selway-Bitterroot Wilderness in Idaho if:

- the facility was in existence on the date on which it was designated as part of the National Wilderness Preservation System;
- the facility has been in continuous use to deliver water for beneficial use on the owner's non-federal land;
- the owner holds a valid water right under state law that predates the designation; and
- relocating the facility is not practicable or feasible.

### Actions Timeline

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- **Jul 25, 2014:** Signed by President.
- **Jul 25, 2014:** Became Public Law No: 113-136.
- **Jul 15, 2014:** Presented to President.
- **Jul 10, 2014:** Message on Senate action sent to the House.
- **Jul 9, 2014:** Passed/agreed to in Senate: Passed Senate without amendment by Unanimous Consent.(consideration: CR S4355-4364; text as passed Senate: CR S4356)
- **Jul 9, 2014:** Passed Senate without amendment by Unanimous Consent. (consideration: CR S4355-4364; text as passed Senate: CR S4356)
- **Apr 10, 2014:** Committee on Energy and Natural Resources. Reported by Senator Landrieu without amendment. With written report No. 113-150.
- **Apr 10, 2014:** Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 361.
- **Nov 21, 2013:** Committee on Energy and Natural Resources. Ordered to be reported without amendment favorably.
- **Jul 30, 2013:** Committee on Energy and Natural Resources Subcommittee on Public Lands, Forests, and Mining. Hearings held.
- **Jun 18, 2013:** Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.
- **Jun 17, 2013:** Mr. Bishop (UT) moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill.
- **Jun 17, 2013:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H3659-3660)
- **Jun 17, 2013:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H.R. 876.
- **Jun 17, 2013:** At the conclusion of debate, the Yeas and Nays were demanded and ordered. Pursuant to the provisions of clause 8, rule XX, the Chair announced that further proceedings on the motion would be postponed.
- **Jun 17, 2013:** Considered as unfinished business. (consideration: CR H3667)
- **Jun 17, 2013:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: (2/3 required): 398 - 0 (Roll no. 245).(text: CR H3659)
- **Jun 17, 2013:** On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: (2/3 required): 398 - 0 (Roll no. 245). (text: CR H3659)
- **Jun 17, 2013:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **May 17, 2013:** Reported by the Committee on Natural Resources. H. Rept. 113-76.
- **May 17, 2013:** Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 52.
- **Apr 24, 2013:** Subcommittee on Public Lands and Environmental Regulation Discharged.
- **Apr 24, 2013:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **Apr 24, 2013:** Ordered to be Reported by Unanimous Consent.
- **Mar 4, 2013:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Public Lands and Environmental Regulation.
- **Feb 27, 2013:** Introduced in House
- **Feb 27, 2013:** Referred to the House Committee on Natural Resources.