

HR 1406

New Mexico Navajo Water Settlement Technical Corrections Act

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Policy Area: Native Americans

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Sponsor

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

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Natural Resources Committee	House	Hearings By (subcommittee)	Jun 25, 2015

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
114 S 501	Identical bill	Sep 30, 2015: Became Public Law No: 114-57.

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Amends the Omnibus Public Land Management Act of 2009 to expand the current authorization for the construction or rehabilitation and operation and maintenance of conjunctive use wells in the San Juan River Basin, Little Colorado River Basin, and Rio Grande Basin in New Mexico to include the planning and design of those wells.

Revises the percentages of funds authorized for the Navajo-Gallup Water Supply Project, conjunctive use wells, and San Juan River Irrigation Projects that may be made available for specified purposes by:

- increasing from 2% to 4% the portion of funds that may be used for the survey, recovery, protection, preservation, and display of archaeological resources in the area of a Project facility or conjunctive use well; and
- decreasing from 4% to 2% the portion of funds that may be used for purchasing land and constructing and maintaining facilities to mitigate the loss of, and improve conditions for the propagation of, fish and wildlife.

Actions Timeline

- **Jun 25, 2015:** Subcommittee Hearings Held.
- **Apr 7, 2015:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Water, Power and Oceans.
- **Mar 17, 2015:** Introduced in House
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