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Elkhorn Ranch and White River National Forest Conveyance Act of 2015

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**Chamber:** Senate

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

**Introduced:** Aug 5, 2015

**Current Status:** Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 334.

**Latest Action:** Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 334. (Dec 16, 2015)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/114th-congress/senate-bill/1942>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Sen. Gardner, Cory [R-CO]

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

### Cosponsors (1 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Bennet, Michael F. [D-CO]	D · CO		Nov 3, 2015

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Natural Resources Committee	Senate	Hearings By (subcommittee)	Oct 8, 2015

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Public Lands and Natural Resources

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
114 HR 1554	Identical bill	<b>Dec 16, 2015:</b> Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 340.

(This measure has not been amended since it was introduced. The summary has been expanded because action occurred on the measure.)

### **Elkhorn Ranch and White River National Forest Conveyance Act of 2015**

(Sec. 2) All interest of the United States in 148 acres of identified land shall be conveyed by patent to the Gordman-Leverich Partnership (GLP), a Colorado Limited Liability Partnership.

The conveyance: (1) shall be subject to the valid existing rights of the lessee of federal oil and gas lease COC-75070 and any other valid existing rights, and (2) shall reserve to the United States the right to collect rent and royalty payments on such lease for its duration.

The conveyance must: (1) be completed within 180 days after enactment of this Act; and (2) be without consideration, except that all costs incurred by the Department of the Interior relating to any survey, platting, legal description, or other activities carried out to prepare and issue the patent shall be paid to Interior by GLP before conveyance of the land.

### **Actions Timeline**

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- **Dec 16, 2015:** Committee on Energy and Natural Resources. Reported by Senator Murkowski without amendment. With written report No. 114-189.
- **Dec 16, 2015:** Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 334.
- **Nov 19, 2015:** Committee on Energy and Natural Resources. Ordered to be reported without amendment favorably.
- **Oct 8, 2015:** Committee on Energy and Natural Resources Subcommittee on Public Lands, Forests, and Mining. Hearings held. With printed Hearing: S.Hrg. 114-490.
- **Aug 5, 2015:** Introduced in Senate
- **Aug 5, 2015:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.