

## HR 5599

Plymouth 400th Commemoration Commission Act of 2016

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### Sponsor

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Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Capuano, Michael E. [D-MA-7]	D · MA		Jun 28, 2016
Rep. Castro, Joaquin [D-TX-20]	D · TX		Jun 28, 2016
Rep. Cicilline, David N. [D-RI-1]	D · RI		Jun 28, 2016
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Rep. Moulton, Seth [D-MA-6]	D · MA		Jun 28, 2016
Rep. Neal, Richard E. [D-MA-1]	D · MA		Jun 28, 2016
Rep. Pocan, Mark [D-WI-2]	D · WI		Jun 28, 2016
Rep. Tsongas, Niki [D-MA-3]	D · MA		Jun 28, 2016
Rep. Welch, Peter [D-VT-At Large]	D · VT		Jun 28, 2016
Rep. Eshoo, Anna G. [D-CA-18]	D · CA		Jul 7, 2016
Rep. Kuster, Ann M. [D-NH-2]	D · NH		Jul 7, 2016
Rep. Boyle, Brendan F. [D-PA-13]	D · PA		Jul 14, 2016
Rep. Clay, Wm. Lacy [D-MO-1]	D · MO		Jul 14, 2016
Rep. Vela, Filemon [D-TX-34]	D · TX		Jul 14, 2016
Rep. Lowenthal, Alan S. [D-CA-47]	D · CA		Jul 25, 2016
Rep. Courtney, Joe [D-CT-2]	D · CT		Sep 13, 2016

## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Oversight and Government Reform Committee	House	Referred To	Jun 28, 2016

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

Social Sciences and History

## Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
114 S 3104	Identical bill	<b>Jun 28, 2016:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

## Summary (as of Jun 28, 2016)

### Plymouth 400th Commemoration Commission Act of 2016

This bill establishes the Plymouth 400th Commemoration Commission to:

- assist in the planning, development, and implementation of programs and activities to commemorate the 400th anniversary of the voyage of Mayflower and the founding of Plymouth Colony, Massachusetts;
- facilitate such activities throughout the United States;
- encourage civic, military, historical, educational, religious, economic, and other organizations to organize and participate in commemoration activities to expand the understanding and appreciation of the significance of the founding and early history of Plymouth Colony;
- coordinate and facilitate for the public scholarly research and publications regarding, and interpretation of, the cultures present in 17th Century Plymouth Colony, including the English colonists and the indigenous Wampanoag tribes; and
- ensure that the 400th anniversary of Plymouth provides a lasting legacy and long-term public benefit by assisting in the development of appropriate programs and facilities.

The commission shall: (1) prepare a strategic plan and an annual performance plan; and (2) submit a final report by December 31, 2021, that includes a summary of its activities, a final accounting of its funds, and its findings or recommendations.

The commission shall terminate on December 31, 2021.

## Actions Timeline

- **Jun 28, 2016:** Introduced in House
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