

## HR 5815

Resource Management Practices Protection Act of 2016

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**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Crime and Law Enforcement

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### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Walden, Greg [R-OR-2]

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

### Cosponsors (5 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Gosar, Paul A. [R-AZ-4]	R · AZ		Jul 14, 2016
Rep. Labrador, Raul R. [R-ID-1]	R · ID		Jul 14, 2016
Rep. Newhouse, Dan [R-WA-4]	R · WA		Jul 14, 2016
Rep. Simpson, Michael K. [R-ID-2]	R · ID		Jul 18, 2016
Rep. Chaffetz, Jason [R-UT-3]	R · UT		Sep 6, 2016

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	Aug 11, 2016

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Crime and Law Enforcement

### Related Bills

*No related bills are listed.*

## **Resource Management Practices Protection Act of 2016**

This bill amends the federal criminal code to bar prosecution in cases involving damage to or destruction of federal property by fire if:

- the fire is set by a person to the person's own property, either to prevent an imminent threat of damage to the property or as part of any generally accepted practice for managing vegetation on timber, grazing, or farm land;
- the fire neither results in death or serious bodily injury nor poses a serious threat of bodily injury or damage to any building, dwelling, or vehicle of the United States; and
- no individual under 16 years of age is used in setting the fire.

### **Actions Timeline**

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- **Aug 11, 2016:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, Homeland Security, and Investigations.
- **Jul 14, 2016:** Introduced in House
- **Jul 14, 2016:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.