

HRES 158

Celebrating the history of the Detroit River with the 16-year commemoration of the International Underground Railroad Memorial Monument, comprised of the Gateway to Freedom Monument in Detroit, Michigan, and the Tower of Freedom Monument in Windsor, Ontario, Canada.

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Civil Rights and Liberties, Minority Issues

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Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on the Western Hemisphere. (May 18, 2017)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Conyers, John, Jr. [D-MI-13]

Party: Democratic • **State:** MI • **Chamber:** House

Cosponsors (4 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Dingell, Debbie [D-MI-12]	D · MI		Feb 28, 2017
Rep. Kildee, Daniel T. [D-MI-5]	D · MI		Feb 28, 2017
Rep. Lawrence, Brenda L. [D-MI-14]	D · MI		Feb 28, 2017
Rep. Levin, Sander M. [D-MI-9]	D · MI		Feb 28, 2017

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Foreign Affairs Committee	House	Referred to	May 18, 2017
Natural Resources Committee	House	Referred to	Mar 1, 2017

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Civil Rights and Liberties, Minority Issues

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
115 SRES 72	Identical bill	Feb 28, 2017: Referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources. (text of measure as introduced: CR S1505)

Celebrates the history of the Detroit River with a 16-year commemoration of the International Underground Railroad Memorial Monument, comprised of the Gateway to Freedom Monument in Detroit, Michigan, and the Tower of Freedom Monument in Windsor, Ontario, Canada.

Expresses support for the official recognition, by national and international entities, of the Detroit River as an area of historic importance to the history of the Underground Railroad and the fight for freedom.

Actions Timeline

- **May 18, 2017:** Referred to the Subcommittee on the Western Hemisphere.
- **Mar 1, 2017:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Federal Lands.
- **Feb 28, 2017:** Introduced in House
- **Feb 28, 2017:** Referred to the Committee on Natural Resources, and in addition to the Committee on Foreign Affairs, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.