

HR 6759

Land and Water Conservation Authorization and Funding Act

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Chamber: House

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Sponsor

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Rep. Fitzpatrick, Brian K. [R-PA-8]	R · PA		Sep 12, 2018
Rep. Donovan, Daniel M., Jr. [R-NY-11]	R · NY		Sep 26, 2018
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Rep. Lofgren, Zoe [D-CA-19]	D · CA		Dec 17, 2018

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Barragan, Nanette Diaz [D-CA-44]	D · CA		Dec 20, 2018
Rep. Aguilar, Pete [D-CA-31]	D · CA		Dec 21, 2018

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Budget Committee	House	Referred To	Sep 10, 2018
Natural Resources Committee	House	Referred to	Sep 19, 2018
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Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Public Lands and Natural Resources

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
115 S 569	Related bill	Dec 11, 2018: By Senator Murkowski from Committee on Energy and Natural Resources filed written report. Report No. 115-428.

Summary (as of Sep 10, 2018)

Land and Water Conservation Authorization and Funding Act

This bill amends the Land and Water Conservation Fund Act of 1965 to make permanent the authorization for the Land and Water Conservation Fund (LWCF).

The bill eliminates the requirement that the funds which are deposited into the LWCF remain in there until appropriated by Congress to carry out the purposes of the LWCF.

Funds deposited into the LWCF may be spent without being subject to the appropriations process. These funds are in addition to amounts made available by the Gulf of Mexico Energy Security Act of 2006 or otherwise appropriated from the LWCF.

The President shall submit to Congress detailed account, program, and project allocations as part of the President's annual budget submission.

At least 1.5% of the annual authorized funds shall be used for projects that secure recreational public access to existing federal public land for hunting, fishing, and other recreational purposes.

Actions Timeline

- **Sep 19, 2018:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Federal Lands.
- **Sep 19, 2018:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Water, Power and Oceans.
- **Sep 10, 2018:** Introduced in House
- **Sep 10, 2018:** Referred to the Committee on Natural Resources, and in addition to the Committee on the Budget, 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.