

SRES 72

A resolution 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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Policy Area: Civil Rights and Liberties, Minority Issues

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Peters, Gary C. [D-MI]

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

Cosponsors (1 total)

| Cosponsor | Party / State | Role | Date Joined |
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| Sen. Stabenow, Debbie [D-MI] | D · MI | | Feb 28, 2017 |

Committee Activity

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| Energy and Natural Resources Committee | Senate | Referred To | Feb 28, 2017 |

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

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Related Bills

| Bill | Relationship | Last Action |
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| 115 HRES 158 | Identical bill | May 18, 2017: Referred to the Subcommittee on the Western Hemisphere. |

Summary (as of Feb 28, 2017)

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

- **Feb 28, 2017:** Introduced in Senate
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