

HRES 109

Recognizing the duty of the Federal Government to create a Green New Deal.

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Environmental Protection

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Rep. Lynch, Stephen F. [D-MA-8]	D · MA		Feb 7, 2019
Rep. Maloney, Carolyn B. [D-NY-12]	D · NY		Feb 7, 2019
Rep. Maloney, Sean Patrick [D-NY-18]	D · NY		Feb 7, 2019

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Rep. Schiff, Adam B. [D-CA-28]	D · CA		Feb 7, 2019
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Rep. Barragan, Nanette Diaz [D-CA-44]	D · CA		Feb 25, 2019
Rep. Bass, Karen [D-CA-37]	D · CA		Feb 25, 2019
Rep. Cummings, Elijah E. [D-MD-7]	D · MD		Feb 25, 2019
Rep. Davis, Danny K. [D-IL-7]	D · IL		Feb 25, 2019
Rep. Doggett, Lloyd [D-TX-35]	D · TX		Feb 25, 2019
Rep. Garamendi, John [D-CA-3]	D · CA		Feb 25, 2019
Rep. Hayes, Jahana [D-CT-5]	D · CT		Feb 25, 2019
Rep. Lofgren, Zoe [D-CA-19]	D · CA		Feb 25, 2019
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Rep. Price, David E. [D-NC-4]	D · NC		Feb 25, 2019
Rep. Sánchez, Linda T. [D-CA-38]	D · CA		Feb 25, 2019
Rep. Sarbanes, John P. [D-MD-3]	D · MD		Feb 25, 2019

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Rep. Ruppertsberger, C. A. Dutch [D-MD-2]	D · MD		Mar 8, 2019
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Rep. Lujan, Ben Ray [D-NM-3]	D · NM		May 1, 2019
Rep. Davis, Susan A. [D-CA-53]	D · CA		Jun 25, 2019
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Rep. Jackson Lee, Sheila [D-TX-18]	D · TX		Nov 14, 2019
Rep. Cooper, Jim [D-TN-5]	D · TN		Nov 26, 2019
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Rep. Omar, Ilhan [D-MN-5]	D · MN		Mar 4, 2020
Rep. Wilson, Frederica S. [D-FL-24]	D · FL		Jun 18, 2020
Rep. Green, Al [D-TX-9]	D · TX		Sep 4, 2020

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Agriculture Committee	House	Referred To	Feb 7, 2019
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred To	Feb 7, 2019
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Feb 8, 2019
Financial Services Committee	House	Referred To	Feb 7, 2019
Foreign Affairs Committee	House	Referred To	Feb 7, 2019
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred To	Feb 7, 2019
Natural Resources Committee	House	Referred to	Feb 12, 2019
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Oversight and Government Reform Committee	House	Referred To	Feb 7, 2019
Science, Space, and Technology Committee	House	Referred To	Feb 7, 2019
Transportation and Infrastructure Committee	House	Referred to	Feb 8, 2019
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Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Feb 7, 2019

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Environmental Protection

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
116 SJRES 8	Related bill	Mar 26, 2019: Cloture on the motion to proceed to the measure not invoked in Senate by Yea-Nay Vote. 0 - 57. Record Vote Number: 52. (CR S1971)
116 SRES 59	Identical bill	Feb 7, 2019: Referred to the Committee on Environment and Public Works. (text: CR S1140-1142)

Summary (as of Feb 7, 2019)

This resolution calls for the creation of a Green New Deal with the goals of

- achieving net-zero greenhouse gas emissions;
- establishing millions of high-wage jobs and ensuring economic security for all;
- investing in infrastructure and industry;
- securing clean air and water, climate and community resiliency, healthy food, access to nature, and a sustainable environment for all; and
- promoting justice and equality.

The resolution calls for accomplishment of these goals through a 10-year national mobilization effort. The resolution also enumerates the goals and projects of the mobilization effort, including

- building smart power grids (i.e., power grids that enable customers to reduce their power use during peak demand periods);
- upgrading all existing buildings and constructing new buildings to achieve maximum energy and water efficiency;
- removing pollution and greenhouse gas emissions from the transportation and agricultural sectors;
- cleaning up existing hazardous waste and abandoned sites;
- ensuring businesspersons are free from unfair competition; and
- providing higher education, high-quality health care, and affordable, safe, and adequate housing to all.

Actions Timeline

- **Feb 12, 2019:** Referred to the Subcommittee on National Parks, Forests, and Public Lands.
- **Feb 12, 2019:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Water, Oceans, and Wildlife.
- **Feb 12, 2019:** Referred to the Subcommittee for Indigenous Peoples of the United States.
- **Feb 12, 2019:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Energy and Mineral Resources.
- **Feb 8, 2019:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Environment and Climate Change.
- **Feb 8, 2019:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Coast Guard and Maritime Transportation.
- **Feb 8, 2019:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Economic Development, Public Buildings, and Emergency Management.
- **Feb 8, 2019:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Highways and Transit.
- **Feb 8, 2019:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Railroads, Pipelines, and Hazardous Materials.
- **Feb 8, 2019:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Water Resources and Environment.
- **Feb 7, 2019:** Introduced in House
- **Feb 7, 2019:** Referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committees on Science, Space, and Technology, Education and Labor, Transportation and Infrastructure, Agriculture, Natural Resources, Foreign Affairs, Financial Services, the Judiciary, Ways and Means, and Oversight and Reform, 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.