

SRES 402

A resolution honoring the life, work, and legacy of Toni Morrison.

Congress: 116 (2019–2021, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Arts, Culture, Religion

Introduced: Oct 31, 2019

Current Status: Submitted in the Senate, considered, and agreed to without amendment and with a preamble by Voice Vote

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Brown, Sherrod [D-OH]

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

Cosponsors (1 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Portman, Rob [R-OH]	R · OH		Oct 31, 2019

Committee Activity

No committee referrals or activity are recorded for this bill.

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Arts, Culture, Religion

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Oct 31, 2019)

This resolution extends heartfelt sympathy to the family of author Toni Morrison on the occasion of her death.

The resolution recognizes Toni Morrison as (1) one of the most formidable scholars, educators, and authors of the United States; and (2) a writer of the stature of other great literary figures of the United States, such as Nathaniel Hawthorne, Mark Twain, and William Faulkner.

Finally, the resolution honors the life of Toni Morrison and her achievements in the humanities and literature.

Actions Timeline

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