

## HR 4179

### No Federal Funding for Confederate Symbols Act

**Congress:** 116 (2019–2021, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Armed Forces and National Security

**Introduced:** Aug 9, 2019

**Current Status:** Referred to the Subcommittee on National Parks, Forests, and Public Lands.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on National Parks, Forests, and Public Lands. (Aug 21, 2019)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/116th-congress/house-bill/4179>

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Rep. Raskin, Jamie [D-MD-8]	D · MD		Jun 11, 2020
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Rep. Cleaver, Emanuel [D-MO-5]	D · MO		Jun 22, 2020
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Rep. Malinowski, Tom [D-NJ-7]	D · NJ		Jun 22, 2020
Rep. Maloney, Carolyn B. [D-NY-12]	D · NY		Jun 22, 2020
Rep. McCollum, Betty [D-MN-4]	D · MN		Jun 22, 2020
Rep. Meng, Grace [D-NY-6]	D · NY		Jun 22, 2020
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Rep. Brownley, Julia [D-CA-26]	D · CA		Jun 25, 2020
Rep. Clark, Katherine M. [D-MA-5]	D · MA		Jun 25, 2020

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Rep. Kilmer, Derek [D-WA-6]	D · WA		Jun 25, 2020
Rep. Levin, Andy [D-MI-9]	D · MI		Jun 25, 2020
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Rep. Cartwright, Matt [D-PA-8]	D · PA		Jun 29, 2020
Rep. DeFazio, Peter A. [D-OR-4]	D · OR		Jun 29, 2020
Rep. Scott, Robert C. "Bobby" [D-VA-3]	D · VA		Jun 29, 2020
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Rep. Hayes, Jahana [D-CT-5]	D · CT		Jul 1, 2020
Rep. Perlmutter, Ed [D-CO-7]	D · CO		Jul 1, 2020
Rep. Takano, Mark [D-CA-41]	D · CA		Jul 1, 2020
Rep. Keating, William R. [D-MA-9]	D · MA		Jul 9, 2020
Rep. Napolitano, Grace F. [D-CA-32]	D · CA		Jul 9, 2020
Rep. Lewis, John [D-GA-5]	D · GA		Jul 16, 2020
Rep. Sánchez, Linda T. [D-CA-38]	D · CA		Jul 24, 2020

## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Armed Services Committee	House	Referred to	Aug 12, 2019
Natural Resources Committee	House	Referred to	Aug 21, 2019
Transportation and Infrastructure Committee	House	Referred to	Aug 12, 2019
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## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

Armed Forces and National Security

## Related Bills

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No related bills are listed.

## Summary (as of Aug 9, 2019)

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### No Federal Funding for Confederate Symbols Act

This bill prohibits federal funds from being used for the creation, maintenance, or display of any Confederate symbol on federal public land or other federal property.

An exception to such prohibition is provided (1) if the use of such funds is necessary to allow for the removal of the Confederate symbol to address public safety; or (2) in the case of a Confederate symbol created, maintained, or displayed in a museum or educational exhibit.

The Department of Defense shall redesignate the following military installations with such designation as it determines appropriate:

- Fort Rucker, Alabama,
- Fort Benning, Georgia,
- Fort Gordon, Georgia,
- Camp Beauregard, Louisiana,
- Fort Polk, Louisiana,
- Fort Bragg, North Carolina,
- Fort Hood, Texas,
- Fort A.P. Hill, Virginia,
- Fort Lee, Virginia, and
- Fort Pickett, Virginia.

### Actions Timeline

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- **Aug 21, 2019:** Referred to the Subcommittee on National Parks, Forests, and Public Lands.
- **Aug 12, 2019:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Aviation.
- **Aug 12, 2019:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Coast Guard and Maritime Transportation.
- **Aug 12, 2019:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Economic Development, Public Buildings, and Emergency Management.
- **Aug 12, 2019:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Highways and Transit.
- **Aug 12, 2019:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Railroads, Pipelines, and Hazardous Materials.
- **Aug 12, 2019:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Water Resources and Environment.
- **Aug 12, 2019:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Readiness.
- **Aug 9, 2019:** Introduced in House
- **Aug 9, 2019:** Referred to the Committee on Armed Services, and in addition to the Committees on Transportation and Infrastructure, and Natural Resources, 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.