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### African Burial Ground International Memorial Museum and Educational Center Act

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### Sponsor

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### Cosponsors (1 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
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### Committee Activity

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Energy and Natural Resources Committee	Senate	Referred To	Feb 14, 2019

### Subjects & Policy Tags

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Social Sciences and History

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
116 HR 4250	Identical bill	<b>Sep 18, 2019:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on Commodity Exchanges, Energy, and Credit.
116 HR 1278	Identical bill	<b>Mar 7, 2019:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on National Parks, Forests, and Public Lands.

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This bill establishes the African Burial Ground International Memorial Museum and Educational Center at the African Burial Ground National Monument in New York, New York.

The National Park Service shall (1) acquire for the museum property that is located adjacent to the national monument or in any other area of the African Burial Ground National Historic Landmark in the city other than the location adjacent to the monument, and (2) construct the museum on the acquired property.

The bill establishes within the Department of the Interior the African Burial Ground Advisory Council to (1) make recommendations on the construction of the museum, and (2) advise and assist Interior on all matters relating to the operation and preservation of the museum.

## **Actions Timeline**

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