

HR 8227

Francis G. Newlands Memorial Removal Act

Congress: 116 (2019–2021, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Public Lands and Natural Resources

Introduced: Sep 11, 2020

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. (Sep 16, 2020)

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Sponsor

Name: Del. Norton, Eleanor Holmes [D-DC-At Large]

Party: Democratic • **State:** DC • **Chamber:** House

Cosponsors (2 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Raskin, Jamie [D-MD-8]	D · MD		Sep 11, 2020
Rep. Titus, Dina [D-NV-1]	D · NV		Sep 14, 2020

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Natural Resources Committee	House	Referred to	Sep 16, 2020

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Public Lands and Natural Resources

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Sep 11, 2020)

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This bill directs the Department of the Interior to (1) remove the bronze plaque bearing the name *Francis G. Newlands* from the grounds of the memorial fountain located at Chevy Chase Circle in the District of Columbia; (2) remove from the fountain the block of concrete that is inscribed with the name of, and other information related to, Francis Griffith Newlands; and (3) donate the items removed to the descendants of Francis Griffith Newlands.

Actions Timeline

- **Sep 16, 2020:** Referred to the Subcommittee on National Parks, Forests, and Public Lands.
- **Sep 11, 2020:** Introduced in House
- **Sep 11, 2020:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E828)
- **Sep 11, 2020:** Referred to the House Committee on Natural Resources.