

HR 8632

Ocean-Based Climate Solutions Act of 2020

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Grijalva, Raúl M. [D-AZ-3]

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

Cosponsors (39 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Del. Sablan, Gregorio Kilili Camacho [D-MP-At Large]	D · MP		Oct 20, 2020
Rep. Bonamici, Suzanne [D-OR-1]	D · OR		Oct 20, 2020
Rep. Brownley, Julia [D-CA-26]	D · CA		Oct 20, 2020
Rep. Case, Ed [D-HI-1]	D · HI		Oct 20, 2020
Rep. Castor, Kathy [D-FL-14]	D · FL		Oct 20, 2020
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Rep. Johnson, Eddie Bernice [D-TX-30]	D · TX		Oct 20, 2020
Rep. Levin, Mike [D-CA-49]	D · CA		Oct 20, 2020
Rep. Lowenthal, Alan S. [D-CA-47]	D · CA		Oct 20, 2020
Rep. McEachin, A. Donald [D-VA-4]	D · VA		Oct 20, 2020
Rep. Neguse, Joe [D-CO-2]	D · CO		Oct 20, 2020
Rep. Cleaver, Emanuel [D-MO-5]	D · MO		Oct 23, 2020
Rep. Crist, Charlie [D-FL-13]	D · FL		Oct 23, 2020
Rep. Lee, Barbara [D-CA-13]	D · CA		Oct 23, 2020
Rep. Shalala, Donna E. [D-FL-27]	D · FL		Oct 23, 2020
Del. Norton, Eleanor Holmes [D-DC-At Large]	D · DC		Oct 27, 2020
Rep. Cohen, Steve [D-TN-9]	D · TN		Oct 27, 2020
Rep. Pingree, Chellie [D-ME-1]	D · ME		Oct 27, 2020
Rep. Blumenauer, Earl [D-OR-3]	D · OR		Oct 30, 2020
Rep. Evans, Dwight [D-PA-3]	D · PA		Oct 30, 2020
Rep. Khanna, Ro [D-CA-17]	D · CA		Oct 30, 2020
Rep. Krishnamoorthi, Raja [D-IL-8]	D · IL		Oct 30, 2020
Rep. Espaillat, Adriano [D-NY-13]	D · NY		Nov 5, 2020
Rep. Scott, David [D-GA-13]	D · GA		Nov 5, 2020
Rep. Welch, Peter [D-VT-At Large]	D · VT		Nov 5, 2020
Rep. DeSaulnier, Mark [D-CA-11]	D · CA		Nov 9, 2020
Rep. Brown, Anthony G. [D-MD-4]	D · MD		Nov 16, 2020
Rep. Kuster, Ann M. [D-NH-2]	D · NH		Nov 16, 2020
Rep. Napolitano, Grace F. [D-CA-32]	D · CA		Nov 16, 2020
Rep. Connolly, Gerald E. [D-VA-11]	D · VA		Nov 18, 2020
Rep. Matsui, Doris O. [D-CA-6]	D · CA		Nov 18, 2020
Rep. Doggett, Lloyd [D-TX-35]	D · TX		Nov 20, 2020
Rep. McCollum, Betty [D-MN-4]	D · MN		Nov 20, 2020
Rep. DeGette, Diana [D-CO-1]	D · CO		Nov 30, 2020
Rep. Gallego, Ruben [D-AZ-7]	D · AZ		Nov 30, 2020
Rep. Lofgren, Zoe [D-CA-19]	D · CA		Dec 3, 2020
Rep. Carbajal, Salud O. [D-CA-24]	D · CA		Dec 18, 2020

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Committee on House Administration	House	Referred To	Oct 20, 2020
Foreign Affairs Committee	House	Referred To	Oct 20, 2020
Natural Resources Committee	House	Hearings By (full committee)	Nov 17, 2020
Science, Space, and Technology Committee	House	Referred To	Oct 20, 2020
Transportation and Infrastructure Committee	House	Referred to	Oct 21, 2020
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Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Oct 20, 2020

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Environmental Protection

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
116 S 1730	Related bill	Dec 15, 2020: Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 631.
116 HR 8795	Related bill	Nov 20, 2020: Referred to the House Committee on Natural Resources.
116 HR 7387	Related bill	Nov 17, 2020: Committee Hearings Held.
116 HR 8253	Related bill	Nov 17, 2020: Committee Hearings Held.
116 HR 8627	Related bill	Nov 17, 2020: Committee Hearings Held.
116 HR 8750	Related bill	Nov 12, 2020: Referred to the House Committee on Natural Resources.
116 HR 7450	Related bill	Jul 28, 2020: Referred to the Subcommittee on Water, Oceans, and Wildlife.
116 S 4093	Related bill	Jun 29, 2020: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.
116 HR 729	Related bill	Dec 12, 2019: Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.
116 HR 3115	Related bill	Nov 26, 2019: Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 257.
116 HR 1314	Related bill	Oct 11, 2019: Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 183.
116 HR 1237	Related bill	Jun 10, 2019: Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.
116 HR 1716	Related bill	Jun 10, 2019: Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

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This bill implements various ocean-based policies, programs, and goals to address climate change and reduce greenhouse gas emissions, including by establishing the Blue Carbon Program to further conservation objectives for fish and wildlife habitat conservation and restoration and coastal resilience.

Actions Timeline

- **Nov 17, 2020:** Committee Hearings Held.
- **Oct 21, 2020:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Water Resources and Environment.
- **Oct 21, 2020:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Coast Guard and Maritime Transportation.
- **Oct 20, 2020:** Introduced in House
- **Oct 20, 2020:** Referred to the Committee on Natural Resources, and in addition to the Committees on Science, Space, and Technology, House Administration, Ways and Means, Transportation and Infrastructure, and Foreign Affairs, 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.