

## S 1376

### Protect America's Paper for Recycling Act

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**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Taxation

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### Sponsor

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### Cosponsors (4 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Baldwin, Tammy [D-WI]	D · WI		Apr 27, 2021
Sen. Boozman, John [R-AR]	R · AR		Apr 27, 2021
Sen. Carper, Thomas R. [D-DE]	D · DE		Apr 27, 2021
Sen. Cassidy, Bill [R-LA]	R · LA		Apr 27, 2021

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Finance Committee	Senate	Referred To	Apr 27, 2021

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Taxation

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 HR 3879	Identical bill	<b>Jun 14, 2021:</b> Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.

## **Protect America's Paper for Recycling Act**

This bill modifies the tax credit for producing electricity from renewable resources to revise the definition of *municipal solid waste*.

The bill specifies that municipal solid waste does not include paper that is commonly recycled and that has been segregated from other solid waste, or solid waste that is collected as part of a system that does not provide for the separate collection of paper that is commonly recycled from residential solid waste. The bill includes exceptions for incidental and residual waste.

In the case of a facility that produces electricity both from municipal solid waste and other solid waste that is not a qualified energy resource (1) the facility is a qualified facility if it otherwise meets the requirements for qualified facilities, and (2) the credit only applies to the portion of the electricity produced from municipal solid waste.

## **Actions Timeline**

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