

## HR 1719

Emergency Tribal Housing Assistance Act of 2021

**Congress:** 117 (2021–2023, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Native Americans

**Introduced:** Mar 9, 2021

**Current Status:** Referred to the House Committee on Appropriations.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the House Committee on Appropriations. (Mar 9, 2021)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/117th-congress/house-bill/1719>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Vargas, Juan [D-CA-51]

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

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

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Appropriations Committee	House	Referred To	Mar 9, 2021

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Native Americans

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 HR 1319	Related bill	Mar 11, 2021: Became Public Law No: 117-2.

### Summary (as of Mar 9, 2021)

#### Emergency Tribal Housing Assistance Act of 2021

This bill provides additional FY2021 funding for tribal communities to prevent, prepare for, and respond to COVID-19 (i.e., coronavirus disease 2019). Specifically, the bill provides funding for federal housing assistance through the Native American Housing Block Grant, Native Hawaiian Housing Block Grant, and Indian Community Development Block Grant programs.

The bill also reserves funds for technical assistance and administrative costs.

## Actions Timeline

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- **Mar 9, 2021:** Introduced in House
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