

## HR 1851

St. Mary's Reinvestment Act

**Congress:** 117 (2021–2023, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Water Resources Development

**Introduced:** Mar 11, 2021

**Current Status:** Subcommittee Hearings Held.

**Latest Action:** Subcommittee Hearings Held. (Jun 29, 2021)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/117th-congress/house-bill/1851>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Rosendale Sr., Matthew M. [R-MT-At Large]

**Party:** Republican • **State:** MT • **Chamber:** House

### Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Natural Resources Committee	House	Hearings By (subcommittee)	Jun 29, 2021

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Water Resources Development

### Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

### Summary (as of Mar 11, 2021)

#### St. Mary's Reinvestment Act

This bill authorizes the Bureau of Reclamation to use funds through FY2032 to rehabilitate the St. Mary Diversion Dam and Canal Headworks, which are part of the Milk River Project in Montana.

In addition, the bill requires Reclamation to (1) coordinate with the Blackfeet Tribe with respect to the replacement activities that are carried out for the rehabilitation, (2) study the ability of project beneficiaries (i.e., water users) to pay for the costs of the rehabilitation, and (3) establish repayment terms based on the study.

Finally, the bill requires the federal cost share to be at least 26.04%.

## **Actions Timeline**

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- **Jun 29, 2021:** Subcommittee Hearings Held.
- **May 14, 2021:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Water, Oceans, and Wildlife.
- **Mar 11, 2021:** Introduced in House
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