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Ski Hill Resources for Economic Development Act of 2021

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Bennet, Michael F. [D-CO]

Party: Democratic • **State:** CO • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors (15 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Barrasso, John [R-WY]	R · WY		Jun 8, 2021
Sen. Cortez Masto, Catherine [D-NV]	D · NV		Jun 8, 2021
Sen. Crapo, Mike [R-ID]	R · ID		Jun 8, 2021
Sen. Hickenlooper, John W. [D-CO]	D · CO		Jun 8, 2021
Sen. Risch, James E. [R-ID]	R · ID		Jun 8, 2021
Sen. Rosen, Jacky [D-NV]	D · NV		Jun 8, 2021
Sen. Wyden, Ron [D-OR]	D · OR		Jun 10, 2021
Sen. Shaheen, Jeanne [D-NH]	D · NH		Jun 14, 2021
Sen. Hassan, Margaret Wood [D-NH]	D · NH		Jul 13, 2021
Sen. Kelly, Mark [D-AZ]	D · AZ		Aug 10, 2021
Sen. Daines, Steve [R-MT]	R · MT		Oct 18, 2021
Sen. Lummis, Cynthia M. [R-WY]	R · WY		Oct 18, 2021
Sen. Cantwell, Maria [D-WA]	D · WA		Nov 18, 2021
Sen. Heinrich, Martin [D-NM]	D · NM		Nov 30, 2021
Sen. Feinstein, Dianne [D-CA]	D · CA		Dec 2, 2021

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Natural Resources Committee	Senate	Reported By	Jan 19, 2022

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Public Lands and Natural Resources

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 HR 3686	Related bill	Dec 14, 2022: Reported (Amended) by the Committee on Natural Resources. H. Rept. 117-638, Part I.

Summary (as of Jan 19, 2022)

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This bill allocates ski area permit rental charges for ski area administration, improvements, visitor services, and wildfire preparedness. Such charges are collected by the Department of Agriculture (USDA) from ski area operators on National Forest System land.

USDA shall expend 80% of the ski area permit rental charges from a National Forest System unit at that unit in accordance with the following:

- 75% shall be used at the unit for activities such as administration of the ski area permit program, visitor information, or reducing the likelihood of wildfire in or adjacent to a recreation site; and
- 25% shall be used at the unit for activities such as repair of a Forest Service-owned facility, habitat restoration, or search and rescue activities.

The remaining 20% of ski area permit rental charges shall be expended by USDA for any of the activities specified in this bill at any National Forest System unit.

Actions Timeline

- **Jan 19, 2022:** Committee on Energy and Natural Resources. Reported by Senator Manchin with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. With written report No. 117-56.
- **Jan 19, 2022:** Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 253.
- **Nov 18, 2021:** Committee on Energy and Natural Resources. Ordered to be reported with an amendment in the nature of a substitute favorably.
- **Oct 21, 2021:** Committee on Energy and Natural Resources. Hearings held.
- **Jun 8, 2021:** Introduced in Senate
- **Jun 8, 2021:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.