

## HR 2758

Lumbee Recognition Act

**Congress:** 117 (2021–2023, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Native Americans

**Introduced:** Apr 22, 2021

**Current Status:** Read the second time. Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 522.

**Latest Action:** Read the second time. Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 522. (Oct 11, 2022)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/117th-congress/house-bill/2758>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Butterfield, G. K. [D-NC-1]

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

### Cosponsors (7 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Bishop, Dan [R-NC-9]	R · NC		Apr 22, 2021
Rep. Hudson, Richard [R-NC-8]	R · NC		Apr 22, 2021
Rep. Price, David E. [D-NC-4]	D · NC		Apr 22, 2021
Rep. Ross, Deborah K. [D-NC-2]	D · NC		Apr 26, 2021
Rep. Budd, Ted [R-NC-13]	R · NC		Aug 6, 2021
Rep. Rouzer, David [R-NC-7]	R · NC		Oct 26, 2021
Rep. Murphy, Gregory [R-NC-3]	R · NC		Nov 1, 2021

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Natural Resources Committee	House	Referred to	Jun 16, 2021

### Subjects & Policy Tags

**Policy Area:**

Native Americans

### Related Bills

*No related bills are listed.*

## Lumbee Recognition Act

This bill extends federal recognition to the Lumbee Tribe of North Carolina and makes its members eligible for the services and benefits provided to members of federally recognized tribes.

Members of the tribe residing in Robeson, Cumberland, Hoke, and Scotland counties in North Carolina are deemed to be within the delivery area for such services.

The Department of the Interior and the Department of Health and Human Services must develop, in consultation with the tribe, a determination of needs to provide the services for which members of the tribe are eligible.

Interior may take land into trust for the benefit of the tribe.

Finally, North Carolina must exercise jurisdiction over all criminal offenses committed, and all civil actions that arise, on North Carolina lands owned by, or held in trust for, the Lumbee Tribe or any dependent Indian community of the tribe unless jurisdiction is transferred to the United States pursuant to an agreement between the tribe and the state.

## Actions Timeline

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- **Oct 11, 2022:** Read the second time. Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 522.
- **Sep 29, 2022:** Read the first time. Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under Read the First Time.
- **Nov 2, 2021:** Received in the Senate.
- **Nov 1, 2021:** Ms. Leger Fernandez moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill.
- **Nov 1, 2021:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H6041-6043)
- **Nov 1, 2021:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H.R. 2758.
- **Nov 1, 2021:** At the conclusion of debate, the Yeas and Nays were demanded and ordered. Pursuant to the provisions of clause 8, rule XX, the Chair announced that further proceedings on the motion would be postponed.
- **Nov 1, 2021:** Considered as unfinished business. (consideration: CR H6054)
- **Nov 1, 2021:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: (2/3 required): 357 - 59, 1 Present (Roll no. 341).(text: CR H6041)
- **Nov 1, 2021:** On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: (2/3 required): 357 - 59, 1 Present (Roll no. 341). (text: CR H6041)
- **Nov 1, 2021:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Jun 16, 2021:** Referred to the Subcommittee for Indigenous Peoples of the United States.
- **Apr 22, 2021:** Introduced in House
- **Apr 22, 2021:** Referred to the House Committee on Natural Resources.