

HR 2848

Marine Mammal Research and Response Act of 2021

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Animals

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

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Murphy, Stephanie N. [D-FL-7]

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

Cosponsors (18 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Mast, Brian J. [R-FL-18]	R · FL		Apr 26, 2021
Rep. Strickland, Marilyn [D-WA-10]	D · WA		Apr 26, 2021
Rep. Buchanan, Vern [R-FL-16]	R · FL		May 11, 2021
Rep. Soto, Darren [D-FL-9]	D · FL		May 11, 2021
Rep. Posey, Bill [R-FL-8]	R · FL		May 13, 2021
Rep. Demings, Val Butler [D-FL-10]	D · FL		Jul 9, 2021
Rep. Rutherford, John H. [R-FL-4]	R · FL		Jul 20, 2021
Rep. Wasserman Schultz, Debbie [D-FL-23]	D · FL		Jul 20, 2021
Del. Norton, Eleanor Holmes [D-DC-At Large]	D · DC		Jul 28, 2021
Resident Commissioner González-Colón, Jenniffer [R-PR-At Large]	R · PR		Jul 28, 2021
Rep. Crist, Charlie [D-FL-13]	D · FL		Sep 29, 2021
Rep. Blumenauer, Earl [D-OR-3]	D · OR		Dec 7, 2021
Rep. DeFazio, Peter A. [D-OR-4]	D · OR		Dec 7, 2021
Rep. Neguse, Joe [D-CO-2]	D · CO		Dec 7, 2021
Rep. Kilmer, Derek [D-WA-6]	D · WA		Dec 16, 2021
Rep. Donalds, Byron [R-FL-19]	R · FL		Mar 30, 2022
Rep. Frankel, Lois [D-FL-21]	D · FL		Mar 30, 2022
Rep. Levin, Mike [D-CA-49]	D · CA		Sep 2, 2022

Committee Activity

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

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Animals

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 S 1289	Identical bill	Feb 15, 2022: By Senator Cantwell from Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation filed written report. Report No. 117-77.

Summary (as of Apr 26, 2021)

Marine Mammal Research and Response Act of 2021

This bill provides support for efforts to protect marine mammals.

Specifically, the bill reauthorizes through FY2026 and generally revises the John H. Prescott Marine Mammal Rescue Assistance Grant Program, including by renaming the program as the John H. Prescott Marine Mammal Rescue and Response Grant Program. The bill also establishes the Joseph R. Geraci Marine Mammal Rescue and Rapid Response Fund for providing emergency financial assistance for certain stranded or entangled marine mammals and otherwise provides support for marine mammals.

Actions Timeline

- **Jul 29, 2021:** Subcommittee Hearings Held.
- **Jun 17, 2021:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Water, Oceans, and Wildlife.
- **Apr 26, 2021:** Introduced in House
- **Apr 26, 2021:** Referred to the House Committee on Natural Resources.