

HR 5145

To authorize new grants for research into riparian forest genetics and climate adaptation.

Congress: 117 (2021–2023, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Environmental Protection

Introduced: Aug 31, 2021

Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on Water, Oceans, and Wildlife.

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Water, Oceans, and Wildlife. (Sep 27, 2021)

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Committee Activity

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| Natural Resources Committee | House | Referred to | Sep 27, 2021 |

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

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Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Aug 31, 2021)

This bill requires the Department of the Interior to establish a grant program for plant genetics and genomics research related to (1) making riparian forests (e.g., forests on river banks) become more resilient to climate change and invasive species; and (2) providing critical habitat for animals and plants that are suffering from lost, degraded, or threatened habitat.

Actions Timeline

- **Sep 27, 2021:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Water, Oceans, and Wildlife.
- **Aug 31, 2021:** Introduced in House
- **Aug 31, 2021:** Referred to the House Committee on Natural Resources.