

## HR 6491

Salmon FISH Act

**Congress:** 117 (2021–2023, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Public Lands and Natural Resources

**Introduced:** Jan 25, 2022

**Current Status:** Subcommittee Hearings Held.

**Latest Action:** Subcommittee Hearings Held. (Mar 17, 2022)

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### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Huffman, Jared [D-CA-2]

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

### Cosponsors (5 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Bonamici, Suzanne [D-OR-1]	D · OR		Jan 25, 2022
Rep. Cleaver, Emanuel [D-MO-5]	D · MO		Jan 25, 2022
Rep. Lowenthal, Alan S. [D-CA-47]	D · CA		Jan 25, 2022
Rep. Thompson, Mike [D-CA-5]	D · CA		Jan 25, 2022
Rep. Blumenauer, Earl [D-OR-3]	D · OR		Feb 9, 2022

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Agriculture Committee	House	Referred to	Feb 8, 2022
Foreign Affairs Committee	House	Referred To	Jan 25, 2022
Natural Resources Committee	House	Referred to	Jan 28, 2022
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### Subjects & Policy Tags

**Policy Area:**

Public Lands and Natural Resources

### Related Bills

*No related bills are listed.*

## **Salmon Focused Investments in Sustainable Habitats Act or the Salmon FISH Act**

This bill addresses identifying, restoring, and protecting salmon conservation areas and salmon strongholds in the United States.

Specifically, the bill

- requires the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA) and the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service to jointly issue guidance on the process and biological criteria required to identify salmon conservation areas and salmon strongholds; and
- directs the National Fish and Wildlife Foundation in collaboration with NOAA to provide grants to certain entities to protect or maintain salmon conservation area or salmon stronghold features and projects that are focused on conservation and restoration within a salmon conservation area or stronghold, including to restore or maintain ecological functions and processes related to salmon productivity and diversity at watershed or subwatershed scales.

## **Actions Timeline**

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- **Mar 17, 2022:** Subcommittee Hearings Held.
- **Feb 8, 2022:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Conservation and Forestry.
- **Jan 28, 2022:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Water, Oceans, and Wildlife.
- **Jan 28, 2022:** Referred to the Subcommittee on National Parks, Forests, and Public Lands.
- **Jan 28, 2022:** Referred to the Subcommittee for Indigenous Peoples of the United States.
- **Jan 28, 2022:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Energy and Mineral Resources.
- **Jan 25, 2022:** Introduced in House
- **Jan 25, 2022:** Referred to the Committee on Natural Resources, and in addition to the Committees on Agriculture, and Foreign Affairs, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.