

## HR 7496

To direct the Secretary of the Interior to install a plaque at the peak of Ram Head in the Virgin Islands National Park on St. John, United States Virgin Islands, to commemorate the slave rebellion that began on St. John in 1733.

**Congress:** 117 (2021–2023, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

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

**Introduced:** Apr 11, 2022

**Current Status:** Received in the Senate.

**Latest Action:** Received in the Senate. (Dec 13, 2022)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/117th-congress/house-bill/7496>

### Sponsor

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

### Cosponsors (1 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Reschenthaler, Guy [R-PA-14]	R · PA		Apr 11, 2022

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Natural Resources Committee	House	Discharged from	Jul 13, 2022

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Public Lands and Natural Resources

### Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

### Summary (as of Dec 12, 2022)

This bill directs the Department of the Interior to install, in an appropriate location in the area of the Ram Head trail at the peak of Ram Head in the Virgin Islands National Park on St. John, U.S. Virgin Islands, a suitable plaque to commemorate the slave rebellion that began on St. John on November 23, 1733.

## Actions Timeline

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- **Dec 13, 2022:** Received in the Senate.
- **Dec 12, 2022:** Mr. Grijalva moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill.
- **Dec 12, 2022:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H9682-9683)
- **Dec 12, 2022:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H.R. 7496.
- **Dec 12, 2022:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill Agreed to by voice vote.(text: CR H9682)
- **Dec 12, 2022:** On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill Agreed to by voice vote. (text: CR H9682)
- **Dec 12, 2022:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Dec 7, 2022:** Reported by the Committee on Natural Resources. H. Rept. 117-605.
- **Dec 7, 2022:** Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 438.
- **Jul 13, 2022:** Subcommittee on National Parks, Forests, and Public Lands Discharged.
- **Jul 13, 2022:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **Jul 13, 2022:** Ordered to be Reported by Unanimous Consent.
- **Jun 14, 2022:** Subcommittee Hearings Held.
- **Apr 15, 2022:** Referred to the Subcommittee on National Parks, Forests, and Public Lands.
- **Apr 11, 2022:** Introduced in House
- **Apr 11, 2022:** Referred to the House Committee on Natural Resources.