

HR 8286

To take certain Federal land in the State of Washington into trust for the Lower Elwha Klallam Tribe, and for other purposes.

Congress: 117 (2021–2023, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Native Americans

Introduced: Jul 5, 2022

Current Status: Subcommittee Hearings Held.

Latest Action: Subcommittee Hearings Held. (Sep 14, 2022)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Kilmer, Derek [D-WA-6]

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

Cosponsors (2 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Cole, Tom [R-OK-4]	R · OK		Jul 12, 2022
Rep. Schrier, Kim [D-WA-8]	D · WA		Jul 29, 2022

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Natural Resources Committee	House	Referred to	Jul 9, 2022
Natural Resources Committee	House	Hearings By (subcommittee)	Sep 14, 2022

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Native Americans

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Jul 5, 2022)

This bill takes approximately 1,082.63 acres of specified lands in the state of Washington into trust for the benefit of the Lower Elwha Klallam Tribe. Lands taken into trust shall be part of the Lower Elwha Reservation.

Further, the bill prohibits gaming on the land taken into trust.

Actions Timeline

- **Sep 14, 2022:** Subcommittee Hearings Held.
- **Jul 9, 2022:** Referred to the Subcommittee for Indigenous Peoples of the United States.
- **Jul 9, 2022:** Referred to the Subcommittee on National Parks, Forests, and Public Lands.
- **Jul 5, 2022:** Introduced in House
- **Jul 5, 2022:** Referred to the House Committee on Natural Resources.