

## HR 8525

Delivering Equity and Justice for Disaster Survivors Act of 2022

**Congress:** 117 (2021–2023, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Emergency Management

**Introduced:** Jul 27, 2022

**Current Status:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Economic Development, Public Buildings, and Emergency Management.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Economic Development, Public Buildings, and Emergency Management. (Jul 28, 2022)

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### Sponsor

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

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Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
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### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Transportation and Infrastructure Committee	House	Referred to	Jul 28, 2022

### Subjects & Policy Tags

**Policy Area:**

Emergency Management

### Related Bills

*No related bills are listed.*

## **Delivering Equity and Justice for Disaster Survivors Act of 2022**

This bill directs the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) to establish, as a subcommittee of the National Advisory Council, the Disaster Equity and Justice Subcommittee.

The subcommittee must develop recommendations for improving equitable and just policy and program delivery before, during, and after disasters, including recommendations related to

- the accessibility, utilization, and receipt of FEMA grants and assistance by underserved, under resourced, and underrepresented populations and communities;
- strategies and policy recommendations to address the inequitable delivery of disaster assistance, grant programs, technical assistance, and training; and
- strategies to address any disparate impacts climate change will have on culturally, socially, or economically vulnerable communities.

## **Actions Timeline**

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- **Jul 28, 2022:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Economic Development, Public Buildings, and Emergency Management.
- **Jul 27, 2022:** Introduced in House
- **Jul 27, 2022:** Referred to the House Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.