

## HR 8733

To require the Secretary of the Army to include communities affected by major disasters in the definition of an economically disadvantaged community, and for other purposes.

**Congress:** 117 (2021–2023, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Emergency Management

**Introduced:** Aug 19, 2022

**Current Status:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Water Resources and Environment.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Water Resources and Environment. (Aug 22, 2022)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/117th-congress/house-bill/8733>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Higgins, Clay [R-LA-3]

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

### Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Transportation and Infrastructure Committee	House	Referred to	Aug 22, 2022
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### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Emergency Management

### Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

### Summary (as of Aug 19, 2022)

This bill requires the Department of the Army to include communities affected by major disasters in the definition of an *economically disadvantaged community*.

### Actions Timeline

- **Aug 22, 2022:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Economic Development, Public Buildings, and Emergency Management.
- **Aug 22, 2022:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Water Resources and Environment.
- **Aug 19, 2022:** Introduced in House
- **Aug 19, 2022:** Referred to the House Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.