

HR 2892

WARN Act

Congress: 118 (2023–2025, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Emergency Management

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Current Status: Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governm

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Sponsor

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Rep. Duarte, John S. [R-CA-13]	R · CA		Sep 13, 2023
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Rep. Harder, Josh [D-CA-9]	D · CA		Jan 30, 2024
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Rep. Rogers, Mike D. [R-AL-3]	R · AL		Mar 19, 2024
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Rep. Dingell, Debbie [D-MI-6]	D · MI		Jul 15, 2024
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Rep. Carter, Troy A. [D-LA-2]	D · LA		Oct 11, 2024
Rep. Spanberger, Abigail Davis [D-VA-7]	D · VA		Dec 4, 2024

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs Committee	Senate	Referred To	Dec 10, 2024
Transportation and Infrastructure Committee	House	Referred to	Apr 27, 2023

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Emergency Management

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Dec 5, 2024)

Weather Alert Response and Notification Act or the WARN Act

This bill directs the Government Accountability Office (GAO) to study the effectiveness of local, state, and federal alerting systems in disseminating timely and relevant information during weather-related emergencies.

In conducting the study, the GAO must (1) evaluate the efficacy of various alert mediums, including platforms such as social media; (2) assess the guidance and training for developing alert content; and (3) determine whether improvements could be made to public alerting based on input from a sample of emergency managers, local officials, and community groups.

Actions Timeline

- **Dec 10, 2024:** Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.
- **Dec 9, 2024:** Mr. Graves (LA) moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended.
- **Dec 9, 2024:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H6531-6532)
- **Dec 9, 2024:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H.R. 2892.
- **Dec 9, 2024:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended Agreed to by voice vote. (text: CR H6531-6532)
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- **Dec 9, 2024:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Dec 9, 2024:** The title of the measure was amended. Agreed to without objection.
- **Dec 5, 2024:** Reported (Amended) by the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure. H. Rept. 118-814.
- **Dec 5, 2024:** Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 666.
- **Sep 18, 2024:** Subcommittee on Economic Development, Public Buildings, and Emergency Management Discharged
- **Sep 18, 2024:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held
- **Sep 18, 2024:** Ordered to be Reported in the Nature of a Substitute by Voice Vote.
- **Apr 27, 2023:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Economic Development, Public Buildings, and Emergency Management.
- **Apr 26, 2023:** Introduced in House
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