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A bill to designate the area between the intersections of 16th Street, Northwest and Fuller Street, Northwest and 16th Street, Northwest and Euclid Street, Northwest in Washington, District of Columbia, as "Oswaldo Paya Way".

**Congress:** 119 (2025–2027, Current)

**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Government Operations and Politics

**Introduced:** Jan 23, 2025

**Current Status:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

**Latest Action:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs. (Jan 23, 2025)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/119th-congress/senate-bill/218>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Sen. Cruz, Ted [R-TX]

**Party:** Republican • **State:** TX • **Chamber:** Senate

### Cosponsors (3 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Curtis, John R. [R-UT]	R · UT		Jan 23, 2025
Sen. Durbin, Richard J. [D-IL]	D · IL		Jan 23, 2025
Sen. Scott, Rick [R-FL]	R · FL		Jan 23, 2025

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs Committee	Senate	Referred To	Jan 23, 2025

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Government Operations and Politics

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
119 HR 4558	Related bill	<b>Jul 21, 2025:</b> Referred to the House Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

### Summary (as of Jan 23, 2025)

This bill designates the area in front of the Cuban embassy in the District of Columbia as Oswaldo Payá Way. (Oswaldo Payá was a pro-democracy activist in Cuba.)

### Actions Timeline

- **Jan 23, 2025:** Introduced in Senate
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