

July 30, 2012

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MEMORANDUM

To: All Members, Committee on Natural Resources

From: The Honorable Doc Hastings, Chairman

Subject: Full Committee Business Meeting to Authorize the Issuance of Subpoenas and Markup of Legislation

On **Wednesday, August 1, 2012, at 10 a.m., in Room 1324 Longworth House Office Building**, the Committee on Natural Resources will meet to consider a motion to authorize the Chairman to issue subpoenas to individuals to appear before the Committee on Natural Resources.

The Committee on Natural Resources will also mark up the following bills:

- **HR 2706**, To prohibit the sale of billfish. *“Billfish Conservation Act of 2011”*
- **HR 3319**, To allow the Pascua Yaqui Tribe to determine the requirements for membership in that tribe.
- **HR 4194**, To amend the Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act to provide that Alexander Creek, Alaska, is and shall be recognized as an eligible Native village under that Act, and for other purposes.
- **HR 5319**, To amend the Wild and Scenic Rivers Act to designate segments of the mainstem of the Nashua River and its tributaries in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts for study for potential addition to the National Wild and Scenic Rivers System, and for other purposes. *“Nashua River Wild and Scenic River Study Act”*
- **HR 5544**, To authorize and expedite a land exchange involving National Forest System land in the Laurentian District of the Superior National Forest and certain other National Forest System land in the State of Minnesota that has limited recreational and conservation resources and lands owned by the State of Minnesota in trust for the public school system that are largely scattered in checkerboard fashion within the Boundary Waters Canoe Area Wilderness and have important recreational, scenic, and conservation resources, and for other purposes. *“Minnesota Education Investment and Employment Act”*
- **HR 6007**, To exempt from the Lacey Act Amendments of 1981 certain water transfers by the North Texas Municipal Water District and the Greater Texoma Utility Authority. *“North Texas Zebra Mussel Barrier Act of 2012”*

- **HR 6060**, To amend Public Law 106-392 to maintain annual base funding for the Upper Colorado and San Juan fish recovery programs through fiscal year 2019. *“Endangered Fish Recovery Programs Extension Act of 2012”*
- **HR 6089**, To address the bark beetle epidemic, drought, deteriorating forest health conditions, and high risk of wildfires on National Forest System land and land under the jurisdiction of the Bureau of Land Management in the United States by expanding authorities established in the Healthy Forest Restoration Act of 2003 to provide emergency measures for high-risk areas identified by such States, to make permanent Forest Service and Bureau of Land Management authority to conduct good-neighbor cooperation with States to reduce wildfire risks, and for other purposes. *“Healthy Forest Management Act of 2012”*

Please email and deliver 70 copies of any proposed amendments to Nancy Locke, Chief Legislative Clerk, 1320 Longworth House Office Building no later than 4:00 p.m. on Tuesday, July 31, 2012. Please note that amendments filed by this time will be given priority recognition at the markup. For further information regarding the markup, please contact Nancy Locke, Chief Legislative Clerk, Committee on Natural Resources, at x5-2761.

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