



Bill Number(s)	Sponsor(s)	Bill Title	Summary	Position	Status
House Bills					
H.R. 94	Andy Biggs (R-AZ-05)	American Sovereignty and Species Protection Act	H.R. 94 would prohibit the Secretary of the Interior from listing a species as threatened or endangered under the Endangered Species Act if the species is not native to the United States.		Introduced and referred to the House Committee on Natural Resources Subcommittee on Water, Wildlife, and Fisheries (2/21/2023)
H.R. 186	McClintock (R-CA-05)	Water Supply Permitting Coordination Act	To authorize the Secretary of the Interior to coordinate Federal and State permitting processes related to the construction of new surface water storage projects on lands under the jurisdiction of the Secretary of the Interior and the Secretary of Agriculture and to designate the Bureau of Reclamation as the lead agency for permit processing.		Introduced and referred to House Committee on Natural Resources Subcommittee on Water, Wildlife, and Fisheries (2/21/2023)
H.R. 189	McClintock (R-CA-05)	Action Versus No Action Act	H.R. 189 would mandate that an environmental assessment or environmental impact statement prepared under the National Environmental Policy Act specific to federal actions on forest management can only consider alternative actions of “forest management activity” and “no action.”		Introduced and referred to the House Committee on Natural Resources and the Committee on Agriculture Subcommittee on Federal Lands (2/21/2023)
H.R. 289	LaMalfa (R-CA-01)	Protect Our Water Rights Act	To update requirements for the operation of the Central Valley Project and Klamath River Basin Reclamation Project by the Bureau of Reclamation.		Introduced and referred to House Committee on Natural Resources Subcommittee on Water, Wildlife, and Fisheries (2/21/2023)
H.R. 250	Garamendi (D-CA-8)	Clean Water SRF Parity Act	To amend the Federal Water Pollution Control Act to make certain projects and activities eligible for		Introduced and referred to House Committee on Transportation & Infrastructure Subcommittee on



			financial assistance under a State water pollution control revolving fund.	Water Resources and Environment (2/01/2023)
H.R. 215	Valadao (R-CA-22)	WATER for California Act	Reauthorizes the successful surface water storage project program and coordinated operations of the CVP and SWP established by the WIIN Act, Provides eligibility for funding for the Shasta Enlargement Project, and promotes water conveyance through the Sacramento-San Joaquin River Delta.	Introduced and referred to House Committee on Natural Resources Subcommittee on Water, Wildlife, and Fisheries. Markup Held. Ordered to be Reported (Amended) by the Yeas and Nays: 22 –17 (4/28/2023)
H.R. 178	Levin (D-CA-49)	Public Land Renewable Energy Development Act of 2023	Requires the Department of the Interior to establish priority areas on its land for geothermal, solar, and wind energy projects. The bill also establishes the Renewable Energy Resource Conservation Fund to make funds available to federal, state, and tribal agencies for distribution in regions in which renewable energy projects are located on federal land for (1) restoring and protecting natural water bodies and fish and wildlife habitat and corridors, and (2) preserving and improving recreational access to federal land and water in an affected region.	Introduced in the House. Referred to the Committee on Natural Resources Subcommittee on Energy and Mineral Resources (2/21/2023) and Agriculture Subcommittee on Forestry (2/13/2023)
H.R. 565	Neguse (D-CO-2)	Land Restoration and Resiliency Act of 2023	Directs the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service to enter into cooperative agreements with the National Fish and Wildlife Foundation to establish the Community Resilience and Restoration Fund at the foundation, for purposes including to <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - improve community safety in the face of climactic extremes through conservation 	Introduced in the House. Referred to the Committee on Natural Resources Subcommittee on Water, Wildlife, Fisheries (2/21/2023)



			<p>and protection of restoration and resilience lands;</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">- protect, conserve, and restore restoration and resilience lands in order to help communities respond and adapt to natural threats, including wildfire, drought, extreme heat, and other threats posed or exacerbated by the impacts of global climate; and- protect and enhance the biodiversity of wildlife populations across restoration and resilience lands.	
H.R. 872	Calvert (R-CA-41)	FISH Act	<p>Gives the Fish and Wildlife Service (FWS) the sole authority to protect endangered or threatened species that are anadromous species (species of fish that spawn in fresh or estuarine waters and that migrate to ocean waters) or catadromous species (species of fish that spawn in ocean waters and migrate to fresh or estuarine waters). Currently, the FWS shares this authority with the National Marine Fisheries Service.</p>	<p>Introduced in the House. Referred to the Committee on Natural Resources Subcommittee on Water, Wildlife, Fisheries (2/21/2023)</p>
H.R. 1430	Valadao (R-CA-22)	Determination of NEPA Adequacy Streamlining Act	<p>Directs the Secretary of the Interior and the Secretary of Agriculture to use certain previously completed environmental assessments and environmental impact statements to satisfy the review requirements of the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969, and for other purposes.</p>	<p>Introduced in the House. Referred to the Committee on Natural Resources (3/07/2023) and Agriculture Subcommittee on Forestry (4/25/2023)</p>



H.R. 2419	Costa (D-CA-21)	Canal Conveyance Capacity Restoration Act	To provide financial assistance for projects to address certain subsidence impacts in the State of California, and for other purposes.	Introduced in the House. Referred to the Committee on Natural Resources Subcommittee on Water, Wildlife, and Fisheries (5/08/2023)
H.R. 2505	Mast (R-FL-21)	Toxic Health Threat Warning Act of 2023	To require the Corps of Engineers to notify affected communities before releasing water contaminated with cyanotoxins from flood risk management structures, and for other purposes	Introduced in the House. Referred to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure Subcommittee on Water Resources and Environment (4/7/2023)
H.R. 2521	Ruiz (D-CA-25)	Clean Drinking Water Equity Act	To amend the Safe Drinking Water Act with respect to assistance for disadvantaged communities, and for other purposes.	Introduced in the House. Referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce Subcommittee on Environment, Manufacturing, and Critical Materials (4/14/2023)
H.R. 2731	Tonko (D-NY-20)	POWER Our Reservoirs Act	To require assessments of opportunities to install and maintain floating photovoltaic solar panels at Bureau of Reclamation and Corps of Engineers projects, and for other purposes.	Introduced to the House. Referred to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure Subcommittee on Water Resources and Environment (4/19/2023) and Energy and Natural Resources (4/19/2023)
H.R. 2787	Sewell (D-AL-07)	To amend the Consolidated Farm and Rural Development Act to modify provisions		Introduced in the House. Referred to the Committee on Agriculture Subcommittee on Commodity Markets, Digital Assets, and Rural Development (5/15/2023)



		relating to rural decentralized water systems grants.		
H.R. 3027	Porter (D-CA-47)	Reclamation Climate Change and Water Program Reauthorization Act of 2023	To reauthorize funding for the Reclamation Climate Change and Water Program	Introduced in the House. Referred to the House Committee on Natural Resources (4/28/2023)
H.R. 3167	Waltz (R-FL-06)	Clean Water Allotment Modernization Act of 2023	To amend the Federal Water Pollution Control Act to modify certain allotments under that Act	Introduced in the House. Referred to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure Subcommittee on Water Resources and Environment (5/10/2023)
H.R. 3490	Gallego (D-AZ-03)	To amend the Federal Water Pollution Control Act and the Safe Drinking Water Act to authorize grants for smart water infrastructure technology		Introduced in the House. Referred to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure Subcommittee on Water Resources and Environment (5/19/2023) and Energy and Commerce (5/18/2023)



Senate Bills				
S. 64	Barrasso (R-WY)	Water Rights Protection Act of 2023	Prohibits the Department of the Interior and Agriculture from mandating water users transfer water rights to the U.S., or purchase water rights in the name of the U.S. as a condition of any permit, lease, or other use agreement. Also recognizes state water law and requires coordination with the states.	Introduced in the Senate (1/25/2023)
S. 1233	Booker (D-NJ)	To amend the Consolidated Farm and Rural Development Act to modify provisions relating to rural decentralized water systems grants.		Introduced in the Senate. Referred to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry (4/20/2023)
S. 1358	Cramer (R-ND)	LAKES Act	To amend the Water Resources Development Act of 1992 and the Flood Control Act of 196 to provide for provisions relating to collection and retention of user fees at recreation facilities	Introduced in the Senate. (4/27/2023)
S. 1430	Lummis (R-WY)	Water Systems PFAS Liability Protection Act	To exempt certain entities from liability under the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act of 1980 with respect to releases of perfluoroalkyl and polyfluoroalkyl substances	Introduced in the Senate. (5/3/2023)

