

116TH CONGRESS  
2D SESSION

# H. R. 5975

To reauthorize The Last Green Valley National Heritage Corridor and the Upper Housatonic Valley National Heritage Area, and for other purposes.

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FEBRUARY 26, 2020

Mr. COURTNEY (for himself, Mrs. HAYES, and Mr. NEAL) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Natural Resources

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## A BILL

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*  
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Last Green Valley Na-  
5 tional Heritage Corridor and the Upper Housatonic Valley  
6 National Heritage Area Reauthorization Act”.

1 **SEC. 2. REAUTHORIZATION OF THE LAST GREEN VALLEY**  
2 **NATIONAL HERITAGE CORRIDOR AND THE**  
3 **UPPER HOUSATONIC VALLEY NATIONAL HER-**  
4 **ITAGE AREA.**

5 (a) LAST GREEN VALLEY NATIONAL HERITAGE  
6 CORRIDOR.—

7 (1) REAUTHORIZATION.—Section 106(b) of the  
8 Quinebaug and Shetucket Rivers Valley National  
9 Heritage Corridor Act of 1994 (54 U.S.C. 320101  
10 note; Public Law 103–449; 108 Stat. 4755; 113  
11 Stat. 1728; 123 Stat. 1291; 128 Stat. 3802) is  
12 amended by striking “2021” and inserting “2036”.

13 (2) REPEAL OF TOTAL FUNDING CAP.—Section  
14 109(a) of the Quinebaug and Shetucket Rivers Val-  
15 ley National Heritage Corridor Act of 1994 (54  
16 U.S.C. 320101 note; Public Law 103–449; 108 Stat.  
17 4756; 113 Stat. 1729; 123 Stat. 1292) is amended  
18 by striking the second sentence.

19 (b) UPPER HOUSATONIC VALLEY NATIONAL HERIT-  
20 AGE AREA.—

21 (1) REPEAL OF TOTAL FUNDING CAP.—Section  
22 280A(a) of the Upper Housatonic Valley National  
23 Heritage Area Act (54 U.S.C. 320101 note; Public  
24 Law 109–338; 120 Stat. 1819) is amended by strik-  
25 ing the second sentence.

1           (2) REAUTHORIZATION.—Section 280B of the  
2       Upper Housatonic Valley National Heritage Area  
3       Act (54 U.S.C. 320101 note; Public Law 109–338;  
4       120 Stat. 1819) is amended by striking “15 years”  
5       and inserting “30 years”.

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