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[Report No. 114-]

To authorize the Secretary of the Interior to conduct a special resource study of Chicano Park, located in San Diego, California, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

October 8, 2015

Mr. Vargas introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Natural Resources

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Reported with an amendment, committed to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union, and ordered to be printed

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[For text of introduced bill, see copy of bill as introduced on October 8, 2015]

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 "Chicano Park Preserva-
5	tion Act".
6	SEC. 2. SPECIAL RESOURCE STUDY.
7	(a) Study.—The Secretary of the Interior shall con-
8	duct a special resource study of Chicano Park and its mu-
9	rals located in San Diego, California.
10	(b) Contents.—In conducting the study under sub-
11	section (a), the Secretary shall—
12	(1) evaluate the national significance of the site;
13	(2) determine the suitability and feasibility of
14	designating the site as a National Historic Landmark
15	or Affiliated Area of the National Park System;
16	(3) consider other alternatives for preservation,
17	protection, and interpretation of Chicano Park and
18	its murals by Federal, State, or local governmental
19	entities, or private and nonprofit organizations;
20	(4) consult with interested Federal, State, or
21	local governmental entities, private and nonprofit or-
22	ganizations or any other interested individuals; and
23	(5) identify cost estimates for any development,
24	interpretation, operation, and maintenance associated
25	with the alternatives.

- 1 (c) Applicable Law.—The study required under sub-
- 2 section (a) shall be conducted in accordance with section
- 3 100507 of title 54, United States Code, except that the study
- 4 shall not consider any options that involve Federal acquisi-
- 5 tion of lands, interests in lands, or any other property re-
- 6 lated to the Chicano Park and its murals.
- 7 (d) Report.—Not later than 18 months after the date
- 8 on which funds are first made available for the study under
- 9 subsection (a), the Secretary shall submit to the Committee
- 10 on Natural Resources of the House of Representatives and
- 11 the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources of the Sen-
- 12 ate a report containing the results of the study and any
- 13 conclusions and recommendations of the Secretary.