

**Suspend the Rules and Pass the Bill, H. R. 2306, With an
Amendment**

**(The amendment strikes all after the enacting clause and inserts a
new text)**

119TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

H. R. 2306

To reauthorize the Adams Memorial Commission, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MARCH 24, 2025

Mr. MOOLENAAR (for himself, Mr. CONNOLLY, Mr. MCCORMICK, Mr. GRIF-
FITH, Mr. LYNCH, and Mr. MOULTON) introduced the following bill;
which was referred to the Committee on Natural Resources

A BILL

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other purposes.

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 “Adams Memorial-Great
5 American Heroes Act”.

6 **SEC. 2. EXTENSION OF AUTHORITY; LOCATION OF MEMO-**
7 **RIAL.**

8 (a) ADAMS MEMORIAL COMMISSION.—

1 (1) EXTENSION.—Section 2406(l) of the John
2 D. Dingell, Jr. Conservation, Management, and
3 Recreation Act (Public Law 116–9) is amended by
4 striking “2025” and inserting “2032”.

5 (2) EFFECTIVE DATE.—The amendment made
6 by paragraph (1) shall take effect as if enacted on
7 December 1, 2025.

8 (b) COMPLIANCE WITH STANDARDS FOR COMMEMO-
9 RATIVE WORKS.—Section 1(c) of Public Law 107–62 (115
10 Stat. 411; 124 Stat. 1192; 127 Stat. 3880; 133 Stat. 750)
11 is amended—

12 (1) by striking “The establishment” and insert-
13 ing “Notwithstanding section 8908(c) of title 40,
14 United States Code, the establishment”; and

15 (2) by striking “2025” and inserting “2032”.

16 (c) LOCATION OF COMMEMORATIVE WORK.—Section
17 1 of Public Law 107–315 (116 Stat. 2763) is amended
18 to read as follows:

19 **“SEC. 1. APPROVAL OF COMMEMORATIVE WORK.**

20 “(a) SITE.—Notwithstanding section 8908(c) of title
21 40, United States Code, and subject to subsection (b), the
22 Adams Memorial shall be located within the area generally
23 depicted as ‘Adams Memorial: Eligible Additional Area’ on
24 the map titled ‘Adams Memorial: Eligible Additional Area’

1 prepared by the Adams Memorial Commission and dated
2 February 25, 2025.

3 “(b) ADDITIONAL LOCATIONS.—If the Commission
4 determines that the location described in subsection (a)
5 is not suitable or feasible due to physical or security con-
6 straints, the commemorative work shall be located within
7 the Reserve.

8 “(c) DEFINITIONS.—In this section:

9 “(1) ADAMS MEMORIAL.—The term ‘Adams
10 Memorial’ means the commemorative work author-
11 ized to be established under section 1(b) of Public
12 Law 107–62 (115 Stat. 411).

13 “(2) COMMISSION.—The term ‘Commission’
14 means the Adams Memorial Commission established
15 under section 2406(a) of the John D. Dingell, Jr.
16 Conservation, Management, and Recreation Act
17 (Public Law 116–9).

18 “(3) RESERVE.—The term ‘Reserve’ has the
19 meaning given such term in section 8902(a)(3) of
20 title 40, United States Code.”.

21 **SEC. 3. CONFORMING AMENDMENTS.**

22 Section 2 and section 3 of Public Law 107–315 (116
23 Stat. 2763) are hereby repealed.