

SUBCOMMITTEE ON NATIONAL PARKS, FORESTS, AND PUBLIC LANDS
1324 LONGWORTH HOUSE OFFICE BUILDING

April 2, 2019
2:00 P.M.

Agenda

Hearing on the following bill(s):

- **H.R. 823 (Rep. Joe Neguse)**, To provide for the designation of certain wilderness areas, recreation management areas, and conservation areas in the State of Colorado, and for other purposes. “*Colorado Outdoor Recreation and Economy Act*”
- **H.R. 1708 (Rep. Adam Schiff)**, To adjust the boundary of the Santa Monica Mountains National Recreation Area to include the Rim of the Valley Corridor, and for other purposes. “*Rim of the Valley Corridor Preservation Act*”
- **H.R. 434 (Rep. Sheila Jackson Lee)**, To designate the Emancipation National Historic Trail, and for other purposes. “*Emancipation National Historic Trail Act*”
- **H.R. 306 (Rep. Jody Hice)**, To direct the Secretary of the Interior to conduct a special resource study of the site of the Kettle Creek Battlefield in Wilkes County, Georgia, and adjacent property, and for other purposes. “*Kettle Creek Battlefield Park Study Act*”

Witness List

Panel I

Rep. Joe Neguse (H.R. 823)
Colorado, 2nd District

Rep. Adam Schiff (H.R. 1708)
California, 28th District

Rep. Sheila Jackson Lee (H.R. 434)
Texas, 18th District

Panel II

Mr. Chris French (H.R. 823)
Acting Deputy Chief
National Forest System, U.S.
Forest Service
U.S. Department of Agriculture

Mr. Dan Smith (All Bills)
Deputy Director
National Park Service
U.S. Department of the Interior

Panel III

Mr. Dan Gibbs (H.R. 823)
Executive Director
Department of Natural Resources,
State of Colorado
*Testifying on behalf of Governor
Jared Polis, State of Colorado*

The Honorable Laurene Weste
(H.R. 1708)
Councilmember
City of Santa Clarita

Ms. Eileen Lawal (H.R. 434)
President
Houston Freedmen’s Town
Conservancy

Mr. Walker Chewning (H.R. 306)
Chair
Kettle Creek Battlefield
Association