

111TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

H. R. 1641

AN ACT

To amend the National Trails System Act to provide for
a study of the Cascadia Marine Trail.

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

1 **SECTION 1. DESIGNATION OF TRAIL FOR STUDY.**

2 (a) SHORT TITLE.—This section may be cited as the
3 “Cascadia Marine Trail Study Act”.

4 (b) DESIGNATION OF TRAIL FOR STUDY.—Section
5 5(c) of the National Trails System Act (16 U.S.C.
6 1244(c)) is amended by adding at the end the following:

7 “(____) Cascadia Marine Trail, a series of
8 water trail routes encompassing approximately 2,300
9 miles of shoreline in the State of Washington, ex-
10 tending from Point Roberts near the Canadian bor-
11 der to the southern reach of Puget Sound near
12 Olympia. In conducting the study, the Secretary
13 shall coordinate with appropriate Federal, State,
14 local, tribal, and private entities, and may evaluate
15 sites of recreational, scenic, or historic significance
16 near the Cascadia Marine Trail for potential inclu-
17 sion in the Trail. The Secretary shall also consider
18 what activities may be limited by the designation, in-
19 cluding existing activities, hunting, boating, or pro-
20 posed infrastructure improvements.”.

Passed the House of Representatives October 26,
2009.

Attest:

Clerk.

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