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H. R. 3531

To authorize the Women Who Worked on the Home Front Foundation to establish a commemorative work in the District of Columbia and its environs, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MAY 25, 2021

Ms. NORTON (for herself, Ms. BONAMICI, Mr. CARSON, Mrs. DINGELL, Mr. GALLEGRO, Ms. LEE of California, Mrs. CAROLYN B. MALONEY of New York, Mr. SOTO, and Mr. SUOZZI) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Natural Resources

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 “Women Who Worked
5 on the Home Front World War II Memorial Act”.

1 **SEC. 2. AUTHORIZATION TO ESTABLISH COMMEMORATIVE**
2 **WORK.**

3 (a) IN GENERAL.—The Women Who Worked on the
4 Home Front Foundation may establish a commemorative
5 work on Federal land in the District of Columbia and its
6 environs to commemorate the commitment and service
7 represented by women who worked on the home front dur-
8 ing World War II.

9 (b) COMPLIANCE WITH STANDARDS FOR COMMEMO-
10 RATIVE WORKS.—The establishment of the commemora-
11 tive work under this section shall be in accordance with
12 chapter 89 of title 40, United States Code (commonly
13 known as the “Commemorative Works Act”).

14 (c) PROHIBITION ON THE USE OF FEDERAL
15 FUNDS.—

16 (1) IN GENERAL.—Federal funds may not be
17 used to pay any expense of the establishment of the
18 commemorative work under this section.

19 (2) RESPONSIBILITY OF WOMEN WHO WORKED
20 ON THE HOME FRONT FOUNDATION.—The Women
21 Who Worked on the Home Front Foundation shall
22 be solely responsible for acceptance of contributions
23 for, and payment of the expenses of, the establish-
24 ment of the commemorative work under this section.

25 (d) DEPOSIT OF EXCESS FUNDS.—

1 (1) IN GENERAL.—If upon payment of all ex-
2 penses for the establishment of the memorial (in-
3 cluding the maintenance and preservation amount
4 required by section 8906(b)(1) of title 40, United
5 States Code), there remains a balance of funds re-
6 ceived for the establishment of the commemorative
7 work, the Women Who Worked on the Home Front
8 Foundation shall transmit the amount of the balance
9 to the Secretary of the Interior for deposit in the ac-
10 count provided for in section 8906(b)(3) of title 40,
11 United States Code.

12 (2) ON EXPIRATION OF AUTHORITY.—If upon
13 expiration of the authority for the commemorative
14 work under section 8903(e) of title 40, United
15 States Code, there remains a balance of funds re-
16 ceived for the establishment of the commemorative
17 work, the Women Who Worked on the Home Front
18 Foundation shall transmit the amount of the balance
19 to a separate account with the National Park Foun-
20 dation for memorials, to be available to the Sec-
21 retary of the Interior or Administrator (as appro-
22 priate) following the process provided in section
23 8906(b)(4) of title 40, United States Code, for ac-

1 counts established under section 8906(b)(2) or (3)
2 of title 40, United States Code.

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