

## Calendar No. 294

118TH CONGRESS  
1ST SESSION**S. 384****[Report No. 118-142]**

To establish the Springfield 1908 Race Riot National Monument in the State of Illinois, and for other purposes.

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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

FEBRUARY 9, 2023

Ms. DUCKWORTH (for herself and Mr. DURBIN) introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources

DECEMBER 20, 2023

Reported by Mr. MANCHIN, with an amendment

[Strike out all after the enacting clause and insert the part printed in *italic*]

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**A BILL**

To establish the Springfield 1908 Race Riot National Monument in the State of Illinois, and for 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 “Springfield 1908 Race  
5 ~~Riot National Monument Act~~”.

1 **SEC. 2. DEFINITIONS.**

2 In this Act:

3 (1) COMMISSION.—The term “Commission”  
4 means the Springfield 1908 Advisory Commission  
5 established by section 3(g)(1).

6 (2) MAP.—The term “Map” means the map en-  
7 titled “Springfield 1908 Race Riot National Memo-  
8 rial Proposed Boundary”, numbered 687/148588,  
9 and dated February 2023.

10 (3) MEMORIAL.—The term “Memorial” means  
11 the memorial required to be constructed under sec-  
12 tion 3(a)(1)(B), including the structure, interpretive  
13 signage, and associated infrastructure.

14 (4) NATIONAL MONUMENT.—The term “Na-  
15 tional Monument” means the Springfield 1908 Race  
16 Riot National Monument established by section  
17 3(a)(1).

18 (5) SECRETARY.—The term “Secretary” means  
19 the Secretary of the Interior, acting through the Di-  
20 rector of the National Park Service.

21 (6) STATE.—The term “State” means the State  
22 of Illinois.

23 **SEC. 3. ESTABLISHMENT OF SPRINGFIELD 1908 RACE RIOT**  
24 **NATIONAL MONUMENT.**

25 (a) ESTABLISHMENT.—

1           (1) IN GENERAL.—Subject to paragraph (2),  
2 there is established in the State the Springfield 1908  
3 Race Riot National Monument as a unit of the Na-  
4 tional Park System—

5           (A) to preserve, protect, and interpret for  
6 the benefit of present and future generations  
7 resources associated with the Springfield Race  
8 Riot of 1908 and the role of the Riot in the for-  
9 mation of the National Association for the Ad-  
10 vancement of Colored People; and

11           (B) that shall include the construction of a  
12 permanent memorial, within the boundary of  
13 the National Monument, to—

14           (i) the victims, survivors, and de-  
15 scendants of survivors of the Springfield  
16 Race Riot of 1908; and

17           (ii) the Springfield community.

18           (2) CONDITIONS.—The National Monument  
19 shall not be established until the date on which the  
20 Secretary acquires sufficient land within the bound-  
21 ary of the National Monument to constitute a man-  
22 ageable unit.

23           (b) BOUNDARIES.—

1           (1) IN GENERAL.—The boundary of the Na-  
2           tional Monument shall be the boundary generally de-  
3           picted on the Map.

4           (2) CORRECTION OF ERRORS.—The Secretary  
5           may correct minor errors in the Map.

6           (c) ACQUISITION AUTHORITY.—The Secretary may  
7           acquire any land or interest in land located within the  
8           boundary of the National Monument by—

9           (1) donation;

10          (2) purchase with donated or appropriated  
11          funds; or

12          (3) exchange.

13          (d) ADMINISTRATIVE SITES AND VISITOR FACILI-  
14          TIES.—To facilitate the administration of the National  
15          Monument, the Secretary may expend appropriated funds  
16          to acquire or lease essential facilities for the administra-  
17          tion of the National Monument and visitor services outside  
18          the boundary, but within the vicinity, of the National  
19          Monument.

20          (e) MEMORIAL.—In accordance with subsection  
21          (a)(1)(B), the Secretary shall, using donated or appro-  
22          priated funds, construct a Memorial within the boundary  
23          of the National Monument.

24          (f) AGREEMENTS.—The Secretary may enter into  
25          agreements with—

1           (1) the city of Springfield or other public or pri-  
 2           vate entities for the purpose of establishing, man-  
 3           aging, and operating within or outside of the bound-  
 4           ary of the National Monument facilities for adminis-  
 5           tration and visitor services authorized under sub-  
 6           section (e); and

7           (2) other public or private entities for—

8                   (A) the construction of the Memorial;

9                   (B) the interpretation of sites associated  
 10           with the Springfield Race Riot of 1908 located  
 11           within or outside the boundary of the National  
 12           Monument; and

13                   (C) other purposes of this Act.

14           (g) SPRINGFIELD 1908 ADVISORY COMMISSION.—

15           (1) ESTABLISHMENT.—There is established an  
 16           advisory commission, to be known as the “Spring-  
 17           field 1908 Advisory Commission”, to advise the Sec-  
 18           retary with respect to the management and develop-  
 19           ment of the National Monument.

20           (2) MEMBERSHIP.—The Commission shall be  
 21           composed of 11 members, to be appointed by the  
 22           Secretary, of whom—

23                   (A) 3 members shall reside in the city of  
 24           Springfield or Sangamon County in the State;

1           (B) 3 members shall be appointed after  
2 consideration of recommendations submitted by  
3 the Governor of the State;

4           (C) 3 members shall be appointed after  
5 consideration of recommendations submitted by  
6 the Mayor of the city of Springfield in the  
7 State; and

8           (D) 2 members shall be appointed who  
9 have experience in the field of historic preserva-  
10 tion or the purposes for which the National  
11 Monument was established.

12       (3) TERM.—

13           (A) IN GENERAL.—A member of the Com-  
14 mission shall be appointed for a term of 5  
15 years.

16           (B) SUCCESSORS.—Notwithstanding the  
17 expiration of a 5-year term of a member of the  
18 Commission, a member of the Commission may  
19 continue to serve on the Commission until the  
20 date on which—

21                   (i) the member is reappointed by the  
22                   Secretary; or

23                   (ii) a successor is appointed by the  
24                   Secretary.

1           (4) CHAIRPERSON.—The Commission shall have  
2 a Chairperson, who shall be elected by the members  
3 of the Commission.

4           (5) BYLAWS.—The Commission shall adopt  
5 such bylaws as the Commission considers necessary  
6 to carry out the duties of the Commission under this  
7 subsection.

8           (6) VACANCIES.—A vacancy on the Commission  
9 shall be filled in the same manner in which the origi-  
10 nal appointment was made.

11           (7) QUORUM.—A majority of the members of  
12 the Commission shall constitute a quorum.

13           (8) COMPENSATION.—Members of the Commis-  
14 sion shall serve without compensation, except that  
15 the Secretary may pay the expenses incurred by the  
16 Commission in carrying out the duties of the Com-  
17 mission under this subsection.

18           (9) FACA NONAPPLICABILITY.—Section  
19 1013(b) of title 5, United States Code, shall not  
20 apply to the Commission.

21           (10) TERMINATION.—The Commission shall  
22 terminate on the date that is 12 years after the date  
23 of enactment of this Act.

24           (h) ADMINISTRATION.—

1           (1) ~~IN GENERAL.~~—The Secretary shall admin-  
2           ister the National Monument in accordance with—

3                     ~~(A) this Act; and~~

4                     ~~(B) the laws generally applicable to units~~  
5           of the National Park System.

6           (2) ~~MANAGEMENT PLAN.~~—

7                     ~~(A) DEADLINE FOR COMPLETION.~~—Not  
8           later than 3 years after the date on which funds  
9           are first made available to the Secretary for the  
10          preparation of a general management plan for  
11          the National Monument, the Secretary shall  
12          prepare a general management plan for the Na-  
13          tional Monument in accordance with section  
14          100502 of title 54, United States Code.

15                    ~~(B) SUBMISSION TO CONGRESS.~~—On com-  
16          pletion of the general management plan under  
17          subparagraph (A), the Secretary shall submit to  
18          the Committee on Energy and Natural Re-  
19          sources of the Senate and the Committee on  
20          Natural Resources of the House of Representa-  
21          tives the general management plan prepared  
22          under that subparagraph.

23           (3) ~~REQUIRED CONSULTATION.~~—The Secretary  
24          shall consult with the Commission on matters relat-

1 ing to the management and development of the Na-  
 2 tional Monument, including the construction of—

3 ~~(A) the Memorial; and~~

4 ~~(B) visitor service facilities and infrastruc-~~  
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18 (b) *BOUNDARIES.*—

19 (1) *IN GENERAL.*—The boundary of the National  
20 Monument shall be the boundary generally depicted  
21 on the Map.

22 (2) *AVAILABILITY OF MAP.*—The Map shall be on  
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19                         sion shall serve without compensation.

20                         (B) TRAVEL EXPENSES.—Members of the  
21                         Commission shall be allowed travel expenses, in-  
22                         cluding per diem in lieu of subsistence, at rates  
23                         authorized for an employee of an agency under  
24                         subchapter I of chapter 57 of title 5, United  
25                         States Code, while away from the home or reg-

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