

Climate Resilient Elections Act

As our nation confronts the mounting threat of climate change, Americans face the devastating consequences of natural disasters. The ***Climate Resilient Elections Act*** will ensure that every election administrator is prepared to safely administer an election in the face of disaster by:

- Requiring election administrators to prepare, retain, and update comprehensive plans to address natural disasters, which will be made publicly available through the Election Assistance Commission.
- Directing the Government Accountability Office (“GAO”) to conduct a study of the ways the federal government may assist election administrators in the event of a disaster.
- Allowing the GAO to examine the ways that natural disasters impact voter registration.
- Authorizing \$100 million dollars for election-related disaster preparedness.

The ***Climate Resilient Elections Act*** will help fortify our elections against the serious threat of climate change and support the election administrators who uphold our democratic process. No American should be denied their right to vote because of a climate catastrophe.

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