

116TH CONGRESS  
1ST SESSION

# H. R. 4173

To redesignate Rock Creek Park in the District of Columbia as Rock Creek National Park.

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

AUGUST 6, 2019

Ms. NORTON introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Natural Resources

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## 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 “Rock Creek National  
5 Park Act of 2019”.

6 **SEC. 2. REDESIGNATION OF ROCK CREEK PARK AS ROCK**  
7 **CREEK NATIONAL PARK.**

8 (a) REDESIGNATION.—In recognition of its nationally  
9 significant natural, cultural, and historical resources, and  
10 important recreational opportunities, Rock Creek Park in

1 the District of Columbia, established by the Act of Sep-  
2 tember 27, 1890 (26 Stat. 492), is redesignated as “Rock  
3 Creek National Park”.

4 (b) CONFORMING AMENDMENTS.—Title 40, United  
5 States Code, is amended—

6 (1) in section 8104(b), by striking “Rock Creek  
7 Park” and inserting “Rock Creek National Park”;  
8 and

9 (2) in section 8501(a)(3)(B), by striking “Rock  
10 Creek Park” and inserting “Rock Creek National  
11 Park”.

12 (c) REFERENCES.—Any reference in any law, map,  
13 regulation, document, paper, or other record of the United  
14 States to Rock Creek Park in the District of Columbia  
15 is deemed to be a reference to Rock Creek National Park.

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