

This version of HR 4823 represents what was passed by Representative Grijalva's Subcommittee on National Parks, Forests and Public Lands of the House Natural Resources Committee including amendments by Representatives Grijalva, Flake and Bishop

1 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

2. This Act may be cited as the “Sedona-Red Rock Na-
3 tional Scenic Area Act of 2010”.

4 **SEC. 2. SEDONA-RED ROCK NATIONAL SCENIC AREA,**
5 **COCONINO NATIONAL FOREST, ARIZONA.**

6 (a) ESTABLISHMENT.—There is established in the
7 Coconino National Forest, Arizona, the Sedona-Red Rock
8 National Scenic Area (in this section referred to as the
9 “Scenic Area”) for the purposes of—

- 10 (1) limiting exchanges of land involving
11 National Forest System land included in the Scenic
12 Area; and
13 (2) managing the National Forest System land
14 included in the Scenic Area as provided in the land and
15 resource management plan for the Coconino National
16 Forest.

17 (b) BOUNDARIES.—The Scenic Area shall consist of
18 approximately 160,000 acres of National Forest System

1 land in the Coconino National Forest, as generally
2 depicted on the map entitled “Sedona-Red Rocks National
3 Scenic Area and dated June 7, 2010. The Scenic Area
4 does not include any land located outside the boundaries
5 of the Coconino National Forest.

6 (c) MAP AND BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION.—As soon as
7 practicable after the date of the enactment of this Act,
8 the Secretary of Agriculture shall file a map and boundary
9 description of the Scenic Area with the Committee on Nat-
10 ural Resources of the House of Representatives and the
11 Committee on Energy and Natural Resources of the Sen-
12 ate. The map and boundary description shall have the
13 same force and effect as if included in this Act, except
14 that the Secretary may correct clerical and typographical
15 errors in the map and description. The map and boundary
16 description shall be on file and available for public inspec-
17 tion in the Office of the Chief of the Forest Service.

18 (d) ADMINISTRATION.—The Secretary of Agriculture
19 shall administer the Scenic Area in accordance with this
20 Act, the land and resource management plan for the
21 Coconino National Forest (including and subsequent
22 amendment or revision of the plan), and the laws and reg-
23 ulations generally applicable to the National Forest Sys-
24 tem. In the event of conflict between this Act and such
25 other laws and regulations, this Act shall take precedence.

1 (e) RESTRICTION ON SCENIC AREA LAND EX-
2 CHANGES.-----With regard to acquisitions of land for public
3 purposes, land exchanges that dispose of National Forest
4 System land included in the Scenic Area may occur only
5 if--

6 (1) the exchange results in the acquisition of
7 land within the boundaries of the Scenic Area from
8 a willing seller for inclusion in the Scenic Area;

9 (2) there is no net loss of National Forest Sys-
10 tem land within the boundaries of the Scenic Area;
11 and

12 (3) an environmental analysis in accordance
13 with the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969
14 (42 U.S.C. 4321 et seq.) and consistent with the ap-
15 plicable forest plan amendment is completed before
16 land exchange within the boundaries of the Sce-
17 ic Area.

18 (f) DEPOSIT OF CONSIDERATION FROM CERTAIN
19 LAND SALES; USE—

20 (1) DEPOSIT OF PROCEEDS.—Monies received
21 by the Secretary of Agriculture from the sale or ex-
22 change of land located in the Coconino National
23 Forest shall be deposited in the fund established by
24 Public Law 90-171 (commonly known as the Sisk Act; 16
25 U.S.C. 484a).

1 (2) USE OF FUNDS.—Notwithstanding the limi-
2 tations on use of moneys deposited in the fund
3 established by Public Law 90-171, moneys deposited
4 under paragraph (1) shall be available for use by the
5 Secretary of Agriculture, without further appropria-
6 tion and until expended, for the acquisition of land
7 or interests in land within the National Forest Sys-
8 tem in Arizona.

9 (g) NO EFFECT ON SURROUNDING LAND, ROADS, OR
10 EASEMENTS.—The establishment of the Scenic Area does
11 not affect--

12 (1) the maintenance or use of public, private, or
13 Forest Service roads within the Scenic Area;

14 (2) the legal status, maintenance, or use of rights-of-way and
15 rights-of-way and utility easements within the Scenic
16 Area;

17 (3) the management of State, municipal, or pri-
18 vate land located in the vicinity of or within the
19 boundaries of the Scenic Area;

20 (4) the management of National Forest System
21 land that is not included in the Scenic Area; or

22 (5) the construction or siting of transportation
23 projects or water projects (and associated facilities)
24 within the Scenic Area or in areas outside the Scenic Area.

1 (h) NO CAUSE OF ACTION.----Nothing in this Act cre-
2 ates a private cause of action in any federal, state or tribal
3 court.