

H.R. 7003, National Landslide Preparedness Act Reauthorization Act of 2024
As ordered reported by the House Committee on Natural Resources on April 16, 2024

By Fiscal Year, Millions of Dollars	2024	2024-2029	2024-2034
Direct Spending (Outlays)	0	0	0
Revenues	0	0	0
Increase or Decrease (-) in the Deficit	0	0	0
Spending Subject to Appropriation (Outlays)	0	321	380
Increases <i>net direct spending</i> in any of the four consecutive 10-year periods beginning in 2035?	No	Statutory pay-as-you-go procedures apply? No	
Increases <i>on-budget deficits</i> in any of the four consecutive 10-year periods beginning in 2035?	No	Mandate Effects	
		Contains intergovernmental mandate?	No
		Contains private-sector mandate?	No

H.R. 7003 would reauthorize the appropriation of \$37 million annually through 2029 for the National Landslide Hazards Reduction Program. Under current law, the authorization for that program expires at the end of 2024. In 2024, the U.S. Geological Survey (USGS) and the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration allocated roughly \$14 million for that program.

H.R. 7003 also would authorize appropriations of \$40 million annually through 2029 for the 3D Elevation Program. Under current law, that program expires at the end of 2024 and based on information from USGS, CBO expects that no funds were allocated for the program.

CBO assumes that the bill will be enacted near the beginning of the fiscal year 2025 and that the authorized amounts will be provided each year. Based on historical spending patterns for the programs, CBO estimates that implementing the bill would cost \$321 million over the 2024-2029 period and \$59 million after 2029. CBO expects that about \$5 million of those amounts would not be spent.

The costs of the legislation, detailed in Table 1, fall within budget function 300 (natural resources).



**Table 1.
Estimated Increases in Spending Subject to Appropriation Under H.R. 7003**

	By Fiscal Year, Millions of Dollars						2024-2029
	2024	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029	
National Landslide Hazards Reduction Program							
Authorization	0	37	37	37	37	37	185
Estimated Outlays	0	20	29	33	35	36	153
3D Elevation Program							
Authorization	0	40	40	40	40	40	200
Estimated Outlays	0	12	36	40	40	40	168
Total Changes							
Authorization	0	77	77	77	77	77	385
Estimated Outlays	0	32	66	74	75	75	321

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