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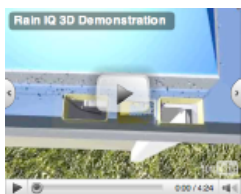
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THE AMERICAN Society of Landscape Architects (ASLA) says a legislation has been recently introduced to create more parks and recreation space in the nation's urban centres.

According to ASLA, the H.R. 3734, or Urban Revitalization and Livable Communities Act would provide federal grants to states, local governments and community-based non-profit organizations to construct new parks and recreational facilities or rehabilitate existing ones in urban communities.

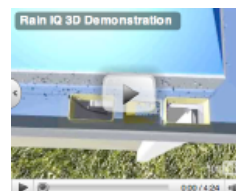
ASLA says the legislation notably encourages the selection of projects which utilize sustainable landscape features, increase the urban forestry canopy, improve stormwater management and provide overall environmental benefits to urban areas.



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