

HB 1536 -- Solid Waste Management

Sponsor: Schlottach

This bill revises provisions relating to allocation of revenues deposited into the Solid Waste Management Fund each fiscal year. Up to 43% of the revenues will be dedicated to the elimination of illegal solid waste disposal, to identify and prosecute persons disposing of solid waste illegally, to conduct solid waste permitting activities, and to administer grants and perform other duties imposed in Sections 260.200 - 260.345, RSMo, and Section 260.432. At least 57% of the revenues will be allocated through grants to participating cities, counties, and districts.

Sixty percent of the revenue generated within each region will be allocated to the cities and counties of the district or to persons or entities providing solid waste management, waste reduction, or recycling services in these cities and counties. Each district will receive a minimum of \$75,000.

Up to \$400,000 of the moneys allocated will be made available for solid waste management districts to apply to the department for a three-to-one matching grant of up to \$20,000 per district per year to be used for the purpose of solid waste district operations.

Any remaining moneys in the fund will be used to provide grants for statewide solid waste management planning or research projects including contracted services.

If moneys owed are not transmitted in the time frame established by the rule promulgated, interest will be imposed at the rate of 10% per annum from the prescribed due date until payment is actually made. These interest amounts will be deposited to the credit of the fund.