## HB 484 -- MISSOURI STATE TRANSIT ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

(Vetoed by the Governor)

This bill establishes the Missouri State Transit Assistance Program to be administered by the Department of Transportation to provide state financial assistance to defray the operating and capital costs incurred by public mass transportation service providers. The distribution of any appropriated funds must be determined by evaluating certain factors of each service provider including, but not limited to, population, ridership, cost and efficiency of the program, availability of alternative transportation in the area, and local effort or tax support.