## **House Concurrent Resolution No. 77**

## 99TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

INTRODUCED BY REPRESENTATIVE MATTHIESEN.

D. ADAM CRUMBLISS, Chief Clerk

WHEREAS, the Bangert Island riverfront transformational project will transform the St. Charles riverfront into a center for economic prosperity; and 2 3 4 WHEREAS, the Bangert Island riverfront transformational project will provide a unique 5 Missouri river island recreational attraction: and 6 7 WHEREAS, the Bangert Island riverfront transformational project will provide Missouri river aquatic habitat restoration; and 8 9 10 WHEREAS, the Bangert Island riverfront transformational project will provide 4,000 11 new jobs; and 12 13 WHEREAS, the Bangert Island riverfront transformational project, according to economic modeling, will result in a \$1.5 billion economic impact; and 14 15 16 WHEREAS, a modeling study produced by the United States Army Corps of Engineers 17 for restoration of Bangert Island concluded that navigation will not be disturbed by the proposed 18 side channel project; and 19 20 WHEREAS, the City of St. Charles desires to work with the United States Army Corps 21 of Engineers to advance a Section 1135 project, which would improve aquatic habitats and 22 restore Bangert Island; and 23 24 WHEREAS, the City of St. Charles will cost share toward construction of the Bangert 25 Island project:

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NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the members of the House of Representatives of the Ninety-ninth General Assembly, Second Regular Session, the Senate concurring therein, hereby endorse the Bangert Island riverfront transformational project; and

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31 **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of 32 Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for the 33 Governor, United States Senator Roy Blunt, and United States Representatives Blaine 34 Luetkemeyer and Ann Wagner.

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