

HB 2243 -- STATUTORY COUNTY RECORDER'S FUND

SPONSOR: Houghton

COMMITTEE ACTION: Voted "Do Pass by Consent" by the Standing Committee on Local Government by a vote of 8 to 0. Voted "Do Pass-Consent" by the Committee on Consent and House Procedure by a vote of 11 to 0.

This bill provides a method by which distributions from the statutory county recorder's fund will be allocated among counties if collections fall below distributions.

This bill is the same as SB 756 (2018).

PROPONENTS: Supporters say that economic conditions caused house sales to fall and therefore revenue from document recording fell, too.

Testifying for the bill were Representative Houghton; Missouri Realtors; and Recorders Association of Missouri.

OPPONENTS: There was no opposition voiced to the committee.