

HB 338 -- BATTLE OF ST. LOUIS MEMORIAL DAY

SPONSOR: Schnelting

COMMITTEE ACTION: Voted "Do Pass" by the Special Committee on Tourism by a vote of 8 to 0. Voted "Do Pass" by the Standing Committee on Rules- Administrative Oversight by a vote of 8 to 0.

This bill designates May 26th of each year as "Battle of St. Louis Memorial Day" to commemorate the only battle of the American Revolution fought in Missouri.

PROPONENTS: Supporters say that it is important to recognize that Missouri had a role in the American Revolution and bring greater recognition to the painting in the Capitol that also commemorates this battle.

Testifying for the bill was Representative Schnelting.

OPPONENTS: There was no opposition voiced to the committee.