

HB 552 -- CONVEYANCE OF STATE PROPERTY

SPONSOR: Dinkins

COMMITTEE ACTION: Voted "Do Pass" by the Standing Committee on Corrections and Public Institutions by a vote of 8 to 0. Voted "Do Pass" by the Standing Committee on Rules- Administrative Oversight by a vote of 9 to 0.

This bill authorizes the Department of Natural Resources to convey land located in Iron County to the State Highways and Transportation Commission. The land to be conveyed is described in the bill.

PROPONENTS: Supporters say that this conveyance is necessary to provide a bridge around the property. Otherwise, people would have to drive an hour out of the way on the only available road. No trucks or school buses are able to take the road. They plan to complete the bridge before next winter.

Testifying for the bill were Representative Dinkins and Luke Reed, Missouri Department of Transportation.

OPPONENTS: There was no opposition voiced to the committee.