HB 2423 -- MARK TWAIN MEMORIAL HIGHWAY

SPONSOR: Riggs

COMMITTEE ACTION: Voted "Do Pass" by the Standing Committee on Transportation by a vote of 11 to 0. Voted "Do Pass" by the Standing Committee on Rules- Administrative Oversight by a vote of 9 to 0.

This bill establishes a part of U.S. Highway 36 from the Illinois/Missouri state line to the intersection of U.S. Highway 61 in Marion County as the "Mark Twain Memorial Highway".

The costs of signs designating the highway shall be paid by private donations.

PROPONENTS: Supporters say that the memorial highway is a fitting tribute to Mark Twain.

Testifying for the bill was Representative Riggs.

OPPONENTS: There was no opposition voiced to the committee.