HCR 61 -- NATIONAL DAY OF THE COWBOY

SPONSOR: Love

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

This bill designates the fourth Saturday in July each year as "National Day of the Cowboy" in Missouri".

This bill is the same as HCR 4 (2019).

PROPONENTS: Supporters say that there is a tradition of the cowboy in Missouri and it should be celebrated. From rodeo to the ongoing industry of breeding and raising cattle, this resolution will help bring greater awareness and recognition of the importance of this tradition for the next generation of Missourians, including those in urban centers that have less exposure.

Testifying for the bill were Representative Love; and Bethany Braley; National Day of The Cowboy.

OPPONENTS: There was no opposition voiced to the committee.