

## HCR 29 -- HARRIS-STOWE STATEWIDE MISSION

SPONSOR: Riggs

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

This concurrent resolution will ensure that Harris-Stowe State University can successfully discharge a statewide mission in science, technology, engineering, and mathematics (STEM) for underrepresented and underresourced students.

This bill is similar to HCR 86 (2020).

PROPONENTS: Supporters say that Harris-Stowe University has a growing population and that their efforts in STEM are drawing students in.

Testifying for the bill was Representative Riggs.

OTHERS: Others testifying on the bill say having the opportunity to draw students in is important and that the University hopes to continue to grow.

Testifying on the bill was Corey Bradford, PHD, Harris Stowe State University.

Written testimony has been submitted for this bill. The full written testimony can be found under Testimony on the bill page on the House website.