

SCR 7 -- NORTH CENTRAL MISSOURI REGIONAL WATER COMMISSION

SPONSOR: Hegeman (Griesheimer)

COMMITTEE ACTION: Voted "Do Pass" by the Standing Committee on Emerging Issues 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 resolution states that the Senate and the House of Representatives support funding of the North Central Missouri Regional Water Commission project by the state entering into a long-term commitment of money in the Multipurpose Water Resource Program Fund, subject to appropriations, provided that the total annual cost does not exceed \$1.5 million, and the total cost over the life of the contract does not exceed \$24 million.

PROPONENTS: Supporters say that this bill is important for providing potable water to Northwest and North Central Missouri by allowing the state to make agreements with the federal government. This bill provides economic development in the affected areas.

Testifying for the bill were Senator Hegeman; Arnie C. Dienoff; North Central Missouri Regional Water Commission; and Rich Germander, Missouri Department of Natural Resources.

OPPONENTS: There was no opposition voiced to the committee.

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.