



MISSOURI HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
**WITNESS APPEARANCE FORM**

BILL NUMBER: <b>HB 1803</b>		DATE: <b>1/9/2024</b>	
COMMITTEE: <b>Financial Institutions</b>			
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<b>INDIVIDUAL:</b>			
WITNESS NAME: <b>ARNIE C. "HONEST-ABE" DIENOFF-STATE PUBLIC ADVOCATE</b>		PHONE NUMBER:	
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**I am in Support of this Authorization to the Office of State Treasurer.**



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<b>REGISTERED LOBBYIST:</b>			
WITNESS NAME: <b>BEN TRAVLOS</b>		PHONE NUMBER: <b>573-893-1400</b>	
REPRESENTING: <b>MISSOURI FARM BUREAU</b>		TITLE:	
ADDRESS: <b>701 S. COUNTRY CLUB DR.</b>			
CITY: <b>JEFFERSON CITY</b>		STATE: <b>MO</b>	ZIP: <b>65109</b>
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WITNESS NAME: <b>CHARLES ARNOLD</b>		PHONE NUMBER: <b>314-971-1000</b>	
REPRESENTING: <b>MISSOURI INDEPENDENT BANKERS ASSOC.</b>		TITLE: <b>LOBBYIST</b>	
ADDRESS: <b>106 E HIGH STREET</b>			
CITY: <b>JEFFERSON CITY</b>		STATE: <b>MO</b>	ZIP: <b>65101</b>
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WITNESS NAME: <b>DAVID KENT</b>		PHONE NUMBER:
REPRESENTING: <b>MISSOURI BANKERS ASSOCIATION</b>		TITLE:
ADDRESS: <b>207 E. CAPITOL AVENUE</b>		
CITY: <b>JEFFERSON CITY</b>		STATE: <b>MO</b>
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WITNESS NAME: <b>HEATH CLARKSTON</b>		PHONE NUMBER: <b>573-520-7240</b>	
REPRESENTING: <b>FCS FINANCIAL</b>		TITLE:	
ADDRESS: <b>235 E HIGH ST.</b>			
CITY: <b>JEFFERSON CITY</b>		STATE: <b>MO</b>	ZIP: <b>65101</b>
EMAIL: <b>heath@cnmissouri.com</b>	ATTENDANCE: <b>In-Person</b>	SUBMIT DATE: <b>1/8/2024 10:09 AM</b>	
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WITNESS NAME: <b>HEIDI GEISBUHLER SUTHERLAND</b>		PHONE NUMBER:
REPRESENTING: <b>MISSOURI CHAMBER OF COMMERCE &amp; INDUSTRY</b>		TITLE:
ADDRESS: <b>428 E. CAPITOL</b>		
CITY: <b>JEFFERSON CITY</b>		STATE: <b>MO</b>
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WITNESS NAME: <b>MILES ZELLER</b>	PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME: <b>ALTCAP</b>	TITLE: <b>POLICY &amp; ADVOCACY COORDINATOR</b>	
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Community Development Financial Institutions (CDFIs) are mission-driven lending institutions, typically nonprofit, that specialize in lending to small businesses, individuals, and community facilities in historically distressed areas. CDFIs are also underfunded and overworked. The MOBUCK\$ program provides a great opportunity for the State to increase funding for Missouri's CDFIs, of which there are a couple dozen. As it stands, CDFIs are ineligible to receive MOBUCK\$ capital as they are not chartered financial institutions. However, by adding CDFIs as eligible borrowers of capital through the program would greatly increase the amount of critical capital they would be able to deploy into Missouri companies that otherwise struggle to access it through traditional means.



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WITNESS NAME: <b>RAY MCCARTY</b>		PHONE NUMBER: <b>573-634-2246</b>	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME: <b>ASSOCIATED INDUSTRIES OF MISSOURI</b>		TITLE: <b>PRESIDENT/CEO</b>	
ADDRESS: <b>3234 W TRUMAN BLVD</b>			
CITY: <b>JEFFERSON CITY</b>		STATE: <b>MO</b>	ZIP: <b>65109</b>
EMAIL: <b>rmccarty@aimo.com</b>	ATTENDANCE: <b>Written</b>	SUBMIT DATE: <b>1/5/2024 11:13 AM</b>	

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**Associated Industries of Missouri supports increasing funding available for the linked deposit program.**





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WITNESS NAME: <b>SARAH SCHLEMEIER</b>		PHONE NUMBER: <b>573-634-4876</b>
REPRESENTING: <b>NEXT MISSOURI</b>		TITLE:
ADDRESS: <b>213 EAST CAPITOL AVE</b>		
CITY: <b>JEFFERSON CITY</b>		STATE: <b>MO</b>
		ZIP: <b>65101</b>
EMAIL: <b>sgh@molobby.com</b>	ATTENDANCE: <b>In-Person</b>	SUBMIT DATE: <b>1/9/2024 10:41 AM</b>

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**NEXT Missouri is a coalition of entrepreneurs supporting policies that help bring down barriers to starting new and small businesses. This bill helps bring down the number one barrier that we hear about which is lack of capital that can be used for business operations.**



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WITNESS NAME: <b>VIVEK MALEK</b>		PHONE NUMBER:
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME: <b>MISSOURI STATE TREASURER's OFFICE</b>		TITLE: <b>TREASURER</b>
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CITY: <b>JEFFERSON CITY</b>		STATE: <b>MO</b>
		ZIP: <b>65102</b>
EMAIL:	ATTENDANCE:	SUBMIT DATE: <b>1/9/2024 12:00 AM</b>
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WITNESS NAME: <b>KORTNIE HUDDLESTON</b>		PHONE NUMBER:
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:
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CITY:		STATE:      ZIP:
EMAIL: <b>kortniehuddleston@gmail.com</b>	ATTENDANCE: <b>Written</b>	SUBMIT DATE: <b>1/9/2024 10:28 AM</b>
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I urge you to oppose HB 1803, which proposes amendments to the state's deposit limits for linked deposits. The proposed increase in the aggregate deposit limit from \$800 million to \$1.2 billion poses significant risks to the state's fiscal stability, exposing it to heightened market volatility. Additionally, the shift from a fixed dollar amount to a percentage-based approach lacks clarity and introduces unpredictability into the state's investment strategy. The expansion of eligible small businesses without sufficient safeguards for financial stability may lead to an increased risk of defaults and non-performing loans. I urge you to reconsider these amendments to ensure a prudent and well-considered approach to supporting small businesses while safeguarding the state's financial integrity.



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WITNESS NAME: <b>MICHAEL DREYER</b>		PHONE NUMBER:
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:
ADDRESS:		
CITY:		STATE:      ZIP:
EMAIL: <b>mdreyer93@gmail.com</b>	ATTENDANCE: <b>Written</b>	SUBMIT DATE: <b>1/9/2024 10:25 AM</b>
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WITNESS NAME: <b>DAVID B. SAUCIER</b>		PHONE NUMBER: <b>573-751-8530</b>	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME: <b>STATE TREASURER's OFFICE</b>		TITLE: <b>DIRECTOR OF INVESTMENTS</b>	
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