

HB 431 -- THE CONVEYANCE OF CERTAIN STATE PROPERTY

SPONSOR: Caton

COMMITTEE ACTION: Voted "Do Pass" by the Special Committee on Intergovernmental Affairs by a vote of 14 to 0. Voted "Do Pass" by the Standing Committee on Rules-Legislative by a vote of 10 to 0.

This bill authorizes the conveyance of State-owned land in Jackson County to the State Highways and Transportation Commission.

The Office of Administration and the State Highways and Transportation Commission will set the terms and conditions for conveyance as is deemed reasonable.

The Attorney General must approve the form of the instrument of conveyance.

PROPONENTS: Supporters say that this is necessary for the Missouri State Highway Patrol to convey land. It will enable a cost-sharing program for bridge replacement and interchange improvement. The area is heavily congested and is one of the highest crash areas in Lee's Summit. Millions of dollars have been committed to the project.

Testifying in person for the bill were Representative Caton; Arnie Dienoff; City Of Lee's Summit, Missouri.

OPPONENTS: There was no opposition voiced to the committee.

OTHERS: Others testifying on the bill say this will clear up the title for use in the project.

Testifying in person on the bill was Patrick Flesch, Missouri Department of Transportation.

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