

SCS SB 818 -- GERMAN HERITAGE CORRIDOR

SPONSOR: Schatz

COMMITTEE ACTION: Voted "Do Pass by Consent" by the Standing Committee on Transportation by a vote of 12 to 0. Voted "Do Pass by Consent" by the Select Committee on Rules by a vote of 6 to 0.

This bill allows for the placement of markings and informational signs by the Department of Transportation in the counties of Boone, Chariton, Saline, Lafayette, Cooper, Howard, Moniteau, Cole, Callaway, Osage, Gasconade, Montgomery, Warren, Franklin, St. Charles, and St. Louis, and the city of St. Louis designating the "German Heritage Corridor of Missouri." The costs for such designation shall be paid for by private donation.

PROPONENTS: Supporters say that the designation will increase tourism opportunities in Missouri, and enable federal investment through the National Endowment for the Humanities.

Testifying for the bill was Senator Schatz.

OPPONENTS: There was no opposition voiced to the committee.