

HB 2352 -- COUNTY REVENUE ROADS AND BRIDGES

SPONSOR: Fraker

COMMITTEE ACTION: Voted "Do Pass" by the Standing Committee on Local Government by a vote of 10 to 0. Voted "Do Pass" by the Rules- Administrative Oversight Committee by vote of 12 to 0.

Currently, county bond funds and county special road and bridge funds for road, street, and bridge construction, maintenance, improvement, and repair can be used for those purposes in municipalities within the county if the road, street, or bridge is part of a continuous road, street, or bridge leading into or through the municipality. This bill removes the restriction that the road, street, or bridge must be part of a continuous road, street, or bridge leading into or through the municipality.

PROPOSERS: Supporters say that this gives the counties more options and fosters cooperation between counties and cities.

Testifying for the bill were Representative Fraker; Stan Whitehurst, Webster County; Missouri Municipal League; and the Missouri Association of Counties.

OPPOSERS: There was no opposition voiced to the committee.