

HB 283 -- GEOLOGIC RESOURCES FEE

SPONSOR: Anderson

COMMITTEE ACTION: Voted "Do Pass" by the Standing Committee on Conservation and Natural Resources by a vote of 7 to 0. Voted "Do Pass" by the Standing Committee on Rules- Administrative Oversight by a vote of 9 to 0.

This bill extends the geologic resources fee collected by the Department of Natural Resources for a surface mining permit from December 31, 2020 to December 31, 2025.

PROPONENTS: Supporters say that this bill extends the fee used by the Department of Natural Resources' Division of Geologic Survey to collect and publish information relating to the location and quality of minerals in the state.

Testifying for the bill were Representative Anderson and the Missouri Department of Natural Resources.

OPPONENTS: There was no opposition voiced to the committee.