

HB 1464 -- FAMILY MEALS MONTH

SPONSOR: Shaul (113)

COMMITTEE ACTION: Voted "Do Pass" by the Special Committee on Tourism by a vote of 9 to 0.

This bill designates September as family meals month and encourages citizens to enjoy more meals together as a family.

PROPONENTS: Supporters say that food insecurity is a serious problem and eating healthy foods as a family would go a long way to addressing many problems in our society. When families eat together, they are more able to sustain challenges and build larger communities, as well.

Testifying for the bill were Representative Shaul and Operation Food Search.

OPPONENTS: There was no opposition voiced to the committee.