

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 34

Whereas, in March 2019 Missouri experienced flooding at historically high levels; and

Whereas, the extensive flooding destroyed many homes, farms, and businesses, severely impacting the livelihoods of thousands of Missourians, who, in addition to suffering the emotional toll of the disaster, are also suffering a heavy economic burden to repair the devastated lands and infrastructure; and

Whereas, there are eight-congressionally authorized purposes for managing the Missouri River, including flood control and the consideration of fish and wildlife:

Now Therefore Be It Resolved that the members of the Missouri Senate, One Hundredth General Assembly, Second Regular Session, the House of Representatives concurring therein, strongly urge the Congress of the United States to pass H.R. 2174, 116th Cong. (2019), which removes fish and wildlife as an authorized purpose of the Missouri River Mainstem Reservoir System and to make flood control the highest priority of authorized purposes of such system, and for other purposes; and

Be It Further Resolved that the Secretary of the Senate be instructed to prepare properly inscribed copies of this resolution for the Speaker of the United States House of Representatives, the President of the United States Senate, and each member of the Missouri congressional delegation.

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