

VOTE "YES" ON HB 876, HB 184, & HB 516

The St. Louis/St. Charles region played a pivotal role in World War II and the subsequent Cold War by purifying the uranium needed to develop the world's first atomic weapons. This process resulted in the creation of millions of tons of deadly radioactive waste, which is now scattered throughout the community, contaminating waterways and the soils of residential yards, schools, parks, and private businesses. Residents living near these sites are suffering from rare cancers, autoimmune diseases, and birth defects. Now is the time to put a stop to these environmental injustices.

HB 876 (Sponsor: Rep. Applebaum): Requires the disclosure of radioactive exposure from hazardous contamination for current tenants and government notice requirements to current residents. **Tenants deserve to be informed of radioactive contamination to protect their health and safety .**

HB 184 (Sponsor: Rep. Clemens): Requires a notice of intent to excavate to DNR to check whether the excavation is in a site contaminated with hazardous waste. **The DNR needs to be aware of excavation sites and remediation efforts taking place to prevent disturbance of contaminated soil and water.**

HB 516 (Sponsor: Rep. Matthiesen): Modifies criteria of hazardous waste investigations and increases the hazardous waste fund appropriations. **Due to widespread contamination, the DNR needs the ability to test properties beyond the scope of the federally recognized sites.**



**Protect Missourians' Health & Environment from Radioactive
Nuclear Weapons Waste.**

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