

2-12-21

House Natural Resources, Agriculture, and Environment Committee

Bill: HB 236, Waste Tire Amendments

Sponsor: Rep. Handy

Floor Sponsor:

UASD Position: Support

This Bill: modifies provisions related to waste tire recycling.

Discussion: The sponsor said the expense to move tires from landfills to tire recycling facilities is a burden to local government and the landfills should be reimbursed. The sponsor spoke to a proposed amendment that makes it possible for a landfill operated by a local governmental entity to apply for reimbursement. The amendment places an aggregate reimbursement of \$80,000 per fiscal year for first and second class county landfills. Rep. Albrecht asked about 3rd and 4th class county landfills. The sponsor said the amendment only places a cap on the first and second class county landfills. The committee adopted amendment one.

Yeas: 12

Nays: 0

N/V: 2

Outcome: Passed out of committee, as amended, with a favorable recommendation.