

**HB 1531 - DIGEST**

(SUBSTITUTED FOR - SEE 1ST SUB)

Requires the department of natural resources to: (1) Share information regarding the carbon sequestration benefits of the forest riparian easement program with other state programs attempting to quantify carbon storage or account for carbon emissions; and

(2) Promote the expansion of funding for the forest riparian easement program as one part of the state's overall climate strategy.