***The Missouri Senate Minute* Script  
Vulnerable Persons**

[Senate Bill 24](https://www.senate.mo.gov/23info/bts_web/Bill.aspx?SessionType=R&BillID=44697) relates to vulnerable persons.

Senator Lincoln Hough of Springfield is the sponsor.

Early on, he says, he knew there would be additions…

**Hough :08 Q: last year with.**

Missouri senators saw the first changes to the proposal on Feb. 14.

During Missouri Senate discussion on May 5, Sen. Doug Beck of St. Louis says he likes the legislation…

**Beck :07 Q: I can tell.**

In addition to emergency services, Senate Bill 24 also includes language pertaining to the adoption tax credit; early childhood education services; opioid overdoses; emergency telephone service charges; and peer support counseling programs.

Senate Bill 24 will become law on Aug. 28.

Reporting from the State Capitol, I’m Dean Morgan.