***This Week in the Missouri Senate* Script
Pending Business**

This week in the Missouri Senate, we review some of the items that could become a part of *next* year’s regular legislative session…

**Nat Snd 1 :05 Q: at the end.**

It is common for those issues that were not handled during the course of one year to take a new spot with lawmakers the following year.

Among these items this year was foreign ownership of Missouri land.

Senator Rusty Black of Chillicothe sponsored [Senate Bill 806](https://www.senate.mo.gov/24info/bts_web/Bill.aspx?SessionType=R&BillID=1555), one of many measures that related to this topic…

 **Black :33 Q: it hasn’t happened.**

In addition…

 **Nat Snd 2 :03 Q: in the calendar.**

Some lawmakers remain concerned with education’s direction in our state.

Missouri Senate Minority Floor Leader Doug Beck of Affton says he has issues with [Senate Bill 727](https://www.senate.mo.gov/24info/bts_web/Bill.aspx?SessionType=R&BillID=244), which became law earlier this year…

 **Beck :27 Q: a computer screen.**

Also…

 **Nat Snd 3 :08 Q: *Wade* being overturned.**

Women’s health issues remain at the forefront for many lawmakers.

Senator Tracy McCreery of St. Louis County says her [Senate Bill 1486](https://www.senate.mo.gov/24info/bts_web/Bill.aspx?SessionType=R&BillID=5984743) would have modified the definition of an unborn child to exclude embryos created through in vitro fertilization prior to implantation…

 **McCreery :26 Q: the entire state.**

Missouri senators continue to pre-file legislation for the next regular legislative session. Pre-filed bills will start to receive their official numbers on Dec. 2.

And remember, you can follow these and other issues facing the Missouri Senate by visiting our website: [senate.mo.gov](http://www.senate.mo.gov).

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