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Bill Analysis
Legislative Service Commission

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Reps. Buchy, Netzley

BILL SUMMARY

- Designates the Miamian Soil Series as the official soil of Ohio.

CONTENT AND OPERATION

Designation of the state soil

(sec. 5.072)

The bill designates the Miamian Soil Series as the official soil of Ohio. The bill describes the Miamian Soil Series as consisting of deep, well-drained soils on upland glacial till plains, encompassing about 750,000 acres in Ohio. The bill specifies that many of the acres on which the Miamian Soil Series is located are considered to be prime farmland, being very productive and having high potential for most uses. The bill also states that the Miamian Soil Series is named after native Americans in the region and represents the diverse heritage of the state's soil resources.

HISTORY

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