

SUBCOMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION

**Department of Geology and Mineral Industries
National Tsunami Hazard Mitigation Program**

On May 15th, the Natural Resources Subcommittee recommended approval of the submission of a federal grant application from the Department of Geology and Mineral Industries to the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration in the amount of \$459,778 for the National Tsunami Hazard Mitigation Program.

The grant does not require a state match and the Department has successfully applied for this grant since 2002. Grant awards are anticipated to be announced in August. Grant expenditures can be accommodated using federal funds expenditure limitation assumed in the Department's base budget.

The Natural Resources Subcommittee recommends approval.