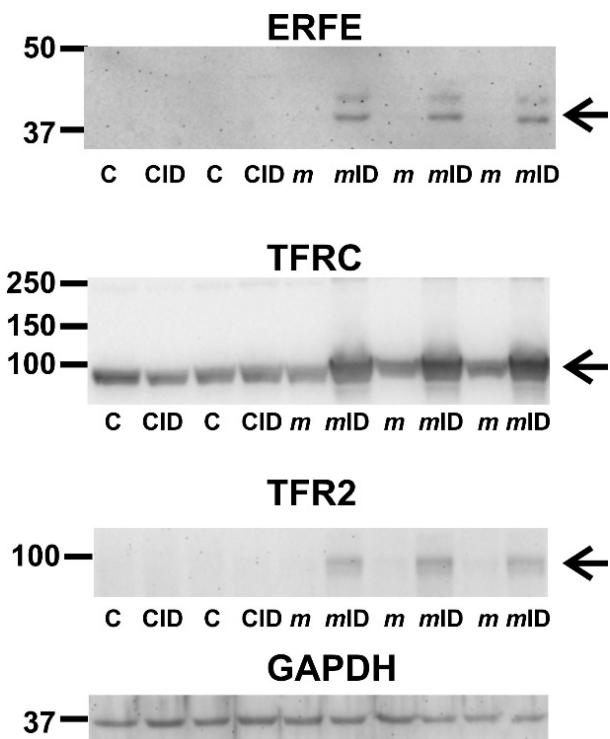
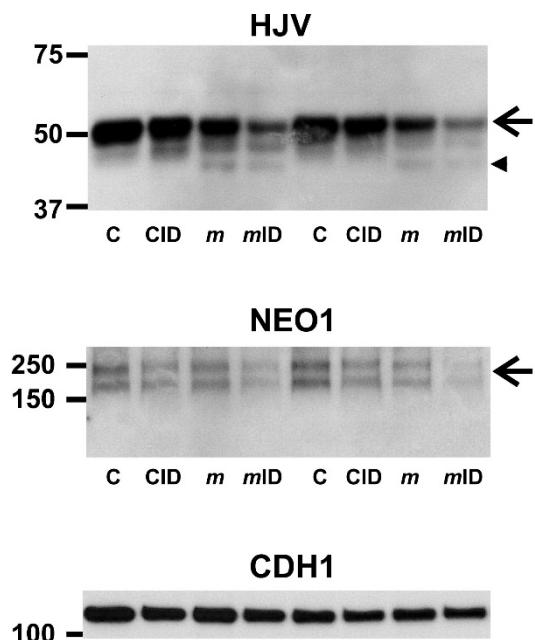


## Supplementary data



**Figure S1.** ERFE, TFRC and TFR2 protein content in spleen membranes from male C57BL/6 mice (C), C57BL/6 mice placed on an iron-deficient diet (CID), *mask* mice (*m*) and *mask* mice placed on an iron-deficient diet (*mID*). Arrows denote the relevant bands. TFRC and TFR2 are detected as single bands; ERFE is detected as a double band. GAPDH is used as loading control.



**Figure S2.** Expression of HJV and NEO1 proteins in male C57BL/6 mice on control diet (C), C57BL/6 mice on iron-deficient diet (CID), *mask* mice (*m*) and *mask* mice on iron-deficient diet (*mID*). Proteins were determined in the 3000 g plasma membrane-enriched fraction. Arrows indicate the full length HJV protein band and the double neogenin protein band, arrowhead indicates the cleaved HJV band seen in *mask* mice.

**Table S1. List of primers used for PCR analysis**

<i>Hamp</i> :	F: CTGAGCAGCACCACTATCTC	R: TGGCTCTAGGCTATGTTTGC
<i>Id1</i> :	F: CGAGGTGGTACTTGGTCTGTC	R: CTGCAGGTCCCTGATGTAGTC
<i>Actb</i> :	F: GCTACAGCTTCACCACCACA	R: GGTCTTTACGGATGTCAACG
<i>Fam132b</i> :	F: ATGCTGTTCGTCAAGCAGAGT	R: CCTTCAGCAGAACCTCAGATG
<i>Tfrc</i> :	F: AAACTGGCTGCAGATGAAGAA	R: ATAGCCCAGGTAGCCACTCAT
<i>Tfr2</i> :	F: CCCTATCTGGCCTGATCACC	R: CAAGGAACCGGAGAACATGG
<i>Smad7</i> :	F: GCAGGCTGTCCAGATGCTGT	R: GATCCCCAGGCTCCAGAAGA
<i>Furin</i> :	F: GTGCATTGTTGAAATCCTGGT	R: TCCCATAAGTTGTTGGCTTCAC