

 KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Commonwealth Bill	Red CW 34						
	Referred to Committee: Senate 4						
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School: Rowan Co. MS							
City: Morehead							

1 An act to require an ATV safety course at the age of 8 [A follow-up course to mandated every 2 years
2 until the age of 16].
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4 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**
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6 Section 1: According to the Insurance Institute for Highway Safety, the state of Kentucky led the nation
7 in ATV deaths for 2007-2011. Our will assist in reducing the occurrences of ATV fatalities in the state
8 of Kentucky.
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10 Section 2: We propose a bill that will require children at the age of 8 and up to take an ATV safety
11 course. After the age of 8 minors will be required to enroll in a follow-up course every 2 years, until
12 the age of 16, at which time they will be provided an ATV license. The ATV license must be renewed
13 after 5 years. In order to drive or purchase an ATV you must have a license.
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15 Section 3: The Kentucky Department of Fish and Wildlife will administer the course. This department is
16 currently in charge of the issuing Kentucky Boater Education Certificates. The ATV course will be
17 administered via online. Individuals must pass the course to be granted a Safety Certificate.
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19 Section 4: If you are found riding an ATV without a license, or a Safety Certificate, you will be fined
20 \$500 for the 1st offense. The 2nd offense you will be fined \$1,000 and your license/certificate will be
21 suspended for up to 6 months. If a 3rd offense occurs, you will lose your license/certificate for 2 years,
22 and a fine of \$1,000 must be paid in order to get your license/certificate re-instated. The fines will be
23 used to provide funding for the implementation of the bill.
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25 Section 5: This bill go to into effect on January 1, 2017.