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|  <p>KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Bluegrass Bill</p> | Blue BG 1 | | | | | | |
| | Referred to Committee: House 1 | | | | | | |
| | Action on the Bill | | | | | | |
| Sponsors: Corey Core, Emilee Sizemore, Cansis Asher, Aubrey Woolum | <table style="width: 100%; border: none;"> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">House</td> <td style="text-align: center;">Senate</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> <td style="text-align: center;">___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> <td style="text-align: center;">___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> </tr> </table> | House | Senate | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated |
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| School: Barbourville City School | | | | | | | |
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An Act relating to Veteran Disability Benefits

Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky

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Section 1: Our bill mandates that disability claims of Kentucky Veterans be expedited and given preference, allowing veterans with physical and mental disabilities to receive life-sustaining income in a timely manner.

Section 2: This bill would expand the availability and timeliness of government funded benefits that Veterans currently to include disability benefits. Currently, Veterans currently receive priority in receiving housing assistance, health insurance benefits, and SNAP benefits.

Section 3: This bill will use the same priority grouping system already being used by other government agencies providing benefits. This grouping has already been established by Veterans Affairs and is based on various factors such as severity of disability, service-related disability, former prisoner of war, recipient of Medal of Honor or Purple Heart, etc.

Section 4: There will be no changes made to the procedures or requirements to receive disability benefits, just the timeliness and priority status. Veterans will still apply for disability benefits in the same manner they have previously. The requirements for eligibility of benefits will remain the same as they have previously, determined at the state and federal level.

Section 5: This bill will require no additional funding.

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|  | Blue BG 2 | | | | | | |
| | Referred to Committee: Senate 2 | | | | | | |
| Sponsors: Miya Courtney, Sadie Blincoe, John Floyd | Action on the Bill | | | | | | |
| School: Bardstown MS | | | | | | | |
| City: Bardstown | | | | | | | |
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1 An Act Relating To Implement Animal Cruelty Laws

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3 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**

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5 Section 1: In the state of Kentucky, we are ranked # 50, the worst for animal cruelty in the United
6 States of Animal Protection Laws. The state held this status ten years in a row, due to the lack of
7 felony penalties in animal cruelty.

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9 Section 2: As of today, citizens convicted of animal abuse in Kentucky do not face felony charges
10 for abuse or abandonment, partially because there are no clear definitions of “proper care” for
11 animals. There are no long-term ramifications for abusers; no fines, the right to own other animals
12 and even the right to still own abused animal.

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14 Section 3: Enacting this bill would mandate clear definitions of abuse, abandonment, neglect and
15 would implement fines up to \$500 for abused animals. Other fines would be applied for neglect
16 and abandonment. Abusers could also face felony charges and jail time up to three years for the
17 mistreatment of animals.

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19 Section 4: An additional component to this bill would eliminate state universities from lab testing
20 animals. The University of Kentucky does tests on their animals in their biology lab. They use them
21 to test different medicines and perform different experiments on them for research.

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23 Section 5: Local Sheriff’s departments will enforce these laws. Assignment of roles will depend on
24 the population of the county.

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26 Section 6: There is no specific funding for this bill. Fines accumulated by abusers will be
27 distributed to local Sheriff’s departments for training an assigned officer(s) the task of investing
28 these crimes.

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30 Section 7: This bill would take effect on January 1, 2021.

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|  KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Bluegrass Bill | Blue BG 3 | | | | | | |
| | Referred to Committee: House 2 | | | | | | |
| Sponsors: Jaylin Stewart, Leah Jacobs, Kylie Crooks, Lexi Boyd | Action on the Bill <table><tr><td>House</td><td>Senate</td></tr><tr><td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td><td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td></tr><tr><td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td><td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td></tr></table> | House | Senate | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated |
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| School: Boyd Co. MS | | | | | | | |
| City: Ashland | | | | | | | |


1 An Act Relating To An act to reduce drug addiction in Kentucky
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3 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**
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5 Section 1: Addiction, the fact or condition of being addicted to a particular substance, thing, or
6 activity. The National Institute of Drug Abuse (NIDA) reported that in 2010 that a total of 25,428
7 people enrolled for alcohol and drug rehab services in Kentucky, there are more people that
8 struggle from addiction, but do not get help. There is currently no law in place in the
9 Commonwealth of Kentucky requiring a drug addiction class.
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11 Section 2: Our bill would require that all schools should necessitate a drug addiction related class
12 for 6th through 12th grade students for 4 weeks a school year.
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14 Section 3: The cost of this bill is varying because it depends on the cost of the program you
15 choose but teachers and students will not have to pay for anything.
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17 Section 4: This will go into effect in the 2020-2021 school year after being passed.

|  KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Bluegrass Bill | Blue BG 4 | | | | | | |
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| | Referred to Committee: Senate 1 | | | | | | |
| Sponsors: Lucy Short, Albany Ray, Morgan Capps, Ashlyn Stone | Action on the Bill <table> <tr> <th>House</th> <th>Senate</th> </tr> <tr> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> </tr> <tr> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> </tr> </table> | House | Senate | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated |
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| School: Browning Springs MS | | | | | | | |
| City: Madisonville | | | | | | | |

1 An Act Relating To banning all advertisements for e-cigarettes.
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3 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**
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5 Section 1: This act will ban any advertising for electronic cigarettes in the state of Kentucky. This
6 includes TV ads, radio ads, and printed advertisement. Currently, over 3.6 million kids are
7 currently using e-cigarettes.
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9 Section 2: The state of Kentucky and the Federal Trade Commission will enforce this bill.
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11 Section 3: There is no cost for this bill.
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13 Section 4: This bill will go into effect on January 1, 2020.

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|  KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Bluegrass Bill | Blue BG 5 | | | | | | |
| | Referred to Committee: House 3 | | | | | | |
| Sponsors: Maggy Weldon, Shelby Chandler, Reece Jones, Hannah Garrott | Action on the Bill <table style="width: 100%; border: none;"> <tr> <td style="width: 50%; text-align: center;">House</td> <td style="width: 50%; text-align: center;">Senate</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> <td style="text-align: center;">___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> <td style="text-align: center;">___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> </tr> </table> | House | Senate | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated |
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| School: Browning Springs MS | | | | | | | |
| City: Madisonville | | | | | | | |

1 An Act Relating To requiring all Kentucky students to carry an identification badge at all times.
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3 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**
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5 Section 1: This act will require all students to carry an identification badge that has a built-in
6 chip. Students will use the badge to enter and exit the school building. It will include a bar code
7 that can be used to scan at lunch, in the library to check out books, and attendance.
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9 Section 2: Kentucky school districts will enforce this bill per district.
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11 Section 3: The cost of the bill will vary depending on the size of the school district. The cost will
12 include a badge for each student and electronic badge reader installation.
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14 Section 4: This bill will go into effect on January 1, 2020. Each school district will have two years
15 to implement the bill. Implementation date will be August 1, 2023.

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|  KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Bluegrass Bill | Red BG 6 | | | | | | |
| | Referred to Committee: House 3 | | | | | | |
| Sponsors: Barron Bradshaw, Bryar Bentley | Action on the Bill | | | | | | |
| School: Burgin Independent School | | | | | | | |
| City: Burgin | | | | | | | |
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1 An Act proposing an amendment to KRS 321.185 Section 3(a) and 3(b) relating to veterinary reporting of
2 suspected animal abuse.

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4 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**

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6 Section 1: Currently Kentucky is the only state that prohibits veterinarians from disclosing
7 suspected animal abuse to the authorities. This, along with several other factors, is the reason
8 that Kentucky has the worst animal cruelty laws in the United States.

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10 Section 2: KRS 321.185 Section 3(a) currently reads "A veterinarian cannot violate the
11 confidential relationship between the veterinarian and the veterinarian's client."


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13 Section 3: KRS 321.185 Section 3(b) currently reads "A veterinarian shall not release information
14 concerning a client or care of a client's animal, except on the veterinarian's receipt of 1.) A written
15 authorization or other form of waiver executed by the client; or 2.) An appropriate court order or
16 subpoena."

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18 Section 4: We are proposing that KRS 321.185 Section 3(a) be amended to read "A veterinarian
19 shall not violate the confidential relationship between the veterinarian and the veterinarian's
20 client, unless there is evidence of animal abuse."

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22 Section 5: We are proposing that KRS 321.185 Section 3(b) be amended to read "A veterinarian
23 shall not release information concerning a client or care of a client's animal, except on the
24 veterinarian's receipt of 1.) A written authorization or other form of waiver executed by the client;
25 or 2.) An appropriate court order or subpoena; or 3.) In cases where evidence of animal abuse is
26 noted and shall be reported to authorities."

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28 Section 6: There will be no cost to enact this bill.

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30 Section 7: The bill will go into effect on January 1, 2021.

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|  <p>KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Bluegrass Bill</p> | Blue BG 7 | | | | | | |
| | Referred to Committee: Senate 2 | | | | | | |
| Sponsors: Brendon Shuck, Max Clayton, Cooper Griffey, Meg Hendrix | Action on the Bill <table style="width: 100%;"> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">House</td> <td style="text-align: center;">Senate</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> <td style="text-align: center;">___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> <td style="text-align: center;">___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> </tr> </table> | House | Senate | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated |
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| School: CornerStone Preparatory | | | | | | | |
| City: Madisonville | | | | | | | |

An Act To Ban Zero Tolerance Policies in Kentucky Schools

Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky


Section 1: A zero tolerance policy requires school officials to hand down specific, consistent, and harsh punishment—usually suspension or expulsion—when students break certain rules. The punishment applies regardless of the circumstances, the reasons for the behavior (like self-defense), or the student’s history of discipline problems.

Section 2: Zero tolerance policies were intended to make schools safer places to learn. But researchers have not found any conclusive evidence that these policies have been effective at doing that. Meanwhile, suspension rates skyrocketed. According to statistics from the U.S. Department of Education, one out of five middle- and high-school students will be suspended in any year. A multi-year study in Texas showed that over half of that state’s students were suspended or expelled at least once during middle and high school. Very few of these serious disciplinary responses involved weapons, and most were for the kinds of behavior that used to result in a visit to the principal’s office and a stern warning. Research has consistently shown that suspending students—rather than helping them get back on track—makes them more likely to drop out of school and get enmeshed in the juvenile justice system. And to make matters worse, harsh school disciplinary policies aren’t applied evenly or fairly. Data collected by the federal government shows that African American students were almost four times as likely to be suspended as white students, and those with disabilities were more than two times as likely as those without disabilities to receive this punishment.

Section 3: Many school districts around the country have instituted more flexible practices like “restorative justice,” which focus on repairing harm, restoring relationships, and helping students become accountable for their actions.

Section 4: This bill will ban zero tolerance policies in Kentucky schools and will be enforced by the Kentucky Department of Education.

Section 5: This bill will go into effect July 1, 2020.

|  <p>KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Bluegrass Bill</p> | <p>Red BG 8</p> <p>Referred to Committee: Senate 3</p> | | | | | | |
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| <p>Sponsors: Andrew Champion, Bella Humble, Caleb Williams, Knox Volkert</p> | <p>Action on the Bill</p> <table data-bbox="1112 436 1533 575"> <tr> <th data-bbox="1166 443 1252 474">House</th> <th data-bbox="1382 443 1474 474">Senate</th> </tr> <tr> <td data-bbox="1112 495 1279 527">___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> <td data-bbox="1333 495 1500 527">___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> </tr> <tr> <td data-bbox="1112 533 1297 564">___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> <td data-bbox="1333 533 1524 564">___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> </tr> </table> | House | Senate | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated |
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| <p>School: Drakes Creek MS</p> | | | | | | | |
| <p>City: Bowling Green</p> | | | | | | | |

1 An Act Relating To Metal Detecting Devices in all Public Schools

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3 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**

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5 Section 1: This Bill will require that all Public Schools have at least two metal detecting devices
6 per school. If the population is over 400 hundred students they will be required to have an
7 additional wand for every 200 students.

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9 Section 2: Metal detecting device can be considered a wand, magnetometers, or a walk through
10 device. Students will be required to be scanned every day they enter the school building, and if
11 they leave or check-out they are required to be scanned before they are permitted to enter the
12 building.

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14 Section 3: Funding will be required. The cost of the cheapest device is \$143.90 per wand. The
15 companies that we called said they would give at least a 20% discount for buying in bulk. These
16 funds will come from the student general fund.


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|  <p>KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Bluegrass Bill</p> | Blue BG 9 | | | | | | |
| | Referred to Committee: House 3 | | | | | | |
| Sponsors: Adrian Grady, Josiah Howell, Jalen Dykes, Josiah Burton | Action on the Bill <table style="width:100%"> <tr> <td style="width:50%">House</td> <td style="width:50%">Senate</td> </tr> <tr> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> </tr> <tr> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> </tr> </table> | House | Senate | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated |
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| School: DuBois Academy | | | | | | | |
| City: Louisville | | | | | | | |

1 An Act Relating To Reducing the Opioid Crisis
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3 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**
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5 Section 1: A NEW SECTION OF KRS CHAPTER 158 IS CREATED TO READ AS FOLLOWS: (1)
6 Increased rehabilitation services for Opioid addicts. KRS 217.182 (2) Increased jail time for
7 anyone selling over a felony amount with mandatory treatment if convicted. KRS 15.525
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9 Section 2: Any statute contrary to this Act shall be amended or repealed.

|  <p>KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Bluegrass Bill</p> | Red BG 10 | | | | | | |
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| | Referred to Committee: Senate 1 | | | | | | |
| Sponsors: Koah Ghrist, Emily Oberholtzer, Kenzie Wagner, Blaine Kimery | <p>Action on the Bill</p> <table> <tr> <th>House</th> <th>Senate</th> </tr> <tr> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> </tr> <tr> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> </tr> </table> | House | Senate | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated |
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| School: East Oldham MS | | | | | | | |
| City: Crestwood | | | | | | | |

1 An Act Relating To Establish Zero Tolerance for Distracted Driving in School Zones
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3 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**
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5 Section 1: This bill will prevent all people from using any distracting object while they are piloting
6 a vehicle or walking in school zones.
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8 Section 2: This will apply for all handheld electronic devices along with food that will distract the
9 driver. This will apply to both minor students and adult drivers
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11 Section 3: School officer will be stationed in these areas to enforce this bill. First offense will
12 result in a warning with subsequent offense resulting in a 100\$ fine
13
14 Section 4: This bill will come into effect next school year, 2020-2021. So students and driver can
15 get used to this change.

|  KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Bluegrass Bill | Red BG 11 | | | | | | |
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| | Referred to Committee: House 1 | | | | | | |
| Sponsors: Chloe Hardesty, Reece Moberly | Action on the Bill <table> <tr> <th>House</th> <th>Senate</th> </tr> <tr> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> </tr> <tr> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> </tr> </table> | House | Senate | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated |
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| School: East Oldham MS | | | | | | | |
| City: Crestwood | | | | | | | |

1 An Act Relating To Remove Dog Breed Restrictions across the Commonwealth

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Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky

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5 Section 1: This bill will remove all restrictions on specific dog breeds across the Commonwealth of
6 Kentucky, making no breed "illegal" to own

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8 Section 2: Local, county, and state laws relating to individual dog ownership and behavior will
9 remain in affect and are not addressed by this bill

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11 Section 3: This bill will go into effect January 1st, 2020

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|  | Red BG 12 |
| | Referred to Committee: House 1 |
| Sponsors: Araya Moore, Addie Hodges, Bode Mangan | Action on the Bill House: <input type="checkbox"/> Passed <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated Senate: <input type="checkbox"/> Passed <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated |
| School: Grayson Co. MS | |
| City: Leitchfield | |

1 An Act for Businesses to Employ CNAs

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3 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**

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5 Section 1: Every year on average 5,000 people get hurt on the job. Most businesses do not have
6 any employees with a CNA (certified nurse’s assistant) license. Without a CNA or other medical
7 professional on staff, no one will be able to legally assist with a medical situation. If there is a
8 certified employee on every job site, it can double and even triple a victim’s chance to survive. Our
9 bill will improve the chance that at any job, people’s lives will be secured by requiring all
10 businesses which employ 20 or more employees to have at least one CNA on staff at all times.

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12 Section 2: This bill will require all businesses of 20 or more employees to make sure that
13 certification of the CNA is renewed every two years as required by Kentucky laws governing CNA
14 licensure. The Kentucky Board of Nursing will enforce this law.

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16 Section 3: This certification will be provided by medical teachers throughout Kentucky. Most high
17 schools and colleges already provide this training for CNAs; therefore, any additional costs would
18 be minimal. Any associated costs will be covered and paid for by each business.

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20 Section 4: If a business is not in compliance within two months, the nursing district shall report
21 the business to the Office of the Kentucky Board of Nursing (KBN). The KBN will review the case
22 and make a recommendation, which could lead to the loss of business permits of that business.

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24 Section 5: All laws or parts of laws in conflict with this bill are hereby considered null and void.

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26 Section 6: This bill will go into effect on September 1, 2020.

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|  KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Bluegrass Bill | Red BG 13 | | | | | | |
| | Referred to Committee: Senate 2 | | | | | | |
| Sponsors: Lexi Lyon, Kylynn Tudor, Macy Henderson, Lucas Brockwell | Action on the Bill <table style="width: 100%; border: none;"> <tr> <td style="width: 50%; text-align: center;">House</td> <td style="width: 50%; text-align: center;">Senate</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> <td style="text-align: center;">___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> <td style="text-align: center;">___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> </tr> </table> | House | Senate | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated |
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| School: Heritage Christian Academy | | | | | | | |
| City: Hopkinsville | | | | | | | |

An Act Relating To driver's license retesting.

Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky


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Section 1: Mandatory testing for all licensed drivers age 65+ every four years when their license expires. Retesting will include a medical physical, vision screening, and a road test.


Section 2: A grace period of two weeks will be granted after the expiration date on the license.

Section 3: Retesting can be expedited should a medial issue arise that could impede the safe operation of a motor vehicle.

Section 4: Drivers must report any major changes to their health to the DMV i.e., stroke, cardiac events, new onset of vision loss or impairment.

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|  KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Bluegrass Bill | Blue BG 14 | | | | | | |
| | Referred to Committee: Senate 3 | | | | | | |
| Sponsors: Ethan Holtsclaw, Ryan McAfee, Stella Keeton | Action on the Bill | | | | | | |
| School: Highland MS | | | | | | | |
| City: Louisville | | | | | | | |
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1 An Act Relating To Domestic Abuse to Animals Throughout Kentucky
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3 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**
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5 Section 1: According to the Kentucky humane society, cats, dogs, horses, and most commonly,
6 livestock. This greatly concerns our attention because we feel that all animals and humans deserve
7 a comfortable life, without abuse, sexual offense, overcrowding, or cockfighting and dogfighting.
8 We believe we should create a new law that not only lightly covers some forms of cruelty, but fully
9 covers all forms of domestic abuse to animals.
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11 Section 2: All forms of abuse will now be used on a special penal system which better enforces the
12 legal process in a specialized process: Start in panel of judges based on a certain crime, so the
13 judges Aren't inexperienced or people who work in a different field Then, if the judges find
14 innocent, an optional second trial starts with a vote from the judges to eradicate the false
15 innocents Court decides whether to keep animal in custody of the owner Verdict if guilty is losing
16 animal, 5,000 dollar fine and 5 or more years in prison
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18 Section 3: This bill covers all animals not just the few that currently are regulated by the current
19 laws. Livestock will be covered as well as other animals that have been purposely harmed.
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21 Section 4: We estimate that this would take a little more than 20,000 to have an investment hire
22 justices and salary. This is quite pricey, but with the income it should pay itself over several times.
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24 Section 5: We believe that all animals deserve a home without abuse. Animals are our friends and
25 it pains us to think that animals have to live in a home without care and live with a caring owner.

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|  KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Bluegrass Bill | Blue BG 15 | | | | | | |
| | Referred to Committee: House 1 | | | | | | |
| Sponsors: Griffin Brunstetter, Will Hammer, Alex Jarboe, Kyndall Wintergerst-Weston | Action on the Bill <table> <tr> <td>House</td> <td>Senate</td> </tr> <tr> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> </tr> <tr> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> </tr> </table> | House | Senate | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated |
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| School: Holy Trinity Parish School | | | | | | | |
| City: Louisville | | | | | | | |

1 An Act Relating To The Legalization of Sports Gambling on Professional Sports Teams

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3 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**

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5 Section 1: With a valid ID showing one’s age as 18 or older and cash or a debit account
6 (depending on the gambling entity), an individual can gamble/place bets on professional sporting
7 events through state-licensed agencies. These agencies could be online or in retail establishments.

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9 Section 2: Entities will apply for a license to be state-licensed agencies through the Public
10 Protection Cabinet and pay an annual registration fee. Each year, a renewal fee will be required
11 for each entity.

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13 Section 3: From the application and renewal fees, the state will first cover operating expenses.
14 Then, 5% will be used to support the establishment of the Kentucky Gambling Assistance Fund,
15 which will be overseen by the Division of Behavioral Health. This fund will be used to support
16 those who may have gambling addictions and related issues. The remaining amount collected will
17 support the Permanent Pension Fund of Kentucky until fully funded.

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19 Section 4: Any statute contrary to this Act shall be amended or repealed.

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21 Section 5: This bill will take effect 90 days after the adjournment of the legislature this year.

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|  KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Bluegrass Bill | Red BG 16 | | | | | | |
| | Referred to Committee: House 4 | | | | | | |
| Sponsors: Aubrey Colon, Rylynn Blue, Sophia Wilson | Action on the Bill | | | | | | |
| School: Hopkinsville MS | | | | | | | |
| City: Hopkinsville | | | | | | | |
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1 An Act Relating To require all Kentucky 6th-8th graders to have brain breaks.

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3 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**

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5 Section 1: Our bill would allow for a “brain break” in all middle school grades. This “brain break” for
6 Kentucky 6th-8th graders would last 15 minutes. This break would benefit students by giving
7 them a while to just relax their brain and socialize


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9 Section 2: 95% of 6th through 8th grade teachers interviewed between Millbrooke Elementary and
10 Hopkinsville Middle School believe that this privilege should be enacted in all Kentucky Middle
11 Schools. Of the teachers interviewed, a significant amount of them said that during their
12 childhood they had a break of some sort and some did not even know the breaks had ever
13 stopped.

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15 Section 3: Middle schoolers do not socialize enough these days. They can text, call, and facetime,
16 but that kind of socialization is on a device or electronics. They need socialization time to be
17 present and not be on their phone. We believe that middle schoolers should have a period of time
18 to socialize without their phones.

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20 Section 4: If a middle school student were to have behavioral issues they could get this privilege
21 taken away daily which would serve as an adequate consequence for many minor behaviors. Also,
22 if a student were to have their electronic device in usage during this 15 minutes they could lose
23 their privilege all together. Studies show that if students have more than just one break during the
24 day, their behavior will improve because the students will pay attention more, be more fully
25 awake, and they will not be as jittery or distracted in class.

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27 Section 5: This 15 minute break will include socialization or talking with grade level peers in an
28 outdoor or indoor setting. These could include; outdoor hangout with a monitor, playing
29 games, club meetings, and finally hallway hangout. These activities would be a time to socialize
30 without electronics or interfering with school work.

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32 Section 6: This bill will go into effect by August 11th, 2020

|  <p>KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Bluegrass Bill</p> | Red BG 17 | | | | | | |
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| | Referred to Committee: Senate 3 | | | | | | |
| Sponsors: Sidney Mink, Cate Yeast, Addison Fleshman | <p>Action on the Bill</p> <table> <tr> <th>House</th> <th>Senate</th> </tr> <tr> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> </tr> <tr> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> </tr> </table> | House | Senate | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated |
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| City: Somerset | | | | | | | |

1 An Act To Reduce The Number Of Non-Violent Offenders Incarcerated Every Year


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3 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**

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5 Section 1: In many states across the US, many prison populations are declining but not in
6 Kentucky. In 2018, the number of state inmates rose to 24,136. For the past 3 years, Kentucky
7 has had the highest prison population in our state's history. Nearly half of that population are
8 housed in local jails, many of which a badly overcrowded.

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10 Section 2: An offender shall not be jailed for a non-violent offense after being indicted for that
11 offense. The offender shall receive a summons for his/her court date. Once the court has reached
12 a judgement for that offender then their punishment shall be decided.

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14 Section 3: Punishment shall be decided by the court system.

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16 Section 4: This law shall go into effect January 2020

|  KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Bluegrass Bill | Blue BG 18 | | | | | | |
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| | Referred to Committee: House 2 | | | | | | |
| Sponsors: Shashank Kamal, Vallabh Ramesh, Vaughn Ramirez | Action on the Bill <table> <tr> <th>House</th> <th>Senate</th> </tr> <tr> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> </tr> <tr> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> </tr> </table> | House | Senate | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated |
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| School: Meyzeek MS | | | | | | | |
| City: Louisville | | | | | | | |

1 An Act Relating To the distribution and collection of sales tax.


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3 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**

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5 Section 1: A NEW SECTION OF KRS CHAPTER 139 IS CREATED TO READ AS FOLLOWS: (1) Sales
6 tax shall rise from six percent to seven percent across Kentucky. (2) This additional revenue
7 should be used to increase the distribution of money in various categories such as education and
8 other aspects in the Kentucky budget.

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10 Section 2: Any statute contrary to this Act shall be amended or repealed.

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12 Section 3: If this money is used for any other purpose then it is a Class D felony - 1 to 4 years of
13 imprisonment.; fine of \$1,000 to \$10,000. If more money is given to a certain category in bias,
14 this is classified as a Class B misdemeanor, facing up to 90 days imprisonment with fines up to
15 \$250.

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17 Section 4: This Act takes effect on January 31, 2021.

|  <p>KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Bluegrass Bill</p> | Blue BG 19 | | | | | | |
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| | Referred to Committee: Senate 4 | | | | | | |
| Sponsors: Pal Patel, Noa Weiss | <p>Action on the Bill</p> <table> <thead> <tr> <th>House</th> <th>Senate</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> | House | Senate | <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated | <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated |
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| School: Meyzeek MS | | | | | | | |
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An Act Relating To Vaping Chemical Control

Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky

Section 1: We will not need any money except for providing money for lab tests to find a harmless chemical that acts as a replacement for nicotine and other harmful, addictive substances So, we will require a minimum of 500,000 U.S. dollars.

Section 2: The punishment incurred for putting harmful, addictive substances (ex: nicotine, hemp, et cetera) will be a maximum fine of up to \$100,000 U.S. dollars and a maximum confinement time of up to 10 years.

Section 3: This bill shall be enacted one year and one day from the day this bill is approved.



**KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION
KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY
Bluegrass Bill**

Red | BG 20

**Referred to Committee:
House 2**

Sponsors: Claire Myatt, Emily Warren

School: Monroe Co. MS

City: Tompkinsville

Action on the Bill

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1 An Act Relating To Surplus School Cafeteria Food

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3 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**

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5 Section 1: A NEW SECTION OF KRS CHAPTER 158 IS CREATED TO READ AS FOLLOWS: (1) All
6 public schools shall distribute surplus food from the cafeteria to students in need. (2) Each school
7 shall decide upon the time and manner the food will be distribute according to FDA regulations.

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9 Section 2: This ACT takes effect August 1, 2020

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|  KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Bluegrass Bill | Red BG 21 | | | | | | |
| | Referred to Committee: Senate 4 | | | | | | |
| Sponsors: Adam Hayat, Kristen Blandford, Lillie Mour | Action on the Bill <table> <tr> <td>House</td> <td>Senate</td> </tr> <tr> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> </tr> <tr> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> </tr> </table> | House | Senate | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated |
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| School: Montessori School of Louisville | | | | | | | |
| City: Louisville | | | | | | | |

1 An Act Relating To Allergen Cross Contamination in Restaurants


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3 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**

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5 Section 1: A NEW SECTION OF KRS CHAPTER 217.290 IS CREATED TO READ AS FOLLOWS:

6 Restaurants who have confirmed cases of cross contamination such as wheat, dairy, nuts and
7 other foods shall be subject to fines in the section. This bill will add on to the cross contamination
8 laws in the KRS. the violators of this bill will be subjected to a fine of \$500.

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10 Section 2: Restaurants with an amount of records of cross contamination below three will be
11 subjected to a fine of \$500.00. Restaurants with three or more cases will have their serving
12 license removed.

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14 Section 3: If the restaurant has four or more complaints from customers that have been poisoned
15 from the food that are related to cross contamination, that restaurant will be shut down. If the
16 restaurant has had no complaints about cross contamination but about uncleanliness that
17 restaurant will not fall under this bill. Therefore, it will not be part of this bill's responsibility.


|  KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Bluegrass Bill | Blue BG 22 | | | | | | |
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| | Referred to Committee: Senate 1 | | | | | | |
| Sponsors: Abdul Mansaray, Angelo Centeno, Makya Thornton, Damon Tarrence | Action on the Bill <table> <tr> <th>House</th> <th>Senate</th> </tr> <tr> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> </tr> <tr> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> </tr> </table> | House | Senate | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated |
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| School: Nativity Academy | | | | | | | |
| City: Louisville | | | | | | | |

1 An Act Relating To Marital Rape Laws in Kentucky

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3 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**

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5 Section 1: A NEW SECTION OF KRS CHAPTER 510 IS CREATED TO READ AS FOLLOWS: [1] In any
6 prosecution under this chapter marital status, or lack thereof, shall not be utilized in the defense
7 in order to exculpate or mitigate the offenses.

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9 Section 2: The following KRS section is repealed: 510.035 - Exception to KRS 510.020.

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|  KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Bluegrass Bill | Blue BG 23 | | | | | | |
| | Referred to Committee: Senate 3 | | | | | | |
| Sponsors: Rain Simon, Alexis Russo | Action on the Bill <table> <tr> <td>House</td> <td>Senate</td> </tr> <tr> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> </tr> <tr> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> </tr> </table> | House | Senate | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated |
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| School: Noe MS | | | | | | | |
| City: Louisville | | | | | | | |

1 An Act Relating To An act to ban Sexual Orientation Change Efforts for minors

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3 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**

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5 Section 1: Be it hereby enacted by the annual youth legislature of the Commonwealth of Kentucky


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7 Section 2: Currently the state of Kentucky is one of the 32 states to allow Sexual Orientation
8 Change Efforts (SOCE) for juveniles. These procedures attempt to change one's sexual orientation
9 by using methods such as hypnosis, behavioral therapy, shock therapy, and various other
10 methods. Many of these practices are considered child abuse.

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12 Section 3: SOCE hinders rights to Liberty and the pursuit of happiness, therefore letting it
13 continue is clearly unconstitutional. Going through said procedures has lasting effects on the
14 mental wellbeing of minors. This trauma will sacrifice the prosperity of our youth.

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16 Section 4: The administration of SOCE on minors shall be listed as a prohibited treatment.
17 Depending on the severity of the treatment of the child, the perpetrator could be charged with
18 misdemeanor or felony charges of child abuse and/or wanton endangerment of a child. If a
19 physician performs the act, they could be fined and/or have their license suspended.

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21 Section 5: No funding will be required for this bill.

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23 Section 6: This act goes into effect on the 1st of February, 2020.

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|  <p>KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Bluegrass Bill</p> | Blue BG 24 | | | | | | |
| | Referred to Committee: House 4 | | | | | | |
| Sponsors: Eva Kalmbach, Lillian Tucker, Sophia Jilek, Willa Stivers | Action on the Bill <table style="width:100%; border:none;"> <tr> <td style="text-align:left;">House</td> <td style="text-align:right;">Senate</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> </tr> </table> | House | Senate | <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated | <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated |
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| City: Louisville | | | | | | | |

An Act Relating To increasing drunk driving penalties

Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky

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Section 1: This bill will create a mandatory jail time for the second and all subsequent offenses in the ten year period.

Section 2: With the first offense, the penalty is a suspension of a license, and alcohol or substance abuse program. For further offenses, they will get mandatory jail time decided by the judge as well as an alcohol or substance abuse program. Then they might rethink drinking before driving in the first place. According to the Centers for Disease Control, from 2003 through 2012, 2,041 people were killed by legally drunk drivers (over 0.8 blood alcohol content) in Kentucky. Vehicle accidents are currently one of the leading causes of death in Kentucky. This law could lower that number causing the amount of accidents to decrease.

Section 3: Currently, there are no jail time penalties for drunk driving in Kentucky, even for offenses beyond the first in a ten year period. Currently, penalties range from suspended licenses to mandatory treatment programs.

Section 4: While these penalties might help keep people from driving drunk again, based on the number of deaths in Kentucky from drunk driving, they do not have enough of a deterrent effect. While a suspended license may seem like an appropriate penalty, however, many people simply choose to drive anyway.

Section 5: This bill will go into effect immediately upon adoption by the State Legislature and signature by the Governor of Kentucky.

|  KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Bluegrass Bill | Blue BG 25 | | | | | | |
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| | Referred to Committee: Senate 4 | | | | | | |
| Sponsors: Danae Strickland, Juliana Neukomm | Action on the Bill <table><thead><tr><th>House</th><th>Senate</th></tr></thead><tbody><tr><td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td><td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td></tr><tr><td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td><td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td></tr></tbody></table> | House | Senate | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated |
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| School: Noe MS | | | | | | | |
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1 An Act Relating To the Elimination of Solitary Confinement
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3 Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky
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5 Section 1: Currently prisons in the United States are allowed to use solitary confinement to
6 discipline inmates.
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8 Section 2: This bill proposes the eradication of solitary confinement in all state-run prisons
9 throughout the state of Kentucky.
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11 Section 3: According to Criminal Law, In the News, "solitary confinement can deteriorate a
12 prisoner's mental health." Inmates are at a vulnerable risk of mental health disorders including
13 schizophrenia, paranoia, claustrophobia, and anxiety.
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15 Section 4: Solitary confinement also violates basic human rights. Criminal Law, In the News, writes,
16 "People argue that solitary confinement, especially on a long term basis, fits the definition of
17 torture."
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19 Section 5: Stated in Vision Launch, "One of the reasons for putting an inmate in solitary is to
20 protect them from themselves or shield them from attacks by fellow inmates. However, some
21 prisoners put in solitary have been shown to engage in self-mutilation (the rates of which are
22 higher compared to those in the general population)."
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24 Section 6: This bill will go into effect on January 1st, 2020.

|  KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Bluegrass Bill | Blue BG 26 | | | | | | |
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| | Referred to Committee: House 3 | | | | | | |
| Sponsors: Emma Hyman, Valerie Mohrmann, Christina Dinh, Mattie Berry | Action on the Bill <table> <tr> <th>House</th> <th>Senate</th> </tr> <tr> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> </tr> <tr> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> </tr> </table> | House | Senate | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated |
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| School: Noe MS | | | | | | | |
| City: Louisville | | | | | | | |

1 An act to require all cell phone usage while driving to be hands-free in the Commonwealth of Kentucky
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3 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**
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5 Section 1: As it states in KRS189.292 and KRS189.294, it is legal to use an electronic device if
6 eighteen years of age, or younger. This bill would amend these two bills.
7
8 Section 2: This bill would make using a cell phone (other than hands-free) illegal while driving in
9 the state of Kentucky. If enacted, this bill would amend the previous bill which states that the
10 legal age of hands-free driving is eighteen and up.
11
12 Section 3: States with hands-free driving limitations have statistically less crashes than Kentucky.
13 States such as Connecticut, Oregon, Delaware, California, Arizona, and Arkansas are few of the
14 States with lower crash rates (when appropriate populations are applied). There are less crashes,
15 fatalities, injuries, and deaths in states who have this law than states without.
16
17 Section 4: The first offense would be a fine of fifty dollars. The second and third offenses would
18 be increased by twenty-five dollars. The following offenses would be increased by fifty dollars and
19 after 6 total offenses there is a possible revoke/suspension of license.
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21 Section 5: This bill will require no funding. The revenue would all go to the Police Department.
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23 Section 6: This bill will take January 1st 2020


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|  <p>KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Bluegrass Bill</p> | Red BG 27 | | | | | | |
| | Referred to Committee: Senate 1 | | | | | | |
| Sponsors: Steven Claborn, Ty Wood, Macey Weaver, Ashlyn Story | Action on the Bill <table style="width: 100%;"> <tr> <td style="width: 50%; text-align: center;">House</td> <td style="width: 50%; text-align: center;">Senate</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> <td style="text-align: center;">___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> <td style="text-align: center;">___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> </tr> </table> | House | Senate | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated |
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| School: North Marshall MS | | | | | | | |
| City: Calvert City | | | | | | | |

1 An ACT relating to school safety.

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3 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**

4
5 Section 1: A NEW SECTION OF KRS 158 IS CREATED AND READS AS FOLLOWS: All bags entering a
6 public-school building must be searched. (2) All persons entering a public-school building must
7 pass through a metal detector.

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9 Section 2: Any statute contrary to this Act shall be amended or repealed.


|  KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Bluegrass Bill | Red BG 28 | | | | | | |
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| | Referred to Committee: House 2 | | | | | | |
| Sponsors: Zoe Maxlow, Hayden Powell, Scott Langford, Elliott Gary | Action on the Bill <table> <tr> <th>House</th> <th>Senate</th> </tr> <tr> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> </tr> <tr> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> </tr> </table> | House | Senate | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated |
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| School: North Marshall MS | | | | | | | |
| City: Calvert City | | | | | | | |

1 An ACT relating to the price of insulin.

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3 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**

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5 Section 1: A NEW SECTION OF KRS 304 IS CREATED AND READS AS FOLLOWS: All sales of insulin
6 in the state would be subject to a \$100 maximum out-of-pocket payment by the patient for each
7 30-day supply. (2) Patients without health insurance would also pay a maximum of \$100 for a
8 30-day supply of insulin.

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10 Section 2: Any statute contrary to this Act shall be amended or repealed.

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|  KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Bluegrass Bill | Blue BG 29 | | | | | |
| | Referred to Committee: House 1 | | | | | |
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| Sponsors: Kaden Bauman, Reece Brown, Eva Cardwell, Sophie Mudd | | | | | | |
| School: Notre Dame Academy | | | | | | |
| City: Louisville | | | | | | |

1 An Act Relating To Creating A Living Organ Donor Leave Program

2
3 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**


4
5 Section 1: Living donors are individuals who elect to donate a human organ or bone marrow. These
6 human organs include any part of a human intestine, kidney, liver, lung or pancreas. Live organ
7 donations count for four out of every ten donations. The need for human organs is great. For
8 example, there are currently 93,000 people on the national Kidney Waiting List, and twelve of
9 these people die each day waiting for a donor kidney.

10
11 Section 2: In Kentucky, only federal employees receive any benefits for live organ donation, that
12 being 30 days paid leave. This inadequate benefit negatively impacts the way Kentuckians
13 consider the possibility of choosing live organ donations.

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15 Section 3: All persons donating live organs will receive six weeks of paid leave and up to \$7,500
16 in tax deductions to cover the unreimbursed costs of travel, lodging, uninsured medical expenses
17 and lost wages for their live organ donation.

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19 Section 4: Failure to comply with this law will result in a \$5,000 fine and up to \$100,000 in
20 employee restitution.

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22 Section 5: This bill will go into effect on December 1, 2020.

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|  <p>KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Bluegrass Bill</p> | Blue BG 30 | | | | | | |
| | Referred to Committee: Senate 2 | | | | | | |
| Sponsors: Brianna Shanks, Emma Morris, Molly Hayes, Payton Whitler | Action on the Bill <table style="width: 100%; border: none;"> <tr> <td style="width: 50%; text-align: center;">House</td> <td style="width: 50%; text-align: center;">Senate</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> <td style="text-align: center;">___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> <td style="text-align: center;">___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> </tr> </table> | House | Senate | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated |
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| School: Our Lady of Lourdes ES | | | | | | | |
| City: Louisville | | | | | | | |

1 An Act Relating To Sentencing DUI's to Jail or Rehabilitation

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3 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**

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5 Section 1: On the fourth conviction for Driving Under the Influence (DUI). The judge can sentence

6 the person to rehabilitation or jail. If someone is hurt or property is damaged by the convicted

7 person both rehabilitation and jail time can be given.

8

9 Section 2: The person sentenced to rehabilitation only can stay in rehabilitation until the judge

10 declares them cured. A doctor from the rehabilitation facility advises the judge.

11

12 Section 3: If the person gets jail time too. They will go after rehabilitation is finished. They will be

13 randomly drug tested in jail. After being released from jail they will have to be randomly tested for


14 three months. During this time their driver's license is suspended.

15


16 Section 4: Their driver's license will be suspended for one year after release from the program. If

17 there is a fifth DUI they repeat the program and can never have a driver's license in the state of

18 Kentucky.

|  KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Bluegrass Bill | Red BG 31 | | | | | | |
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| | Referred to Committee: House 3 | | | | | | |
| Sponsors: Maddie Starkey, Gracie Sams, Kallee Cracraft, Emme Moore | Action on the Bill <table> <tr> <th>House</th> <th>Senate</th> </tr> <tr> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> </tr> <tr> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> </tr> </table> | House | Senate | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated |
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| School: Second Street School | | | | | | | |
| City: Frankfort | | | | | | | |

- 1 An Act Relating Kentucky Soldiers' abilities to attend medical/dental appointments on paid military holidays.
- 2
- 3 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**
- 4
- 5 Section 1: A NEW SECTION OF KRS CHAPTER 36 IS CREATED TO READ AS FOLLOWS: All soldiers
- 6 will be permitted to attend medical/dental appointments on military holidays and days of
- 7 observance.
- 8
- 9 Section 2: Soldiers will be allowed to attend medical appointments and dental appointments on
- 10 any given day of the year; including all military holidays and days of observance.
- 11
- 12 Section 3: Soldiers will be paid the same on days used for medical and dental appointments. There
- 13 will be no penalty for said event.
- 14
- 15 Section 4: This bill will go into effect immediately upon passage.

|  KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Bluegrass Bill | Blue BG 32 | | | | | | |
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| | Referred to Committee: House 2 | | | | | | |
| Sponsors: Charles Scott, Nikas Thannoli, Riley Pierce, Tristin Ruble | Action on the Bill <table> <tr> <th>House</th> <th>Senate</th> </tr> <tr> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> </tr> <tr> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> </tr> </table> | House | Senate | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated |
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| School: Somerset Christian School | | | | | | | |
| City: Somerset | | | | | | | |

1 An Act Relating To the Removal of the Dueling Provision from the Kentucky Governor's Oath of Office

2

3 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**

4

5 Section 1: The Constitutional provision requiring the Governor to swear (or affirm) he or she has
6 never participated in or acted as a second for a duel is archaic and unnecessary in modern
7 Kentucky political life.

8


9 Section 2: This legislation will delete from Section 228 of the Kentucky State Constitution the
10 following passage: "...and I do further solemnly swear (or affirm) that since the adoption of the
11 present Constitution, I, being a citizen of this State, have not fought a duel with deadly weapons
12 within this state or out of it, nor have I acted as second in carrying a challenge, nor aided or
13 assisted any person thus offending..."

14


15 Section 3: The Constitutional Requirements for passage of this bill are as follows: Phase One: each
16 chamber of the Kentucky State Legislature must pass the bill with at least a 60% majority. Phase
17 Two: the amendment is then placed on the general election day ballot on an election day where
18 members of the state legislature are up for election. A simple majority of voters is required for
19 passage on Election Day.

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21 Section 4: Following constitutional process, this bill will come into full force and effect at the next
22 inauguration of a Governor: scheduled for Tuesday, December 12, 2023.

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|  KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Bluegrass Bill | Blue BG 33 | | | | | | |
| | Referred to Committee: Senate 1 | | | | | | |
| Sponsors: Madison Sullivan, Raygan Bates, Taylor Stumbo | Action on the Bill | | | | | | |
| School: South Floyd MS | | | | | | | |
| City: Hi Hat | | | | | | | |
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- 1 An Act to Require all certified school staff members to be trained in emergency medicine administration,
2 Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation (CPR) and how to use Automated External Defibrillator (AED).
3
- 4 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**
5
- 6 Section 1: According to the Center for Disease Control approximately 1 in 13 children are affected
7 by food allergies and children at risk for anaphylaxis are present in almost every classroom. An
8 estimated 23% of children with food allergies experience reactions at school. This bill will require
9 all certified school staff to be trained in emergency medicine and procedures to prevent fatal
10 instances in classrooms across the Commonwealth.
11
- 12 Section 2: Each school will be required to obtain training for certified school employees. This
13 training would align with KRS 158.838(1)(c) that requires the local board of education to
14 implement training and obtain proof of completion for unlicensed personnel. This would expand
15 training requirements from nurses, coaches and sponsors to include all certified staff.
16
- 17 Section 3: Training for emergency medicine would include glucagon, insulin, epipen, inhaler and
18 seizure medications. This training would also include how to deliver life saving practices such as
19 CPR, and AED administrations.
20
- 21 Section 4: Funding for this bill would come from local school districts. Trainings will continue to be
22 lead by school and district licensed medical staff which educate and assess knowledge of
23 unlicensed staff.
24
- 25 Section 5: First Offense: \$1,000 fine for the school who is not in compliance with this bill and a
26 follow up 6 months later. Second Offense: \$2,500 fine for the school who is not in compliance
27 with this bill and a follow up 6 months later. Third Offense: \$5,000 fine for the school who is not
28 in compliance with this bill and a follow up 6 months later.
29
- 30 Section 6: This bill will go into effect on September 1, 2020.

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|  KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Bluegrass Bill | Red BG 34 | | | | | | |
| | Referred to Committee: Senate 2 | | | | | | |
| Sponsors: Bri Chapman, McKenna Nissen | Action on the Bill | | | | | | |
| School: St. Andrew Academy ES | | | | | | | |
| City: Louisville | | | | | | | |
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1 An Act Relating To Investigation and capping of the pricing of prescription insulin drugs.

2
3 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**

4
5 Section 1: The general assembly hereby finds and declares that: (a) Almost twenty thousand Kentuckians are
6 diagnosed with diabetes each year. (b) Every Kentuckian with type 1 diabetes and many with type 2 diabetes rely on
7 daily doses of insulin to survive; (c) The annual medical cost related to diabetes in Kentucky is almost four billion
8 dollars. Approximately eighteen percent of that amount, or seven hundred million dollars, is for prescription drugs to
9 treat diabetes. (d) Insulin prices rose by forty-five percent between 2014 and 2017, and over the last fourteen years,
10 the price of insulin has risen by five hundred fifty-five percent, adjusted for inflation; (e) One in four type 1 diabetics
11 have reported insulin under use due to the high cost of insulin; and (f) Therefore, it is important to enact policies to
12 reduce the costs for Kentuckians with diabetes to obtain life-saving and life-sustaining insulin.


13
14 Section 2: The bill requires a carrier to reduce the cost sharing a covered person is required to pay for prescription
15 insulin drugs by an amount equal to the greater of 51% of the total rebates received by the carrier per prescription
16 insulin drug including price protection rebates or an amount that ensures cost sharing will not exceed 125% of the
17 carrier's cost for the prescription insulin drug, subject to a maximum out-of-pocket cost of \$100 per one-month
18 supply of insulin.

19
20 Section 3: The department of law shall investigate pricing of prescription insulin drugs, made available to Kentucky
21 consumers. To ensure an adequate consumer protections of prescription insulin drugs and whether additional
22 consumer protections are needed. As part of the investigation by the department of law, it shall gather, compile, and
23 analyze information. Prescription insulin drugs that are made available in Kentucky, to furnish
24 material, answers, data, or other relevant information. A person or business shall not be compelled to provide trade
25 secrets.

26
27 Section 4: Detailing its findings from the investigation conducted pursuant to this section; The department of law
28 shall present the report to the governor, the commissioner of insurance, and the judiciary committees of the senate
29 and house of representatives or their successor committees. By November 1, 2020, the department of law shall issue
30 and make available the report available to the public.

31
32 Section 5: For the 2019-20 state fiscal year, \$26,054 is appropriated to the department of regulatory agencies for
33 use by the division of insurance. This appropriation is from the division of insurance cash fund created. To implement
34 this act, the division may use this appropriation for personal services. \$26,054 is appropriated to the department of
35 regulatory agencies for use by the division of insurance to implement the act.

36
37 Section 6: Effective date applicability. This act applies to health coverage plans issued or renewed on or after January
38 1, 2020, or the date of the official declaration of the vote by the governor, whichever is later.

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|  KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Bluegrass Bill | Red BG 35 | | | | | | |
| | Referred to Committee: House 1 | | | | | | |
| Sponsors: Grayson Boehm, Owen McDonnell, Sophie Ayre, Sam Burke-Calloway | Action on the Bill | | | | | | |
| School: St. Margaret Mary | | | | | | | |
| City: Louisville | | | | | | | |
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1 An Act Relating To environmental protection by discouraging the use of single use disposable coffee cups.
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3 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**
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5 Section 1: A Hot Beverage Vendor may only provide a Disposable Cup to a customer upon request
6 by a customer and for a mandatory fee of 25 cents per cup. If the customer does not request a
7 Disposable Cup and pay the 25 cent fee, a Hot Beverage Vendor must allow a customer to use
8 their own reusable Customer Cup for hot beverage service unless the Customer Cup is cracked,
9 chipped or inappropriate in size or material, or appears unsanitary. In the event that the customer
10 does not have an appropriate Customer Cup, or refuses to pay the 25 cent fee for a disposable
11 cup, the Hot Beverage Vendor may only provide on site hot beverage service in reusable cups
12 provided by the Hot Beverage Vendor.
13

14 Section 2: For purposes of this Section: (a) "Hot Beverage Vendor" shall mean any establishment
15 within the Commonwealth, including a coffee shop, bakery, cafeteria, drive-in, entertainment
16 venue, restaurant or other food establishment which sell or offer hot beverages, (b) "Disposable
17 Cup" shall mean any beverage cup designed to serve hot beverages for a single use, and (c)
18 "Customer Cup" shall mean a reusable cup provided or purchased by the customer that can be
19 used more than one time, and is appropriate for holding and consuming hot beverages.
20

21 Section 3: Any Hot Beverage Vendor violating this statute must pay a fine of no less than \$500 for
22 each violation.
23

24 Section 4: This bill will be enforced by the Department of Revenue.
25

26 Section 5: This bill amends KRS Chapter 217 by adding new sections and will go into effect on
27 January 21, 2020.



KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION
KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY
Bluegrass Bill

Red | BG 36

Referred to Committee:
House 4

Sponsors: Melania Douglass, Isaac Beem, Mac Estes, Elena Page

School: St. Margaret Mary

City: Louisville

Action on the Bill

House

Senate

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1 An Act Relating To public safety by requiring quarterly inspections of amusement park rides by the
2 Department of Agriculture.

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4 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**

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6 Section 1: In 2007, a 13 year old was injured, losing both feet on a drop tower at Six Flags
7 Kentucky Kingdom, due to a snapped cable.

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9 Section 2: In 2016, approximately 30,900 amusement park ride injuries were reported to
10 emergency rooms nationwide.

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12 Section 3: The Department of Agriculture shall be required to inspect any and all amusement park
13 rides brought into and operated in Kentucky at least once each calendar quarter.

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15 Section 4: This bill is an amendment to KRS 247.234, which only requires inspections annually.

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17 Section 5: The bill will go into effect April 15, 2020.

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|  KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Bluegrass Bill | Red BG 37 | | | | | | |
| | Referred to Committee: Senate 3 | | | | | | |
| Sponsors: Caroline Wilcox, Audrey Huber, Will Legere, Braxton Cox | Action on the Bill | | | | | | |
| School: St. Margaret Mary | | | | | | | |
| City: Louisville | | | | | | | |
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1 An Act Relating To Reporting Requirements for Diseases and Conditions in Kentucky

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3 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**


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5 Section 1: It shall be REQUIRED that any licensed healthcare provider report suspected vaping
6 related lung disease to their local health department or the Kentucky Department for Public
7 Health. Currently reporting of such illness or disease is voluntary in the State of Kentucky.

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9 Section 2: Per the Centers for Disease Control, as of October 15, 2019, there have been 1,479
10 lung injury cases associated with vaping products reported from 49 states. There have been 33
11 deaths across 24 states. The exact cause or causes are still unknown and the CDC recommends
12 refraining from the use of all e cigarette and vaping products while the investigation continues.
13 Reporting this information in a timely manner is critical for state and federal public health
14 partners to achieve their mission of improving safety through prevention, promotion and
15 protection.

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17 Section 3: This bill will follow similar reporting guidelines as already set forth in 902 KAR 2:020
18 for Kentucky’s Reportable Disease and Conditions. Any licensed healthcare provider will be
19 required to report suspected vaping related lung disease within 5 business days to their local
20 health department or the Kentucky Department of Public Health via phone (1-888-9REPORT) or
21 fax (502-696-3803).

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23 Section 4: This bill would amend Kentucky Administrative Regulation 902 KAR 2:020 and Kentucky
24 Revised Statute KRS 214.010 by adding vaping related lung disease to the list of requirements
25 under “Kentucky’s Reportable Diseases and Conditions”.

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27 Section 5: This bill will go into effect on January 1, 2020. This bill will be enforced by the Cabinet
28 for Health and Family Services which is the agency managing the Kentucky Department for Public
29 Health.

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|  KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Bluegrass Bill | Blue BG 38 | |
| | Referred to Committee: House 4 | |
| Sponsors: Jessie McCaw, Kacey McCaw, Erin Young | Action on the Bill | |
| School: St. Raphael | House | Senate |
| City: Louisville | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated |

1 An Act Relating To Parental Leave

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3 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**

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5 Section 1: Section 1. A new section of KRS Chapter 199.480 is created to read as follows: All
6 parents of newly born or adopted children will receive paid leave. (A) All employers with a minimum
7 of ten employees must give the mandatory paid leave. (B) The minimum amount an employer must
8 give their employees six weeks off with 50% paid leave. (C) Anything more than the given time off
9 is unpaid unless sick or vacation days are used.

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11 Section 2: This Act takes effect on January 1, 2020.



KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION
**KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY
 Bluegrass Bill**

Red | BG 39

**Referred to Committee:
 Senate 4**

Sponsors: James Garnett, Mac Alexander, Mabry Alexander, Leah Hite

School: Trigg Co. MS

City: Eddyville

Action on the Bill

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1 An Act Relating To all sports activities in Kentucky to adhere to a heat policy much like the KHSSA Heat
 2 Index Ruling.
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4 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**
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6 Section 1: KHSAA, Kentucky High School Athletic Association governs all Kentucky High School
 7 sports and policies. One of KHSAA policies deals with the Heat Index Measurement. This policy is
 8 to help prevent injuries and illnesses caused by the heat. This policy along with all policies can be
 9 found at www.khsaa.org.
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11 Section 2: This bill shall apply not only to intramural, but to extramural sports activities that take
 12 place in the state.
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14 Section 3: Presently, high school and Jr. high school sports must adhere to the KHSAA heat index
 15 ruling, however, sports played outside of school is not required to follow the ruling nor are there
 16 policies set in place relating to the heat.
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18 Section 4: Six hundred-fifty deaths have been reported related to heat and the majority of these
 19 deaths have been during extramural sports activities.
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21 Section 5: Therefore, if a state policy, much like KHSAA's, was put in place, this would help limit
 22 the amount of injuries, complications, and deaths in Kentucky.
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24 Section 6: If a death occurs and it is found to be heat related death due to not following Kentucky
 25 policy, a fine no less than \$1000 must be paid along with all medical expenses and legal fees in
 26 case of a law suit much be paid by the sponsors/sponsorships of the s
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28 Section 7: If passed, this bill will become effective April 1, 2020.

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|  <p>KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Bluegrass Bill</p> | Blue BG 40 | | | | | | |
| | Referred to Committee: Senate 3 | | | | | | |
| Sponsors: Bailey Locke, Baileigh Baker | <p>Action on the Bill</p> <table border="0"> <tr> <td>House</td> <td>Senate</td> </tr> <tr> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> </tr> <tr> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> </tr> </table> | House | Senate | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated |
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| School: Warren East MS | | | | | | | |
| City: Bowling Green | | | | | | | |

1 An Act Relating To Restriction of Panhandling in Kentucky.
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3 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**
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5 Section 1: A NEW CHAPTER OF KRS IS CREATED TO READ AS FOLLOWED: (1)This bill will require
6 all panhandling to be restricted in cities with a population of 10,000 and above in Kentucky.
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8 Section 2: This bill will require the cities of Covington, Lexington, Bowling Green, Hopkinsville, and
9 Elizabethtown, to restrict panhandling.
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11 Section 3: There is appropriated to the Department of Justice And Public Safety from the General
12 Fund \$4500 for the purposes of restricting panhandling.
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14 Section 4: This bill will take effect June 1st, 2020.

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|  KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Bluegrass Bill | Red BG 41 | | | | | | |
| | Referred to Committee: Senate 2 | | | | | | |
| Sponsors: Kya Taylor, Shanda Rayburn | Action on the Bill | | | | | | |
| School: West Carter Co. MS | | | | | | | |
| City: Olive Hill | | | | | | | |
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1 An Act Relating To public schools distributing informational pamphlets regarding self harm
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3 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**
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5 Section 1: Be it hereby enacted by the annual youth legislature of the Commonwealth of Kentucky
6 this act proposes that Kentucky schools are required to give informational pamphlets to students
7 and families on the local counselors professionalized in self-harm. Currently, it is only
8 recommended to give out self harm pamphlets for kids rather than required.
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10 Section 2: This bill will require schools to give parents or guardians information concerning all
11 counselors in the area that specialize in helping people who self-harm. The pamphlets would also
12 include a description of what self harm is and how the child is being affected. This will apply to
13 schools with students in grades 1-12.
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15 Section 3: The purpose of this bill is to decrease the number of students at risk of self-harm. It
16 will also improve the mental health and stability of students at risk of self-harming. As the desire
17 to inflict pain upon oneself typically stems from some form of mental illness such as depression,
18 speaking to a counselor could improve the state of mind of a young person and prevent them from
19 pursuing such behavior.
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21 Section 4: This will be enforced by law enforcement officers of Kentucky, along with the Health
22 Department of Kentucky. The following consequences for the head of the school not providing
23 informational pamphlets. First Offense: \$100 Second Offense: \$250 Third Offense: \$500
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25 Section 5: This bill will go into effect by August 2020.

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|  KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Bluegrass Bill | Red BG 42 | | | | | | |
| | Referred to Committee: House 3 | | | | | | |
| Sponsors: Jaci Cooley, Kaylee Hollingsworth | Action on the Bill | | | | | | |
| School: West Carter Co. MS | | | | | | | |
| City: Olive Hill | | | | | | | |
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1 An Act Relating To routine heart screenings for youth in Kentucky

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3 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**

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5 Section 1: Be it hereby enacted by the annual legislative of the Commonwealth of Kentucky, this
6 act proposes that it is required for children to have heart screenings at least once a year. This
7 may be done at yearly check-ups or physicals.

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9 Section 2: This bill requires children ages 5-18 to have heart screenings, also known as
10 electrokartiograms (EKGs), performed annually. This is currently not a common practice in routine
11 at annual childrens' checkups. Upon passing of this bill, youth in Kentucky would have a yearly
12 opportunity to


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14 Section 3: The purpose of this bill is to decrease the amount of children dying each year due to
15 heart-related issues. It is estimated that over 2,000 elementary-aged children in the U.S. die from
16 undetected heart-related issues, and this accounts for 3-5 percent of all children ages 5-18. It is
17 also estimated that 6-8,000 deaths result from Sudden Cardiac Arrest (SCA) in adolescents on an
18 annual basis. Annual heart screenings would decrease the number of victims to heart-related
19 issues.

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21 Section 4: This test can often detect heart disease, heart attacks, an enlarged heart, an abnormal
22 heart, and other heart issues. If you are found to have a heart issue, further steps would be taken
23 to assess the severity. Individuals may get their blood pressure monitored, get further testing
24 done, or possibly a stint or other surgery depending on the heart problem.

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26 Section 5: On average, heart screenings only cost 100 dollars. This test isn't currently covered by
27 all insurance companies, but our bill proposes that insurance companies will be required to offer
28 coverage for these tests to be done at physical examinations.

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30 Section 6: In the event that these heart screenings are not regularly administered as proposed in
31 this bill, guilty parties whether it be parents, physicians, or insurance companies would receive
32 financial penalties depending on the offense.

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34 Section 7: This bill will go into effect August 2021.

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|  KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Bluegrass Bill | Red BG 43 | | | | | | |
| | Referred to Committee: Senate 1 | | | | | | |
| Sponsors: Layla Bryant, Zoe Derbyshire | Action on the Bill <table> <tr> <td>House</td> <td>Senate</td> </tr> <tr> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> </tr> <tr> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> </tr> </table> | House | Senate | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated |
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| School: Winburn MS | | | | | | | |
| City: Lexington | | | | | | | |

1 An Act Relating To Elementary Recess

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3 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**

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5 Section 1: Section 1 : Every elementary School in Kentucky has recess that tends to range from 10 to 2
6 p.m. Unfortunately, these times are when the sun's harmful UV rays are the most dangerous and strong.

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8 Section 2: The UV ray exposure is extremely dangerous and harmful for Kentucky children who can get
9 weakened immune systems as well as eye damage and skin cancer by being exposed to the harsh Sun


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11 Section 3: according to the National Program for playground safety Only 3 percent of playgrounds have
12 shade across the full playground, another 30 percent had partial shade, the rest of those children are left
13 without protection from the harmful rays. Cooler weather does not change the fact that UV rays are
14 dangerous. A child with sun sensitive skin could get damaged skin from these rays in 11-23 minutes.

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16 Section 4: That time is about the duration of recess across the country and is about the allotted time in
17 Kentucky. However sunburns do not appear until 12 hours later. According to the Cancer Statistics Center
18 there have been 1,310 new skin cancer cases this year, and although skin cancer only accounts for 1
19 percent of children with cancer and 4 percent of adolescents with cancer, that is a lot of children.

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21 Section 5: A lot of those children could have been spared that terrible experience had they known the
22 possibilities. The cheapest way to protect these kids from the Sun is to make sure recess during inclement
23 weather patterns are not between 10 and 2 p.m. And it is important to remember that the sun's UV rays
24 are not less harmful when it gets colder out, as stated by the MD Anderson Cancer Center, "Harmful
25 ultraviolet (UV) rays are present year-around. They can even filter through dark cloud coverage to reach
26 your skin." Sunscreen can seem like a solution, but not all children can wear it.

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28 Section 6: Schools let their children out at the hottest part of the day, but seem to fail to provide
29 sunscreen, the easiest solution if that cannot be solved, is to move recess. Sun protection is an
30 unfortunately overlooked danger facing Kentucky children and it is our job to stop it, lets regulate our
31 recess.

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33 Section 7: this FREE bill will start being enforced January of the Year 2021

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|  KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Bluegrass Bill | Red BG 44 | | | | | | |
| | Referred to Committee: House 4 | | | | | | |
| Sponsors: Sarah Hayslip, Emileigh Lewis | Action on the Bill <table style="width: 100%;"> <tr> <td style="width: 50%; text-align: center;">House</td> <td style="width: 50%; text-align: center;">Senate</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> <td style="text-align: center;">___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> <td style="text-align: center;">___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> </tr> </table> | House | Senate | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated |
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| School: Winburn MS | | | | | | | |
| City: Lexington | | | | | | | |

An Act Relating To the prevention of bullying

Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky

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Section 1: IT IS PROPOSED THAT A NEW SECTION BE ADDED TO THE CONSTITUTION OF KENTUCKY READS AS FOLLOWS: ALL SCHOOLS MUST HAVE A WAY TO REPORT BULLYING DIGITALLY AND IN-PERSON TO A STAFF MEMBER AT THE SCHOOL. This amendment shall be submitted to voters of the Commonwealth for their ratification or rejection at the time and in the manner provided for under Sections 256 and 257 of the Constitution and under KRS 118.415.

Section 2: All school websites will have a way for students to report bullying of any kind.

Section 3: All schools must have a way for students to report bullying of any kind in-person to a staff member of the school.


Section 4: With all reports of bullying, the bully will be properly dealt with by a teacher, counselor, principal, or any other similar title of staff member at the school to ensure the bullying does not continue.

Section 5: No reports of bullying will be ignored, acted as if unimportant, or otherwise be delayed being dealt with because of a staff member’s opinion.


Section 6: If a staff member sees bullying, they must report it or deal with it.

Section 7: All laws and acts in conflict with this law are hereby repealed.

Section 8: This Act takes effect January 1, 2020

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|  KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Commonwealth Bill | Blue CW 1 | | | | | | |
| | Referred to Committee: House 3 | | | | | | |
| Sponsors: Regan Messer, Morgan Logan, Jonathan Mills, Quinlyn Chrisco | Action on the Bill | | | | | | |
| School: Barbourville City School | | | | | | | |
| City: Barbourville | | | | | | | |
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1 An Act relating to Drug Prevention and Awareness training for Kentucky students
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3 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**
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5 Section 1: All public schools in Kentucky grades will be required to provide a training educating
6 students about drug usage statistics in their area. The mandated training will also inform students
7 about the physical, social, and emotional consequences of drug usage as well as risk factors and
8 warning signs of drug usage.
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10 Section 2: All Kentucky students grades 6-12 will be provided a minimum of one-hour of training
11 every school year. Training sessions may be facilitated by the following individuals within each
12 school: Mental Health Counselor, Health and/or Physical Education teacher, School Counselor,
13 School Nurse, School Resource Officer.
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15 Section 3: The mandated Drug Prevention and Awareness training will be taught using existing
16 research and evidence-based programs aimed at middle and high school level students, such as
17 LifeSkills, Guiding Good Choices, and Teen Intervene
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19 Section 4: Funding for this bill will be provided by the Kentucky Division of Behavioral Health and
20 the Kentucky Department of Education. This bill will go into effect in the beginning of the
21 2020/2021 school year.

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|  KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Commonwealth Bill | Blue CW 2 | | | | | | |
| | Referred to Committee: Senate 3 | | | | | | |
| Sponsors: Ainsley Roby, Alaina Walton, Avery Welther, Tate Blincoe | Action on the Bill | | | | | | |
| School: Bardstown MS | | | | | | | |
| City: Bardstown | | | | | | | |
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1 An Act Relating To Creating an Online Database for the Purchase of Firearms

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3 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**


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5 Section 1: In the state of Kentucky, citizens are not required to have a background check prior to
6 a transfer or sale of a firearm by an unlicensed person. Firearm owners are not licensed and aren't
7 required to register their weapons. Because of no regulations in Kentucky, the damage done by
8 firearms is increasing rapidly. This bill will require the state of Kentucky to create an online
9 database for the purchase of firearms.

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11 Section 2: Before your weapon is registered on the database, The Federal Firearm Licensee will
12 conduct a mandatory background check by investigating social media accounts, school records,
13 criminal records, employment history, and activities that will confirm the owner's identity.

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15 Section 3: This database will store all registered weapons and their owners. It will also contain
16 their background check record. Some people will be flagged, which means that they cannot own a
17 firearm because of certain behavior. Every firearm seller can see their customers background
18 check, the weapons they own, and if they're ineligible to own a firearm(flagged).

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20 Section 4: Firearm Sellers are required to register all weapons sold. If they break this requirement,
21 their first fine will be \$1,000. The price will increase by \$500 after each offense. This money will
22 go towards funds to create the database. 2% of the already existing sales tax will also go towards
23 funds for this database.

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25 Section 5: Starting January 1, 2021 Kentucky will extend background checks for firearms.

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|  KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Commonwealth Bill | Blue CW 3 | | | | | | |
| | Referred to Committee: House 4 | | | | | | |
| Sponsors: Carson Thomas, Clay Janes, Kaden Stone, Tapasvi Jani | Action on the Bill | | | | | | |
| School: Bardstown MS | | | | | | | |
| City: Bardstown | | | | | | | |
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1 An Act Relating To Mandate Drug Rehabilitation for Drug Offenses

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3 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**


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5 Section 1: The purpose of this bill is to replace jail time with mandatory rehabilitation for drug
6 offenses. Passage of this bill would help reduce current drug use levels in Kentucky and the
7 occurrence of repeat offenders. Kentucky has the tenth highest inmate population in the U.S. In
8 2010, Approximately 25,428 people were admitted to Kentucky drug and alcohol rehab programs.
9 This bill would help those individuals get the help they desperately need.

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11 Section 2: Any first time, non-violent drug offender would be eligible for the program. Repeat
12 offenders will have to apply for individual acceptance. Upon completion of the program, inmates
13 will be released from jail but will have to adhere to a probationary period of scheduled and random
14 drug tests. Those failing to meet these requirements will have to reapply for acceptance.

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16 Section 3: The cost of mandatory rehabilitation will be \$5000 for a three month program. The
17 program will be free to any first time offenders and accepted repeat offenders. This program will
18 be funded by general funds from the state, Medicaid reimbursement, and Substance Abuse and
19 Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA) federal block grants for substance abuse.
20 Currently the average cost to house an inmate \$16,000 per year. This program could go majorly
21 prison costs and drug use in our state.

22
23 Section 4: There are over 70 rehab centers in the state of Kentucky. However, If only 10 percent
24 of drug-addicted offenders received drug rehabilitation instead of jail time, the criminal justice
25 system would save \$4.8 billion compared to current costs. If 40 percent of addicted offenders
26 received treatment instead of jail, those savings would rise to \$12.9 billion.

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28 Section 5: This bill will go into effect on August 1, 2020.

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|  KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Commonwealth Bill | Blue CW 4 | | | | | | |
| | Referred to Committee: Senate 4 | | | | | | |
| Sponsors: Ally Whelan, Gracyn Craig, Isabel Harris | Action on the Bill | | | | | | |
| School: Bardstown MS | | | | | | | |
| City: Bardstown | | | | | | | |
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1 An Act Relating To Mental and Behavioral Health Opportunities for Veterans

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3 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**


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5 Section 1: In the state of Kentucky, the Veteran suicide rate is 6% higher in Kentucky than the
6 national suicide rate. Along with this 1 out of four women and 1 out of a hundred men experience
7 military sexual trauma. This bill will help veterans have more opportunities to receiving mental
8 health treatment. Since we have roughly 300,000 veterans in our state, we could provide the
9 mental help that they may need.

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11 Section 2: This bill will not only help save lives this could also bring more people to seek
12 treatment. Unfortunately, less than 50% of veterans that have returned home seek any type of
13 treatment. This can't stand any longer. If this bill passes we could give these people treatment
14 that's accessible to them. For example, in their town or county so treatment will be easier for
15 them to access.

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17 Section 3: Many veterans suffer from PTSD, anxiety, depression, schizophrenia, bipolar disorder,
18 stress, substance abuse, suicidal tendencies, and more. Providing free health care to veterans
19 could both help them and the people around them, as well as creating jobs.

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21 Section 4: To pay for this bill, a slight tuition could be charged in public schools. In Kentucky,
22 roughly 685,000 students are enrolled in public schools, with about 650,000 not having to pay
23 tuition. If a 3 dollar fee was charged to enroll each free student, that would raise about 1.9
24 million dollars to fund the veteran wellness checks.

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26 Section 5: This bill will be enacted on January 1st, 2021.

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|  KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Commonwealth Bill | Blue CW 5 | | | | | | |
| | Referred to Committee: Senate 1 | | | | | | |
| Sponsors: Abbi Borders, Isabella Opell, Audrey Biggs, Kassidy Woolum | Action on the Bill <table style="width: 100%; border: none;"> <tr> <td style="width: 50%; text-align: center;">House</td> <td style="width: 50%; text-align: center;">Senate</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> <td style="text-align: center;">___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> <td style="text-align: center;">___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> </tr> </table> | House | Senate | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated |
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| School: Boyd Co. MS | | | | | | | |
| City: Ashland | | | | | | | |

An Act Relating To An act relating to motorcycle safety

Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky

Section 1: In an effort to decrease motorcycle related deaths and injuries, the Commonwealth of Kentucky should required everyone of all ages to wear protective headgear while using a motorcycle.


Section 2: KRS 189.285, section 3, regulations for operating and riding on motorcycles- headgear requirements states: `the following persons shall be required to wear protective headgear, in the manner prescribed by the secretary of the Transportation Cabinet, at all times the motorcycles they are riding are in motion on a public highway: (a) A person under the age of twenty-one (21) years who is operating a motorcycle or who is a passenger on a motorcycle or in a sidecar attachment; (b) A person who possesses a motorcycle instruction permit and who is operating a motorcycle; and (c) A person who has held a valid motorcycle operator’s license, or combination motor vehicle-motorcycle operator’s license, for less than one (1) year and who is operating a motorcycle.

Section 3: This law will be revised by making it illegal to ride a motorcycle without a helmet, which will make it safer for all motorcyclists. Delete sections (a)-(c) and revise this section to say, “All persons shall be required to wear protective headgear, in the manner prescribed by the secretary of the Transportation Cabinet, at all times the motorcycles they are riding are in motion on a public highway.”

Section 4: The punishment for motorcyclists who do not abide by the current headgear law is a fine, ranging from \$100 to \$500, and a 90-day license suspension. This penalty will stay the same with the passing of this new bill.

Section 5: This bill will not require any additional funding to implement.

Section 6: This bill will go into effect January 1st, 2020.

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|  KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Commonwealth Bill | Blue CW 6 | | | | | | |
| | Referred to Committee: House 1 | | | | | | |
| Sponsors: Aubrey Stevens, Sydney Clark, Hope Smallwood, Ayden Pack | Action on the Bill | | | | | | |
| School: Boyd Co. MS | | | | | | | |
| City: Ashland | | | | | | | |
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1 An Act Relating To An act to revise KRS 525.130 and 525.135 regarding offenses against animal cruelty

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3 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**

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5 Section 1: Kentucky is ranked the worst state in the nation for animal protection laws. Kentucky
6 earned its lowest spot in the rankings because the legislature has yet to pass a number of
7 important, and increasingly universal, protections. Currently stated in KRS 525.130 Section 4,
8 "Cruelty to animals in the Second Degree is a Class A Misdemeanor." in KRS 525.135 Section 3,
9 torture of a dog or cat is a Class A Misdemeanor for the first offense and a Class D Felony for
10 each subsequent offense if the animal continues to suffer.

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12 Section 2: In KRS 525.130 Section 4 amend "Class A Misdemeanor" to a class C Felony. In KRS
13 525.135 Section 3, amend "Class A Misdemeanor for the First Offense and a Class D Felony for
14 each subsequent offense" to a permanent Class C Felony.

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16 Section 3: The cost of this bill is minimal because it is covered by public taxes funded by the state.

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18 Section 4: This will go into effect six months after being passed.

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|  KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Commonwealth Bill | Blue CW 7 | | | | | | |
| | Referred to Committee: House 2 | | | | | | |
| Sponsors: Aeryn Reddish, Ariel Gee, Josey Hoskins, Neptali Olvera | Action on the Bill | | | | | | |
| School: Browning Springs MS | | | | | | | |
| City: Madisonville | | | | | | | |
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- 1 An Act Relating the removal of all children from the home if one is removed by Child Protective Services
- 2 (CPS).
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- 4 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**
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- 6 Section 1: This act will ensure that when Child Protective Services are called into the home of a
- 7 child, and removal is deemed necessary, that all children under 18 will then be removed.
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- 9 Section 2: The cost will vary depending on how many children are removed from the home and
- 10 have to be placed in foster care.
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- 12 Section 3: The state of Kentucky and Department for Community Based Services will enforce this
- 13 law.
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- 15 Section 4: This bill will go into effect on January 1, 2020.

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|  KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Commonwealth Bill | Red CW 8 | | | | | | |
| | Referred to Committee: House 2 | | | | | | |
| Sponsors: Kacey McCray, Trianiti Falco | Action on the Bill | | | | | | |
| School: Burgin Independent School | | | | | | | |
| City: Burgin | | | | | | | |
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1 An act to require quarterly water testing in Kentucky school systems.
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3 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**
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5 Section 1: Contaminated water is an ongoing issue in the state of Kentucky. Students and staff in all counties are
6 drinking water that could potentially contain high amounts of lead. According to the Natural Resource Defense Council
7 (in 2017), Kentucky is classified with one of the highest numbers of people who are affected by the health-based
8 violations of federal drinking water and is ranked fifth worst state in quality of drinking water.
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10 Section 2: Fresh, clean water is something that every student and school staff member in the State of Kentucky
11 should have access to. In order to ensure this is the case, all schools will be required to test their water for lead
12 quarterly (every 3 months). If lead is detected in the water, additional tests will be conducted monthly until the lead is
13 stabilized to an appropriate amount (less than 5ppb). These water tests will be managed by the local water
14 association. If water exceeds the 5ppb of lead then the school will have to take action immediately to stabilize the
15 amount of lead in the water.
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17 Section 3: The state government, along with the Kentucky Department of Education (KDE) will provide partial funding
18 (\$50) to each school in Kentucky. The local water association and schools will provide the rest of necessary funding.
19 On average, water testing kits range from \$10-30, resulting in the total cost ranging from \$21,520 - \$64,560.
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21 Section 4: The Kentucky Department of Education (KDE) and local School Boards will enforce this act in every public
22 and private school in Kentucky. They will do so by checking in with the local water association every month to ensure
23 the institutes have their water analyzed.
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25 Section 5: The school's fine for having water that exceeds the 5ppb of lead will be \$100 each month, plus the cost to
26 fix the amount of lead. This money will be paid to KDE and will go into their funding for this act, until the water is
27 purified and meets state standards.
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29 Section 6: If schools decide to get an all new filtration system they will still need to monitor their water system by
30 testing their water every 6 months. This is not a mandatory solution to the problem but will have the same effects as
31 purifying the water.
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33 Section 7: Another potential solution to the un-purified water is to install water fountains with filters in the school.
34 One filtered water fountain costs roughly \$1,000. This will also require that the school conduct a water test every 6
35 months.
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37 Section 8: This bill will go into effect January 1, 2021.

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|  KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Commonwealth Bill | Red CW 9 | | | | | | |
| | Referred to Committee: Senate 2 | | | | | | |
| Sponsors: Katie Downs, Parker Bell | Action on the Bill | | | | | | |
| School: Community Montessori School | | | | | | | |
| City: Lexington | | | | | | | |
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1 An Act Relating To Install Solar Panel Street Lights on Kentucky Department of Transportation Owned Roads

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3 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**

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5 Section 1: This bill will provide solar-powered street lights on all of the roads owned and operated
6 by the Kentucky Department of Transportation. Kentucky uses around 20% of the state's energy
7 and electricity per year to power Kentucky's street lights. Kentucky spends around 2.8 million
8 dollars per year to operate the street lights. This bill will decrease by half, making the price of 1.4
9 million dollars.

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11 Section 2: The Kentucky Department of Transportation will pay for the street lights, using their
12 current street light fund. A street light normally costs up to \$8,300 over a year, whereas solar
13 panel street lights cost a little over half that price to over that same amount of time, \$5,500. This
14 is also efficient because it reduces the amount of energy used in Kentucky per year.

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16 Section 3: The bill will switch the street lights from electricity to solar power over a course of 9 to
17 10 years. This will be very easy to elevate because all we have to do is install solar panels onto
18 the already existing street lights. After we put them up we will switch straight to solar panel
19 power. They will stay connected to electricity boxes so that in case of emergency, they will have a
20 backup. That way, we can insure drivers that they will be safe.

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22 Section 4: This bill will go into effect April 17, 2020.

|  KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Commonwealth Bill | Red CW 10 | | | | | | |
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| | Referred to Committee: House 1 | | | | | | |
| Sponsors: Alexis Ayers, Kaleb Daniel, Anthony Counts, Neely Lambert | Action on the Bill <table> <tr> <th>House</th> <th>Senate</th> </tr> <tr> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> </tr> <tr> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> </tr> </table> | House | Senate | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated |
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| School: Drakes Creek MS | | | | | | | |
| City: Bowling Green | | | | | | | |


1 An Act Relating To Implementing Chemical Castration For Anyone Convicted of Sex Crimes Against a Child
2 thirteen years or younger

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4 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**


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6 Section 1: This bill requires chemical castration for all convicted rapists and molesters, who are on
7 parole, that have been found guilty of violating a child thirteen years or younger.

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9 Section 2: Chemical castration prevents rapists and molesters from being sexually driven and
10 aroused, preventing criminal sex acts. This bill would lessen jail time in return for a longer
11 probation, allowing them to transition into law abiding citizens.

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13 Section 3: No funding is required. This bill would actually save the Commonwealth money.

|  KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Commonwealth Bill | Red CW 11 | | | | | | |
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| | Referred to Committee: Senate 4 | | | | | | |
| Sponsors: Brody Crabtree, Logan Matteson, Nora justice, Cassidy Brandon | Action on the Bill <table> <tr> <th>House</th> <th>Senate</th> </tr> <tr> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> </tr> <tr> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> </tr> </table> | House | Senate | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated |
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| School: Drakes Creek MS | | | | | | | |
| City: Bowling Green | | | | | | | |

- 1 An Act Relating to Providing Therapy rooms in all public schools K-12
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- 3 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**
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- 5 Section 1: All public schools, elementary-high, will provide an area where a child who has been
- 6 medically diagnosed with disorders such as GAD (Generalized Anxiety Disorder), autism,
- 7 Emotional-Behavioral Disorders, PTSD... to decompress, take tests, or take time to regroup after
- 8 social situations.
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- 10 Section 2: Children with diagnoses related to these Social Issues is at an all time high impacting
- 11 grades, attendance, and overall academic performance.
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- 13 Section 3: There will be no additional funding needed for this bill to be enacted.

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|  KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Commonwealth Bill | Blue CW 12 | | | | | | |
| | Referred to Committee: Senate 3 | | | | | | |
| Sponsors: Hunter Smith, Damean Willis, Ethan Hamilton, Jacob Black | Action on the Bill <table style="width: 100%; border: none;"> <tr> <td style="width: 50%; text-align: center;">House</td> <td style="width: 50%; text-align: center;">Senate</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> <td style="text-align: center;">___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> <td style="text-align: center;">___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> </tr> </table> | House | Senate | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated |
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| School: East Jessamine MS | | | | | | | |
| City: Nicholasville | | | | | | | |

An Act Relating To An Amendment Of House Bill 415

Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky

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Section 1: Amendment of House Bill 415, upgrading the penalty of killing a person in a vehicle while distracted to a second-degree murder. Currently, if the distraction of a driver results in the death of a person it is registered as a vehicular homicide.

Section 2: These charges will be proportioned to the charges of killing a person while driving under the influence of an impairing substance. The law defines distracted driving as the following "Distracted driving is driving while performing any activity which could potentially distract a driver from the primary task of operating a vehicle. In theory, it can be anything that could take a driver's eyes off the road, or mental concentration away from driving."

Section 3: Infrastructural changes may be required specifically in the areas of correctional facilities. Also, statewide PSA's to get the word out about the updates will be around 13,000 dollars per month over a six month period starting on February 1st, 2020. This bill will be implemented on October 1st 2020, the beginning of the business year.



KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION
KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY
Commonwealth Bill

Red | CW 13

Referred to Committee:
House 4

Sponsors: Cason Toombs, Hope Elmore

School: East Oldham MS

City: Crestwood

Action on the Bill

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Senate

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An Act Relating To Reducing Chemical Pesiticide Use

Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky

Section 1: Chemical pesticides are to be reduced in suburban sites as it has a large impact on our environment and individual health

Section 2: Upon passage of this law, individuals who suffer from health conditions related to pesticide use who live within Individuals may submit their soil to an annual inspection by the Kentucky Department of Agriculture. If their soil passes inspection they may receive a 250\$ tax deduction on their state income taxes

Section 3: This bill goes into effect January 1st 2021

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|  KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Commonwealth Bill | Red CW 14 | | | | | | |
| | Referred to Committee: House 2 | | | | | | |
| Sponsors: Landon Franich, Landon Haycraft, Levi Rogers, Cooper Lee | Action on the Bill <table> <tr> <td>House</td> <td>Senate</td> </tr> <tr> <td>____ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> <td>____ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> </tr> <tr> <td>____ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> <td>____ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> </tr> </table> | House | Senate | ____ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ____ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ____ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated | ____ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated |
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| School: Grayson Co. MS | | | | | | | |
| City: Leitchfield | | | | | | | |

1 An Act to Implement a Suicide Prevention Plan in Schools

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3 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**

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5 Section 1: Suicide is when a person purposely takes their own life. In 2017 alone, suicide was the
6 cause of 776 deaths across Kentucky, meaning approximately one person committed suicide every
7 11 hours. Our bill serves to help those students who are thinking of taking their own lives.


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9 Section 2: This bill will require schools to implement a program which offers help and support to
10 students with suicidal thoughts. Enforcement of this bill will be the responsibility of the Kentucky
11 Department of Education

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13 Section 3: Funding will not be needed for this legislation due to the fact that school districts will
14 design and implement their own programs.

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16 Section 4: If a district does not comply with this bill within a calendar year, they will be penalized
17 with a \$5,000 decrease in state funding, a \$10,000 reduction on the second offense, and the
18 third failure to comply with this bill will result in the school system having to write an
19 improvement plan to remedy the situation.

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21 Section 5: All laws in conflict with this bill are considered null and void.

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23 Section 6: This bill will go into effect July 1, 2020.

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|  KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Commonwealth Bill | Red CW 15 | | | | | | |
| | Referred to Committee: Senate 1 | | | | | | |
| Sponsors: Amelia Hayes, Averi Decker, Houston Brooks | Action on the Bill | | | | | | |
| School: Grayson Co. MS | | | | | | | |
| City: Leitchfield | | | | | | | |
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1 An Act to Require All Online Vape Shops to Not Be Allowed to Ship to Kentucky

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3 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**

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5 Section 1: Did you know there have been over 100 cases of seizures recorded from the use of
6 certain products. These products are easy to access, and there's a good chance you even come into contact
7 with them regularly. You could be wondering which products would cause such damage. The seizures have
8 been caused by dangerous chemicals. The use of these products has increased by over 20% in the past
9 eight years. In addition to extremely dangerous chemicals, most of these products also contain nicotine.
10 While it's not as dangerous as some chemicals nicotine also has dangerous effects. One of the negative
11 impacts is that this nicotine stunts brain growth which is supposed to continue until you're 25. These
12 dangerous chemicals are found in e-cigs, vapes, and other related products. The easiest way for kids to get
13 vaping products is online shops. The reason for this is because kids can get e-cigs underage online.


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15 Section 2: This bill will require all online vape shops that ship to Kentucky to cease shipping to our state
16 and be fined if they do so. The FDA will enforce this bill because they have control over all vape and e-cig
17 products. The states of Utah and Arkansas have already placed bans on shipping vapes to their states. The
18 KOG will also enforce this bill because it is the software system designed to keep your data safe and to let
19 you easily connect to the business applications that you frequently use. Therefore, if an online vape shop is
20 someone's frequently used business application (in Kentucky), KOG can deny access to that someone's
21 device.

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23 Section 3: This bill will cost nothing to the commonwealth of Kentucky. It will actually be a source of
24 funding for our state. It will be a source of funding because the fines that are charged will be given to the
25 Commonwealth to use as they see fit.

26
27 Section 4: If any individual online Vape shop owner does not comply with this bill, then on their first
28 offense, they'll have to pay a \$1,500 fine. On their second offense they will have to refund all the vapes
29 they sold to Kentuckians. On their third offense, they will have to close their online shop for six months
30 and not open a local shop in Kentucky for six months. On their fourth offense, they will have to re-refund
31 all the vapes they sold to Kentuckians and spend up to three years in prison. On their fifth offense if after
32 prison they still have an online vape shop, they will have to close their shop for good and go back to prison
33 for four years.

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35 Section 5: All laws or parts of laws in conflict with this bill are hereby considered null and void.

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37 Section 6: This law will be in effect by September 1, 2020.

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|  KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Commonwealth Bill | Red CW 16 | | | | | | |
| | Referred to Committee: Senate 2 | | | | | | |
| Sponsors: Rilee Jo Penner | Action on the Bill <table> <tr> <td>House</td> <td>Senate</td> </tr> <tr> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> </tr> <tr> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> </tr> </table> | House | Senate | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated |
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| School: Grayson Co. MS | | | | | | | |
| City: Leitchfield | | | | | | | |

1 An Act to Require Public Schools in Kentucky to Install a Nightlock Lockdown Security Device

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3 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**

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5 Section 1: School shootings claim the lives of children and adults in the United States every year.
6 Just last year, 113 people were either killed or injured in school shootings in the U.S. Last year
7 was the highest number of incidents ever recorded in figures going back to 1970. That is why we
8 would like to require public schools in Kentucky to install a Nightlock Lockdown security device to
9 be used in case of emergencies. These Nightlock Lockdown security devices will help prevent the
10 deaths and injuries during school shootings in Kentucky.


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12 Section 2: This bill will require all school staff in Kentucky to have a Nightlock Lockdown security
13 device installed in each of their classrooms and offices. The local law enforcement of each school
14 will enforce this law when doing their scheduled lockdown practice drills.

15
16 Section 3: This installation of the Nightlock Lockdown security device will be installed by the
17 custodians or maintenance employees of each public Kentucky school. Nightlock Lockdown
18 security devices can withstand 2,000 lbs. on a door that opens into a room and 1,600 lbs. to
19 doors that open out of the room. These devices are very easily installed and attached to the door
20 and shouldn't be any problem to install. Each device would cost around \$50 and would be funded
21 by the school district's general fund.

22
23 Section 4: If a school fails to comply with this bill, the first offense will result in a warning. They
24 will then be given one month to get the devices installed. A second offense will result in a \$5,000
25 fine for the district. The last offense will result in state funding being frozen and the school
26 district having to shut down until the devices are installed.

27
28 Section 5: All laws or parts of laws that conflict with this bill are hereby considered null or void.

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30 Section 6: This bill will go into effect on July 1, 2020.

|  KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Commonwealth Bill | Blue CW 17 | | | | | | |
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| | Referred to Committee: House 3 | | | | | | |
| Sponsors: Amelie Beck, Ava Emberson, Abby Gentner, Ben Scobee | Action on the Bill <table> <thead> <tr> <th>House</th> <th>Senate</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> </tr> <tr> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> | House | Senate | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated |
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| School: Holy Trinity Parish School | | | | | | | |
| City: Louisville | | | | | | | |

1 An Act Relating To Pediatric Cancer Research Funding

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3 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**

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5 Section 1: This bill would amend KRS 211.595 by allocating more money above the current \$2.5
6 million available for pediatric cancer research in the Pediatric Cancer Research Trust Fund.


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8 Section 2: Under the current law, adult cancer research receives a disproportionately larger
9 amount of money than pediatric cancer research.

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11 Section 3: In the last 20 years, there has been inadequate funding for research and development
12 of new pediatric cancer drugs.

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14 Section 4: The Pediatric Cancer Research Fund currently receives money from income tax check off
15 created in KRS 141.445 and any other proceeds from grants, contributions, appropriations or
16 other moneys made available for the purposes of this fund.

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18 Section 5: This bill will be funded using money that is already available for cancer research in the
19 annual budget.

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21 Section 6: This bill will go into effect on January 1, 2020.

|  <p>KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Commonwealth Bill</p> | Red CW 18 | | | | | | |
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| | Referred to Committee: House 3 | | | | | | |
| Sponsors: George Baker, Joey Falco, Landon Oliver Marschand, Zach Moss | <p>Action on the Bill</p> <table> <tr> <th>House</th> <th>Senate</th> </tr> <tr> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> </tr> <tr> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> </tr> </table> | House | Senate | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated |
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| School: Hopkinsville MS | | | | | | | |
| City: Hopkinsville | | | | | | | |

1 An Act Relating To raise the age requirement for boat licenses

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3 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**

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5 Section 1: Over 50% of boating accidents occur with a driver that is under 18 years of age. This is
6 an easily solved problem by simply raising the age requirement from 12 to 16 years old.


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8 Section 2: It would be beneficial to raise the age requirement to that of a driving license(16) so
9 that the driver has experience with public roads, waterways as well as having maturity in age.

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11 Section 3: .In Kentucky there have been 50 boating accidents according to Wikipedia around 30 of
12 those accidents were caused by a driver under the age of 18, with this new law we will effectively
13 cut the amount of boating related accidents by 60% by only raising the age to have a license by 4
14 years.

15
16 Section 4: If a driver under the required age of 18 is caught without a license then their boat will
17 be impounded by the police and will have to pay a fine to have it returned.

18
19 Section 5: If someone repeats the offense 3 times or more their vehicle will be confiscated and
20 they must pay to have it returned, after a year if they don't pay then it will be sold to the highest
21 bidder any boating offenses after will result in court and possibly jail time.

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23 Section 6: This bill will be enforced by the water police and will be funded by tax money and
24 donations and will be enforced in around one year after passage to allow people to get new
25 boating license.

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|  KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Commonwealth Bill | Red CW 19 | | | | | | |
| | Referred to Committee: House 1 | | | | | | |
| Sponsors: Allison Delahunt, Kaylee Wright, Alyssa Meyer, Michaela Ziegler | Action on the Bill | | | | | | |
| School: Hopkinsville MS | | | | | | | |
| City: Hopkinsville | | | | | | | |
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1 An act to require a free app and be part of the school’s website, to report school threats
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3 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**
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5 Section 1: Many threats of school shootings are not being reported. We believe that a good
6 percentage of the threats are not reported or are false.
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8 Section 2: This sometimes causes more and more student not to come to school because of these
9 threats, which causes loss of education.
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11 Section 3: This bill would cost very little. It would merely cost a few dollars for this app to be
12 established on the school’s website. This will be paid from the school’s budget.
13

14 Section 4: The penalty would be that the school must pay a fine of \$75 the first year it is not
15 implemented. Afterwards, an additional \$25 per year would be applied. Adults reporting false
16 threats will be fined \$300. Students reporting false threats will be sent to alternative school for
17 a school year.
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19 Section 5: The date the bill will become law is a month before the new school year.
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21 Section 6: The report of the threat goes directly to the police station. Once investigated, the app
22 and website will notify students and parents whether the school is safe to attend. This helps to
23 provide a safe environment for our fellow students.

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|  KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Commonwealth Bill | Red CW 20 | | | | | | |
| | Referred to Committee: Senate 3 | | | | | | |
| Sponsors: Eliza Renshaw, Hannah Wolfe | Action on the Bill | | | | | | |
| School: Hopkinsville MS | | | | | | | |
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1 An act to require all public schools to provide bottled water to student riding the bus or walking home when
2 the heat index reaches above ninety degrees.

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4 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**

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6 Section 1: Many counties in Kentucky do not provide their students with cold water when they are
7 being transported by school buses or walking on there way home from school. Some students have
8 fainted on the way home from school due to the hot weather. This is very dangerous and could be
9 fatal.

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11 Section 2: If a student goes without a source of hydration from lunch until the time they get
12 home, they could end up being very dehydrated.

13


14 Section 3: The first offence of schools who fails to provide their students with water when the
15 heat index reaches above ninety degrees will be to fine them the amount the water would have
16 cost. If a school commits the offence a second time they will be fined double the amount of the
17 first offence along with a warning of a 5,000 dollar fine if the action happens again. If a school
18 commits the offence a third time they will be fined triple the amount of the first offence and an
19 additional 5,000 dollar fine. They will also receive a warning stating that if they commit the
20 offence again they will receive a 20,000 dollar fine. If the offence occurs a fourth time the school
21 will be fined quadruple the amount of the first offence along with a 20,000 dollar fine. Any
22 offences after this, will be corrected by repeating the consequence of the fourth offence.

23

24 Section 4: This bill will be funded by the school systems and will cost the state no money. Schools
25 will have to plan the cost of the water into their budget, fundraise, or get a grant to receive the
26 amount of money they need to pay for the water in full.

27

28 Section 5: The Kentucky Department of Education would be the ones enforcing this bill. On
29 random days when water should be passed out a representative will be sent to ensure the
30 guidelines are being followed. If a parent or student makes compliant that they or their child did
31 not get water they should have received The Kentucky Department of Education will be
32 responsible for investigating into the complaint.

|  KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Commonwealth Bill | Red CW 21 | | | | | | |
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| | Referred to Committee: Senate 3 | | | | | | |
| Sponsors: Abi Beller, Bella Frost, Timberly Frederick, Nadia Smith | Action on the Bill <table> <tr> <th>House</th> <th>Senate</th> </tr> <tr> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> </tr> <tr> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> </tr> </table> | House | Senate | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated |
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| School: Knox Co. MS | | | | | | | |
| City: Barbourville | | | | | | | |

1 An Act Relating To Amend the starting age of 18 to age 16 for Casey’s Law.

2
3 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**


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5 Section 1: Casey’s Law became effective in the state of Kentucky in 2004. Casey’s Law is named
6 after Matthew Casey who died of a drug overdose in 2002. This act provides a means of
7 intervening with someone who is unable to recognize his or her need for treatment due to their
8 impairment. This law allows parents, relatives and/or friends to petition the court for treatment
9 on behalf of the substance abuse-impaired person.

10
11 Section 2: At any age, a person can be forced to receive substance abuse treatment if criminal
12 activity is involved and the court orders treatment. Casey’s Law can provide treatment for loved
13 ones even when they are not in legal trouble.

14
15 Section 3: If someone is 18 years or older, then Casey’s law can be applied if they meet the
16 criteria. Or, children who are age 15 and under can be required treatment by their guardians. This
17 means that children who are 16 or 17 years old can refuse to consent to medical treatment for
18 drug or alcohol abuse. These are the gap years for those suffering from substance abuse.

19
20 Section 4: Currently, Casey’s Law can be implemented on someone who is 18 years or older. This
21 bill would change the age that Casey’s law can be enforced from 18 to the age of consent, 16.

22
23 Section 5: This bill would require no funding and would be enacted immediately after passage.

|  KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Commonwealth Bill | Red CW 22 | | | | | | |
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| | Referred to Committee: House 2 | | | | | | |
| Sponsors: Emma Combs, Laney Ledford | Action on the Bill <table> <tr> <th>House</th> <th>Senate</th> </tr> <tr> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> </tr> <tr> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> </tr> </table> | House | Senate | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated |
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| School: McNabb MS | | | | | | | |
| City: Mt. Sterling | | | | | | | |

1 An act to relating to providing SIDS information to new parents

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3 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**

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5 Section 1: In Kentucky, innocent children die from SIDS (sudden infant death syndrome) each year
6 without parents having the information that they need to reduce these risks. This bill will require
7 all hospitals to give new parents information about SIDS and how to reduce the risks with their
8 babies as part of their discharge papers.

9


10 Section 2: This will cost the Commonwealth of Kentucky an initial fee of \$200 to develop an
11 original template. Hospitals would be responsible for printing copies for their patients. This
12 amount will be drawn from the general fund.

13

14 Section 3: The board of each hospital will be in charge of enforcing this policy within its own
15 hospital(s). Compliance will be determined through regular screening by the Kentucky Cabinet for
16 Health and Family Services.

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18 Section 4: Hospitals found out of compliance with this law will be given a written warning and
19 have 30 days to amend their policies and practices. Failure to comply after the first written
20 warning will result in a \$500 fine per incident.

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|  KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Commonwealth Bill | Red CW 23 | | | | | | |
| | Referred to Committee: Senate 1 | | | | | | |
| Sponsors: Griffin Loy, Reggie Smith | Action on the Bill | | | | | | |
| School: Meece MS | | | | | | | |
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1 An Act Relating To The Creation Of A New Character Development/Religion Class.

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3 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**


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5 Section 1: This law shall be enforced because all around Kentucky students are being wrongly
6 exposed to drugs and other substances that can be abused, as well as, opportunities to vandalize
7 and commit other minor crimes such as theft .The character development/religion class will
8 develop a strong character and conscience that prevent these misdemeanors and felonies that are
9 corrupting our young people in our city and towns across Kentucky. Also, it will bring about the
10 return of religion into the education system which is a state’s right. Religion will be taught, not to
11 discriminate, but to provide guidance in the moral way of living, with a focus on character
12 development, and to provide proof of equality and freedom in the founding of this country.
13 Different views from all religions will be taught.We will offer this class as not only an extra
14 curricular class but if a student is in ISS/detention three times a month they will have an option
15 between detention or this character/religion class. If this bill gets passed we promise that this will
16 only create better opportunities for everyone and a better life.

17
18 Section 2: The moral and religious corrosion in society due to the onslaught of addiction and lack
19 of a safe environment of developing children requires us as a state and community, to help guide
20 young people to make good quality decisions that are sound and great for our community. The
21 purpose is to set the education system back on track behaviorally and morally to aid in the
22 development of our state. The Kentucky State Department of Education will be responsible for
23 creating standards for the class.

24
25 Section 3: Schools must provide this class by the required date. Failure to do so will result in
26 funding cuts from the state. Flex funding and SEEK funding will be reduced by one percent each
27 year the school is non compliant to the creation of this class.

28
29 Section 4: Funding will come from state education department that goes specifically to fund the
30 specific school as with the rest of the funding for state classes.

31
32 Section 5: Our bill will take place starting in 2021-2022 school year. And will be enforced by The
33 Kentucky Department of Education.

|  KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Commonwealth Bill | Blue CW 24 | | | | | | |
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| | Referred to Committee: House 4 | | | | | | |
| Sponsors: Leo McAllister, Kevin Lin | Action on the Bill <table> <tr> <th>House</th> <th>Senate</th> </tr> <tr> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> </tr> <tr> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> </tr> </table> | House | Senate | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated |
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| School: Meyzeek MS | | | | | | | |
| City: Louisville | | | | | | | |


1 An Act Relating To Library Funding

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3 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**

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5 Section 1: Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky to create a
6 library fund for public libraries for systems that would ensure libraries are open 7 days a week for
7 at least 8 hours in every county in Ky.

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9 Section 2: A NEW SECTION OF KRS CHAPTER 171.150 IS CREATED TO READ AS FOLLOWS: (1) All
10 counties to have a public library accessible seven days a week (2) Each county to have a library
11 with no fewer than eight hours per day, including hours after day-time working hours.

12
13 Section 3: Any statute contrary to this Act shall be amended or repealed.

|  KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Commonwealth Bill | Blue CW 25 | | | | | | |
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| | Referred to Committee: Senate 2 | | | | | | |
| Sponsors: Charlie Grohmann, Isaac Niedens, Aidan Green, Dant Parker | Action on the Bill <table> <tr> <th>House</th> <th>Senate</th> </tr> <tr> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> </tr> <tr> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> </tr> </table> | House | Senate | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated |
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| School: Meyzeek MS | | | | | | | |
| City: Louisville | | | | | | | |

1 An Act Relating To Limiting Access to Firearms

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3 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**

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5 Section 1: Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky that a
6 mandatory background check and basic knowledge test for owning a firearm will be instituted.


7
8 Section 2: If an individual fails the basic knowledge test and the person wants to still obtain their
9 license, they will have to take a gun safety and training course at a local firing range that is
10 monitored by a government official to ensure the individual is knowledgeable in the safety of
11 firearms.

12
13 Section 3: After two years you need to get your permit/license renewed by going through a similar
14 test and you would need to get another background check.

15
16 Section 4: Every month of overdue gun renewal, you get phone call reminders for the gun to be
17 renewed.

18
19 Section 5: If you fail to report to get your permit renewed, then your gun license is revoked and
20 you get fined \$250 after six months of reminders. After 6 months of continuous monthly fines,
21 you get warned. Six months after that, you must go through the same process as in section 1, and
22 you get charged with a violation.

23
24 Section 6: If something happens to the firearm you must report it to the government stating what
25 happened.


|  KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Commonwealth Bill | Red CW 26 | | | | | | |
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| School: Monroe Co. MS | | | | | | | |
| City: Tompkinsville | | | | | | | |

An Act Relating To Time.


Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky

Section 1: A NEW SECTION OF KRS CHAPTER 2 IS CREATED TO READ AS FOLLOWS:(1) The state of Kentucky shall adopt a permanent daylight saving time. (2)"Daylight saving time" means the advancement of standard time by one hour that occurs each year.


Section 2: This Act takes effect the first Sunday of November on which the state is authorized to observe daylight saving time year-round.

|  KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Commonwealth Bill | Red CW 27 | | | | | | |
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| | Referred to Committee: Senate 2 | | | | | | |
| Sponsors: Benjamin Mackay, Lilliana Nelson Spehar, Lorelai Lichtsteiner | Action on the Bill <table> <tr> <th>House</th> <th>Senate</th> </tr> <tr> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> </tr> <tr> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> </tr> </table> | House | Senate | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated |
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| School: Montessori School of Louisville | | | | | | | |
| City: Louisville | | | | | | | |


1 An Act Relating To Increasing the Pay of Social Workers in Kentucky
2
3 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**
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5 Section 1: A NEW SECTION OF KAR CHAPTER 23 SUBSECTION 060 IS CREATED TO READ AS
6 FOLLOWS: All licensed social workers, certified social workers, and licensed clinical social workers
7 shall receive a one time 10% increase in salary on January 1, 2021
8
9 Section 2: This reallocation of funds would add 2% to the \$1.056 trillion budget for Health and
10 Family Services personnel thereby increasing efficiency and performance of social workers and
11 reducing child abuse in the Commonwealth.
12
13 Section 3: Be it also enacted by this bill that any surpluses in the state Judicial budget due to
14 reduced court costs due to the reduction of cases resulting from improved social work shall be
15 appropriated to Health and Family Services.
16
17 Section 4: These appropriations will go into effect in the 2021 state budget.

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|  KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Commonwealth Bill | Blue CW 28 | | | | | | |
| | Referred to Committee: Senate 4 | | | | | | |
| Sponsors: Corey Mitchell, Broderick Price, La'Niya Malone Bowdre, Imani Price | Action on the Bill | | | | | | |
| School: Nativity Academy | | | | | | | |
| City: Louisville | | | | | | | |
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1 An Act Relating To The Prohibition Of Human Trafficking In Kentucky
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3 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**
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5 Section 1: KRS 529.100 is amended to read as follows: Amend (2)(a) to read as follows, "Human
6 trafficking is a Class B felony unless it involves serious physical injury to a trafficked person, in
7 which case it is a Class A felony."
8
9 Section 2: KRS 529.110 is amended to read as follows: Amend (2) to read as follows, "Promoting
10 human trafficking is a Class C felony unless a victim of the trafficking is under eighteen (18), in
11 which case it is a Class B felony."
12
13 Section 3: KRS 529.140 is amended to read as follows: Amend (3) to read as follows, "Moneys in
14 the fund shall be distributed to agencies serving victims of human trafficking, including but not
15 limited to law enforcement agencies, prosecutorial agencies, and victim service agencies in
16 accordance with procedures developed by the Justice and Public Safety Cabinet pursuant to
17 administrative regulation. The administrative regulation shall require that the Cabinet for Health
18 and Family Services receive adequate funding allocation under this subsection to meet the
19 responsibilities imposed upon it to serve minor victims of human trafficking under KRS 620.029.
20 The administrative regulation shall require that adequate funding be allocated for the creation and
21 maintenance of a human trafficking hotline, free public human trafficking pay phones, anti-human
22 trafficking advertisements in public spaces (including online spaces), and the distribution of
23 pamphlets in spaces where human trafficking is prevalent."

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|  KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Commonwealth Bill | Blue CW 29 | | | | | | |
| | Referred to Committee: Senate 1 | | | | | | |
| Sponsors: Jaci Baker-Green, Sarah Timm, Kendall Geller, Carmen Maudlin | Action on the Bill | | | | | | |
| School: Noe MS | | | | | | | |
| City: Louisville | | | | | | | |
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1 An Act Relating To having the ability to text and send media to the number 9-1-1
2
3 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**
4
5 Section 1: This bill will amend KRS 65.750 (1) by enabling texts, as well as calls (which can
6 currently go through), to be directed to the correct public safety answering points to all 120
7 counties in Kentucky.
8
9 Section 2: Because of their current laws, the counties of Fayette, Jessamine, Gerrard, and Lincoln
10 in the city of Lexington can text phrases to the number 9-1-1, but we are proposing to amend
11 this and incorporate the ability to text media such as photographs and videos to the number as
12 well. The ability to text media such as pictures and videos would also be extended to the
13 remaining 116 counties in Kentucky.
14
15 Section 3: The funding to put this bill into action (which would cover new employment, technology,
16 etc.) would come from federal, state, and local governments - the same place money comes from
17 to fund employment and technology for current 9-1-1 PSAP's (Public Safety Answering Points).
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19 Section 4: This bill would go into effect on March 1, 2020.

|  KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Commonwealth Bill | Blue CW 30 | | | | | | |
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| | Referred to Committee: Senate 2 | | | | | | |
| Sponsors: Alex Secession, Lily Watson, Sophie Young | Action on the Bill <table> <tr> <th>House</th> <th>Senate</th> </tr> <tr> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> </tr> <tr> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> </tr> </table> | House | Senate | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated |
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| School: Noe MS | | | | | | | |
| City: Louisville | | | | | | | |

1 An Act Relating To requiring all companies that use Aspartame in their products to place a warning label
2 stating the dangers of the artificial sweetener.
3
4 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**
5
6 Section 1: Falling under KRS 217.390, this bill requires all companies containing the product
7 Aspartame put warning labels on those selected products abiding by KRS 217.670.
8
9 Section 2: Aspartame, an artificial sweetener known as N-(L-Aspartyl)-L-phenylalanine, 1-methyl
10 ester, causes many side effects opposed to natural sugars that many people are unaware about.
11 The side-effects of high-amounts of Aspartame causes headaches, weight-gain, birth defects,
12 Multiple Sclerosis (MS), cancer, etc. Aspartame ranges in many common grocery items such as diet
13 soda, yogurt, gum, table-top sweeteners, and other sugar-free items.
14
15 Section 3: The companies must follow the guidelines of KRS 217.670, which requires the name
16 and place of business and manufacture, the common name and chemical name of the substance,
17 one of the following signal words: "danger", "warning", or "caution," including statements
18 describing side effects, and must be legible and easily visible.
19
20 Section 4: All costs for design and producing the warning labels will be covered by the specific
21 company making the product containing Aspartame. Stores will not be responsible for providing
22 warning labels for items that contain Aspartame. Companies will only need to pay for the small
23 change in the printing of their product.
24
25 Section 5: If the product containing Aspartame fails to have a warning label when shipped to the
26 store, it can not be shelved or bought by a consumer.
27
28 Section 6: This bill will go into effect on January 1, 2021.

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|  KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Commonwealth Bill | Blue CW 31 | | | | | | |
| | Referred to Committee: House 1 | | | | | | |
| Sponsors: Amelia Connally, Kaelin Gaydos, Evelyn Berg, Brooke Snipp | Action on the Bill | | | | | | |
| School: Noe MS | | | | | | | |
| City: Louisville | | | | | | | |
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1 An Act Relating To requiring health insurance companies to cover the cost of EpiPen auto injectors for
2 children

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4 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**


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6 Section 1: With rising cost of medical solutions for allergies that cause life threatening situations,
7 it is vital for kids with severe allergies to have an EpiPen. This bill proposes that insurance
8 companies are required to cover the costs for EpiPen injectors for kids under the age of 18. An
9 EpiPen is an auto-injector that delivers the drug Epinephrine. Epinephrine is a life-saving medicine
10 that is used when someone is experiencing an allergic reaction also known as anaphylaxis.

11
12 Section 2: The passing of this bill would guarantee that all families with health insurance would be
13 able to afford an EpiPen. This could potentially be a life saving change for families that cannot
14 afford EpiPens. The number of hospital visits related to allergic reactions requiring EpiPens would
15 decrease, also lowering cost insurance would have to pay for this visit.

16
17 Section 3: If this law is broken by any insurance company, they will be forced to refund money to
18 families to make up for the price of the purchased EpiPen.

19
20 Section 4: To offset the cost of manufacturing Epipens, health insurance companies will have to
21 decide if they need to charge consumers extra or if the company has enough money to cover
22 EpiPens without additional costs.

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24 Section 5: This bill will go into effect at the first of the month that follows the required 90 days.

|  KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Commonwealth Bill | Blue CW 32 | | | | | | |
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| | Referred to Committee: House 3 | | | | | | |
| Sponsors: Allie Green, Brooke Reed, Lilly Aloise | Action on the Bill <table> <tr> <th>House</th> <th>Senate</th> </tr> <tr> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> </tr> <tr> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> </tr> </table> | House | Senate | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated |
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| School: Noe MS | | | | | | | |
| City: Louisville | | | | | | | |

1 An Act Relating To the implementation of rehabilitation and educational programs into public prisons.

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3 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**

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5 Section 1: This bill will require the implementation of rehabilitation and educational programs into
6 public prisons in the Commonwealth of Kentucky.

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8 Section 2: This will benefit Kentucky by allowing more people to participate in the workforce, an
9 increased number of votes, emptier prisons, and overall better well-being of families. In the state
10 of Kentucky, currently, a small number of prisons offer rehabilitation and educational programs
11 for prisoners but are not technically required to. About 68 percent of 405,000 prisoners released
12 in 30 states in 2005 were arrested for a new crime within three years of their release from
13 prison, and 77 percent were arrested within five years.

14

15 Section 3: There will be different programs required for different sentences. For example, if a
16 prisoner has a one year sentence, his/her program will differ from a prisoner with a 10 year
17 sentence. Programs include but are not limited to adult education, continuing education, a drug
18 rehabilitation program, a step down program, and cognitive behavioral treatment.

19


20 Section 4: The funding will be received by raising state taxes by 3%. There are 12 public prisons in
21 the state of Kentucky, and there will be 5 social workers/ teachers/ therapists per prison (60
22 total). Their salary would be \$50,000 a year but is subject to change depending on their specific
23 role and prison. Supplies will be included in the funding already given to the prisons. We will also
24 receive a grant from the Second Chance Act Grant program, which funds rehabilitation programs
25 for prisoners. The gross would be \$605,000 (including the salaries, which will be tax-funded by
26 money already given to prisons).

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28 Section 5: It will be a state law and the punishment for not abiding this law is firing the
29 superintendent of the prison.

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31 Section 6: This bill will go into effect on January 1, 2022.

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|  KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Commonwealth Bill | Blue CW 33 | | | | | | |
| | Referred to Committee: House 2 | | | | | | |
| Sponsors: Amelia Jarzomkowski Wade, Lexi Riddle, Mary Hoerter | Action on the Bill <table> <tr> <td>House</td> <td>Senate</td> </tr> <tr> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> </tr> <tr> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> </tr> </table> | House | Senate | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated |
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| School: Noe MS | | | | | | | |
| City: Louisville | | | | | | | |

1 AN ACT requiring all schools to inform their students about fetal abuse for grades 9-12


2
3 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**

4
5 Section 1: According to KRS 507.020, the current law in Kentucky, a person is guilty of a fetal
6 homicide in the first degree. With intent to cause the death of an unborn child or with the intent
7 necessary to commit an offense under KRS 507.020, she causes the death of an unborn child;
8 except that in any prosecution, a person shall not be guilty under this subsection if he acted
9 under the influence of extreme emotional disturbance for which there was a reasonable
10 explanation or excuse, the reasonableness of which is to be determined from the viewpoint of a
11 person in the defendant's situation under the circumstances as the defendant believed them to be.


12
13 Section 2: This bill is required to show a video and hand out pamphlets to spread awareness about
14 fetal abuse and young pregnancy. Individuals between the ages of 18-44 are more likely to drink
15 and do drugs during pregnancy. In Kentucky, nearly 5,000 babies are born with one or more birth
16 defects each year.

17
18 Section 3: Our bill will inform the youth about the effects of fetal abuse and prevent fetal abuse in
19 the state of Kentucky. It will help those currently pregnant to avoid abusing their fetus and
20 provide rehab facilities for women and teenagers in the pamphlet, these pamphlets will be handed
21 out after or before the showing of the educational video held twice a year.

22
23 Section 4: This bill will be enacted at the beginning of the 2020-21 school year

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|  KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Commonwealth Bill | Blue CW 34 | | | | | | |
| | Referred to Committee: Senate 3 | | | | | | |
| Sponsors: Joey Burke, Aidan Clark, Braxton Phillips, Parker Roy | Action on the Bill | | | | | | |
| School: Notre Dame Academy | | | | | | | |
| City: Louisville | | | | | | | |
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1 An Act Relating To Amending KRS438.325 to Increase Age to 21 and Increase Penalties.
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3 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**
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5 Section 1: Under the current law (KRS438.325) in the Commonwealth of Kentucky, it is illegal to
6 sell or distribute tobacco products, alternative nicotine products, or vapor products to persons
7 under the age of eighteen (18) years and that it is illegal for persons under the age of eighteen
8 (18) years to purchase tobacco products, alternative nicotine products, or vapor products. The
9 current penalty for violating this section shall be subject to a fine of not less than one hundred
10 dollars (\$100) nor more than five hundred dollars (\$500) for each violation. The fine shall be
11 administered by the Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control in a civil enforcement procedure.
12
13 Section 2: The amendment would raise the current age from 18 to 21. It would also add additional
14 penalties for more than three violations. The fine would be no less than \$500 and no more than
15 \$1000. Violations totaling more than six would incur jail time plus fines.
16
17 Section 3: According to the Foundation for a Healthy Kentucky, about 14 percent of Kentucky high
18 school students used cigarettes, e-cigarettes or vaping in 2017.
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20 Section 4: Increasing the age of 21 helps prevent teens from ever trying smoking. Research shows
21 that 90 percent of adult smokers started before the age of 21.
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23 Section 5: This bill would go into effect within 3 months of passage.

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|  KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Commonwealth Bill | Blue CW 35 | | | | | | |
| | Referred to Committee: House 4 | | | | | | |
| Sponsors: Cooper Lightle, Jaycie Teale, Aidan Brooks | Action on the Bill | | | | | | |
| School: Notre Dame Academy | | | | | | | |
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1 An Act Relating To Requiring a Firearm Safety Course Before Purchasing a Firearm


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3 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**

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5 Section 1: Before a Kentucky resident buys a firearm for the first time, they have to complete a 6
6 hour firearm safety course. The course has to be an approved or accredited class. The class will
7 consist of training in Basic firearm mechanics & operation Ammunition overview Different types of
8 firearms Concealed Carry General firearm safety Legal instruction including Justifiable Force,
9 Citizen’s Arrest, Reciprocity, Firearm transport, etc Firearm storage & accessories overview
10 (holsters, safes, etc) Escalation of Force Criminal & Civil Liability Firing stances and positions

11
12 Section 2: Once the course is completed, the certified instructor will complete an online
13 verification form which will be sent to the Kentucky State Police. They will keep an online database
14 of those who have completed the course for shop owners or private sellers to access. The
15 database will include the person’s name, address, and social security number. The social security
16 number would not be published online.

17
18 Section 3: If a person purchases a firearm without completing the course and is found in
19 possession of an illegally obtained firearm, their firearm will be seized by the law enforcement
20 agency that made the discovery. The firearm will be kept in the property of the law enforcement
21 agency until the owner of the firearm can provide verification that the safety course has been
22 completed. At the completion of the firearm safety course, they may retrieve their firearm from
23 their local law enforcement agency with a \$500 recovery fine.

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25 Section 4: This bill will go into effect on May 1, 2020.

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|  KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Commonwealth Bill | Blue CW 36 | | | | | | |
| | Referred to Committee: Senate 4 | | | | | | |
| Sponsors: Annabelle Gilvin, Anna Gardner, Lillian Heitz, Lily Bibelhauser | Action on the Bill | | | | | | |
| School: Our Lady of Lourdes ES | | | | | | | |
| City: Louisville | | | | | | | |
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An Act to Establish a Kentucky Red Flag Law

Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky

Section 1: A red flag law temporarily restricts the use of guns to those who are deemed unfit to own a fire-arm. If a student , teacher, parent or friend reports that a weapon has become dangerous to themselves or others that person would temporarily be restricted .


Section 2: It would take 3 or more credible pieces of evidence to be considered for review by trial. Pieces of evidence would have to prove to be a danger to others. Police would investigate the subject for past records.The person who accused the subject would be in courtroom with subject.

Section 3: Upon a judges decision a red flag would be put on the person's record. Once the red flag is enforced they would temporarily have any firearms they own taken and not be able to purchase a firearm. The amount of the restricted time will be set by the judge. The length of the restricted time is from three months up to nine months.

Section 4: The person would be put on trial again after restricted time is finished. The second time the person could get the red flag lifted and weapons back, or serve another set of restricted time. This cycle can only repeat up to three times before weapons would permanently being taken away.

Section 5: Judge would also have the option to put a person into therapy by a court ordered therapist. To be paid for by Kentucky Department of Occupational Therapy.

Section 6: Bill would go into effect immediately after signed into law.

|  KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Commonwealth Bill | Red CW 37 | | | | | | |
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| Sponsors: Ella Denton, Jaleia Hatchett, Kylee VanAtter, Mia Kinnett | Action on the Bill <table> <tr> <th>House</th> <th>Senate</th> </tr> <tr> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> </tr> <tr> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> </tr> </table> | House | Senate | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated |
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| School: Second Street School | | | | | | | |
| City: Frankfort | | | | | | | |

1 An Act Relating To the mandatory distribution of menstrual cups for female inmates in Kentucky prisons and
2 jails.

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4 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**

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6 Section 1: A NEW SECTION OF KRS CHAPTER 441 IS CREATED TO READ AS FOLLOWS: The
7 distribution of feminine hygiene products to female inmates in Kentucky prisons and jails will be
8 mandatory.

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10 Section 2: Feminine products are products used to manage menstrual cycles. Menstrual cups will
11 standard provisions across all correctional facilities housing female inmates.

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13 Section 3: Inmates will be given a menstrual cup upon entry and a new cup will be issued each
14 year. If a cup is lost or no longer usable; a new cup will be provided.

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16 Section 4: Menstrual cups will become a part of each jail and prisons working budget. Menstrual
17 cups will be considered supplies used to operate.

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19 Section 5: This bill will go into effect one year after its passage to allow facilities ample time for
20 provisions.

|  KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Commonwealth Bill | Red CW 38 | | | | | | |
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| | Referred to Committee: Senate 4 | | | | | | |
| Sponsors: Samuel Gilbert, Sam Curry, Margaret Wilkerson, Katie Norman | Action on the Bill <table> <tr> <th>House</th> <th>Senate</th> </tr> <tr> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> </tr> <tr> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> </tr> </table> | House | Senate | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated |
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| School: Second Street School | | | | | | | |
| City: Frankfort | | | | | | | |

1 An Act Relating To to the implementation of a tax on the usage of plastic straws in restaurants
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3 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**
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5 Section 1: A NEW SECTION OF KRS CHAPTER 139 IS CREATED TO READ AS FOLLOWS: A new tax
6 is to be created to tax the usage of plastic straws in restaurants.
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8 Section 2: Under this legislation, an extra 4% will be added to the total cost of the purchase.
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10 Section 3: Revenue generated from this tax will fund grants focused on environmental
11 improvements.
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13 Section 4: This will go into effect by February 20, 2020.

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|  KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Commonwealth Bill | Blue CW 39 | | | | | | |
| | Referred to Committee: House 1 | | | | | | |
| Sponsors: Emily Spears, Chloe Hall, Taylor Allen | Action on the Bill | | | | | | |
| School: South Floyd MS | | | | | | | |
| City: Hi Hat | | | | | | | |
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1 An Act to Require All Schools to Have an Automated External Defibrillator (AED) machine.
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3 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**
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5 Section 1: Kentucky is one of the top ten leading states of heart disease-related deaths in the
6 United States. Each year Kentucky averages more than 10,000 deaths that are caused by heart
7 disease and has become the number one cause of death in the commonwealth. The purpose of this
8 bill is to prevent heart disease-related deaths that could occur at schools.
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10 Section 2: Unlicensed school staff members who are trained for emergency medicine
11 administration for extra-curriculars through KRS 158.838(1)(c) receive training in AED
12 administration and would already have the preparation needed in the event of an emergency.
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14 Section 3: Each school will be required to have one AED machine at their school. AED machines
15 must be centrally located within the school and mounted on a wall in an alarmed cabinet for easy
16 identification.
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18 Section 4: AED machines range between \$800-\$2,000. Districts will have the choice of which type
19 of AED machine they purchase for schools in their district. Funding for AED machines would come
20 from the local board of education.
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22 Section 5: First Offense: School administration will be issued a warning and be given a follow up
23 30 days after. Second Offense: \$500 fine for the school who is not in compliance with this bill and
24 a follow up 30 days later. Third Offense: \$1,000 fine for the school who is not in compliance with
25 this bill and a follow up 30 days later. Offenses would continue this process until the school is in
26 compliance with this bill.
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28 Section 6: This bill will go into effect on December 1, 2020. This will allow schools to allocate and
29 spend appropriate funds to meet the requirements of this new law.

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|  KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Commonwealth Bill | Red CW 40 | | | | | | |
| | Referred to Committee: House 2 | | | | | | |
| Sponsors: Josephine Horlander, Kristen Simon, Emma Knorpp, Hannah Hayden | Action on the Bill | | | | | | |
| School: St. Margaret Mary | | | | | | | |
| City: Louisville | | | | | | | |
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1 An Act Relating To a fee on plastic bags to reduce the amount of plastics filling up Kentucky's landfills and
2 polluting Kentucky's environment.

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4 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**

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6 Section 1: One-Time Use plastic bags are made of polyethylene, which is a derivative of oil and petroleum.
7 According to The World Counts, globally we are using 8% of our oil resources to produce plastic bags,
8 which in turn causes pollution from producing the bags all the way to disposal. These bags eventually end
9 up in landfills or find their way into our waterways where they will never biodegrade. The Science Daily
10 reports that there is nearly 269,000 tons of plastic pollution floating in the ocean. Once in the ocean, the
11 plastic bag will break down and photo-degrade into small pieces that are currently believed to outnumber
12 plankton 6:1. As Kentuckians we need to do our part in decreasing the amount of plastic pollution in the
13 Commonwealth. We can do this by reducing our use of plastic bags.

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15 Section 2: In compliance with 401 KAR 30:301 the Environmental Performance Standards this bill intends
16 to amend KRS Chapter 224 10.10 to add a new program requiring a \$.10 fee per plastic bag at all retail
17 stores in Kentucky.


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19 Section 3: The intent of the program will be to discourage the use of one-time use plastic bags, encourage
20 the use of reusable shopping bags, while reducing the amount of plastic bags ending up in the garbage and
21 polluting Kentucky's environment.

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23 Section 4: Revenue generated from the single use bag fee will be directed to the Kentucky Energy and
24 Environment Cabinet who will in turn use the monies to help fund environmental projects across the
25 Commonwealth for projects such as, but not limited to, waterway cleanups, landfill repurposing, and
26 replacing Kentucky's declining tree canopy.

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28 Section 5: The Kentucky Energy and Environment Cabinet will be required to inform the citizens of Kentucky
29 about the new law through a comprehensive public information campaign.

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31 Section 6: Any store or business who violates this act will be subject to a civil penalty not to exceed the
32 sum of twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000) for each day during which such violation occurs as listed in
33 KRS 224.99-010.

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35 Section 7: This bill will go into effect January 1, 2021.

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|  KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Commonwealth Bill | Red CW 41 | | | | | | |
| | Referred to Committee: Senate 4 | | | | | | |
| Sponsors: Zach Blincoe, Sam Legere, Sam Nemes, Gavin Forrest | Action on the Bill | | | | | | |
| School: St. Margaret Mary | | | | | | | |
| City: Louisville | | | | | | | |
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1 An Act to Amend KY SB150 AN ACT relating to carrying concealed weapons passed March 2019

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3 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**

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5 Section 1: Currently, SB150 allows persons 21 and older who meet legal rules for gun ownership to carry
6 concealed firearms without a license in the same locations as persons with valid licenses issues under KRS
7 237.110, and it eliminates the mandatory safety class and background check previously required. This bill
8 amends SB 150, therefore persons 21 and older who meet legal rules for gun ownership, may carry
9 concealed firearms only with a license, safety training and background check.

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11 Section 2: The purpose of the amendment is to reduce gun violence and deaths by requiring a license,
12 safety course, and background check to carry concealed firearms. This amendment will not reduce citizens
13 constitutional rights, but instead focus on gun safety for all Kentuckians.

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15 Section 3: Kentucky is the 17th state in the nation for gun related deaths. The Kentucky Fraternal Order of
16 Police opposes SB150.


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18 Section 4: To receive a license, all new applicants are required to take and pass firearms safety course
19 taught by approved instructors. Cost is to be no more than \$50. The course will include a four hour safety
20 class and a marksmanship test. To pass, the applicant must hit a full sized target 11 of 20 rounds shot.
21 The distance to the target is seven yards. Instructors will submit scores to the state and the applicant will
22 either pass or fail. If the applicant passes a certificate will be sent through the mail.

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24 Section 5: To receive a license, all new applicants are required to have a background check.

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26 Section 6: All licenses will be suspended or revoked if convicted of a felony, and/or a misdemeanor for
27 domestic violence or assault, DUI, and other drug offences, declared mentally incompetent by a court,
28 issued a restraining order, or is living with a convicted fe

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30 Section 7: Failure to abide by this law will result in: A first violation for illegally carrying a concealed
31 firearm without a license is a fine up to \$500 and/or up to 30 days in jail. A second or subsequent
32 violation is a fine of up to \$500 and/or up to six months

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34 Section 8: This amendment will go into effect immediately after passage.

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|  KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Commonwealth Bill | Blue CW 42 | | | | | | |
| | Referred to Committee: Senate 1 | | | | | | |
| Sponsors: Alex Skaggs, Ryan Higdon | Action on the Bill | | | | | | |
| School: St. Paul ES - Grayson Co. | | | | | | | |
| City: Leitchfield | | | | | | | |
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1 An Act Relating To Raising the Age For Buying Nicotine-based Products to 21


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3 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**

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5 Section 1: In recent years, vaping has become a rage among young people. For years, fortunately,
6 use of tobacco, especially among young people, has been on the decline. However, the health
7 benefits from the decreased use of tobacco has now been undermined by vaping. There is a
8 danger in that both access to and discreet use of vaping, as compared to tobacco. Thus, many
9 more young people have replaced the health dangers of tobacco with those of e-cigs.

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11 Section 2: In an effort to stop this trend, we find it necessary that all nicotine-based products,
12 including both tobacco and vapes should not be allowed for people under the age of 21, since
13 many are starting this habit in high school and early college years.

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15 Section 3: This bill will make it illegal to sell all vaping products, as well as all tobacco products, to
16 anyone under the age of 21, in the state of Kentucky. It will also make it illegal for an older adult
17 to provide any such products to those under 21

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19 Section 4: Businesses who sell such products to those under 21 will be fined \$500 per person who
20 is sold these products. Said businesses will then lose their license to operate after the third
21 offense. Individual people who provide nicotine products to those under 21 will receive a fine of
22 \$250 for each offense.


|  <p>KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Commonwealth Bill</p> | Blue CW 43 | | | | | | |
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| | Referred to Committee: House 2 | | | | | | |
| Sponsors: Samantha Bradley, Sophie Ising, Megan Bates | <p>Action on the Bill</p> <table> <thead> <tr> <th>House</th> <th>Senate</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> </tr> <tr> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> | House | Senate | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated |
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| School: St. Raphael | | | | | | | |
| City: Louisville | | | | | | | |

An Act Relating To Casino Gambling

Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky

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Section 1: Section 2. The following KRS section is repealed: 154A.063 - Prohibited lottery games.
 (2) The corporation shall not approve and operate any casino or similar gambling establishment and shall not approve or operate any game played with playing cards, dice, dominos, slot machines, roulette wheels, or where winners are determined by the outcome of a sports contest.
 Section 2: This Act takes effect on January 1, 2020.

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|  KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Commonwealth Bill | Red CW 44 | | | | | | |
| | Referred to Committee: House 1 | | | | | | |
| Sponsors: Camryn Burcham, Addie Chalfin | Action on the Bill <table> <tr> <td>House</td> <td>Senate</td> </tr> <tr> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> </tr> <tr> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> </tr> </table> | House | Senate | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated |
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| School: Trigg Co. MS | | | | | | | |
| City: Eddyville | | | | | | | |

1 An Act Relating To the inclusion of 40 community service hours to the Minimum High School Graduation
2 Requirements Policy.

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4 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**

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6 Section 1: At the start of the 2019-2020 school year, a new Minimum High School Graduation
7 Requirement Policy began being implemented.

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9 Section 2: This bill will pertain to all Kentucky Public Schools and Private schools may choose to
10 add these requirements to their existing graduation policies.

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12 Section 3: Community service hours may be completed on an individual basis or as a group. If
13 these hours are being completed as a group effort and it is during instructional hours, a member
14 of the school staff must be present.

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16 Section 4: If the Community Service Hours are completed outside of school, the student must be
17 responsible to complete the Monitoring and Self-Reflection forms from the Work-Base Learning
18 Workbook.

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20 Section 5: This bill will be of no cost for out Kentucky's citizens and taxpayers. It will, if anything,
21 be a benefit to our citizens.

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23 Section 6: If a student at the time of graduation does not have the community hours completed,
24 they will not receive their official diploma until the hours are have been completed.

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26 Section 7: If this bill is passed, the class of 2023, currently freshmen, will only be required to
27 obtain 35 hours since the first half of the year has been completed. The 40 hour requirement will
28 begin with current Kentucky 8th graders.

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30 Section 8: This bill will go into effect immediately.

|  KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Commonwealth Bill | Blue CW 45 | | | | | | |
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| | Referred to Committee: Senate 2 | | | | | | |
| Sponsors: Caraline Cordell, Presley Willis, Maddie Green | Action on the Bill <table> <tr> <th>House</th> <th>Senate</th> </tr> <tr> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> </tr> <tr> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> </tr> </table> | House | Senate | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated |
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| School: Warren East MS | | | | | | | |
| City: Bowling Green | | | | | | | |


1 An Act Relating To Recycling Availability in All Areas of Kentucky

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3 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**

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5 Section 1: A NEW SECTION OF KRS CHAPTER 76 IS CREATED TO READ AS FOLLOWS: (1) All
6 Kentucky areas will provide recycling. (2) Recycling for all areas will be provided once a week.

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8 Section 2: There is appropriated to apply for a grant from the Kentucky Pride Fund of 700,000 in
9 fiscal year for 2020-2021 for the purpose of recycling availability.

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11 Section 3: This act takes effect January 15, 2021.

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|  KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Commonwealth Bill | Red CW 46 | | | | | | |
| | Referred to Committee: Senate 1 | | | | | | |
| Sponsors: Josie Nolen, Jenna Jordan, Shaylee Menix, Isaiah Bond | Action on the Bill | | | | | | |
| School: West Carter Co. MS | | | | | | | |
| City: Olive Hill | | | | | | | |
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An Act Relating To restricted purchase of firearms

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Section 1: Be it enacted by the annual youth assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky, this act proposes that Kentucky amends its current requirements to purchase a firearm. This bill will require any individual attempting to purchase a firearm to pass a psychological evaluation in order to obtain the weapon.

Section 2: Currently, any Kentucky resident of 21 years of age or older can purchase a firearm from a private individual without obtaining a permit, withstanding a waiting period, or registering the weapon in Kentucky. This bill would make our Commonwealth a safer place by enforcing this restriction on purchasing firearms.

Section 3: Kentucky residents of 21 years of age or older must pass a psychological examination which would screen individuals for signs of current or prior mental illness including but not limited to anxiety disorders, clinical depression, bipolar disorder, schizophrenia, and addictive behaviors.


Section 4: If an individual did pass the psychological examination, this would be denoted by a sticker on their drivers license or any government-issued form of identification. This sticker must be presented to the seller of the firearm prior to purchase. This would apply to purchases from a private seller or federal firearm dealer. If an individual did not pass the psychological examination, they would not be eligible to purchase a firearm.

Section 5: The purpose of this bill is to prevent any residents who are not mentally stable from obtaining a deadly weapon.

Section 6: This bill will be enforced by Law Enforcement Officers of Kentucky. Those who fail to abide by this law would receive financial penalties, with an increased penalty per offense. Repeated offenses would result in possible jail time.

Section 7: This bill will not require funding.

Section 8: This bill will go into effect upon passing.

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|  KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Commonwealth Bill | Red CW 47 | | | | | | |
| | Referred to Committee: House 3 1 | | | | | | |
| Sponsors: Jonah Hubert, AJ Johnson | Action on the Bill <table> <tr> <td>House</td> <td>Senate</td> </tr> <tr> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> </tr> <tr> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> </tr> </table> | House | Senate | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated | ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated |
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| School: Winburn MS | | | | | | | |
| City: Lexington | | | | | | | |

1 An Act Relating To Ban Mountaintop Removal

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3 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**

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5 Section 1: The government of Kentucky will issue a complete ban on coal extraction processes
6 involving mountaintop removal and related processes with similar environmental effects.


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8 Section 2: The ban will be instituted on January 1st, 2024 to give coal companies time to adapt.

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10 Section 3: To incentivise companies to conform to this bill and still invest in Kentucky coal, we will
11 provide a tax cut of 1%. (current corporate tax rates in Kentucky is 5%, which offsetting this tax
12 cut will cost us about 528,000 USD per year.) Furthermore, previous mountaintop removal
13 workers will be relocated to a standard underground mine of the same company.

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15 Section 4: The government will use the following methods to enforce the ban: a) Deny permission
16 for coal companies to set up new mountaintop removal mines, b) Routine inspections (once
17 monthly and surprise inspections twice a year) of coal companies to ensure they are complying, c)
18 Electricity cuts to defiant mines if necessary.

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20 Section 5: The government will punish defiant mines/companies by the following means: a) A
21 workplace eviction notice will be placed, allowing a 14 day period for relocation, b) If the notice is
22 ignored, then law enforcement will cut electricity, gas, and water, and a 200,000 USD fine for the
23 company. There will be 3 days to comply with the law. c) If work still continues, then there will be
24 an increase in inspection rates, a 450,000 USD fine, and law enforcement will guard the defiant
25 mine, making sure that it is not in operation.

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27 Section 6: Resolved further, the purpose of the proposed bill will be to issue a complete ban on
28 mountaintop removal and related processes. The effects of continuing mountaintop removal are as
29 follows: If we allow mountaintop removal to continue and remain active in

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|  KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Commonwealth Bill | Red CW 48 | | | | | | |
| | Referred to Committee: Senate 3 | | | | | | |
| Sponsors: Mitchel McNeal, Luke Rogers | Action on the Bill | | | | | | |
| School: Winburn MS | | | | | | | |
| City: Lexington | | | | | | | |
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1 An Act Relating To SUICIDE PREVENTION IN EVERY OFFICIAL EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTION IN THE STATE OF
2 KENTUCKY
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4 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**
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6 Section 1: A NEW SECTION OF KRS CHAPTER 204 IS CREATED TO READ AS FOLLOWS: May all
7 official educational institutions be required to have 1 registered and certified psychologist and
8 other certified mental health professionals. who is paid \$62,000 for every 150 students. Failure
9 to comply with this will result in state intervention and a fine to the institution of \$62,000. The
10 administrator or principal who is over the institution which failed to comply will be put on
11 probation.
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13 Section 2: As an amendment to KRS 156.095 all teachers should be trained in face to face
14 conferences quarterly to recognize and help with suicidal thoughts etc and intervene if they deem
15 it necessary. The certified psychologist and other certified mental health professionals will have to
16 help with this training. Failure to comply will result in a fine to the institution and the teacher put
17 on probation.
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19 Section 3: We will fund this through excess taxes which accumulate to 15 million to 20 million a
20 year. We will also use a CDC grant for suicide prevention up to 35 million dollars. We will also run
21 a fundraising campaign through The Save Organization. This can fund and will fund our suicide
22 prevention project.
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24 Section 4: We will use this money to hire and pay the certified psychologist. We will also use this
25 money to set up teacher training conferences across Kentucky yearly.
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27 Section 5: This bill will go into effect in all counties of the state of Kentucky
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29 Section 6: This bill will be enacted on January 5th of 2020 at 00:00:00 AM