

 <b>KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Legislative Bill</b>	<b>Red   Bill # 26</b>							
	<b>Referred to Committee: House 1</b>							
<b>Authors:</b> Taylor Noel, Kelsey Kidder, Kennedy Bledsoe, Brooke Alexander	<b>Action on the Bill</b>  <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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<b>School:</b> Gallatin Co. MS								
<b>City:</b> Warsaw								

1 An act to change the age for obtaining a driver’s permit in the state of Kentucky to 15 years of age.

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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 decrease the age of receiving your driving permit from 16 to 15. This will be available  
6 to people who are passing 75% of their classes and a high school discipline record showing fewer than 3  
7 referrals.

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9 Section 2: In order to obtain this permit, the teen must be accompanied by their legal guardian and the  
10 guardian must sign off on their application. Each of these requirements will help to ensure the maturity and  
11 responsibility level of the teen.

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13 Section 3: This bill will not cost any money and may help struggling families who have limited drivers. It will  
14 allow for more students to get to jobs and participate in after school activities. This would also allow older  
15 children to help provide transportation for younger members of their family, creating more opportunities for  
16 everyone.

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18 Section 4: This bill will go into effect January 1st, 2016.