

YMCA YOUTH LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

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Hathaway House Bill Number 718

Legislative Action:

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House Committee: \_\_\_\_\_  
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Senate Committee: \_\_\_\_\_  
Senate: \_\_\_\_\_  
Governor: \_\_\_\_\_

Delegation: Southwest Montana Family YMCA- Dillon

Referred to Committee: Hathaway House Blue Committee

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1 A BILL FOR AN ACT ENTITLED: "AN ACT TO REQUIRE RECYCLING BINS TO BE

2 PLACED IN PUBLIC PLACES THROUGHOUT ALL CITIES"

3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE MONTANA YMCA YOUTH LEGISLATURE:

4 **Section 1:** All municipalities in Montana must have recycling bins for aluminum, paper, glass,  
5 and plastic.

6 **Section 2:** The governing bodies must be responsible for a minimum of five easily accessible  
7 recycling bin areas.

8 **Section 3:** The recycling bins may be no smaller than four feet in diameter, and no shorter than  
9 five feet tall.

10 **Section 4:** All recycling bins must be clearly marked, and should be easy to understand.

11 **Section 5:** All municipals are responsible for the upkeep of the recycling bins, and governing  
12 bodies are responsible to ensure the pick up of the recycled goods on a regular basis.

13 **Section 6:** The recycling bins and transportation of the recycled goods will be funded by the  
14 department by health and human services.

15 **Section 7:** This act will go into effect immediately upon passage.

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