

YMCA YOUTH LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

House Bill Number 376

Legislative Action:

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Delegation: Miles City

Senate: _____

Governor: _____

Referred to Committee: House Health & Human Services Committee

1 A BILL FOR AN ACT ENTITLED: "AN ACT TO PROTECT MONTANA'S CHILDREN
2 FROM SEXUAL OFFENDERS"

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4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE MONTANA YMCA YOUTH LEGISLATURE:

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6 Section 1. DEFINITIONS. "Child" is defined as any person who has not attained the age of
7 eighteen years. "Sexual offender" is defined as any person convicted of a sexual crime against
8 another individual.

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10 Section 2. PROVISIONS. Sexual offenders, no matter the status given them under 46-23-509,
11 MCA, who committed a sexual crime against a child shall live within five city blocks, or 1,500
12 feet, whichever is greater, of any school, daycare center, park, or other designated area that
13 children frequent. All such sexual offenders who have been convicted of a crime against a child
14 will be required to wear tracking devices to determine the location of the offender at all times for
15 the remainder of the offender's natural life.

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17 Section 3. EFFECTIVE DATE. This bill is effective upon passage.

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