

YMCA YOUTH LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

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Senate Bill Number 117

Legislative Action:

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House Committee: \_\_\_\_\_

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House: \_\_\_\_\_

Senate Committee: \_\_\_\_\_

Delegation: Gardiner

Senate: \_\_\_\_\_

Governor: \_\_\_\_\_

Referred to Committee: Senate Natural Resources & Transportation Committee

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1 A RESOLUTION FOR AN ACT ENTITLED: "An Act to ask that the United States  
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3 disregard Treaty 7"

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5 Whereas: Treaty 7 gives exclusive hunting rights to the tribes of the Blackfoot Confederacy.

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7 Whereas: With the diminishing numbers of animals around the Gallatin National Forest,

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9 no special hunting rights for large quantities of big game animals to any group of

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11 people.

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13 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MONTANA YMCA YOUTH LEGISLATURE:

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15 Section 1: Treaty 7 in 1877, made between the tribes of the Blackfoot Confederacy and the

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17 Queen of Great Britain and Ireland should be disregarded.

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19 Section 2: The people of the State of Montana ask the United States to disregard this treaty

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21 by the 2009 hunting season.

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23 Section 3: With the diminishing numbers of animals around the Gallatin National Forest,

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25 there can not be any special hunting rights to any group of people.

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27 Section 4: The state of Montana gives out hunting tags for all game animals that all Montana

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29 residents may apply for.

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