

YMCA YOUTH LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

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\_\_\_\_\_ Bill Number \_\_\_\_\_

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Delegation: Froid/Medicine Lake

Referred to Committee:

Legislative Action:

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

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1 A BILL FOR AN ACT ENTITLED: "AN ACT TO CREATE A UNIFORM SPEED LIMIT FOR ALL  
2 VEHICLES OF 70 MPH ON MONTANA HIGHWAYS EXCEPTING URBAN AREAS, AMENDING  
3 61-8-303, MCA AND 61-8-312,, MCA."  
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5 BE IT ENACTED BY THE MONTANA YMCA YOUTH LEGISLATURE:

6 **Section 1. Action** Amend 61-8-303, MCA subsection "1A: on a federal-aid interstate highway  
7 outside an urbanized area of 50,000 population or more is ~~75~~ 70 miles an hour at all times and the speed  
8 limit for vehicles traveling on federal-aid interstate highways within an urbanized area of 50,000  
9 population or more is 65 miles an hour at all times;"

10 **Section 2. Action** Amend 61-8-303, MCA subsection "1B: on any other public highway of this  
11 state is 70 miles an hour ~~during the daytime and 65 miles an hour during the nighttime~~ at all times;"

12 **Section 3. Action** Amend 61-8-312, MCA subsection "1A: on a federal-aid interstate highway is  
13 ~~65~~ 70 miles an hour;" and

14 **Section 5. Action** Amend 61-8-312, MCA subsection "1B: on any other public highway is ~~60~~ 70  
15 miles an hour at all times ," ~~during the day time and 55 miles an hour during the nighttime~~ as those terms  
16 are defined in MCA 61-8-303.

17 **Section 6. Fiscal Note** This change is to be funded by the Montana Department of Transportation.

18 **Section 7. Enactment Date** This change becomes effective January 1, 2010.

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