

Wyoming Liberty Index

62nd Wyoming Legislature ★ 2014 Budget Session

HB0012, Eighty miles per hour speed limit.

Sponsors: Representative(s) Lubnau and Zwonitzer, Dv. and Senator(s) Ross and Von Flatern

Aye votes: Representatives Baker, Barlow, Berger, Blake, Blevins, Blikre, Brown, Burkhart, Byrd, Campbell, Cannady, Coleman, Connolly, Davison, Eklund, Esquibel, K., Filer, Freeman, Gay, Gingery, Goggles, Greear, Greene, Halverson, Harvey, Hunt, Jaggi, Kasperik, Kroeker, Krone, Larsen, Loucks, Lubnau, Mader, McKim, Miller, Moniz, Nicholas, B., Northrup, Patton, Paxton, Petroff, Reeder, Semlek, Sommers, Stubson, Teeters, Throne, Walters, Watt, Winters, Zwonitzer, Dn. and Zwonitzer, Dv. Senators Anderson, JD S02, Anderson, JL S28, Barnard, Bebout, Burns, Case, Christensen, Coe, Cooper, Craft, Dockstader, Driskill, Hastert, Hicks, Johnson, Landen, Meier, Nicholas, P., Perkins, Peterson, Ross, Rothfuss, Scott and Von Flatern

Nay votes: Representatives Harshman, Hutchings, Kirkbride, Madden, Piiparinen and Wilson
Senators Emerich, Esquibel, F., Geis, Hines, Nutting and Schiffer

Signed by the Governor.

Comments

Allows the Superintendent to raise speed limits on interstate highways to 80 MPH with the usual caveat of safe operation. Let's see it actually happen.... A good bill, but could be better. Search on "85th percentile speed limits".

R-: The studies needed to determine where the speed limit can be increased to 80 mph are estimated to cost about \$110K. No significant liberty impacts.

Weighted Rating: 0.50. Unweighted Rating: 0.50.

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