

 <b>KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Premiere Bill</b>	<b>Blue   Bill # SBP 26</b>						
	<b>Referred to Committee: Senate 3</b>						
<b>Authors:</b> Taylor Grider, Aaron Bunch, Kaylie Polston	<b>Action on the Bill</b>  <table> <tr> <td><b>House</b></td> <td><b>Senate</b></td> </tr> <tr> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> </tr> <tr> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> </tr> </table>	<b>House</b>	<b>Senate</b>	___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed	___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed	___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated	___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated
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<b>City:</b> Russell Springs							

1 An act to increase the number of deer that hunters are permitted to harvest in the state of Kentucky to six  
2 deer in zones 2-4.  
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4 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**  
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6 Section 1: The purpose of this bill is to lower the amount of car accidents in Kentucky that that occur due to  
7 excessive amounts of deer crossing roadways. This will be accomplished by raising the limit of the amount of  
8 deer hunters can harvest in zones 2-4.  
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10 Section 2: According to the Kentucky Fish and Wildlife website, white-tailed deer are one of the most deadly  
11 animal species in Kentucky. On average, 58 counties in Kentucky have 30 or more deer related collisions on  
12 an annual basis. In a time period of only two years in ONE Kentucky county, there were a recorded 47 car  
13 accidents in which deer were to blame.  
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15 Section 3: Currently, hunters may take a total of four deer (one antlered and three antlerless) statewide,  
16 except in zone 1, where hunters may take an unlimited amount of antlerless deer. We propose to raise the  
17 limit in zones 2-4 to six deer (two antlered and four antlerless). This will lessen the amount of deer crossings  
18 on Kentucky roadways, decrease deer-related automobile collisions, and in turn save lives.  
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20 Section 4: This will require no funding.  
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22 Section 5: This bill will go into effect at the start of the 2014 deer season.