

 KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Legislative Bill	Blue Bill # HB 04						
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School: Bondurant Middle School							
City: Frankfort							

1 An act to establish an alert system at every "Safe Zone".

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3 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**

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5 Section 1: A Safe Zone is a place that kids under 18 can get help and protection; they are usually signified
6 with a yellow and black diamond-shape sign placed outside buildings such as public schools, McDonald's, gas
7 stations, or Kroger.

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9 Section 2: This bill will require all "Safe Zones" to install a button to be pushed for kids under 18 without
10 nearby connections for help and feel that they are in danger of predators, outside bullies, strangers, or any
11 situation where a child would feel threatened, physically or emotionally. All in all, this bill will guarantee
12 additional safety for kids in Kentucky.

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14 Section 3: Generally, the cost of an alarm system, including installation, will be around 2 to \$3,000. For
15 example, a school in Henderson paid AT&T roughly \$2,800 for each system which included a buzzer security
16 system.

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18 Section 4: If the Safe Zone is at a public school, the system would be paid with 50% tax and 50% by the
19 Board of Education.

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21 If the Safe Zone is at a corporate business, systems would be paid with 50% by the franchise owner and
22 50% by the corporation as a whole.

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24 Section 5: Below are the penalties of alerting the police without a true situation:
25 - 1st Offense: Fines \$150
26 - 2nd Offense: Fined \$250
27 - 3rd Offense: Fined \$250 with an additional 2 weeks of community service

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29 Section 6: These penalties will be stated in print at every system.

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31 Section 7: Businesses or schools that do not abide by this law will have consequences, as well. They will first
32 be notified by the county's Sheriff's department. If they still do not install the required system 60 days past
33 their notification, the business or school will be fined \$100. After another repeated 60 days, the Safe Zone
34 location will be fined an additional \$200 unit a button system has been activated.

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36 Section 8: This bill will go into effect immediately upon the passage. However, installations of systems must
37 be completed by August 1, 2014.