KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION **KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY** **Premiere Bill**	**Blue | Bill # P18** **Referred to Committee:** **House 4**
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School: LaRue Co. HS	**House** ____ ☐ Passed ____ ☐ Defeated **Senate** ____ ☐ Passed ____ ☐ Defeated
City: Hodgenville	

An act to amend Kentucky's closed primary system

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

Section 1: This act amends Kentucky's closed primary system in congressional, state, and local elections.

Section 2: In the primary election in May, all registered voters shall be able to vote for any candidate who is running in a congressional, state, or local race. The current system will continue to be used in presidential races.

Section 3: The two candidates who receive the most votes in each respective race shall move on to the General Election in November.

Section 4: This bill amends KRS 116.055 to adopt a top-two primary system for congressional, state, and local races.

Section 5: This bill would go into effect starting January 1, 2016.