

Legislative Action for January 11, 2022

Health Freedom:

- HB 28** – (was BR106) **Prohibit Vax Passports and other egregious vaccine requirements**
- HB 51** – Prohibit penalties for daycares/schools for not requiring masking
- HB 52** – Prevent job discrimination towards unvaccinated persons
- HB 54** – Make businesses liable for employee injury from required vaccinations
- HB 57** – Prevent post-secondary schools from requiring C-19 vaccination
- HB 99** – Exempt churches and religious schools from mask requirements
- HB 112** – Prevent requirement of minor to be vaxxed, except by consent of parents, and no penalties for non-vax, incl masking, being kept from school, etc.
- HB 142** – Makes kratom (a botanical) a controlled substance
- HB 253** – Prohibit sex changes for minors

Elections:

- HB 153** – Rules for election machines and keeping them off the internet
- SB 62** – Rules for ballot tabulation and other voter registration measures (Southworth)

Education:

- HB 14** – Prohibit gender ID education in public schools, prevent requirement of gender ID education in public post-secondary schools
- HB 23** – Only like biological sex can compete in state-regulated athletics
- HB 63** – Require resource officers in schools (school security officers)
- HB 253** – Require FAFSA be completed for HS graduation, very invasive financial aid application
- SB 25** – Increase public school NTI days by 10 days

Firearms and Military:

- HB 36** – No taxes on guns/ammo
- HB 122** – Lower concealed carry age from 21 to 18
- HB 123** – Prevent gov from doing biz with anti-gun banks and other industries
- HB 124** – Repeal rules that prohibit carry in government buildings
- HB 158** – **Prohibit enforcement of federal gun legislation that contradicts KY law**

Government Overreach/Accountability:

- HB 19** - Require safe boating certification for boat operators, penalties – more gov not needed
- SB 35** – More certification and licensing for boaters – more gov not needed
- HB 161** – Prohibit public funds being used for lobbying

Here's what to do **EVERY WEEKDAY** for the above day/days:

1. Put the Legislative Hotline number into your speed dial so you can call quickly: 1-800-372-7181. **Call as early as possible in the day.** The line is open 7am to 9pm M-Th and 7am to 6pm F. During inclement weather they close early.
2. When you call them, they are very nice and are just there to take your message. If you give them your name and address, they will tell you who your Senator and Representative are. The next time you call, they will have you on file.

3. Call the Legislative Hotline and say this [add brief reasons anytime you feel moved to – sample reason included here but encourage you to use your own]: “I would like to leave a message for:

My Senator:

- Support **SB 62**. *We must have fair and honest elections.*
- Support **SB 106**. *We must have fairness and integrity in athletics.*
- Oppose **SB 35** *This is government overreach.*
- Oppose **SB 25** *Students need to learn in school, not online.”*

My Representative:

- Support **HB 28** *Discrimination based on personal health choices is wrong.*
- Support *(any other green bill)*
- Please co-sponsor **HB 28** *(any other green bill).”*

EXTRA CREDIT:

4. Go to <https://apps.legislature.ky.gov/findyourlegistor/findyourlegistor.html> (or search KY find my legislator and choose the first option). Find your legislator and it will show their phone and email.
5. Call your legislator's **direct phone number** and leave the above message and a brief reason. Be polite and succinct.
6. Email your legislator and leave the above message but put the key points in the SUBJECT line for best impact. Keep it brief and friendly. (Ex: Subject: Co-Sponsor HB 28 . I value my bodily autonomy.)