

SENATE FILE NO. SF0161

State land-access permits.

Sponsored by: Senator(s) Driskill

A BILL

for

1 AN ACT relating to state lands; requiring a permit for
2 access to state lands; providing for administration;
3 providing rulemaking authority; providing for distribution
4 of permit fees; and providing for an effective date.

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6 *Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Wyoming:*

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8 **Section 1.** W.S. 36-1-122 is created to read:

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10 **36-1-122. Permit required for access to state lands;**
11 **distribution of funds; penalties.**

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13 (a) No person shall enter state lands without an
14 annual state lands access permit issued under this section.
15 The office of state lands and investments shall offer for
16 sale annual permits that allow a person access to state
17 lands. The cost of the permits authorized under this

1 section shall be twenty dollars (\$20.00) per calendar year.
2 The requirement for a permit under this section is waived
3 for:

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5 (i) Any person under sixteen (16) years of age
6 when accompanying a person holding a permit;

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8 (ii) Any person in a vehicle traversing a public
9 roadway through state lands if the person remains within
10 the boundaries of the public roadway.

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12 (b) The office of state lands and investments may:

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14 (i) Contract with one (1) or more entities for
15 the sale of annual permits under this section;

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17 (ii) Contract with one (1) or more entities for
18 enforcement of this section;

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20 (iii) Adopt rules and regulations necessary to
21 implement this section.

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23 (c) Revenues from the sale of permits under this
24 section shall be deposited into the common land income

1 fund. The office shall annually certify to the treasurer
2 the amount deposited in the common land income fund
3 pursuant to this section.

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5 **Section 2.** This act is effective January 1, 2014.

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