

# VIRGINIA YMCA SAMPLE BILL

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BILL NO. \_\_\_\_\_

Offered March 29, 2007

VA YMCA will assign Bill No.

A BILL to amend and reenact § 46.2-870 of the Code of Virginia, relating to maximum speed limits.

Patron— \_\_\_\_\_

Your high school is the Patron.

VA YMCA will assign your bill to a committee.

Referred to Committee on \_\_\_\_\_

REMEMBER: Bill must reference a section of the Code of Virginia

Be it enacted by the YMCA Model General Assembly:

1. That § 46.2-870 of the Code of Virginia is amended and reenacted as follows:

§ 46.2-870. Maximum speed limits generally

Except as otherwise provided in this article, the maximum speed limit shall be fifty-five miles per hour on interstate highways or other limited access highways with divided roadways, nonlimited access highways having four or more lanes, and all state primary highways.

The maximum speed limit on all other highways shall be fifty-five miles per hour if the vehicle is a passenger motor vehicle, bus, pickup or panel truck, or a motorcycle, but forty-five miles per hour on such highways if the vehicle is a truck, tractor truck, or combination of vehicles designed to transport property, or is a motor vehicle being used to tow a vehicle designed for self-propulsion, or a house trailer.

Notwithstanding the foregoing provisions of this section, the maximum speed limits on (i) highways constructed pursuant to the Virginia Highway Corporation Act of 1988 (§56-535 et seq.), (ii) those rural interstate highways where both (a) permitted by federal laws and (b) indicated by lawfully placed signs, and (iii) other limited access highways in any county having a population of at least 45,700 but no more than 45,800, where indicated by lawfully placed signs, shall be ~~sixty-five~~ seventy miles per hour.

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The Virginia YMCA strongly recommends that bill patrons work with current or former members of the General Assembly when creating a bill.

House Patron:

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Senate Patron:

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Names of the students who will be the Bill Patrons at MGA in lower left corner.