



MISSOURI HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
**WITNESS APPEARANCE FORM**

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I am in Support of this Bill. Isn't this already being offered in the majority of Missouri's 542-School Districts?



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**Drivers Education needs to be available in all schools. As of now it is not available unless it is taken at a private school and paid for by the individual. Teaching kids to drive is like teaching them to cook and keep a checkbook or make a resume. It is a basic fundamental in life. Please help save kids lives, pass HB 603.**



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I truly believe ALL of our young GDL drivers need to be taught how to drive correctly and safely wllith practical driving experence included. Our young need to understand how critical it is for them to take driving seriously. I am the widow of Larry Padgett, traffic victim of a repetitively reckless teen driver.



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**We need to properly educate our young adults in proper polite rules of the road. There's way to many distractions and attitudes out there that need to be set aside. Along with all of lifes activities driving is one that we all do on an almost daily basis. Maybe we should learn to do a better job at it?**



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We're in support of this legislation and would like to see Driver's Education back in school. We also feel that an emphasis on motorcycle awareness, the dangers of texting/driving, and being aware of their surroundings should be considered as well. We believe driver's education would be a great asset for the future driver's of our state and hopefully cut down on some of the senseless accidents of young drivers. Thank you



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I believe Driver's Education classes have been neglected in the current curriculum of high schools. Driving is a life skill that needs to be taught. Parents are not always the best teachers for their children. A trained professional needs to help our students learn and practice these skills before they are turned out on to the roads operating a vehicle that in a flash could cause a death. Drunk driving and use of drugs while driving also needs to be addressed during this course. We need to be proactive in prevention of automobile related deaths.



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