

Bargain Belt Invitational: 10/24/2015

Student Congress Legislation

A Resolution to Pass the Dream Act

1. **Whereas** the Dream Act would allow for a pathway to citizenship for those who
2. spent many of their formative years in the United States and
3. **Whereas** the Dream Act would provide many economic benefits to those who
4. obtain citizenship as well as the United States as a whole should it pass and
5. **Whereas** the Dream Act would provide the children of undocumented immigrants
6. the opportunity to reunite their families and
7. **Whereas** the majority of Americans support a pathway to citizenship
8. **Be it Resolved** by the Student Congress here assembled that the Dream Act be
9. Passed.

A Resolution to end Tenure at Public Schools

1. **Whereas** the current tenure policies at public schools force districts to lay off
2. younger teachers regardless of their performance, and
3. **Whereas** the tenure system makes firing a teacher for incompetence a long and
4. arduous process that can take years, and
5. **Whereas** students deserve the best education that our tax payers can afford and
6. this education will not happen with poor quality teaching.
7. **Therefore be it resolved** by this student congress that the tenure system in
8. public schools be abolished

A Bill to Ban the Sale of High Capacity Ammunition Magazines to Civilians

1. **BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:**
2. **SECTION 1.** The sale or possession of high capacity ammunition magazines,
3. which have been involved in the majority of mass shootings in the United
4. States since the expiration of the Federal Assault Weapons Ban in 2004, shall
5. be fully and permanently prohibited in the United States.
6. **SECTION 2.** All high capacity ammunition magazines must be turned over to
7. federal law enforcement by January 1, 2016.
8. **SECTION 3.** A high capacity ammunition magazine shall be defined as a
9. magazine capable of holding more than thirteen rounds of ammunition.
10. **SECTION 4.** Compliance with this piece of legislation will be
11. enforced by state and federal law enforcement agencies.
12. This law will take effect within six months of passage.
13. **SECTION 5.** All laws, or parts of laws, in conflict with this legislation are
14. hereby declared null and void.

A Resolution to Increase National Rapid Mass Public Transit

Rededicating America to mobility and opportunity for all citizens.

1 **Whereas** the infrastructure of modern national public transit is virtually
2 nonexistent and

3 **Whereas** access to transportation for work, education, healthcare, and other
4 reasons is an essential need for citizens and

5 **Whereas** many highly developed nations have experienced both economic and
6 environmental benefits from investments in national public transit and

7 **Whereas** the technology needed for rapid, mass national public transit is not only
8 available but has been in use for decades,

9 **Whereas** current private enterprise for mass transit across the nation is highly
10 expensive and costs are mostly unregulated,

11 **Therefore be it resolved** by this Student Congress assembled that an economical,
12 rapid, mass national public transit system be developed in three key steps over the
13 next two decades: 1) rapid state-to-state public transit implemented, 2) rapid large
14 city-to-city stops added to existing or new public transit within a state, and 3)
15 rapid transit from medium/small city-to-city stops be added or expanded

A Resolution to Require Drug Testing for WIC Participants

1. **Whereas**, the United States federal government spends billions of dollars on
2. the WIC program annually; and
3. **Whereas**, studies have found the WIC program's participants see
4. only marginal benefits; and
5. **Whereas**, participants squander the benefits they receive on
6. the purchase of illicit and illegal drugs; and
7. **Whereas**, Maternal drug usage can have a very negative effect on the growth and
8. development of infants;
9. **Therefore, be it Resolved**, by this Student Congress assembled that
10. WIC program participants will be required to undergo drug testing annually in order to
11. maintain eligibility for the benefits of the WIC program.