

**Senator Curtis S. Bramble** proposes the following substitute bill:

**BICYCLE SAFETY PROVISIONS**

2005 GENERAL SESSION

STATE OF UTAH

**Sponsor: Rosalind J. McGee**

Ross I. Romero

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**LONG TITLE**

**General Description:**

This bill modifies the Motor Vehicles Code by enacting a provision related to operating a motor vehicle near a bicycle.

**Highlighted Provisions:**

This bill:

▸ prohibits an operator of a motor vehicle from knowingly, intentionally, or recklessly operating a motor vehicle within three feet of a moving bicycle, unless the operator of the motor vehicle operates the motor vehicle within a reasonable and safe distance of the bicycle.

**Monies Appropriated in this Bill:**

This bill appropriates \$20,000 from the General Fund to the Utah Highway Patrol for a public education campaign to promote bicycle safety.

**Other Special Clauses:**

None

**Utah Code Sections Affected:**

ENACTS:

**41-6a-706.5**, Utah Code Annotated 1953

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26 *Be it enacted by the Legislature of the state of Utah:*

27 Section 1. Section **41-6a-706.5** is enacted to read:

28 **41-6a-706.5. Operation of motor vehicle near bicycle prohibited.**

29 An operator of a motor vehicle may not knowingly, intentionally, or recklessly operate  
30 a motor vehicle within three feet of a moving bicycle, unless the operator of the motor vehicle  
31 operates the motor vehicle within a reasonable and safe distance of the bicycle.

32 Section 2. **Appropriation.**

33 There is appropriated from the General Fund for fiscal year 2005-06, a one-time  
34 appropriation of \$20,000 to the Utah Highway Patrol for a public education campaign to  
35 promote bicycle safety.

**SENATE SUBSTITUTE**

**State Impact**

The bill appropriates one-time General Funds of \$20,000 to the Department of Public Safety Utah Highway Patrol for FY 2006 for a public education campaign to promote bicycle safety.

	<u>FY 2006</u> <u>Approp.</u>	<u>FY 2007</u> <u>Approp.</u>	<u>FY 2006</u> <u>Revenue</u>	<u>FY 2007</u> <u>Revenue</u>
General Fund	\$20,000	\$0	\$0	\$0
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$20,000</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>

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**Individual and Business Impact**

No significant fiscal impact.

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