



Hundredth Legislature - Second Session - 2008  
**Introducer's Statement of Intent**  
**LB 743**

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**Chairperson:** LeRoy Louden  
**Committee:** Natural Resources  
**Date of Hearing:** January 30, 2008

The following constitutes the reasons for this bill and the purposes which are sought to be accomplished thereby:

Legislative Bill 743 would repeal the prohibition for trapping in county road right-of-ways. This prohibition was inserted into LB 299 by the adoption of AM1351 during Select File last session.

The Natural Resources Committee did not discuss this issue in committee, and the issue did not get adequate debate on the floor. The floor debate focused on an isolated, emotional incident that was already illegal prior to the adoption of the ban and ignored the negative consequences that a ban may cause. This bill would allow proper discussion to take place.

**Principal Introducer:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Senator Mark Christensen**