

One Hundred Fifth Legislature - Second Session - 2018

Introducer's Statement of Intent

LB1080

Chairperson: Senator Curt Friesen

Committee: Transportation and Telecommunications

Date of Hearing: February 12, 2018

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

This bill would allow the Nebraska Department of Motor Vehicles to design three additional license plates to be known as Wildlife Conservation Plates. The plates will reflect support for the conservation of Nebraska wildlife, including, sandhill cranes, bighorn sheep, and rainbow trout.

In 2016 the legislature passed LB 474 it allowed for mountain lion plates. The Game and Parks receives \$30 for every mountain lion message plate and \$5 for every alpha/numeric plate. The money collected goes into a Game & Parks Commission Education Fund. The commission uses the fund to provide youth education programs relating to wildlife conservation practices. LB 1080 would follow the same guidelines.

Principal Introducer: _____

Senator Dan Hughes