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HB 120

HB 120 Boating Under the Influence

Mr. Chairman and members of the Committee. For the record my name is Bill Muhs, from Bozeman. I am currently Public Policy Liaison for MADD-Gallatin County.

We concur with the previous proponents of this well-designed bill that will protect the public from those who make the poor decision to operate a boat while under the influence of alcohol and/or drugs. Too often, those who have been drinking to excess on our state's waters proceed to transport their boat or themselves on our state highways thus risking the safety of others on our roads. This bill would help prevent this risky situation from happening and we strongly support HB 120. Thank you.

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