



Senate of Pennsylvania

TO: All Senators
FROM: Senator Edwin B. Erickson *BE*
DATE: December 6, 2010
SUBJECT: Cosponsorship of Legislation

I plan to reintroduce Senate Bill 133 of 2009, legislation that will amend the Drug Free School Zone Law (18 Pa.C.S.A. Sec. 6317) to include public parks and trails. I originally introduced this legislation after a Phoenixville crime prevention organization reported on failed efforts to eliminate drug use and trafficking in a local urban park that provides recreational opportunities for underserved children in the community.

Our public parks and trails should provide a safe, wholesome environment for our residents, visitors, and their families, and I believe that every effort should be made to deter illegal drug use within and in close proximity to these precious resources.

If you would like to cosponsor this legislation, please contact Linda Kauffman at 7-1350 or lkauffman@pasen.gov.