

# MISSOURI YMCA YOUTH IN GOVERNMENT BILL WORKSHEET

1. List three ideas you have for a bill:

a. Idea 1: \_\_\_\_\_

b. Idea 2: \_\_\_\_\_

c. Idea 3: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Prioritize your list and select one idea for a bill topic: \_\_\_\_\_

3. What problem or concern are you trying to address with your bill?

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4. Is the Missouri state government the proper level of government to address this issue?

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5. What are three solutions to the problem?

a. Solution 1: \_\_\_\_\_

b. Solution 2: \_\_\_\_\_

c. Solution 3: \_\_\_\_\_

6. How does this problem affect our state? Who will be impacted by this bill?

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7. What groups would support your bill?

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8. What are three reasons why people would support your bill?

a. Reason 1: \_\_\_\_\_

b. Reason 2: \_\_\_\_\_

c. Reason 3: \_\_\_\_\_

9. What groups would oppose your bill?

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10. What are three reasons why people might disagree with your bill?

a. Reason 1: \_\_\_\_\_

b. Reason 2: \_\_\_\_\_

c. Reason 3: \_\_\_\_\_

11. How much will this bill cost? How will you pay for it if there is a cost?

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12. Who will enforce the bill?

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13. When will this bill take effect?

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14. Is your bill feasible? Why or why not?

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15. What sources can you look to for information and statistics to support your bill?

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