



General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 5820

LCO No. 2030

Referred to Committee on Environment

Introduced by:

REP. ROY, 119th Dist.

SEN. MEYER, 12th Dist.

**AN ACT CONSERVING NATURAL VEGETATION NEAR WETLANDS
AND WATERCOURSES.**

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That chapter 440 of the general statutes be amended to require
- 2 inland wetlands agencies to consider the effect of the proposed
- 3 regulated activity on existing natural vegetation near wetlands and
- 4 watercourses.

Statement of Purpose:

To conserve natural vegetation near wetlands and watercourses to protect drinking water and prevent flooding.