

Transportation Committee JOINT FAVORABLE REPORT

Bill No.: HB-5240

AN ACT REQUIRING THE PLACEMENT OF TRAFFIC CONES AROUND
CERTAIN LANDSCAPING VEHICLES WHEN PARKED ON A PUBLIC

Title: HIGHWAY.

Vote Date: 3/12/2025

Vote Action: Joint Favorable

PH Date: 2/10/2025

File No.:

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SPONSORS OF BILL:

Transportation Committee

CO-SPONSORS:

Rep. Jamie Foster

Rep. Amy Morrin Bello

REASONS FOR BILL:

This bill requires a person who parks a trailer, that is used for landscaping purposes on a public highway, to place traffic cones around the trailer in a way that aligns with the manual uniform traffic control devices and makes any violation of this requirement an infraction. Individuals have reported numerous close calls where cars have narrowly avoided landscaping vehicles parked on the side of the road. This bill aims to ensure and monitor the protection and safety of the residents, workers, and their vehicles on state roads that have high residential populations and feature limited access for landscaping vehicles to park in driveways.

RESPONSE FROM ADMINISTRATION/AGENCY:

No state agency provided testimony on this bill.

NATURE AND SOURCES OF SUPPORT:**Rachel Pribout**

Supports the intention of the bill but believes the costs associated with this bill should be used for issues that are being faced around the world.

NATURE AND SOURCES OF OPPOSITION:

No testimony in opposition to the bill was submitted.

Reported by: Patrick Riley

Date: 3/13/2025