



## WMDA/CAR Service Station and Automotive Repair Association

Chair: Pamela Beidle, Vice Chair Hays, and members of Finance Committee

RE: SB 355

Position: Favorable

My name is Kirk McCauley, my employer is WMDA/CAR, we represent service stations convenience stores and repair facilities across the state as a non-profit trade group.

This bill makes sense, with small business, state government, counties, and municipalities, all are looking at mandated costs of Family and Medical Leave Insurance plans at a time when deficits will hit record highs.

These costs significantly increase expenses for business and government.

Give SB355 a favorable vote.

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