

Honorable members-

I am writing in support of SB 998. The bill allows bicyclists to proceed through stop signs without stopping (treating it as a yield sign) at intersections where it is safe to do so. I have been commuting by bicycle for 35 years and believe that this bill is positive as it allows a cyclist to maintain momentum especially while traveling through neighborhoods with stop signs every block.

I strongly support cyclists following all other rules of the road and especially not running traffic lights. Similar bill passed and has been successful in Idaho since it passed in 1982.

Respectfully,  
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