

HB 640 -- Electioneering

Sponsor: Neth

This bill creates the class four election offense of electioneering which involves the refusal, upon the request of any person, to remove or permit the removal of certain materials from the person's property on election day including labels, signs, posters, and stickers that attempt to influence voters if these materials are inside the polling place or located within 250 feet of the building's outer door closest to the polling place. Bumper stickers on a motor vehicle used to transport voters to a polling place are exempt from the provisions of the bill.

Any person holding public office or any position of public employment who violates the provisions of the bill must immediately forfeit the office or position.