

HB 925 -- Nursing Mothers

Sponsor: Riddle

This bill specifies that breast-feeding a child or expressing breast milk will not constitute sexual conduct or contact and cannot be considered an act of public indecency, indecent exposure, lewd touching, or obscenity. A municipality cannot enact an ordinance prohibiting or restricting breast-feeding or expressing breast milk in areas where the mother and child are otherwise authorized to be or to include these actions as indecent exposure, sexual conduct, lewd touching, obscenity, or similar terms.

The bill also excuses any nursing mother, upon her request, from jury service if she submits a written statement from her physician to the court certifying that she is a nursing mother.