

**ONE HUNDRED THIRD LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION - 2014**  
**COMMITTEE STATEMENT**  
**LB698**

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**Hearing Date:** Monday February 03, 2014  
**Committee On:** Transportation and Telecommunications  
**Introducer:** Larson  
**One Liner:** Change provisions relating to mowing and harvesting hay on the right-of-way of highways

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**Roll Call Vote - Final Committee Action:**  
Advanced to General File

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**Vote Results:**  
**Aye:** 7 Senators Brasch, Dubas, Hadley, Janssen, McCoy, Smith, Watermeier  
**Nay:**  
**Absent:** 1 Senator Murante  
**Present Not Voting:**

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<b>Proponents:</b> Senator Tyson Larson Jessica Kolterman	<b>Representing:</b> Introducer Nebraska Farm Bureau
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<b>Opponents:</b>	<b>Representing:</b>
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<b>Neutral:</b>	<b>Representing:</b>
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**Summary of purpose and/or changes:**

LB698 amends the statutes regarding permits for mowing and harvesting hay on the roadsides, to allow permits to be issued each year. Reduces confusion for applicants and administration expense for Department of Roads.

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Annette Dubas, Chairperson