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93RD GENERAL ASSEMBLY

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TERRY L. SPIELER, Secretary.

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## AN ACT

To amend chapter 67, RSMo, by adding thereto one new section relating to charitable solicitations.

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Missouri, as follows:*

Section A. Chapter 67, RSMo, is amended by adding thereto one new  
2 section, to be known as section 67.304, to read as follows:

**67.304. 1. The governing body of any municipality or county may  
2 authorize any organization to stand in a road in such municipality or  
3 county to solicit a charitable contribution. Any organization seeking  
4 authorization under this section shall file a written application with  
5 the governing body no later than the eleventh day before the  
6 solicitation is to begin. The application shall include:**

7       **(1) The date and time the solicitation is to occur;**

8       **(2) The location of the solicitation; and**

9       **(3) The number of solicitors to be involved at each location of the  
10 solicitation.**

11       **2. The governing body may require the applicant to obtain a  
12 permit or pay a reasonable fee to receive the authorization.**

13       **3. The governing body may require proof of liability insurance  
14 in the amount determined by the municipality or county to cover  
15 damages that may arise from the solicitation. The insurance shall  
16 provide coverage against claims against the applicant and claims  
17 against the governing body.**

18       **4. Collections shall only be conducted at intersections controlled  
19 by electronic signal lights or by four-way stop signs.**

20       **5. The governing body may set a minimum age requirement for  
21 all individuals participating in charitable solicitation activities under**

22 **this section.**

23 **6. The charitable organization for which the funds are being**  
24 **collected shall provide services or benefits to individuals residing in**  
25 **this state, and shall be exempt from taxation under section 501(c)(3) of**  
26 **the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended.**

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