

May 9, 2006

S 1199. BLOWING ROCK PARKING FACILITY. Filed 5/9/06. *TO EXEMPT THE TOWN OF BLOWING ROCK FROM CERTAIN REQUIREMENTS FOR PUBLIC CONTRACTS.* Authorizes Town of Blowing Rock to use the design-build method of construction for the parking facility next to the proposed Blowing Rock Art & History Museum and to award the contract in its sole discretion. Exempts this contract from the requirements of GS 143-128, 143-129, and 143-132.

Intro. by Garwood.

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July 5, 2006

S 1199. LAW ENFORCEMENT/EMPLOYEE ATVS/JUNK VEHICLES (NEW). Filed 5/9/06.

House committee substitute replaces 1st edition with a new act *TO PERMIT LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES OF VARIOUS CITIES AND TOWNS TO USE ALL-TERRAIN VEHICLES ON THE PUBLIC STREETS AND HIGHWAYS IN THOSE CITIES AND TOWNS, AND AFFECTING ABANDONED AND JUNKED VEHICLES IN CERTAIN CITIES AND TOWNS.* Amends Section 3 of SL 2004-108, as rewritten, to also authorize law enforcement officers and county and municipal employees of Cleveland County and the municipalities of Stanley, Belmont, Cherryville, Gastonia, and Mount Holly to use all-terrain vehicles. Also amends Section 3 of 2005-10, as amended, to add Belmont, Bessemer City, Cherryville, Gastonia, Mount Holly, Dallas, and Stanley to the list of towns in which a vehicle's value must be less than \$500 (was, \$100) in order for a vehicle that is more than five years old to be considered a "junked vehicle."

July 27, 2006

SL 2006-166 (S 1199). LAW ENFORCEMENT/EMPLOYEE ATVS/JUNK VEHICLES. AN ACT TO PERMIT LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES OF VARIOUS CITIES AND TOWNS TO USE ALL-TERRAIN VEHICLES ON THE PUBLIC STREETS AND HIGHWAYS IN THOSE CITIES AND TOWNS, AND AFFECTING ABANDONED AND JUNKED VEHICLES IN CERTAIN CITIES AND TOWNS. Summarized in *Daily Bulletin* 7/5/06. Enacted July 27, 2006. Effective July 27, 2006.