

SENATE FILE NO. SF0083

Gillette college community college district.

Sponsored by: Senator(s) Wasserburger and Driskill and
Representative(s) Barlow and Harshman

A BILL

for

1 AN ACT relating to community college districts; approving
2 the formation of the Gillette college community college
3 district; providing legislative findings; specifying
4 applicability of state benefits to employees of the college
5 district; and providing for an effective date.

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7 *Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Wyoming:*

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9 **Section 1.**

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11 (a) The legislature finds that:

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13 (i) The Campbell county commissioners submitted
14 an application to the Wyoming community college commission
15 dated August 31, 2020 requesting the formation of a

1 community college district in Campbell county to be known
2 as the Gillette college community college district;

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4 (ii) After receiving the application, the
5 Wyoming community college commission caused a survey to be
6 conducted on the proposed community college district that
7 met the requirements of W.S. 21-18-312; and

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9 (iii) On November 20, 2020, the Wyoming
10 community college commission approved the application for
11 the formation of a community college district in Campbell
12 County and provided its survey findings and recommendations
13 to the legislature.

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15 (b) As authorized by W.S. 21-18-312, the legislature
16 approves the formation of the Gillette college community
17 college district. In accordance with W.S. 21-18-312, the
18 county clerk of Campbell county shall conduct an election
19 on the question of formation of the Gillette college
20 community college district which shall carry upon a
21 majority of all votes cast within the proposed community
22 college district.

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1 (c) If the formation of the Gillette college
2 community college district is approved by the electors in
3 accordance with W.S. 21-18-312, any staff currently
4 employed by the Northern Wyoming community college district
5 at the Gillette college campus shall be designated
6 employees of the Gillette college community college
7 district. Any employee of the Gillette college community
8 college district shall receive state benefits as provided
9 by law, including health insurance and retirement.

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11 **Section 2.** This act is effective immediately upon
12 completion of all acts necessary for a bill to become law
13 as provided by Article 4, Section 8 of the Wyoming
14 Constitution.

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