

HOUSE BILL NO. HB0142

Notice of annexation.

Sponsored by: Representative(s) Western and Senator(s)  
Kinskey

A BILL

for

1 AN ACT relating to cities and towns; requiring notice to  
2 specified landowners prior to the annexation of territory;  
3 and providing for an effective date.

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

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7 **Section 1.** W.S. 15-1-402(a)(vi) is amended to read:

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9 **15-1-402. Annexing territories; findings required;**  
10 **when contiguity not deemed affected; annexation report.**

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12 (a) Before any territory is eligible for annexation,  
13 the governing body of any city or town at a hearing as  
14 provided in W.S. 15-1-405 shall find that:

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1           (vi) The annexing city or town, not less than  
2 twenty (20) business days prior to the public hearing  
3 required by W.S. 15-1-405(a), has sent by certified mail to  
4 all landowners and affected public utilities within the  
5 territory and by first class mail to any persons owning  
6 property that is adjacent to or within three hundred (300)  
7 feet of the territory proposed to be annexed, regardless of  
8 whether the property is inside or outside the corporate  
9 limits of the annexing city or town and regardless of  
10 whether the city or town is exercising authority under W.S.  
11 15-3-202(b)(ii), a summary of the proposed annexation  
12 report as required under subsection (c) of this section and  
13 notice of the time, date and location of the public hearing  
14 required by W.S. 15-1-405(a).

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16           **Section 2.** This act is effective July 1, 2023.

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