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LD 829: "An Act to Standardize the Laws Regarding the Carrying of Concealed Handguns in State Parks"

I support LD 829 as aught to pass. It's a sensible extension of our constitutional carry program to include areas that are far from normal emergency response personnel and law enforcement. Eliminating the unnecessary exceptions from the norm, that would otherwise imperil the common citizen either materially, or legally. After all, how many people may stop to ask themselves, "If I can legally carry in 95% of the woods, why wouldn't I be able to carry in these woods too?".

It just doesn't make sense, and as far as I'm aware, there have been no issues or incidents involving legal carriers in other, already permissive park locales.