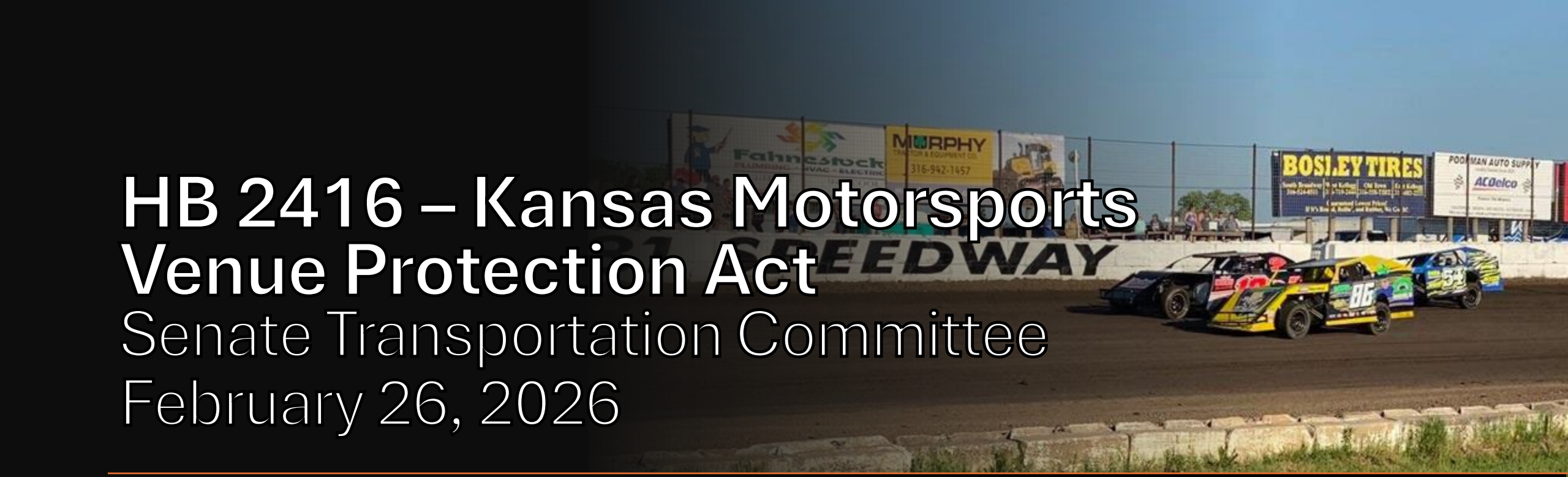

HB 2416 – Kansas Motorsports Venue Protection Act

Senate Transportation Committee

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Performance Racing Industry (PRI)

Specialty Equipment Market Association (SEMA)

PERFORMANCE RACING INDUSTRY

Motorsports Matter in Kansas

- Motorsports Are Community Anchors
- $743+ million in annual economic output
- ~5,700 jobs supported statewide
- $279 million in wages & benefits
- $77+ million in state & local taxes

Source: Performance Racing Industry Economic Impact Data

The Challenge Facing Racetracks

- Long-standing tracks can face nuisance lawsuits from new neighbors.
- Growth and development are putting pressure on long-standing facilities.
- Claims are filed despite lawful operation
- Legal uncertainty threatens local jobs and venues
- Right-to-Race laws protect tracks that existed before surrounding development.

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- Protects lawfully established facilities
- Preserves environmental, safety, and zoning laws
- Provides predictability and fairness
- A measured, common-sense solution