***The Missouri Senate Minute* Script
Session Preview: Public Safety**

Missouri senators could take time discussing public safety matters next year.

The issue was highlighted by a Missouri Senate interim panel that spent hours taking testimony last month.

Missouri Senate President Pro Tem Dave Schatz of Sullivan has pre-filed [Senate Bill 558](https://www.senate.mo.gov/20info/BTS_Web/Bill.aspx?SessionType=R&BillID=26838107), which would address residency requirements for St. Louis City police officers…

 **Schatz :04 Q: St. Louis City.**

Missouri Senate Minority Floor Leader Gina Walsh of Bellefontaine Neighbors adds she believes it is beyond time to take action…

 **Walsh :05 Q: from gun violence.**

The time before the start of the Second Regular Session of the 100th General Assembly is decreasing. Session will officially commence at noon on Wednesday, Jan. 8.

Altogether, nearly 900 pieces of legislation are ready for lawmakers’ return.

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