***The Missouri Senate Minute* Script
Marriage Age**

Missouri’s legal marriage age may change.

This is the second year for lawmakers to try to make this kind of adjustment.

On Monday afternoon, Missouri senators heard Sen. Tracy McCreery of St. Louis County present [Senate Bill 66](https://www.senate.mo.gov/25info/bts_web/Bill.aspx?SessionType=R&BillID=449), a measure that would modify provisions relating to the age of marriage…

 **McCreery :11 Q: involved to 18.**

During discussion on the floor of the Missouri Senate, Sen. Rick Brattin of Harrisonville told the sponsor he used to be okay with younger marriage…

 **Brattin :09 Q: at any longer.**

Missouri senators then gave Senate Bill 66 preliminary approval. Another “yes” vote would send this proposal to the Missouri House of Representatives for similar consideration.

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