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**City seeking exemption from concealed carry law stirs up citizens, Rep Reid Petty**  
By David K. ...  
The City of Lawrence is seeking an exemption from the state's concealed carry law, a move that has stirred up citizens and lawmakers. Rep. Reid Petty, R-Lawrence, says the city's request is a "slippery slope" and could lead to other exemptions for other entities.

**No guns at college?**  
SUCO/ATKs looks at making it your exemption on state's concealed carry law  
The State of Kansas is considering a bill that would allow certain entities to be exempt from the state's concealed carry law. The bill, HB 2013, is sponsored by Rep. Reid Petty and is currently in committee.

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**Legislative update**  
House Speaker Dennis Daugaard, Senate President Matt Blum, and Governor Sam Brownback are expected to meet on Thursday to discuss the state budget and other legislative priorities.

**Kansas City man pleads guilty in 10-day robbery spree**  
A Kansas City man has pleaded guilty to a 10-day robbery spree. The man, identified as [Name], is charged with multiple counts of robbery and possession of a firearm.

**THROUGHOUT JUNE**  
City accepting applications for new for-profit building requests  
The City of Lawrence is accepting applications for new for-profit building requests. The city is looking for developers who want to build new commercial or industrial buildings in the city.

**Taxes, budget big concerns this session**  
Lawmakers are expected to focus on tax and budget issues during the upcoming legislative session. The state's budget deficit is a major concern, and lawmakers are looking for ways to reduce spending and increase revenue.

**Petty: 'Common Core' misunderstood**  
Rep. Reid Petty says the Common Core standards are often misunderstood. He argues that the standards are not a one-size-fits-all solution and that they do not take into account the needs of individual students.

**APPLY NOW**  
Business needs to register its participants for Bazas Day  
Businesses are encouraged to register their employees and other participants for Bazas Day. The event is a community-wide celebration that takes place in Lawrence, Kansas, every year.

**CALL THE CHAMBER NOW**  
The Chamber of Commerce is looking for new members and sponsors. The chamber is a non-profit organization that works to promote the economic development of Lawrence, Kansas.

**800-375-1111**  
For more information, call 800-375-1111. This is a toll-free number that can be used to contact the Chamber of Commerce or other local organizations.