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President's Immigration Action Affects Montana

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A Helena immigration attorney says the phones at his [Border Crossing law firm](http://bordercrossinglaw.com/) (<http://bordercrossinglaw.com/>) were ringing off the hook today. [Shahid Haque-Hausrath](http://bordercrossinglaw.com/attorneys/shahid-haque-hausrath/) (<http://bordercrossinglaw.com/attorneys/shahid-haque-hausrath/>) says his clients are thrilled with [President Obama's executive action on immigration](http://www.npr.org/blogs/thetwo-way/2014/11/21/365719365/a-closer-look-at-obamas-immigration-plan-what-s-in-it-who-s-affected). (<http://www.npr.org/blogs/thetwo-way/2014/11/21/365719365/a-closer-look-at-obamas-immigration-plan-what-s-in-it-who-s-affected>)

Obama's plan offers deportation relief and work permits to 5 million immigrants who are in the country illegally.

"I'm hearing tears of joy from parents who are excited that they will soon have a path to get a work authorization card and be free from the fear of deportation," Haque-Hausrath says.

[Critics describe](https://www.facebook.com/video.php?v=584154448395842) (<https://www.facebook.com/video.php?v=584154448395842>) the President's immigration plan as an executive overreach. Haque-Hausrath concedes it's the largest executive action ever taken on the immigration issue, however, he believes Obama has the legal authority to do so.

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