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**SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL 6063**

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**State of Washington**

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**By** Senate Committee on Government Operations (originally sponsored by Senators Spanel, Winsley, Haugen and Franklin)

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1 AN ACT Relating to local voters' pamphlets; adding new sections to  
2 chapter 29.81A RCW; and repealing RCW 29.81A.020 and 29.81A.080.

3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:

4 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 1.** A new section is added to chapter 29.81A RCW  
5 to read as follows:

6 Whenever a county legislative authority adopts an ordinance  
7 authorizing the publication and distribution of a local voters'  
8 pamphlet, the county auditor shall, at least sixty days before an  
9 election, notify each city, town, or special purpose district located  
10 wholly within that county that a local voters' pamphlet will be  
11 produced. The notification shall include applicable requirements,  
12 rules, and deadlines.

13 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 2.** A new section is added to chapter 29.81A RCW  
14 to read as follows:

15 For each measure that is included in a local voters' pamphlet, the  
16 county auditor shall formally appoint a committee to prepare arguments  
17 advocating voters' approval of the measure and shall, whenever  
18 possible, formally appoint a committee to prepare arguments advocating

1 voters' rejection of the measure. The county auditor shall appoint  
2 persons known to favor the measure to serve on the committee advocating  
3 approval and shall, whenever possible, appoint persons known to oppose  
4 the measure to serve on the committee advocating rejection. Each  
5 committee shall have not more than three members, however, a committee  
6 may seek the advice of any person or persons.

7 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 3.** The following acts or parts of acts are each  
8 repealed:

9 (1) RCW 29.81A.020 and 1984 c 106 s 4; and

10 (2) RCW 29.81A.080 and 1984 c 106 s 10.

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