
HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 4209

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1 BE IT RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE AND HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE
2 STATE OF WASHINGTON, IN LEGISLATIVE SESSION ASSEMBLED:

3 THAT, At the next general election to be held in this state there
4 shall be submitted to the qualified voters of the state for their
5 approval and ratification, or rejection, an amendment to Article VIII,
6 section 4 of the Constitution of the state of Washington to read as
7 follows:

8 Article VIII, section 4. No moneys shall ever be paid out of the
9 treasury of this state, or any of its funds, or any of the funds under
10 its management, except in pursuance of an appropriation by law; nor
11 unless such payment be made within one calendar month after the end of
12 the ~~((next ensuing fiscal biennium))~~ fiscal year for which the
13 appropriation is made, and every such law making a new appropriation,
14 or continuing or reviving an appropriation, shall distinctly specify
15 the sum appropriated, and the object to which it is to be applied, and
16 it shall not be sufficient for such law to refer to any other law to
17 fix such sum.

18 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the secretary of state shall cause
19 notice of the foregoing constitutional amendment to be published at

- 1 least four times during the four weeks next preceding the election in
- 2 every legal newspaper in the state.

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