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SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 8212

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By Senators Sutherland and Hochstatter

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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 VII,  
6 section 11 of the Constitution of the state of Washington to read as  
7 follows:

8            Article VII, section 11. Nothing in this Article VII as amended  
9 shall prevent the legislature from providing, subject to such  
10 conditions as it may enact, that the true and fair value in money (a)  
11 of farms, agricultural lands, standing timber and timberlands, (~~and~~)  
12 (b) of other open space lands which are used for recreation or for  
13 enjoyment of their scenic or natural beauty, or (c) the land on which  
14 is sited one or more detached single-family dwellings, including mobile  
15 homes, when such land is zoned or classified for more intensive use  
16 shall be based on the use to which such property is currently applied,  
17 and such values shall be used in computing the assessed valuation of  
18 such property in the same manner as the assessed valuation is computed  
19 for all property.

1       BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the secretary of state shall cause  
2 notice of the foregoing constitutional amendment to be published at  
3 least four times during the four weeks next preceding the election in  
4 every legal newspaper in the state.

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