

1 **3SSB 5514 - H AMD 0598 FAILED 3-13-02**

2 By Representative Mielke

3 On page 6, beginning on line 9, strike all of subsection (1) and  
4 insert the following:

5 "(1)(a) Except as provided in subsection (6) of this section and  
6 (b) of this subsection, the governing body of a public facilities  
7 district created before July 31, 2002, under chapter 35.57 or 36.100  
8 RCW that commences construction of a new regional center, or  
9 improvement or rehabilitation of an existing ((new)) regional center,  
10 before January 1, ((2003)) 2004, may impose a sales and use tax in  
11 accordance with the terms of this chapter.

12 (b) Except as provided in subsection (6) of this section, the  
13 governing body of a public facilities district created under chapter  
14 35.57 or 36.100 RCW, that is located in a county with a population  
15 between three hundred thousand and three hundred seventy-five thousand,  
16 as determined by the office of financial management and published each  
17 year by the department for the period July 1st to June 30th, and that  
18 commences construction of a new regional center, or improvement or  
19 rehabilitation of an existing regional center, before January 1, 2003,  
20 may impose a sales and use tax in accordance with the terms of this  
21 chapter.

22 (c) The tax is in addition to other taxes authorized by law and  
23 shall be collected from those persons who are taxable by the state  
24 under chapters 82.08 and 82.12 RCW upon the occurrence of any taxable  
25 event within the public facilities district. The rate of tax shall not  
26 exceed 0.033 percent of the selling price in the case of a sales tax or  
27 value of the article used in the case of a use tax."

**EFFECT:** Retains the January 1, 2003 date for a public facilities district, located in a county with a population between 300,000 to 375,000, to start construction of a new regional center, or improvement or rehabilitation of an existing regional center (Clark County).