## SENATE BILL REPORT SB 5582

As Reported By Senate Committee On: Land Use & Planning, February 27, 2003

**Title:** An act relating to defining terms used in the growth management act; and amending RCW 36.70A.030.

**Brief Description:** Defining terms used in the growth management act.

**Sponsors:** Senators Haugen, Mulliken and Winsley.

**Brief History:** 

Committee Activity: Land Use & Planning: 2/24/03, 2/27/03 [DP].

## SENATE COMMITTEE ON LAND USE & PLANNING

**Majority Report:** Do pass.

Signed by Senators Mulliken, Chair; Kline, McCaslin, Morton and T. Sheldon.

**Staff:** Tim Watterson (786-7441)

**Background:** The terms "enhance," "protect" and "preserve" are used in the Growth Management Act (GMA) goals and requirements, but these terms are not defined within the statute.

**Summary of Bill:** Definitions for the terms "enhance," "protect" and "preserve" are provided within the definitions section of the GMA.

**Appropriation:** None.

**Fiscal Note:** Not requested.

**Effective Date:** Ninety days after adjournment of session in which bill is passed.

**Testimony For:** None.

**Testimony Against:** None.

**Testified:** No one.

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