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By Senators Oke, Jacobsen, Sheahan, Regala, Swecker, Kohl-Welles, Haugen and Esser

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1 AN ACT Relating to making the construction, development, or major
2 rehabilitation of public parks eligible for loans or guarantees through
3 the public works assistance account; and amending RCW 43.155.020.

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

5 **Sec. 1.** RCW 43.155.020 and 2001 c 131 s 1 are each amended to read
6 as follows:

7 Unless the context clearly requires otherwise, the definitions in
8 this section shall apply throughout this chapter.

9 (1) "Board" means the public works board created in RCW 43.155.030.

10 (2) "Capital facility plan" means a capital facility plan required
11 by the growth management act under chapter 36.70A RCW or, for local
12 governments not fully planning under the growth management act, a plan
13 required by the public works board.

14 (3) "Department" means the department of community, trade, and
15 economic development.

16 (4) "Financing guarantees" means the pledge of money in the public
17 works assistance account, or money to be received by the public works

1 assistance account, to the repayment of all or a portion of the
2 principal of or interest on obligations issued by local governments to
3 finance public works projects.

4 (5) "Local governments" means cities, towns, counties, special
5 purpose districts, and any other municipal corporations or quasi-
6 municipal corporations in the state excluding school districts and port
7 districts.

8 (6)(a) "Public works project" means a project of a local government
9 for the planning, acquisition, construction, repair, reconstruction,
10 replacement, rehabilitation, or improvement of streets and roads,
11 bridges, water systems, or storm and sanitary sewage systems and solid
12 waste facilities, including recycling facilities. A planning project
13 may include the compilation of biological, hydrological, or other data
14 on a county, drainage basin, or region necessary to develop a base of
15 information for a capital facility plan.

16 (b) "Public works project" also means a project of a local
17 government for the construction, development, or major rehabilitation
18 of public parks.

19 (7) "Solid waste or recycling project" means remedial actions
20 necessary to bring abandoned or closed landfills into compliance with
21 regulatory requirements and the repair, restoration, and replacement of
22 existing solid waste transfer, recycling facilities, and landfill
23 projects limited to the opening of landfill cells that are in existing
24 and permitted landfills.

25 (8) "Technical assistance" means training and other services
26 provided to local governments to: (a) Help such local governments
27 plan, apply, and qualify for loans and financing guarantees from the
28 board, and (b) help local governments improve their ability to plan
29 for, finance, acquire, construct, repair, replace, rehabilitate, and
30 maintain public facilities.

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