

HB 2384-S - DIGEST

(DIGEST AS ENACTED)

Declares an intent that there be an effective state geological survey that can produce essential information that provides for the health, safety, and economic well-being of the citizens.

In addition to the objectives stated in RCW 43.92.020, the geological survey must conduct and maintain an assessment of seismic, landslide, and tsunami hazards in Washington. This assessment must include the identification and mapping of volcanic, seismic, landslide, and tsunami hazards, an estimation of potential consequences, and the likelihood of occurrence.

Provides that the maintenance of this assessment must include technical assistance to state and local government agencies on the proper interpretation and application of the results of this assessment.