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HOUSE BILL 3016

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By Representatives Warnick, Hinkle, and Kretz

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1            AN ACT Relating to allowing additional local jurisdictions to allow  
2 off-road vehicles to operate on designated city and county roadways;  
3 and amending RCW 46.09.180.

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

5            **Sec. 1.** RCW 46.09.180 and 2006 c 212 s 4 are each amended to read  
6 as follows:

7            Notwithstanding any of the provisions of this chapter, any city,  
8 county, or other political subdivision of this state, or any state  
9 agency, may regulate the operation of nonhighway vehicles on public  
10 lands, waters, and other properties under its jurisdiction, and on  
11 streets, roads, or highways within its boundaries by adopting  
12 regulations or ordinances of its governing body, provided such  
13 regulations are not less stringent than the provisions of this chapter.  
14 ((However,)) The legislative body of a city (~~(with a population of less~~  
15 ~~than three thousand persons))~~) may, by ordinance, designate a street or  
16 highway within its boundaries to be suitable for use by off-road  
17 vehicles. The legislative body of a county may, by ordinance,  
18 designate a road or highway within its boundaries to be suitable for

1 use by off-road vehicles (~~(if the road or highway is a direct~~  
2 ~~connection between a city with a population of less than three thousand~~  
3 ~~persons and an off road vehicle recreation facility)) .~~

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