

# HOUSE BILL REPORT

## HB 2281

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### As Reported by House Committee On: Finance

**Title:** An act relating to providing local revenue options for cities over five hundred thousand in population to fund a visitor destination campus..

**Brief Description:** Relating to the visitor destination campus act of 2009.

**Sponsors:** Representative Pettigrew.

#### **Brief History:**

##### **Committee Activity:**

Finance: 2/27/09, 3/2/09 [DP].

#### **Brief Summary of Bill**

- Creates the Visitor Destination Campus Act of 2009.

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### HOUSE COMMITTEE ON FINANCE

**Majority Report:** Do pass. Signed by 6 members: Representatives Hunter, Chair; Hasegawa, Vice Chair; Conway, Ericks, Santos and Springer.

**Minority Report:** Do not pass. Signed by 3 members: Representatives Orcutt, Ranking Minority Member; Parker, Assistant Ranking Minority Member; Condotta.

**Staff:** Rick Peterson (786-7150)

#### **Background:**

The Office of Financial Management estimates Seattle's population at 592,800. According to their website, Seattle Center is a premier destination for arts, entertainment, and leisure activities on a 74-acre campus.

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**Summary of Bill:**

This act is known and cited as the Visitor Destination Campus Act of 2009. The bill relates to providing local revenue options for cities over 500,000 in population to fund a visitor destination campus.

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**Appropriation:** None.

**Fiscal Note:** Not requested.

**Effective Date:** The bill takes effect 90 days after adjournment of the session in which the bill is passed.

**Staff Summary of Public Testimony:**

(In support) None.

(Opposed) None.

**Persons Testifying:** None.

**Persons Signed In To Testify But Not Testifying:** None.