

**2SHB 1563** - H AMD 40

By Representative Farrell

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1 On page 1, after line 10, insert the following:

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3 "NEW SECTION. Sec. 1. The legislature recognizes that many local  
4 governmental entities are experiencing financial challenges, and  
5 understands the multiple needs of local governmental entities to  
6 provide important services. It is the intent of the legislature to  
7 provide flexibility to local governmental entities regarding the  
8 disposition of surplus property for the development of affordable  
9 housing and to allow sufficient discretion to local governmental  
10 entities to balance these competing needs."

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12 Renumber the remaining sections consecutively and correct any  
13 internal references accordingly.

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15 On page 18, line 9, after "Sections 1" strike "and 2" and insert  
16 "through 3"

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18 Correct the title.

EFFECT: Expresses the Legislature's recognition that local governments have financial challenges and its understanding that local governments need to provide services.

Also expresses the Legislature's intent to provide flexibility to local governments regarding the disposition of surplus property for affordable housing, and to allow discretion to local governments to balance competing needs.

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