
HOUSE BILL 2128

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By Representatives Santos and Fitzgibbon

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1 AN ACT Relating to imposing an impact assessment fee on the
2 admission to events at certain facilities to fund the related
3 community preservation and development authority; adding a new
4 section to chapter 82.14 RCW; adding a new section to chapter 43.167
5 RCW; and providing an effective date.

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

7 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 1.** A new section is added to chapter 82.14
8 RCW to read as follows:

9 (1) The governing body of the county in which a community
10 preservation and development authority is located must, by resolution
11 or ordinance, impose an impact assessment fee on the price of
12 admission to a qualified facility. The proceeds of this fee must be
13 deposited into the community preservation and development authority
14 local account created in section 2 of this act and be used for
15 purposes set forth in chapter 43.167 RCW.

16 (2) The amount of the impact assessment fee is \$1 on each ticket
17 sold for entry into an event held at a qualified facility. This fee
18 is in addition to any other taxes or fees imposed on a ticket sold
19 for admission.

20 (3) For the purposes of this section, a "qualified facility" is a
21 facility located in a county with a community preservation and

1 development authority that: (a) Has a seating capacity of at least
2 68,000 fixed seats in an open air stadium and has related event space
3 of at least 300,000 square feet; or (b) has a seating capacity of at
4 least 47,000 seats for its main use and a retractable roof.

5 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 2.** A new section is added to chapter 43.167
6 RCW to read as follows:

7 The community preservation and development authority local
8 account is created in the custody of the state treasurer. All
9 receipts from section 1 of this act must be deposited into the
10 account. Expenditures from the account may be used only for projects
11 under this chapter. Only the treasurer or the treasurer's designee
12 may authorize expenditures from the account. The treasurer shall
13 disburse funds on a quarterly basis and to the county and the
14 community preservation and development authority pursuant to the
15 county resolution or ordinance establishing an impact assessment fee
16 under section 1 of this act. The account is subject to allotment
17 procedures under chapter 43.88 RCW, but an appropriation is not
18 required for expenditures.

19 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 3.** This act takes effect January 1, 2023.

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