

2SHB 1181 - H AMD 172

By Representative Jacobsen

1 On page 29, beginning on line 10 of the striking amendment, after
2 "(8)" strike all material through "creates" on line 15 and insert "(a)
3 A task force comprised of five county commissioners and five city
4 commissioners from different counties and cities that represent
5 different sized jurisdictions is directed to create a model climate
6 change and resilience element in accordance with this section. The
7 members representing cities shall be appointed by a statewide
8 organization representing all of Washington's cities. The members
9 representing counties shall be appointed by a statewide organization
10 representing all of Washington's counties.

11 (b) From this membership two co-chairs from differing major
12 political parties as defined in 29A.04.086 shall be chosen.

13 (c) The task force may include an employee from each of the
14 associations that represent cities, counties, and county elected
15 officials.

16 (d) The department of commerce, the department of ecology, the
17 department of fish and wildlife, the department of natural resources,
18 the department of health, and the emergency management division of the
19 military department shall designate one non-voting member from their
20 respective departments to serve on the task force. These departments
21 shall cooperate with the task force and provide information as the
22 cochairs may reasonably request.

23 (e) The department of commerce may convene the first task force
24 meeting no later than September 1, 2023 if the city and county elected
25 officials have not called a meeting prior to that date.

26 (f) The task force shall create"

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1 On page 29, at the beginning of line 20 of the striking amendment,
2 strike "(a)" and insert "(i)"

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4 On page 29, at the beginning of line 24 of the striking amendment,
5 strike "(b)" and insert "(ii)"

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7 On page 29, at the beginning of line 31 of the striking amendment,
8 strike "(c)" and insert "(iii)"

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10 On page 29, at the beginning of line 36 of the striking amendment,
11 strike "(d) The rule" and insert "(iv) The model element"

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EFFECT: Removes the requirement that the Department of Commerce, in collaboration with other agencies and federally recognized Indian tribes, establish and adopt by rule a model climate change and resiliency element and creates a legislative task force to establish the model element. Includes provisions on the composition and responsibilities of the task force.

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