
HOUSE BILL 2108

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By Representative Appleton

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1 AN ACT Relating to the interagency committee for outdoor
2 recreation; amending RCW 79A.25.080; and adding a new section to
3 chapter 79A.25 RCW.

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

5 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 1.** A new section is added to chapter 79A.25 RCW
6 to read as follows:

7 (1) The committee may not prohibit or limit an otherwise qualified
8 public body from receiving a grant or funds for a project from any
9 source controlled by the committee solely because the public body is
10 also receiving a grant or funds for the same project from other
11 sources, including other local, state, or federal sources.

12 (2) Subsection (1) of this section only applies to a public body
13 that currently has at least fifty percent of the funds required for a
14 project, excluding state or federal funds, secured at the time the
15 public body applies for a grant or funds for the project from any
16 source of grant or funds controlled by the committee.

17 **Sec. 2.** RCW 79A.25.080 and 2000 c 11 s 74 are each amended to read
18 as follows:

1 Moneys transferred to the recreation resource account from the
2 marine fuel tax refund account may be used when appropriated by the
3 legislature, as well as any federal or other funds now or hereafter
4 available, to pay the necessary administrative and coordinative costs
5 of the interagency committee for outdoor recreation established by RCW
6 79A.25.110. All moneys so transferred, except those appropriated as
7 aforesaid, shall be divided into two equal shares and shall be used to
8 benefit watercraft recreation in this state as follows:

9 (1) One share as grants to state agencies for (a) acquisition of
10 title to, or any interests or rights in, marine recreation land, (b)
11 capital improvement and renovation of marine recreation land, including
12 periodic dredging in accordance with subsection (3) of this section, if
13 needed, to maintain or make the facility more useful, or (c) matching
14 funds in any case where federal or other funds are made available on a
15 matching basis for purposes described in (a) or (b) of this subsection;

16 (2) One share as grants to public bodies to help finance (a)
17 acquisition of title to, or any interests or rights in, marine
18 recreation land, or (b) capital improvement and renovation of marine
19 recreation land, including periodic dredging in accordance with
20 subsection (3) of this section, if needed, to maintain or make the
21 facility more useful. A public body is authorized to use a grant,
22 together with its own contribution, as matching funds in any case where
23 federal or other funds are made available for purposes described in (a)
24 or (b) of this subsection regardless of the source or administration of
25 these funds. The committee may prescribe further terms and conditions
26 for the making of grants in order to carry out the purposes of this
27 chapter.

28 (3) For the purposes of this section "periodic dredging" is limited
29 to dredging of materials that have been deposited in a channel due to
30 unforeseen events. This dredging should extend the expected usefulness
31 of the facility for at least five years.

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