

# FINAL BILL REPORT

## HB 1121

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Synopsis as Enacted

**Brief Description:** Creating the Washington state flag account.

**Sponsors:** Representatives Rodne, Bailey, Kelley, Moeller, Ross, Simpson, McCoy, Hope, Green, Ormsby, Johnson, Morrell, Smith, Campbell, Armstrong and Conway; by request of Secretary of State and Joint Committee on Veterans' and Military Affairs.

**House Committee on State Government & Tribal Affairs**  
**Senate Committee on Government Operations & Elections**

**Background:**

The Secretary of State (Secretary) may solicit and accept gifts, grants, conveyances, and bequests for conducting oral histories, archival activities, the Washington State Library, and the Washington State Heritage Center.

**Summary:**

The Secretary may solicit and accept gifts, grants, conveyances and bequests, and devises of real or personal property for the purpose of donating state flags to Washington's military personnel.

The Washington State Flag Account (Flag Account) is created in the custody of the State Treasurer and all donated moneys must be deposited into the Flag Account. Only the Secretary or designee may authorize expenditures from the Flag Account which is subject to allotment procedures, but not appropriation. Expenditures are limited to the purpose of donating state flags to Washington's military personnel.

**Votes on Final Passage:**

House	95	0
Senate	46	0

**Effective:** July 26, 2009

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