2SSB 5045 - H AMD 744 By Representative Kelley

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1 On page 1, line 19 of the amendment, after "year" insert "and the 2 additional amounts designated for demonstration projects in section 3 402 of this act"

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5 On page 6, line 8 of the amendment, after "401" insert "or section 6 402"

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8 On page 16, after line 20 of the amendment, insert the following: 9 "<u>NEW SECTION.</u> **Sec. 402.** A new section is added to chapter 82.14 10 RCW to read as follows:

11 (1) Demonstration projects are designated to determine the 12 feasibility of local revitalization financing. For the purpose of 13 this section, "annual state contribution limit" means two million two 14 hundred and fifty thousand dollars statewide per fiscal year. 15 Notwithstanding section 401 of this act, the department shall approve 16 each demonstration project as follows:

17 (a) The Whitman county Pullman/Moscow corridor improvement project18 award shall not exceed two hundred thousand dollars;

19 (b) The University Place improvement project award shall not 20 exceed five hundred thousand dollars;

(c) The Tacoma international financial services area/Tacoma dome
project award shall not exceed five hundred thousand dollars;

23 (d) The Bremerton downtown improvement project award shall not24 exceed three hundred and thirty thousand dollars;

(e) The Auburn downtown redevelopment project award shall notexceed two hundred and fifty thousand dollars;

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(f) The Vancouver Columbia Waterfront/downtown project award shall
2 not exceed two hundred and twenty thousand dollars; and

3 (g) The Spokane University District project award shall not exceed 4 two hundred and fifty thousand dollars.

5 (2) Local government sponsors of demonstration projects must 6 submit the department no later than September 1, to 2009, 7 documentation that substantiates that the project has met the 8 conditions, limitations, and requirements provided in this act.

9 (3) Within sixty days of such submittal, the department shall 10 approve demonstration projects that have met these conditions, 11 limitations, and requirements.

12 (4) Local government sponsors of demonstration projects may elect 13 to decline the project awards as designated in this section, and may 14 elect instead to submit applications according to the process 15 described in section 401 of this act."

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17 On page 19, line 14 of the amendment, after "(5)(a)" strike "No" 18 and insert "Except as provided in (c) of this subsection, no"

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20 On page 19, after line 27 of the amendment, insert the following: 21 "(c) For a demonstration project described in section 402 of this 22 act, no tax may be imposed under the authority of this section before: 23 (i) July 1, 2010; and

24 (ii) Bonds have been issued according to section 701 of this act."

EFFECT: Provides for seven named local revitalization financing demonstration projects, sets maximum award amounts, and timelines for submittals and approvals through the Department of Revenue.

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