

2 **ESHB 2193** - S COMM AMD
3 By Committee on Higher Education

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5 Strike everything after the enacting clause and insert the
6 following:

7 "NEW SECTION. **Sec. 1.** A new section is added to chapter 28B.25
8 RCW to read as follows:

9 (1) The joint center board may:

10 (a) Adopt rules governing pedestrian traffic and vehicular traffic
11 and parking upon lands and facilities of the center;

12 (b) Establish, collect, and retain parking fees for faculty, staff,
13 students, and visitors using the Riverpoint higher education parking
14 facility;

15 (c) Adjudicate matters involving parking infractions internally;
16 and

17 (d) Collect and retain any penalties for parking infractions.

18 (2) If the rules adopted under subsection (1) of this section
19 provide for internal adjudication of parking infractions, a person
20 charged with a parking infraction who deems himself or herself
21 aggrieved by the final decision in an internal adjudication may, within
22 ten days after written notice of the final decision, appeal by filing
23 a written notice thereof with the joint center board. Documents
24 relating to the appeal shall immediately be forwarded to the district
25 court in the county in which the offense was committed, which court
26 shall have jurisdiction over such offense and such appeal shall be
27 heard de novo.

28 (3) Any funds collected under this section shall be used for the
29 joint center's parking program.

30 **Sec. 2.** RCW 28B.130.020 and 1993 c 447 s 3 are each amended to
31 read as follows:

32 (1) The governing board of an institution of higher education as
33 defined in RCW 28B.10.016 may impose either a voluntary or a mandatory
34 transportation fee on employees and on students at the institution.
35 The board of the joint center for higher education under chapter 28B.25

1 RCW may impose either a voluntary or a mandatory transportation fee on
2 faculty and staff working at the Riverpoint higher education park and
3 on students attending classes there. The transportation fee shall be
4 used solely to fund transportation demand management programs that
5 reduce the demand for campus and neighborhood parking, and promote
6 alternatives to single-occupant vehicle driving. If the board charges
7 a mandatory transportation fee to students, it shall charge a mandatory
8 transportation fee to employees. The transportation fee for employees
9 may exceed, but shall not be lower than the transportation fee charged
10 to students. The transportation fee for employees may be deducted from
11 the employees' paychecks. The transportation fee for students may be
12 imposed annually, or each academic term. For students attending
13 community colleges and technical colleges, the mandatory transportation
14 fee shall not exceed sixty percent of the maximum rate permitted for
15 services and activities fees at community colleges, unless, through a
16 vote, a majority of students consent to increase the transportation
17 fee. For students attending four-year institutions of higher education
18 or classes at the Riverpoint higher education park, the mandatory
19 transportation fee shall not exceed thirty-five percent of the maximum
20 rate permitted for services and activities fees at the institution
21 where the student is enrolled unless, through a vote, a majority of
22 students consents to increase the transportation fee. The board may
23 make a limited number of exceptions to the fee based on a policy
24 adopted by the board.

25 (2) The board of the joint center for higher education under
26 chapter 28B.25 RCW shall not impose a transportation fee on any student
27 who is already paying a transportation fee to the institution of higher
28 education in which the student is enrolled.

29 **Sec. 3.** RCW 43.01.236 and 1995 c 215 s 5 are each amended to read
30 as follows:

31 All institutions of higher education as defined under RCW
32 28B.10.016 and the joint center for higher education under chapter
33 28B.25 RCW are exempt from the requirements under RCW ((43.01.225))
34 43.01.240."

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4 On page 1, line 2 of the title, after "fees;" strike the remainder
5 of the title and insert "amending RCW 28B.130.020 and 43.01.236; and
6 adding a new section to chapter 28B.25 RCW."

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