# FINAL BILL REPORT

## SSB 5518

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Synopsis as Enacted

**Brief Description:** Establishing a youth athletic facility account to help fund community outdoor athletic facilities.

**Sponsors:** Senate Committee on Natural Resources, Parks & Recreation (originally sponsored by Senators Jacobsen, Eide, Goings and Winsley).

### Senate Committee on Natural Resources, Parks & Recreation House Committee on Local Government

**Background:** Public outdoor athletic fields lack a central source of funding and support. The growth and urbanization Washington has been experiencing has put increased demands on the state's outdoor athletic fields. There is a perceived need for a permanent funding source and source of support to help communities better keep and build more outdoor athletic fields.

**Summary:** No or low interest loans, not just grants, are authorized to be made from the youth athletic facilities account for community outdoor athletic facilities.

#### Votes on Final Passage:

Senate	44 0	
House	97 0	(House amended)
Senate	45 0	(Senate concurred)

Effective: June 8, 2000