## ENGROSSED SENATE BILL 6044

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By Senators Ericksen and Hobbs

Read first time 02/20/15. Referred to Committee on Transportation.

- 1 AN ACT Relating to the construction of transportation facilities
- 2 adjacent to or across a waterway; and adding a new section to chapter
- 3 47.01 RCW.
- 4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:
- 5 <u>NEW SECTION.</u> **Sec. 1.** A new section is added to chapter 47.01 6 RCW to read as follows:
- 7 During the design process for state highway projects that include
- 8 the construction of a new bridge or the rehabilitation or
- 9 reconstruction of an existing bridge across a navigable river or
- 10 another transportation facility that is adjacent to or crosses a
- 11 waterway, the department must consider and report on the feasibility
- 12 of providing a means of public access to the navigable river or
- 13 waterway for public recreational purposes.

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