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HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 4222

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By Representatives Tate, Mielke, Beck, Bowman, Casada, Vance, P. Johnson, Fuhrman, Hochstatter, Paris, Padden, Ludwig, Betrozoff, Roland, Orr and Chandler.

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- BE IT RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE AND HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE
- 2 STATE OF WASHINGTON, IN LEGISLATIVE SESSION ASSEMBLED:
- 3 THAT, At the next general election to be held in this state there
- 4 shall be submitted to the qualified voters of the state for their
- 5 approval and ratification, or rejection, an amendment to Article II, of
- 6 the Constitution of the state of Washington by adding a new section to
- 7 read as follows:
- 8 Article II, section Acts or amendments to acts that
- 9 authorize a new tax or increase the rate of an existing tax imposed by
- 10 the state of Washington are not valid unless the act or amendment is
- 11 enacted by a favorable vote of three-fifths of the members elected to
- 12 each house of the legislature.
- BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the secretary of state shall cause
- 14 notice of the foregoing constitutional amendment to be published at
- 15 least four times during the four weeks next preceding the election in

1 every legal newspaper in the state.