

2 **2SSB 6136** - H 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.50
8 RCW to read as follows:

9 The legislature finds that population growth in north King and
10 south Snohomish counties has created a need to expand higher education
11 and work force training programs for the people living and working in
12 those areas. In keeping with the recommendations of the higher
13 education coordinating board, the legislature intends to help address
14 those education and training needs through the creation of Cascadia
15 Community College, expansion of educational opportunities at Lake
16 Washington Technical College, and support of the University of
17 Washington's branch campus at Bothell-Woodinville. It is further the
18 intention of the legislature, in keeping with the higher education
19 coordinating board recommendations, that the Cascadia Community College
20 and the University of Washington branch campus be collocated, and that
21 the new community college and the University of Washington's branch
22 campus work in partnership to ensure that properly prepared students
23 from community colleges and other institutions are able to transfer
24 smoothly to the branch campus.

25 The legislature further finds that a governing board for Cascadia
26 Community College needs to be appointed and confirmed as expeditiously
27 as possible. The legislature intends to work cooperatively with the
28 governor to facilitate the appointment and confirmation of trustees for
29 the college.

30 **Sec. 2.** RCW 28B.50.040 and 1991 c 238 s 23 are each amended to
31 read as follows:

32 The state of Washington is hereby divided into (~~twenty-nine~~)
33 thirty college districts as follows:

34 (1) The first district shall encompass the counties of Clallam and
35 Jefferson;

1 (2) The second district shall encompass the counties of Grays
2 Harbor and Pacific;

3 (3) The third district shall encompass the counties of Kitsap and
4 Mason;

5 (4) The fourth district shall encompass the counties of San Juan,
6 Skagit and Island;

7 (5) The fifth district shall encompass Snohomish county except for
8 the Northshore common school district and that portion encompassed by
9 the twenty-third district created in subsection (23) of this section:
10 PROVIDED, That the fifth district shall encompass the Everett Community
11 College;

12 (6) The sixth district shall encompass the present boundaries of
13 the common school districts of Seattle and Vashon Island, King county;

14 (7) The seventh district shall encompass the present (~~boundaries~~)
15 boundary of the common school district(~~(s)~~) of Shoreline in King county
16 (~~(and Northshore in King and Snohomish counties)~~);

17 (8) The eighth district shall encompass the present boundaries of
18 the common school districts of (~~Lake Washington,~~) Bellevue, Issaquah,
19 (~~Lower Snoqualmie,~~) Mercer Island, Skykomish and Snoqualmie, King
20 county;

21 (9) The ninth district shall encompass the present boundaries of
22 the common school districts of Federal Way, Highline and South Central,
23 King county;

24 (10) The tenth district shall encompass the present boundaries of
25 the common school districts of Auburn, Black Diamond, Renton, Enumclaw,
26 Kent, Lester and Tahoma, King county, and the King county portion of
27 Puyallup common school district No. 3;

28 (11) The eleventh district shall encompass all of Pierce county,
29 except for the present boundaries of the common school districts of
30 Tacoma and Peninsula;

31 (12) The twelfth district shall encompass Lewis county, the
32 Rochester common school district No. 401, the Tenino common school
33 district No. 402 of Thurston county, and the Thurston county portion of
34 the Centralia common school district No. 401;

35 (13) The thirteenth district shall encompass the counties of
36 Cowlitz, and Wahkiakum;

37 (14) The fourteenth district shall encompass the counties of Clark,
38 Skamania and that portion of Klickitat county not included in the
39 sixteenth district;

1 (15) The fifteenth district shall encompass the counties of Chelan,
2 Douglas and Okanogan;

3 (16) The sixteenth district shall encompass the counties of
4 Kittitas, Yakima, and that portion of Klickitat county included in
5 United States census divisions 1 through 4;

6 (17) The seventeenth district shall encompass the counties of
7 Ferry, Lincoln (except consolidated school district 105-157-166J and
8 the Lincoln county portion of common school district 167-202), Pend
9 Oreille, Spokane, Stevens and Whitman;

10 (18) The eighteenth district shall encompass the counties of Adams
11 and Grant, and that portion of Lincoln county comprising consolidated
12 school district 105-157-166J and common school district 167-202;

13 (19) The nineteenth district shall encompass the counties of Benton
14 and Franklin;

15 (20) The twentieth district shall encompass the counties of Asotin,
16 Columbia, Garfield and Walla Walla;

17 (21) The twenty-first district shall encompass Whatcom county;

18 (22) The twenty-second district shall encompass the present
19 boundaries of the common school districts of Tacoma and Peninsula,
20 Pierce county;

21 (23) The twenty-third district shall encompass that portion of
22 Snohomish county within such boundaries as the state board for
23 community and technical colleges shall determine: PROVIDED, That the
24 twenty-third district shall encompass the Edmonds Community College;

25 (24) The twenty-fourth district shall encompass all of Thurston
26 county except the Rochester common school district No. 401, the Tenino
27 common school district No. 402, and the Thurston county portion of the
28 Centralia common school district No. 401;

29 (25) The twenty-fifth district shall encompass all of Whatcom
30 county;

31 (26) The twenty-sixth district shall encompass the Northshore, Lake
32 Washington, Bellevue, Mercer Island, Issaquah, Riverview, Snoqualmie
33 Valley and Skykomish school districts;

34 (27) The twenty-seventh district shall encompass the Renton, Kent,
35 Auburn, Tahoma, and Enumclaw school districts and a portion of the
36 Seattle school district described as follows: Commencing at a point
37 established by the intersection of the Duwamish river and the south
38 boundary of the Seattle Community College District (number six) and
39 thence north along the centerline of the Duwamish river to the west

1 waterway; thence north along the centerline of the west waterway to
2 Elliot Bay; thence along Elliot Bay to a line established by the
3 intersection of the extension of Denny Way to Elliot Bay; thence east
4 along the line established by the centerline of Denny Way to Lake
5 Washington; thence south along the shoreline of Lake Washington to the
6 south line of the Seattle Community College District; and thence west
7 along the south line of the Seattle Community College District to the
8 point of beginning;

9 (28) The twenty-eighth district shall encompass all of Pierce
10 county; ~~((and))~~

11 (29) The twenty-ninth district shall encompass all of Pierce
12 county; and

13 (30) The thirtieth district shall encompass the present boundaries
14 of the common school districts of Lake Washington and Riverview in King
15 county and Northshore in King and Snohomish counties.

16 NEW SECTION. Sec. 3. A new section is added to chapter 28B.50 RCW
17 to read as follows:

18 There is hereby created a board of trustees for district thirty and
19 Cascadia Community College. The members of the board shall be
20 appointed pursuant to the provisions of RCW 28B.50.100.

21 **Sec. 4.** RCW 28B.45.020 and 1989 1st ex.s. c 7 s 3 are each amended
22 to read as follows:

23 The University of Washington is responsible for ensuring the
24 expansion of upper-division and graduate educational programs in the
25 central Puget Sound area under rules or guidelines adopted by the
26 higher education coordinating board. The University of Washington
27 shall meet that responsibility through the operation of at least two
28 branch campuses. One branch campus shall be located in the Tacoma
29 area. ~~((Another branch campus shall be located in the Bothell-
30 Woodinville area.))~~ Another branch campus shall be collocated with
31 Cascadia Community College in the Bothell-Woodinville area.

32 NEW SECTION. Sec. 5. This act is necessary for the immediate
33 preservation of the public peace, health, or safety, or support of the

1 state government and its existing public institutions, and shall take
2 effect immediately."

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