
HOUSE BILL 1835

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By Representative Heavey

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1 AN ACT Relating to financing the costs of elections; and adding a
2 new section to chapter 29.13 RCW.

3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:

4 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 1.** A new section is added to chapter 29.13 RCW
5 to read as follows:

6 In determining the proportionate basis of allocating election costs
7 under RCW 29.13.045, and the prorated share basis of allocating
8 election costs under RCW 29.13.047, the county auditor and the
9 secretary of state shall assign the same weighted factor to each office
10 or other issue that appears on the ballot for the same unit of
11 government and use these factors in combination with the number of
12 registered voters residing in the unit of government to determine the
13 share of the election costs allocated to that unit of government.
14 Where the unit of government that has the election includes territory
15 located in another county, the number of registered voters residing in
16 that unit of government shall be considered to be the number of such
17 voters who reside in the county.

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