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HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 4220

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- BE IT RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE AND HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE 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 IV of
- 6 the Constitution of the state of Washington by adding a new section to
- 7 read as follows:
- 8 Article IV, section . . . No court rule may prohibit a person,
- 9 including an incumbent judge, from announcing his or her views on legal
- 10 or political issues as part of the person's candidacy for an elected or
- 11 appointed judicial office.
- 12 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the secretary of state shall cause
- 13 notice of the foregoing constitutional amendment to be published at
- 14 least four times during the four weeks next preceding the election in
- 15 every legal newspaper in the state.

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