

1 **SB 5507** - H COMM AMD **ADOPTED 4/10/03**  
2 By Committee on Local Government

3 On page 1, immediately after the enacting clause, insert the  
4 following:

5 "Sec. 1. This act is intended to codify the Washington State  
6 Court of Appeals holding in *Wells v. Western Washington Growth*  
7 *Management Hearings Board*, 100 Wn. App. 657 (2000), by mandating  
8 that to establish participation standing under the Growth  
9 Management Act, a person must show that his or her participation  
10 before the county or city was reasonably related to the person's  
11 issue as presented to the growth management hearings board."

12 On page 2, line 8, after "(4)" strike all material through  
13 "city." on line 11 and insert "To establish participation standing  
14 under subsection (2)(b) of this section, a person must show that  
15 his or her participation before the county or city was reasonably  
16 related to the person's issue as presented to the board."

17 Correct the title and renumber the remaining sections  
18 accordingly.

**EFFECT:** Provides an intent section specifying the  
Legislature's intent to codify the Washington State Court of  
Appeals holding in *Wells v. Western Washington Growth*  
*Management Hearings Board*, 100 Wn. App. 657 (2000). Adopts the  
holding in *Wells* that a person's participation before the local  
government must be reasonably related to the person's issue as  
presented to the Board.