

2006-S

Sponsor(s): House Committee on Local Government (originally sponsored by Representatives Schindler, Gombosky, Ahern, Sump, Wood, Jarrett, Crouse, Pearson, Clements, Ericksen and Moeller)

Brief Description: Authorizing nuisance abatement powers of county governments.

**HB 2006-S - DIGEST**

(NOT SUBSTITUTED FOR - SEE ORIGINAL BILL)

Declares that counties located east of the Cascades with a population greater than four hundred thousand shall also have power to declare by ordinance what shall be deemed nuisances within the county; to prevent, remove, and abate nuisances at the expense of the parties creating, causing, or committing or maintaining them; and to levy a special assessment on the land or premises on which the nuisance is situated to defray the cost, or to reimburse the county for the cost of abating it, and this assessment shall constitute a lien against the property which shall be of equal rank with state, county, and municipal taxes.