

2088-S

Sponsor(s): House Committee on Agriculture & Natural Resources
(originally sponsored by Representatives Schoesler, Chandler and
Linville)

Brief Description: Revising provisions relating to storm water
rates and charges.

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(DIGEST AS ENACTED)

Provides that the rate a city, town, county, or district may charge under this act for storm or surface water sewer systems or the portion of the rate allocable to the storm or surface water sewer system of combined sanitary sewage and storm or surface water sewer systems shall be reduced by a minimum of ten percent for any new or remodeled commercial building that utilizes a permissive rainwater harvesting system. Rainwater harvesting systems shall be properly sized to utilize the available roof surface of the building. The jurisdiction shall consider rate reductions in excess of ten percent dependent upon the amount of rainwater harvested.

Declares that rates and charges authorized under this act may not be imposed on lands taxed as forest land under chapter 84.33 RCW or as timber land under chapter 84.34 RCW.