

SB 5096 - S AMD TO S AMD (S-2543.4/17) 198
By Senator Ericksen

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1 On page 37, after line 3 of the amendment, insert the following:
2 "(29) It is the intent of the legislature that the funding for
3 the I-5/Slater Road Interchange - Improvements project (L1000099) be
4 moved to a new I-5/Exit 274 Interchange project in Blaine, and
5 changed accordingly on the list referenced in subsection (1) of this
6 section. This new project would create a new southbound off-ramp on
7 Interstate 5 at exit 274 onto Peace Portal Drive and a direct
8 northbound connection to Blaine's industrial area from the existing
9 northbound off-ramp by reconfiguring it to tie into Odell Street. It
10 is further the intent of the legislature that \$2,000,000 of
11 connecting Washington account—state funds in the 2023-2025 fiscal
12 biennium, \$8,900,000 of connecting Washington account—state funds in
13 the 2025-2027 fiscal biennium, and \$10,200,000 of connecting
14 Washington account—state funds in the 2027-2029 fiscal biennium for
15 the new I-5/Exit 274 Interchange project be moved to the 2019-2021,
16 2021-2023, and 2023-2025 fiscal biennia, respectively, as originally
17 scheduled in the connecting Washington package of 2015 (chapter 43,
18 Laws of 2015 3rd sp. sess.), for the I-5/Slater Road Interchange -
19 Improvements project which it is replacing."

EFFECT: Moves \$21,100,000 of state connecting Washington funding from the I-5/Slater Road Interchange project to a new I-5/Exit 274 Interchange project, with the original project funding timeline restored.

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