HOUSE BILL 2889

State of Washington	66th Legislature	2020 Regular Session
By Representative Griffey		
Read first time 01/28/20.	Referred to Committee	on Local Government.

1 AN ACT Relating to utility tax disclosures; and adding a new 2 section to chapter 35.92 RCW.

3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:

<u>NEW SECTION.</u> Sec. 1. A new section is added to chapter 35.92
RCW to read as follows:

6 Any city or town that operates its own water, sewer or 7 wastewater, or stormwater utility and imposes a fee or tax on the gross revenue of such a utility shall disclose the fee or tax rate on 8 each billing statement provided to its utility customers. Such 9 10 disclosure shall include statements, as applicable, that "the amount 11 billed includes a fee or tax up to (dollar amount or 12 percentage) calculated on the gross revenue of the water utility; a fee or tax up to (dollar amount or percentage) calculated 13 14 on gross revenue of the sewer or wastewater utility; a fee or tax up 15 to (dollar amount or percentage) calculated on the gross 16 revenue of the stormwater utility.

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