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Bill No: ESHB 1125

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Mme. Speaker: Mr. President:

We of your Conference Committee, to whom was referred ESHB 1125, making transportation appropriations for the 2021-2023 fiscal biennium and the 2023-2025 fiscal biennium, have had the same under consideration and we recommend that:

All previous amendments not be adopted and that the attached striking amendment (S-3376.1/23) be adopted and that (S-3376.1/23) be further amended as follows:

On page 102, after line 39, insert the following:

"(23) \$5,000,000 of the motor vehicle account—state appropriation, \$5,000,000 of the connecting Washington account—state appropriation, and \$5,000,000 of the move ahead WA account—state appropriation are provided solely for the SR 522/Paradise Lk Rd Interchange & Widening on SR 522 (Design/Engineering) project (NPARADI), specifically for design of, preliminary engineering, and right-ofway acquisition for the interchange and widening as a single project. The department must consider reserving portions of state route number 522, including designated lanes or ramps, for the exclusive or preferential use of public transportation vehicles, privately owned buses, motorcycles, private motor vehicles carrying not less than a specified number of passengers, or private transportation provider vehicles pursuant to RCW 47.52.025."

and that the bill do pass as recommended by the Conference Committee.

Member	Recommend	Do Not Recommend	Not Present or Not Voting
Representative Barkis	./		
Representative Fey	1/		
Representative Paul	1/		
Senator King			
Senator Liias	1/		
Senator Shewmake	V		

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