

REVENUE: Revenue statement issued
FISCAL: No fiscal impact

Action: Do Pass and Be Referred to the Committee on Revenue
Vote: 6 - 2 - 0
Yeas: Beyer, Lindsay, Nathanson, Smith J., Bentz, Read
Nays: Sheehan, Weidner
Exc.: 0
Prepared By: Zachary Rothmier, Administrator
Meeting Dates: 3/7, 3/9

WHAT THE MEASURE DOES: Allows for motor vehicle registration fees to be used to pay off county bond fees and debts.

ISSUES DISCUSSED:

- Technical fix to the transportation package passed in 2009
- Does not force a registration fee, only allows usage if there is a fee

EFFECT OF COMMITTEE AMENDMENT: No amendment.

BACKGROUND: House Bill 2179 allows county motor vehicle registration fees to be used to pay off the bonding and obligations from the Willamette river bridge in the city of Portland. The statute did not previously specify that counties were able to use local registration fees to pay off bonding.