

HB 2022 STAFF MEASURE SUMMARY

House Committee On Transportation Policy

Action Date: 02/24/17

Action: Do pass. Refer to Revenue.

Vote: 9-0-0-0

Yeas: 9 - Barreto, Evans, McKeown, McLain, Meek, Noble, Vial, Wilson, Witt

Fiscal: No fiscal impact

Revenue: Revenue impact issued

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WHAT THE MEASURE DOES:

Excludes volumetric mixers from definition of "fixed load vehicle".

ISSUES DISCUSSED:

- Most providers are small businesses
- Various sizes of jobs serviced
- Confusion between batch plants and volumetric mixers
- One county applied property tax against one provider

EFFECT OF AMENDMENT:

No amendment.

BACKGROUND:

Current law defines fixed load vehicles as those vehicles that support or move a permanent load in the form of equipment constructed as part of or permanently attached to the body of the vehicle. Historically, a truck-mounted transit mixer (cement truck) has been exempt from the definition of fixed load vehicle. Other exemptions include travel trailers, self-propelled mobile cranes, and tow vehicles. Volumetric mixers are a relatively new configuration that serves the same, or similar, function as a cement truck.