

HB 4054 A STAFF MEASURE SUMMARY

Carrier: Sen. Sollman

Senate Committee On Finance and Revenue

Action Date: 02/24/22

Action: Do pass the A-Eng bill.

Vote: 5-0-0-0

Yeas: 5 - Armitage, Beyer, Boquist, Findley, Sollman

Fiscal: Has minimal fiscal impact

Revenue: Has minimal revenue impact

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Meeting Dates: 2/24

WHAT THE MEASURE DOES:

Extends program application deadline to 2024. Clarifies that existing participants maintain status under statutory conditions at the time of application. Sets initial taxable assessed value under program at application assessed value. Clarifies year base for calculating ratio.

ISSUES DISCUSSED:

- Extension of sunset.
- Description of changes to current program.

EFFECT OF AMENDMENT:

No amendment.

BACKGROUND:

Current statute contains a special assessment program for property deemed historic, and satisfying of program conditions. The program includes commitment of property owner for expenditure of 10% of property value to a historic preservation plan, reduced valuation and delayed recognition of property investments for 10 year periods.