

**SB 910 STAFF MEASURE SUMMARY**

**Carrier:** Rep. Evans

**House Committee On Emergency Management, General Government, and Veterans**

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**Action Date:** 05/11/23

**Action:** Do Pass.

**Vote:** 7-0-0-0

**Yeas:** 7 - Conrad, Dexter, Evans, Grayber, Hieb, Lewis, Tran

**Fiscal:** Has minimal fiscal impact

**Revenue:** No revenue impact, statement issued (Indeterminate Impact)

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**Meeting Dates:** 5/9, 5/11

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**WHAT THE MEASURE DOES:**

Allows on-street and off-street parking pay stations that do not accept coins or currency as payment, if access to another pay station that accepts coins or currency as payment for parking is readily available.

**ISSUES DISCUSSED:**

- Physical pay points versus pay kiosks
- Definition of currency in previous legislation, excludes coins
- ADA definition of "readily available"

**EFFECT OF AMENDMENT:**

No amendment.

**BACKGROUND:**

Senate Bill 1565 (2022) expanded equity in payment for services and goods for requiring cash options and requires public accommodations offering goods or services to accept United States coins and currency from patrons unless the accommodation qualifies for an exception. Parking pay stations are currently allowed to not accept currency, so long as they accept coins.

Senate Bill 910 allows parking pay stations to accept non-cash payment for services, if a pay station that accepts coins or currency as payment is readily available.