

SUMMARY and FISCAL NOTE*

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* Note that the Summary and Fiscal Note describes the version of the bill or resolution as introduced; final legislation including amendments may not be fully described.

1. BILL SUMMARY

- a. **Legislation Title:** A RESOLUTION requesting the United States Congress to pass the Equality Act to ensure that federal civil rights laws are fully inclusive of protections based on sexual orientation and gender identity or expression.
- b. **Summary and background of the Legislation:** The focus of this legislation is to ensure that the federal civil rights laws are fully inclusive of protections based on sexual orientation, gender identity, and sex.

2. CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM

- a. **Does this legislation create, fund, or amend a CIP Project?** ___ Yes **X** No
If yes, please fill out the table below and attach a new (if creating a project) or marked-up (if amending) CIP Page to the Council Bill. Please include the spending plan as part of the attached CIP Page. If no, please delete the table.

3. SUMMARY OF FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

- a. **Does this legislation amend the Adopted Budget?** ___ Yes **X** No
If there are no changes to appropriations, revenues, or positions, please delete the table below.

4. OTHER IMPLICATIONS

- a. **Does this legislation affect any departments besides the originating department?** **NO**
If so, please list the affected department(s) and the nature of the impact (financial, operational, etc.).
- b. **Is a public hearing required for this legislation?** **NO**
If yes, what public hearing(s) have been held to date, and/or what public hearing(s) are planned/required in the future?
- c. **Does this legislation require landlords or sellers of real property to provide information regarding the property to a buyer or tenant?** **NO**
If yes, please describe the measures taken to comply with RCW 64.06.080.
- d. **Is publication of notice with *The Daily Journal of Commerce* and/or *The Seattle Times* required for this legislation?** **NO**
For example, legislation related to sale of surplus property, condemnation, or certain capital projects with private partners may require publication of notice. If you aren't sure, please check with your lawyer. If publication of notice is required, describe any steps taken to comply with that requirement.
- e. **Does this legislation affect a piece of property?** **NO**
If yes, and if a map or other visual representation of the property is not already included as an exhibit or attachment to the legislation itself, then you must include a map and/or other visual representation of the property and its location as an attachment to the fiscal

note. Place a note on the map attached to the fiscal note that indicates the map is intended for illustrative or informational purposes only and is not intended to modify anything in the legislation.

- f. Please describe any perceived implication for the principles of the Race and Social Justice Initiative. Does this legislation impact vulnerable or historically disadvantaged communities?** Yes, this legislation will support vulnerable or historically disadvantaged communities in need of federal civil rights protections because of their sexual orientation, gender identity, and sex.
- g. If this legislation includes a new initiative or a major programmatic expansion: What are the specific long-term and measurable goal(s) of the program? How will this legislation help achieve the program's desired goal(s).** Yes, this legislation is asking the City of Seattle elected officials to call upon Congress to pass the Equality Act to ensure federal civil rights laws are fully inclusive of protections based on sexual orientation, gender identity, and sex. The City of Seattle elected officials will direct the Clerk to send a copy of this resolution and proclamation, duly adopted to Senators Patty Murray, Maria Cantwell, and Jeff Merkley; Representative David Cicilline; the Executive Director of the LGBT Congressional Equality Caucus; the President of the United States of America; and civil rights leader Richard H. Noble.