

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE ON HB 2797

June 29, 1991 Hearing Room 343 Tapes 1 SENATE MEMBERS
PRESENT: Sen. Tricia Smith Sen. Dick Springer HOUSE MEMBERS
PRESENT: Rep. Parkinson, Chair Rep. Repine Rep. Whitty STAFF
PRESENT: Katherine Van Natta, Committee Administrator Andy Sloop,
Committee Assistant WITNESSES: Gary Conkling, Beaverton School
District

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TAPE 1, SIDE A

005 PARKINSON: We will be acting as a subcommittee, until Sen. Smith arrives. 004 GARY CONKLING: The Senate amendment to HB 2797 relating to schools has underscored the difficult circumstance schools districts find themselves in as part of fast growing community. We believe the answer in funding the construction of new schools lies in not relying totally on property taxes. Better and earlier planning is also an answer. Our amendment has generated a healthy debate among land use planners. As a result, the DLCD has provided significant assurances that it will support and encourage constructive participation by schools in the land use planning process. With that agreement, we agree to withdraw our amendment to HB 2797. It was never our purpose to obstruct the passage of this bill. 020 SPRINGER: Could you explain the changes. 021 FRED VAN NATIA: In addition to the language withdrawing the school amendments, there are two additional amendments occurring on page 2, line 4, changing the 30 days to 45 days - that was done at the request of the Department and we had no objection to that change. The second change occurs on page 2, line 11, removing "as defined in the statewide planning goals." When we made the change from "key" facilities to "public" facilities, we found multiple definitions of the "public facilities." We added to the bill, on page 1, line 14, a definition of "public facilities" to be clear which definition we were referring to. 039 KATHERINE VAN NAITA: That's incorporated into the B-4 amendments (Exhibit A). The amendments change the notice provision, remove the conflicting amendment which was caught by LC, and the amendments delete sections 5,6, and 7; those sections were formerly HB 3301, dealing with schools. Conference Committee on January 20, 1991 - Page 2

045 SPRINGER: Has anyone with the Department signed off on the changes on page 2, line 11?

048 VAN NATTA: It was the Department who brought the conflicting definition to the attention of Legislative Counsel, and they decided that it probably should be deleted. The Department has seen these amendments.

MOTION: Rep. Whitty moves to reconsider the vote by which the committee adopted the conceptual amendment concerning schools.

VOTE: Hearing no objections, Chair Parkinson so moved.

061 MOTION: Rep. Whitty moves adoption of the -4 amendments to HB

2797-B, dated 6 25-91. 066 VOTE: Hearing no objection, Chair
Parkinson so moved. 069 MOTION: Rep. Whitty moves that the House
concur in the Senate amendments dated 6-15, that the bill be further
amended and repassed. VOTE: In a roll call vote, the motion passes 5-0.
Voting aye: Repine, Whitty, Parkinson, Sen. Springer, Sen. Smith.
Parkinson to carry in the House, Smith to carry in the Senate.
097 PARKINSON: Adjourns the meeting.

Submitted by,

J.E. McComb Committee Assistant EXHIBIT SUMMARY

Exhibit A - proposed amendments, HB 2797, staff, 6 pas.

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