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To: Chair Fahey, Vice Chair Kropf, Vice Chair Helfrich, and Members of the House Committee on Rules  
From: South Suburban Sanitary District

Subject: Opposition to Senate Bill 1575

In opposition to Senate Bill 1575, we argue that the responsibility for professional services provided by licensed engineers should rest with the engineering firms themselves, not the entities that hire them. When an entity pays for the expertise of licensed engineers, they should not be held accountable for the decisions made based on that expertise. Instead, engineering firms should be legally accountable for the information and services they provide. Holding engineering firms accountable ensures that they maintain high standards of professionalism and accuracy in their work, without burdening their clients with unnecessary liability.

For these reasons, we respectfully request you to oppose Senate Bill 1575.

Sincerely,

Michael Koger, Board Director for South Suburban Sanitary District