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<u>District Manager/Secretary</u> Brett Blofsky

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

Thank you for the opportunity to submit this testimony in opposition to Senate Bill 1575.

In my opinion, this bill unfairly puts the burden on taxpayers who have no control over the risks associated with professional design work for government agencies. These design professionals are experts and should be held accountable for defective and/or faulty designs. However, this bill would transfer that risk to the taxpayers and government agencies.

For these reasons, I respectfully urge you to oppose Senate Bill 1575.

Sincerely,

Brett Blofshy

Brett Blofsky, District Manager for South Suburban Sanitary District