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Senate Committee On Rules

Measure, Appointment or Topic:

HB2977

I strongly urge you to support HB2977. It will give a much needed boost in funding for our underfunded efforts to protect our wildlife and natural resources, I am particular encouraged that it will provide some modest stable funding for our invasive species challenges.

While one ever likes to raise taxes there is a clear nexus between tourism and negative impacts to our environment. I would have much preferred that rather than raise the transient lodging tax, that the 1% for wildlife have been taken from the portion that funds promotion, We get more than enough tourism with out spending money to promote more.