

Resolution to Endorse NO on I-1366

WHEREAS Initiative 1366 is sponsored by Tim Eyman, Mike Fagan, and Jack Fagan, and

WHEREAS Initiative 1366 would decrease the state's sales tax from 6.5% to 5.5%, unless the legislature refers a constitutional amendment to the ballot requiring a two-thirds vote in the legislature or voter approval to raise taxes, and

WHEREAS Initiative 1366 would either unfairly concentrate power into the hands of the anti-government minority or hold hostage the taxation that is required to fulfill the paramount duty of the state, and

WHEREAS the Washington State Democratic Central Committee passed resolution 717 opposing I-1366 at its April 18th, 2015 meeting in Pasco, and

WHEREAS the Snohomish County Democrats have already endorsed their opposition to Initiative 1366,

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that we, the 44th Legislative District Democrats, endorse DO NOT SIGN AND VOTE NO on Initiative 1366, and

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED that we shall present a copy of this resolution to the Coalition Opposing Initiative 1366 at no1366.org, the Snohomish County Democrats, and the Washington State Democratic Party for their information and use, waiving redundant consideration.

Proposed by the 44th Legislative District Democrats Executive Board on July 9th, 2015 for consideration by the membership.

To be forwarded if passed to no1366.org.

To be forwarded if passed for information to the Snohomish County Democrats and Washington State Democrats. Since they have each already endorsed this initiative, there is no need to request their further consideration.