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Bill Version: SB 88
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Revision Date/Time (Note if correction): _____ Dept. Affected: DOT&PF
Title: An act relating to metropolitan planning BRU: Central Region Planning
organizations and to establishment... Component: Central Region Planning
Sponsor: Senator Phillips
Requester: Senate Transportation Component Number: 557

Expenditures/Revenues (Thousands of Dollars)

Note: Amounts do not include inflation unless otherwise noted below.

| OPERATING EXPENDITURES | FY 2002 | FY 2003 | FY 2004 | FY 2005 | FY 2006 | FY 2007 |
|------------------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| Personal Services | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Travel | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Contractual | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Supplies | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Equipment | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Land & Structures | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Grants & Claims | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Miscellaneous | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| TOTAL OPERATING | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |

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| CAPITAL EXPENDITURES | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
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| CHANGE IN REVENUES () | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
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FUND SOURCE (Thousands of Dollars)

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| 1002 Federal Receipts | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| 1003 GF Match | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| 1004 GF | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| 1005 GF/Program Receipts | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| 1037 GF/Mental Health | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Other (Specify Type) | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| TOTAL | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |

Estimate of any current year (FY2001) cost: 0.0

POSITIONS

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|-----------|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Full-time | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Part-time | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Temporary | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

ANALYSIS: (Attach a separate page if necessary)

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Senator Randy Phillips
State Capitol, Room 103
Juneau, AK 99801-1182

Dear Senator Phillips:

Thank you for your phone call of February 22. You specifically asked "Is there anything in Federal law precluding participation of State Legislators on the AMATS Policy Board." We offer the following for your consideration:

The Federal regulations on MPO membership are contained in Title 23 CFR Section 450.306. In general, they provide considerable flexibility in recognition of the variation in local government authority across the United States and the need to give each State and its local officials the flexibility to determine the institutional form of each MPO. Providing the provisions of Title 23 CFR Section 450 are followed, Federal regulations do not preclude the participation of State legislators on the AMATS Policy Board.

Sincerely,

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February 21, 2001

Honorable John Torgerson
Senate Community & Regional Affairs
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Re: SB88 Metropolitan Planning Organizations
Sponsor Statement

Dear Chairman Torgerson,

SB88, "An Act relating to metropolitan planning organizations and to establishment of a metropolitan planning organization for the Anchorage metropolitan area," would add two legislators on certain metropolitan planning organizations.

The purpose of SB88 is to assist in making the Anchorage Metropolitan Area Transportation Study, (AMATS), more responsive to the needs of communities. Many legislators feel that they are asked to approve state funding for the development of a multi-modal transportation system--including those projects that have not been established as local community priorities. Legislators have a direct link to constituents and community councils where many of the needs are initiated, and therefore, should have more input into the AMATS Policy Committee.

SB88 adds two legislators from the Anchorage Caucus to the AMATS Committee, increasing the voting Policy Committee from five to seven representatives, and will provide a more adequate level of citizen representation.

SB88 Moved out of Senate Transportation Committee yesterday, 2-20-01.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Randy Phillips".

Senator Randy Phillips