

Pat.beehler (Tue, 1 Oct 2019 at 2:23 PM)

Hello:

In response to the PDC complaint of Cody Hart I have the following information. As the chief Professional Land Surveyor for DNR I was contacted by the Director of the Board of Registration, Ken Fuller, and a Professional Land Surveyor member of the Board, James Wengler, asking for DNR's support of SB 5443. After some discussion DNR made a decision not to actively support the bill, and my activity in support would be as a private citizen.

1. Email chain dated March 13, 2019 (.pdf file attached); at 6:14 am email from me to James Wengler letting him know I was going skiing and would not be testifying that day, and that DNR will not take a position on the bill. Email from James Wengler to me that he would like me to sign in as a Professional Land Surveyor and not as a representative of DNR.
2. Email from James Wengler acknowledging my phone call and that I would be contacting Sen. Hunt in support of the bill as a member of LSAW and not as a representative of DNR.
3. TVW video of the hearing on SB 5334 before the House Consumer Protection & Business Committee, March 19, 2019 1:30 pm. I took a late lunch that day to testify before the committee on my own, not as a representative of DNR. My appearance at 52' 26" of the video as a proponent was representing the Land Surveyors' Association of Washington (LSAW).

In summary my activity in support of SB 5443 was as a private citizen, not as an employee of DNR.



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Beehler, Pat (DNR)

From: James Wengler <james@wenglersurveying.com>
Sent: Wednesday, February 13, 2019 8:33 AM
To: Beehler, Pat (DNR)
Subject: RE: SB 5443

Hi Pat,

I was hoping that you could sign in an support the Bill as a Professional Land Surveyor and not as a representative of the DNR.

John and Cliff should be there.

Anyway have fun Skiing!!

JW

From: Beehler, Pat (DNR) [mailto:Pat.Beehler@dnr.wa.gov]
Sent: Wednesday, February 13, 2019 6:14 AM
To: James Wengler (Wengler Surveying)
Cc: Jon Warren, P.L.S. (Bellevue); Webster, Cliff
Subject: SB 5443

James:

Jeff told me that you expected me to be testifying at the hearing on SB 5443 this Friday. I will be skiing at White Pass that day an unable to testify in support. **The DNR will not take a position on the bill, but I personally support it.** See if you can get Jon Warren to work with Cliff Webster with the AELC to sign in with support.

Pat



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From: James Wengler <james@wenglersurveying.com>
Sent: Saturday, February 16, 2019 10:05 AM
To: Beehler, Pat (DNR)
Subject: SB 5443 talking points
Attachments: BORPELS Talking Points .pdf; Att. 2 AGO Opinion 1986.docx

Hi Pat,

Thanks for the call Friday night.

Attached is a copy of the talking points we provided to the committee during our testimony. I understand you will be talking to Senator Hunt in favor of this bill as a member of the LSAW and not as a representative of the Department of Natural Resources.

These talking points along with a request to support this Bill was sent out in an email to the LSAW chapter leadership last week.

It was intended to be forwarded to the individual chapter members, but there was no specific instructions in the email to do so.

That along with the weather may have delayed or prevented the email from being sent.

Thank you again for your continued support.

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The shadow is what we think of it; the tree is the real thing"
A. Lincoln

