

[BUDGET(s) AFFECTED]

Section Under Consideration:

**Section 001. OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR**  
(Natural Resource Policy)

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1 Page 5-line 8 After "6." insert ", 8."

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3 Page 8-after line 17 Insert:

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5 "8. There is appropriated eight hundred fifty thousand dollars  
6 (\$850,000.00) from the federal natural resource policy account to  
7 the office of the governor for the purposes of funding the costs  
8 of two (2) full-time positions within a statewide association  
9 representing counties to enhance county interdisciplinary  
10 capability and to protect state and local federal natural resource  
11 interests from federal government action in cooperation and  
12 coordination with the governor's office. It is the intent of the  
13 legislature that this appropriation be included within the office  
14 of the governor's standard budget for the immediately succeeding  
15 fiscal biennium. This appropriation shall not be transferred or  
16 expended for any other purpose."

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18 To the extent required by this amendment: adjust totals; and  
19 renumber as necessary. NETHERCOTT