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Washington Suburban Sanitary Commission – Design and Construction – Alternative Project Delivery and Solicitation Methods MC/PG 102-25

The Washington Suburban Sanitary Commission (WSSC Water) requested this bill to provide more flexibility in its procurement efforts. House Bill 1063 repeals a provision of current law that allows WSSC Water to enter into a design/build agreement contract for facilities construction contract only if the costs exceed \$2,000,000. The bill also adds language that allows WSSC Water to adopt regulations establishing alternative project delivery and solicitation methods that promote the best interests of WSSC Water.

The County Executive supports this bill and respectfully requests the Environment and Transportation Committee give the bill a favorable report. The County Council has no position on the bill.