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RES 32155 – City of Seattle's 2025 State Legislative Agenda Proposed Amendment Packet

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Amendment A Version 1 to RES 32155 - 2025 State Legislative Agenda

Sponsor: Councilmember Saka Juvenile Access to Attorneys

Effect: This amendment would add language to the City of Seattle's 2025 State Legislative Agenda to state the City's commitment to clarifying applicability of exceptions to statutory requirements for juvenile access to attorneys.

Amend the language under the heading "Public Safety" in Exhibit 1 of RES 32155 as follows:

PUBLIC SAFETY

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- Allow for federally accredited labs to conduct testing of blood samples in presumed drug and liquor intoxication cases.
- Clarify applicability of exceptions to statutory requirements for juvenile access to
 attorneys when contacted by law enforcement for juveniles who may be a victim of a
 crime or witness to a crime.

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Amendment B Version 1 to RES 32155 - 2025 State Legislative Agenda

Sponsor: Councilmember Kettle

Mental Health Investments for K-12 Students and Families

Effect: This amendment would add language to the City of Seattle's 2025 State Legislative Agenda to state the City's commitment to funding investments in mental health for K-12 students and Seattle Public School families.

Amend the language under the heading "Behavioral Health" in Exhibit 1 of RES 32155 as follows:

BEHAVIORAL HEALTH

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• Increase funding for mental health supports for students and invest in <u>a wide range of</u>
programs and projects including, but not limited to, Red Barn Ranch, which supports <u>and</u>
other programs that support the mental and physical health of youth.

Amend the language under the heading "Adequate Funding for Services & Local Governments" in Exhibit 1 of RES 32155 as follows:

ADEQUATE FUNDING FOR SERVICES & LOCAL GOVERNMENTS

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Fully fund K-12 education and support Seattle Public Schools families through
investments in basic education, mental health, student transportation, universal free
school meals, special education, technical assistance for districts, and other operational
costs.

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Amendment C Version 1 to RES 32155 - 2025 State Legislative Agenda

Sponsor: Councilmember Rivera

Early Childhood/Preschool Education Investments

Effect: This amendment would add language to the City of Seattle's 2025 State Legislative Agenda to state the City's commitment to funding investments in early childhood/preschool education.

Amend the language under the heading "Adequate Funding for Services & Local Governments" in Exhibit 1 of RES 32155 as follows:

ADEQUATE FUNDING FOR SERVICES & LOCAL GOVERNMENTS

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Fully fund <u>early childhood/preschool and K-12</u> education and support Seattle Public
 Schools families through investments in basic education, student transportation, universal
 free school meals, special education, technical assistance for districts, and other
 operational costs.

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Amendment D Version 1 to RES 32155 - 2025 State Legislative Agenda

Sponsor: Councilmember Strauss

Various Legislative Priorities

Effect: This amendment would add language to the City of Seattle's 2025 State Legislative Agenda to state the City's commitment to the following legislative priorities:

- High rates of disappearances and murders of indigenous women and people,
- Safe access to abortion and other reproductive healthcare services for all,
- Special events and World Cup activations regarding food and drink, and
- Climate change, climate adaptation, and local government removal of fish passage barriers.

Amend the language under the heading "Public Safety" in Exhibit 1 of RES 32155 as follows:

PUBLIC SAFETY

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- Allow for federally accredited labs to conduct testing of blood samples in presumed drug and liquor intoxication cases.
- Support continued efforts to address the high rate of disappearances and murders of indigenous women and people.

Amend the language under the heading "Behavioral Health" in Exhibit 1 of RES 32155 as follows:

PUBLIC AND BEHAVIORAL HEALTH

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- Increase funding for mental health supports for students and invest in programs and projects including, but not limited to, Red Barn Ranch, which supports the mental and physical health of youth.
- Support safe access to abortion and other reproductive healthcare services for all.

Amend the language under the heading "Economic Development & Small Business" in Exhibit 1 of RES 32155 as follows:

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT & SMALL BUSINESS

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• Support special events and World Cup activations by allowing flexible movement of food and drink. Support special events and World Cup activations regarding food and drink.

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Amend the language under the heading "Climate & Environment" in Exhibit 1 of RES 32155 as follows:

CLIMATE & ENVIRONMENT

- Secure Capital funding for decarbonization projects, including, but not limited to,
 creation of the Seattle Center Eco-district.
- Support policies and investments to fight climate change, support climate adaptation, and assist local government removal of fish passage barriers.