

## City of Seattle 2022 State Legislative Bulletin February 13, 2022

**Key Dates:** 

February 15, 2022 House of Origin Cutoff

February 24, 2022 Opposite House Policy Committee Cutoff
February 28, 2022 Opposite House Fiscal Committee Cutoff

March 4, 2022 Opposite House Cutoff

March 10, 2022 Sine Die

**Budget & Revenue** 

Bill Details		<u>Status</u>	Sponsor	
SB 5651 (HB 1781)	Capital budget, supplemental Concerning the capital budget.	S Ways & Means	Frockt	
(110 1701)	Upcoming Events: Ways & Means (Senate) Public Hearing 2/17 @ 4:00 pm			
SB 5693 (HB 1816)	Operating budget, supp.  Making 2021-2023 fiscal biennium supplemental opera	S Ways & Means ting appropriations.	Rolfes	

## Climate & Environment

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Bill Details		<u>Status</u>	<u>Sponsor</u>		
2SHB 1075	On-demand transp. emissions Reducing emissions from vehicles associated with	mand transp. emissions H Rules C Berry ng emissions from vehicles associated with on-demand transportation services.			
E2SHB 1663	Landfill methane emissions Reducing methane emissions from landfills.	S Environment, En	Duerr		
	Upcoming Events: Environment, Energy & Technology (Senate) Public Hearing 2/16 @ 8:00 am				

**Targeted electrification** H 2nd Reading Ramel Concerning the authority of publicly owned electric utilities to engage in targeted electrification **HB 1767** through the adoption of plans that establish a finding that utility outreach and investment in the (SB 5666) conversion of its customers' end use equipment from fossil fuels to electricity will provide net benefits to the utility. **ESHB 1770 Energy codes** H Passed 3rd Duerr (SB 5669) Strengthening energy codes. **Hydrogen** H Finance Ramel Expanding the production, distribution, and use of hydrogen not produced from a fossil fuel feedstock. HB 1792 (Dead) Upcoming Events: Finance (House) Exec Session 2/17 @ 8:00 am H Passed 3rd **E2SHB 1799** Organic materials management Fitzgibbon (SB 5731) Concerning organic materials management. SHB 1801 Electronic equipment repair **H** Approps Gregerson (Dead) Concerning the repair of digital electronic equipment. **Energy facility site council** H Passed 3rd Fitzgibbon **E2SHB 1812** Modernizing the energy facility site evaluation council to meet the state's clean energy goals. **Landscaping equipment** S Ways & Means Carlyle SSB 5543 Concerning a zero-emission landscaping equipment incentive program. (Dead) Upcoming Events: Ways & Means (Senate) Public Hearing 2/17 @ 4:00 pm Greenhouse gases/buildings S Passed 3rd Nguyen Reducing greenhouse gas emissions in buildings. SSB 5722 (HB 1774) Upcoming Events: Environment & Energy (House) Public Hearing 2/17 @ 1:30 pm **Education Bill Details** <u>Status</u> **Sponsor** 

Student homelessness pilot

Expanding the students experiencing homelessness and foster youth pilot program.

H Passed 3rd **Higher education grants** Slatter Making higher education more affordable and accessible for students by bridging the gap between **E2SHB 1659** cost and need to reduce barriers, improve opportunity, and advance economic security. College bound scholar./GPA H Passed 3rd Bergquist EHB 1687 Enhancing the college bound scholarship program by increasing opportunities for students to attend community and technical colleges. School meals/electronic info S EL/K-12 Berg Establishing an electronic option for the submission of household income information required for **HB 1833** participation in school meals and programs. Upcoming Events: Early Learning & K-12 Education (Senate) Public Hearing 2/18 @ 8:00 am Postsecondary enrollment H Passed 3rd Hansen **2SHB 1835** Creating outreach and completion initiatives to increase postsecondary enrollment. Schools/comm. eligibility S EL/K-12 Riccelli **SHB 1878** Increasing public school participation in the community eligibility provision of the United States (SB 5798) department of agriculture. Apprenticeships & higher ed. H Coll & Wkf Dev Randall Concerning apprenticeships and higher education. **E2SSB 5764** Upcoming Events: College & Workforce Development (House) Public Hearing 2/17 @ 10:00 am

## **General Government**

Bill Details		<u>Status</u>	<u>Sponsor</u>
E2SHB 1015	Equitable access to credit Creating the Washington equitable access to credit act. Upcoming Events: Business, Financial Services & Trade		Maycumber 7 @ 8:00 am
SHB 1614 (SB 5533)	Online marketplaces Concerning online marketplace consumer product thef	H 2nd Reading t and safety protection.	Kirby

**Telecommunications access** H Passed 3rd Gregerson

E2SHB 1723 Closing the digital equity divide by increasing the accessibility and affordability of telecommunications

services, devices, and training.

E2SHB 1815 Catalytic converter theft H Passed 3rd Ryu

Deterring catalytic converter theft.

Data centers tax preference H Finance Berg

HB 1846

Providing a tax preference for rural and nonrural data centers.

Upcoming Events: Finance (House) Exec Session 2/17 @ 8:00 am

**Health Care & Safety Net** 

Bill Details Status Sponsor

Charity care S Health & Long T Simmons

SHB 1616 Concerning the charity care act.

Upcoming Events: Health & Long Term Care (Senate) Public Hearing 2/18 @ 8:00 am

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(SB 5618) Protecting consumers from charges for out-of-network health care services, by aligning state law and the federal no surprises act and addressing coverage of treatment for emergency conditions.

**Housing & Homelessness** 

Bill Details Status Sponsor

Rent relief & housing H Finance Kloba

HB 1035 Providing local governments with options to grant rent relief and preserve affordable housing in their

communities.

Comprehensive planning S Housing & Local Duerr

Improving the state's climate response through updates to the state's comprehensive planning

E2SHB 1099 framework.

Upcoming Events: Housing & Local Government (Senate) Exec Session 2/17 @ 8:00 am

Affordable housing/REET H Passed 3rd Hackney **ESHB 1643** Exempting a sale or transfer of real property for affordable housing to a nonprofit entity, housing (SSB 5642) authority, public corporation, county, or municipal corporation from the real estate excise tax. **HB 1647 Building for the arts** S Ways & Means Tharinger (SB 5530) Concerning the building for the arts program. Middle housing near transit H 2nd Reading Bateman **SHB 1782** Creating additional middle housing near transit and in areas traditionally dedicated to single-family (SSB 5670) detached housing. H Passed 3rd **Supportive housing** Chopp **ESHB 1866** Assisting persons receiving community support services through medical assistance programs to receive supportive housing. H Finance **Housing benefit districts** Ryu Concerning housing benefit districts. SHB 1880 (SB 5861) Upcoming Events: Finance (House) Exec Session 2/17 @ 8:00 am **Tenants/rent & fees** H 2nd Reading Peterson Protecting tenants from excessive rent and related fees by providing at least six months' notice for rent **SHB 1904** increases over a certain amount, allowing tenants the right to terminate a tenancy, and limiting late fees. H 2nd Reading Pollet Local government planning **SHB 1981** Concerning local government planning. **SEPA/shelters & encampments** H Env & Energy Nguyen Concerning the application of the state environmental policy act to temporary shelters and transitional **ESSB 5428** encampments. Upcoming Events: Environment & Energy (House) Public Hearing 2/17 @ 1:30 pm Right-of-way camping/housing S 2nd Reading Kuderer 2SSB 5662 Concerning intergovernmental coordination to address transitioning persons encamped on state public rights-of-way to permanent housing solutions. Housing/SEPA & GMA S 2nd Reading Salomon Promoting housing construction in cities through amendments to and limiting appeals under the state SSB 5818 environmental policy act and growth management act.

## **Labor & Civil Rights**

Bill Details		<u>Status</u>	<u>Sponsor</u>	
SHB 1156	Local elections Increasing representation and voter participation in local	H 2nd Reading Il elections.	Harris-Talley	
SHB 1474	Unemployment employer viol. Strengthening penalty and audit tools for employer viola	H Rules R ations in unemployment ins	Chopp urance.	
SHB 1732	Long-term care/delay Delaying the implementation of the long-term services a	C 1 L 22 and supports trust program	Sullivan by 18 months.	
SHB 1763 (SB 5627)	Workers' comp. exam rights Concerning injured workers' rights during independent r	H Rules R medical examinations.	Bronoske	
ESHB 1795	Nondisclosure/illegal acts  S Labor, Comm & T  Berry  Prohibiting nondisclosure and nondisparagement provisions from employers regarding illegal acts of discrimination, harassment, retaliation, wage and hour violations, and sexual assault.  Upcoming Events: Labor, Commerce & Tribal Affairs (Senate) Public Hearing 2/17 @ 8:00 am			
HB 1837	Musculoskeletal injuries Restoring the state's ability to address work-related mus	H 2nd Reading sculoskeletal injuries.	Bronoske	
E2SHB 1868 (SB 5751)	Health care staffing Improving worker safety and patient care in health care meal and rest breaks, and enforcement.	H Passed 3rd facilities by addressing staff	Riccelli ing needs, overtime,	
SHB 2076	<b>Transp. network companies</b> Concerning rights and obligations of transportation network companies.	H 2nd Reading vork company drivers and tr	Berry ransportation	
E2SSB 5597	Voting rights Concerning the Washington voting rights act.	H State Govt & Tr	Saldaña	
	Upcoming Events: State Government & Tribal Relations (House) Public Hearing 2/16 @ 8:00 am			

2SSB-5636	Automatic voter registration Concerning secure automatic voter registration.	<del>S Ways &amp; Means</del>	Hunt	
2SSB 5649	Family and medical leave  Modifying the Washington state paid family and medical	S Passed 3rd I leave act.	Robinson	
Public Safety				
Bill Details		<u>Status</u>	<u>Sponsor</u>	
E4SHB 1412	Legal financial obligations Concerning legal financial obligations.	S Law & Justice	Simmons	
	Upcoming Events: Law & Justice (Senate) Public Hearing 2/17 @ 10:30 am			
SHB 1630	Weapons/certain meetings Establishing restrictions on the possession of weapons in	H 2nd Reading n certain locations.	Senn	
ESHB 1705	Untraceable guns Concerning ghost guns.	S Law & Justice	Berry	
HB 1719	Military equipment/law enf.  Concerning use and acquisition of military equipment by		Bronoske	
	Upcoming Events: Law & Justice (Senate) Exec Session 2,	717 @ 10.30 am		
SHB 1725	Missing indigenous persons Concerning the creation of an endangered missing persons.	S Law & Justice on advisory designation for r	Lekanoff nissing indigenous	
	Upcoming Events: Law & Justice (Senate) Exec Session 2/17 @ 10:30 am			
SHB 1735	Peace officers/use of force  Modifying the standard for use of force by peace officers	S Law & Justice s.	Johnson	

Upcoming Events: Law & Justice (Senate) Exec Session 2/17 @ 10:30 am

SHB 1788	Vehicular pursuits Concerning vehicular pursuits.	H Rules R	Robertson	
ESHB 2037	Peace officers/use of force  Modifying the standard for use of force by peace officer	H Passed 3rd rs.	Goodman	
ESSB 5078 (HB 1164)	Large capacity magazines H Civil R & Judi Liias Addressing firearm safety measures to increase public safety. (REVISED FOR ENGROSSED: Establishing firearms-related safety measures to increase public safety by prohibiting the manufacture, importation, distribution, selling, and offering for sale of large capacity magazines, and by providing limited exemptions applicable to licensed firearms manufacturers and dealers for purposes of sale to armed forces branches and law enforcement agencies for purposes of sale or transfer outside the state.)			
Upcoming Events: Civil Rights & Judiciary (House) Exec Session 2/18 @ 3:30 pm, Civil Righ (House) Public Hearing 2/16 @ 10:00 am				
SSB 5568	Open weapon carry/local laws Concerning preemption of municipal laws restricting the	S Rules 2 e open carry of weapons.	Kuderer	
SSB 5644	Behavioral health coresponse Concerning providing quality behavioral health co-response	S Passed 3rd onse services	Wagoner	
ESB 5919	Law enf. detention & pursuit  Concerning the standard for law enforcement authority	H Public Safety to detain or pursue persons	Van De Wege s.	
Bill Details	Transportation	n <u>Status</u>	<u>Sponsor</u>	
SHB 1304	<b>Grade-separated transport.</b> Concerning grade-separated transportation.	H Rules R	Hackney	
HB 1786 (SB 5689)	<b>Transportation budget, supp.</b> Making supplemental transportation appropriations for	H Transportation r the 2021-2023 fiscal bienni	Fey um.	
SB 5354	Traffic control/large cities Addressing traffic control in large cities.	H Transportation	Saldaña	
_	Upcoming Events: Transportation (House) Public Hearing 2/17 @ 3:30 pm			

SB 5510	Transp. benefit district tax	H Finance	King	
	Concerning renewal of the sales and use tax for transportation benefit districts.			
SSB 5528 (HB 2062)	RTA supplemental revenue Concerning the imposition of additive revenue sources	H Transportation within a regional transit auth	Pedersen nority area.	
<u>SB 5707</u>	Traffic safety cameras Extending additional uses for automated traffic safety coincreased safety.	H Transportation ameras for traffic congestion	Saldaña n reduction and	
SB 5974 (HB 2119)	Transportation resources Addressing transportation resources.  Upcoming Events: Transportation (Senate) Exec Session	S Transportation 2/14 @ 8:00 am	Liias	
SB 5975 (HB 2118)	Additive transp. funding  Concerning additive transportation funding and approp	S Transportation riations.	Liias	