



City of Seattle  
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**Key Dates:**

March 10, 2022

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Budget & Revenue

<u>Bill Details</u>		<u>Status</u>	<u>Sponsor</u>
<a href="#">SSB 5651</a> (SHB 1781)	<b>Capital budget, supplemental</b> Concerning the capital budget.	H Rules R	Frockt
<a href="#">ESSB 5693</a> (SHB 1816)	<b>Operating budget, supp.</b> Making 2021-2023 fiscal biennium supplemental operating appropriations.	H Passed 3rd	Rolfes

Climate & Environment

<u>Bill Details</u>		<u>Status</u>	<u>Sponsor</u>
<a href="#">E2SHB 1663</a>	<b>Landfill methane emissions</b> Reducing methane emissions from landfills.	S Passed 3rd	Duerr
<a href="#">ESHB 1770</a> ( <del>SB 5669</del> )	<b>Energy codes</b> Strengthening energy codes.	S-2nd-Reading	Duerr
<a href="#">E2SHB 1799</a> ( <del>SB 5731</del> )	<b>Organic materials management</b> Concerning organic materials management.	S Passed 3rd	Fitzgibbon
<a href="#">E2SHB 1812</a>	<b>Energy facility site council</b> Modernizing the energy facility site evaluation council to meet the state's clean energy goals.	S Passed 3rd	Fitzgibbon

<a href="#"><u>SSB 5722</u></a> <del>(HB 1774)</del>	<b>Greenhouse gases/buildings</b> Reducing greenhouse gas emissions in buildings.	H Passed 3rd	Nguyen
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## Education

<u>Bill Details</u>		<u>Status</u>	<u>Sponsor</u>
<a href="#"><u>E2SHB 1659</u></a>	<b>Higher education grants</b> Making higher education more affordable and accessible for students by bridging the gap between cost and need to reduce barriers, improve opportunity, and advance economic security.	S Passed 3rd	Slatter
<a href="#"><u>HB 1833</u></a>	<b>School meals/electronic info</b> Establishing an electronic option for the submission of household income information required for participation in school meals and programs.	S Passed 3rd	Berg
<a href="#"><u>2SHB 1835</u></a>	<b>Postsecondary enrollment</b> Creating outreach and completion initiatives to increase postsecondary enrollment.	S Passed 3rd	Hansen
<a href="#"><u>SHB 1878</u></a> <del>(SB 5798)</del>	<b>Schools/comm. eligibility</b> Increasing public school participation in the community eligibility provision of the United States department of agriculture.	C 7 L 22	Riccelli
<a href="#"><u>E2SSB 5764</u></a>	<b>Apprenticeships &amp; higher ed.</b> Concerning apprenticeships and higher education.	H Passed 3rd	Randall

## General Government

<u>Bill Details</u>		<u>Status</u>	<u>Sponsor</u>
<a href="#"><u>E2SHB 1015</u></a>	<b>Equitable access to credit</b> Creating the Washington equitable access to credit act.	S Passed 3rd	Maycumber
<a href="#"><u>E2SHB 1723</u></a>	<b>Telecommunications access</b> Closing the digital equity divide by increasing the accessibility and affordability of telecommunications services, devices, and training.	S Passed 3rd	Gregerson
<a href="#"><u>E2SHB 1815</u></a>	<b>Catalytic converter theft</b> Deterring catalytic converter theft.	S Passed 3rd	Ryu

**Data centers tax preference** H Passed 3rd Berg

Providing a tax preference for rural and nonrural data centers.

[ESHB 1846](#)

Upcoming Events: Ways & Means (Senate) Public Hearing 3/7 @ 5:00 pm, Ways & Means (Senate) Exec Session 3/9 @ 12:00 pm

[SSB 5760](#) **Motion picture program** S 2nd Reading Wellman

(ESHB  
1914)

Updating and expanding the motion picture competitiveness program.

## Health Care & Safety Net

### Bill Details

### Status

### Sponsor

[SHB 1616](#)

**Charity care**

S Passed 3rd

Simmons

Concerning the charity care act.

[E2SHB  
1688](#) (~~SB  
5618~~)

**Out-of-network health care**

S Passed 3rd

Cody

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

[E2SHB  
1099](#)

**Comprehensive planning**

S Passed 3rd

Duerr

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

[ESHB  
1643](#)  
(SSB  
5642)

**Affordable housing/REET**

S Passed 3rd

Hackney

Exempting a sale or transfer of real property for affordable housing to a nonprofit entity, housing authority, public corporation, county, or municipal corporation from the real estate excise tax.

[HB 1647](#)  
(SB 5530)

**Building for the arts**

S Passed 3rd

Tharinger

Concerning the building for the arts program.

[ESHB  
1660](#) (~~SB  
5648~~)

**Accessory dwelling units**

S-2nd-Reading

Shewmake

Concerning accessory dwelling units.

<a href="#"><u>ESHB 1866</u></a>	<b>Supportive housing</b> Assisting persons receiving community support services through medical assistance programs to receive supportive housing.	S Passed 3rd	Chopp
<a href="#"><u>ESSB 5428</u></a>	<del>SEPA/shelters &amp; encampments</del> Concerning the application of the state environmental policy act to temporary shelters and transitional encampments.	H 2nd Reading	Nguyen
<a href="#"><u>E2SSB 5662</u></a>	<del>Right of way camping/housing</del> Concerning intergovernmental coordination to address transitioning persons encamped on state public rights-of-way to permanent housing solutions.	H Approps	Kuderer
<a href="#"><u>SSB 5818</u></a>	<b>Housing/SEPA &amp; GMA</b> Promoting housing construction in cities through amendments to and limiting appeals under the state environmental policy act and growth management act.	H Passed 3rd	Salomon

## Labor & Civil Rights

<u>Bill Details</u>	<u>Status</u>	<u>Sponsor</u>
<a href="#"><u>SHB 1732</u></a>	<b>Long-term care/delay</b> Delaying the implementation of the long-term services and supports trust program by 18 months.	C 1 L 22 Sullivan
<a href="#"><u>ESHB 1795</u></a>	<b>Nondisclosure/illegal acts</b> Prohibiting nondisclosure and nondisparagement provisions from employers regarding illegal acts of discrimination, harassment, retaliation, wage and hour violations, and sexual assault.	S Pres Signed Berry
<a href="#"><u>EHB 1837</u></a>	<del>Musculoskeletal injuries</del> Restoring the state's ability to address work-related musculoskeletal injuries.	S 2nd Reading Bronoske
<a href="#"><u>E2SHB 1868</u></a> ( <del>SB 5751</del> )	<del>Health care staffing</del> Improving worker safety and patient care in health care facilities by addressing staffing needs, overtime, meal and rest breaks, and enforcement.	S Ways & Means Riccelli
<a href="#"><u>ESHB 2076</u></a>	<b>Transp. network companies</b> Concerning rights and obligations of transportation network company drivers and transportation network companies.	S Passed 3rd Berry
<a href="#"><u>E2SSB 5597</u></a>	<del>Voting rights</del> Concerning the Washington voting rights act.	H Approps Saldaña

[2SSB 5649](#) **Family and medical leave** H Passed 3rd Robinson  
 Modifying the Washington state paid family and medical leave act.

## Public Safety

<u>Bill Details</u>	<u>Status</u>	<u>Sponsor</u>
<a href="#">E4SHB 1412</a> <b>Legal financial obligations</b> Concerning legal financial obligations.	S Passed 3rd	Simmons
<a href="#">ESHB 1630</a> <b>Weapons/certain meetings</b> Establishing restrictions on the possession of weapons in certain locations.	S Passed 3rd	Senn
<a href="#">ESHB 1705</a> <b>Untraceable guns</b> Concerning ghost guns.	S Pres Signed	Berry
<a href="#">HB 1719</a> <b>Military equipment/law enf.</b> Concerning use and acquisition of military equipment by law enforcement agencies.	C 3 L 22	Bronoske
<a href="#">SHB 1725</a> <b>Missing indigenous persons</b> Concerning the creation of an endangered missing person advisory designation for missing indigenous persons.	S Passed 3rd	Lekanoff
<a href="#">SHB 1735</a> <b>Peace officers/use of force</b> Modifying the standard for use of force by peace officers.	C 4 L 22	Johnson
<a href="#">ESHB 2037</a> <b>Peace officers/use of force</b> Modifying the standard for use of force by peace officers.	S Passed 3rd	Goodman
<a href="#">ESSB 5078 (HB 1164)</a> <b>Large capacity magazines</b> 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.)	H Passed 3rd	Liias
<a href="#">SSB 5644</a> <b>Behavioral health coresponse</b> Concerning providing quality behavioral health co-response services	H Passed 3rd	Wagoner
<a href="#">ESB 5919</a> <b>Law enf. detention &amp; pursuit</b> Concerning the standard for law enforcement authority to detain or pursue persons.	H Passed 3rd	Van De Wege

## Transportation

<u>Bill Details</u>	<u>Status</u>	<u>Sponsor</u>
<a href="#"><u>SHB 1786</u></a> (ESSB 5689)	<b>Transportation budget, supp.</b> Making supplemental transportation appropriations for the 2021-2023 fiscal biennium.	H Rules R Fey
<a href="#"><u>SB 5354</u></a>	<del><b>Traffic control/large cities</b></del> Addressing traffic control in large cities.	H Transportation Saldaña
<a href="#"><u>SB 5510</u></a>	<del><b>Transp. benefit district tax</b></del> Concerning renewal of the sales and use tax for transportation benefit districts.	H 2nd Reading King
<a href="#"><u>SSB 5528</u></a> (HB 2062)	<b>RTA supplemental revenue</b> Concerning the imposition of additive revenue sources within a regional transit authority area.	H Passed 3rd Pedersen
<a href="#"><u>SB 5707</u></a>	<del><b>Traffic safety cameras</b></del> Extending additional uses for automated traffic safety cameras for traffic congestion reduction and increased safety.	H Transportation Saldaña
<a href="#"><u>ESSB 5974</u></a> (SHB 2119)	<b>Transportation resources</b> Addressing transportation resources.	S Conf appt Liias
<a href="#"><u>SSB 5975</u></a> (SHB 2118)	<b>Additive transp. funding</b> Concerning additive transportation funding and appropriations.	S Conf appt Liias