



2017 STATE LEGISLATIVE PRIORITIES

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STATE LEGISLATIVE PRIORITIES – 2017 SESSION

SCL requests in the City's State Agenda:

- Seek "authority" to provide customer incentives for transportation electrification infrastructure.
- Support "fix" to State Solar Incentive Program (PTC).



TRANSPORTATION ELECTRIFICATION AUTHORITY (HB1335)

- Utilities currently have authority to own and operate charging infrastructure.
- Addresses the “gift of public funds” prohibition for public utilities.
- Amends RCW that provides authority to pay customer incentives for conservation.
- Not a mandate, permissive only.
- With authority, SCL customer incentive program will be developed & launched in 2018
- Coordinated with the *Drive Clean Seattle* Initiative.



STATE SOLAR INCENTIVE LEGISLATION (HB1048)

- Several utilities have hit the cap of 0.5% of the utility's taxable power sales.
- Program currently ends in 2020.
- Proposed legislation will:
 - Raise utility cap to 2% of utility's taxable power sales.
 - Reduces level of incentive but guarantees payment for 8 years.
 - Responsible & safe recycling & disposal of PV materials.
 - No new enrolls post-2021.
 - Promotes in-state equipment.





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To set the standard—to deliver the best customer service experience of any utility in the nation.

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Seattle City Light is dedicated to exceeding our customers' expectations in producing and delivering environmentally responsible, safe, low-cost and reliable power.

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Excellence, Accountability, Trust and Stewardship.

