

2024 State Legislative Session Council Briefing

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Budget & Revenue

- HB 2044 (Duerr) - Eliminates a nonsupplant restriction applicable to local government taxing districts located in a county with a population of 1.5 million or more (passed 27-22, City supports)
- HB 2348 (Street) - Authorizes counties that establish hospitals to use county money, levy taxes, and issue bonds to pay, finance, or refinance capital expenses related to the hospital (passed 31-18, City supports)



Climate & Environment

- HB 1589 (Doglio) - Accelerating Puget Sound Energy's transition away from natural gas to electricity (passed 27-22)
- HB 2156 (Reeves) - Solar consumer protections (passed 49-0, City supports)
- SB 5931 (Salomon) - Designates 6PPD as a priority chemical and certain motorized vehicle tires as a priority consumer product under Safer Products for Washington & requires DoE to determine regulatory actions (passed 85-11, City supports)
- SB 6058 (Nguyen) - Facilitating linkage of WA's carbon market with California-Quebec market (passed 57-39, City supports)



General Government

- HB 1510 (Santos) - Requires 30 percent of the sales tax revenue at qualified facilities to be deposited into the Community Preservation and Development Authority Account until January 1, 2036 (passed 41-7, City supports)
- SB 5838 (Nguyen) - Creates an Artificial Intelligence Task Force to assess uses, develop guiding principles, and make recommendations for the regulation of generative artificial intelligence (passed 68-28, City supports)
- HB 2014 (Volz) - Expands veterans' eligibility for purposes of state benefits and services for veterans (passed 49-0)



Healthcare & Behavioral Health

- HB 1929 (Cortes) - Creates the Post-Inpatient Housing Program for Young Adults to provide supportive transitional housing with behavioral health supports for persons 18 to 24 years old who are exiting inpatient behavioral health treatment (City supports, passed 46-0)
- HB 1956 (Leavitt) - Directs the Department of Health to develop, implement, and maintain a statewide drug overdose prevention and awareness campaign to address the drug overdose epidemic. Tasks the Office of the Superintendent of Public Instruction with developing and updating age-appropriate substance use prevention and awareness materials for school and classroom use aligned with the statewide campaign (passed 46-0, City supports)
- HB 2247 (Bateman) - Alters licensure, certification, or registration requirements, practice settings, and reimbursement requirements for psychologists, mental health counselors, social workers, marriage and family therapists, agency affiliated counselors, and substance use disorder professionals (passed 49-0, City supports)
- SB 6228 (Dhingra) - Requires health plans to authorize at least 14 days of inpatient or residential substance use disorder treatment on the first utilization review, and at least seven days on subsequent reviews (passed 84-8, City supports)



Housing & Homelessness

- HB 1892 (Leavitt) - Creates the Workforce Housing Accelerator Revolving Loan Fund Program within the Department of Commerce and in contract with the Washington State Housing Finance Commission to administer loans to eligible organizations to assist with the development of housing for low income households (passed 48-0, City supports)
- HB 2012 (Street) - Expands the property tax exemption for nonprofit organizations providing rental housing or mobile home park spaces to qualifying households by allowing nonprofit organizations to receive funding from additional sources (City supports, passed 36-13)
- HB 2329 (Macri) - Requires the Office of the Insurance Commissioner to conduct a study of property and liability coverages available to housing providers receiving housing fund trust resources and serving extremely low-income households (passed 48-0, City supports)
- SB 6015 (Shewmake) - Requires cities and counties to enforce certain parking configurations for residential development (passed 95-1)



Labor & Commerce

- HB 2382 (Berry) - Provides that death benefits under the workers' compensation system must be paid to a transportation network company driver if the driver's death results from an injury while the driver was logged onto the TNC's digital network as available for work and physically inside or within the immediate proximity of the TNC driver's vehicle (passed 32-17, City supports)
- HB 1905 (Mena) - Extends the prohibitions on discrimination in wages and career advancement opportunities and the remedies to a person's membership in a protected class (passed 36-13, City supports)
- HB 2266 (Stonier) - Requires the Department of Labor and Industries to adopt rules to address safety and health issues for workers performing construction activities who menstruate or express milk, or both (passed 49-0, City supports)
- SB 6007 (Conway) - Concerning employment standards for grocery workers (passed 60-33, City supports)
- SB 5793 (Saldaña) - Allows an employee to use paid sick leave or sick time when their child's school or place of care has been closed after the federal, state, or local government has declared a public emergency or when necessary to care for an individual who depends on the employee or driver for care or who regularly resides in the employee's or driver's home, so long as the relationship creates an expectation of care (passed 76-19)



Public Safety & Criminal Justice

- SB 6009 (Trudeau) - Prohibiting the use of hog-tying (passed 89-7, City supports)
- SB 5937 (Dhingra) - Supporting crime victims and witnesses by promoting victim-centered, trauma-informed responses (passed 94-0, City supports)
- Gun violence prevention legislation (all passed, city supports) – SB 5444 (Valdez)/sensitive places restrictions, HB 1903 (Berry)/lost or stolen firearms, HB 2118 (Walen)/firearm dealers, & HB 2021 (Senn)/firearm disposition
- HB 2153 (Ryu) - Deterring the theft of catalytic converters (passed 31-18)



Social Programs & Education

- HB 1889 (Walen) - Allowing persons to receive professional licenses and certifications regardless of immigration or citizenship status (passed 41-8, City supports)
- HB 2007 (Peterson) - Cash assistance time limits (passed 27-19, city supports)
- HB 2441 (Corry) - Establishes a pilot eliminating college in the high school fees for private not-for-profit institutions (passed 49-0, city supports)



Transportation

- HB 1989 (Barkis) - Creates the Graffiti Abatement and Reduction Pilot Program within the Department of Transportation (City supports, passed 38-11)
- HB 1963 (Ramos) - Requires that license plates must be uncovered (passed 42-7)
- HB 2384 (Donaghy) - Concerning automated traffic safety cameras (City supports, passed 26-23)



What to watch this week

- Vote on 3 Initiatives
 - I-2113 revising state law regulating vehicle pursuits by law enforcement
 - I-2111 prohibiting income taxes by state or local government
 - I-2081 parents' bill of rights
- Final budgets released
- Last day of session March 7th (Sine Die)



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2024 Session Bill Status Report

Budget & Revenue

Bill #	Abbrev. Title	Short Description	Status	Sponsor
HB 1585	Local infra. project areas	Addressing local infrastructure project areas.	H Finance	Cortes
SHB 1870	Local comm. federal funding	Promoting economic development by increasing opportunities for local communities to secure federal funding.	S Passed 3rd	Barnard
HB 2044	Voter-approved property tax	Standardizing limitations on voter-approved property tax levies.	H Spkr Signed	Duerr
SHB 2089 (ESSB 5949)	Capital budget, supplemental	Concerning the capital budget.	H Rules R	Tharinger
SHB 2104 (ESSB 5950)	Operating budget, supp.	Making 2023-2025 fiscal biennium supplemental operating appropriations.	H Rules R	Ormsby
SI 2109 (HI 2109)	Capital gains tax repeal	Concerning taxes on long-term capital assets.	S Ways & Means	
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SI 2111 (HI 2111)	Taxes on personal income	Concerning taxes on personal income.	S 2nd Reading	
HI 2111 (SI 2111)	Taxes on personal income	Concerning taxes on personal income.	H FINDP	
HB 2219	Affordable housing/tax ex.	Providing tax relief for nonprofit development of affordable housing.	H Finance	Hackney
SHB 2276 (SB 6191)	Housing/taxes	Increasing the supply of affordable and workforce housing.	H Rules R	Berg
HB 2278 (SB 6248)	Capital gains tax	Modifying the capital gains tax under chapter 82.87 RCW and related statutes by closing loopholes, repealing and replacing the business and occupation tax credit with a capital gains tax credit, clarifying ambiguities and making technical corrections in a manner that is not estimated to affect state or local tax collections, treating spouses and domestic partners more consistently, modifying and adding definitions, creating a good faith penalty waiver, and modifying the publication schedule for inflation adjustments.	H Finance	Thai
HB 2327	Digital equity/revenue	Providing a revenue stream to fund digital equity programs.	H Finance	Gregerson
SHB 2348	County hospital funding	Concerning county hospital funding.	S Passed 3rd	Street
E2SHB 2354 (SB 6230)	Tax increment areas	Creating an option for impacted taxing districts to provide a portion of their new revenue to support any tax increment area proposed within their jurisdiction.	S Passed 3rd	Street
HB 2375	Senior property tax ex./ADUs	Including an accessory dwelling unit under property that qualifies for the senior citizens property tax exemption.	S Passed 3rd	Goehner

HB 2418 (SB 6250)	Working families/prop. tax	Increasing the working families' tax credit to reflect the economic burden of property taxes incorporated into rental amounts charged to residential tenants.	H Finance	Berg
HB 2419	Homeowner property tax ex.	Providing housing safety, security, and protection by creating the homeowner relief property tax exemption.	H Finance	Berg
SHB 2428	Sales and use tax sharing	Allowing cities to voluntarily share certain sales and use tax revenue.	S Pres Signed	Klicker
HB 2436	Local sales and use tax	Creating a local sales and use tax.	H Local Govt	Corry
HB 2449	Cannabis revenue/health care	Concerning use of cannabis tax revenue for professional health care services.	H Approps	Hutchins
HB 2450 (SB 6285)	Use of impact fees	Ensuring the timely and balanced use of impact fees.	H Local Govt	Hutchins
HB 2451 (SB 6284)	Impact fees	Increasing the consistency and transparency of impact fees.	H Local Govt	Hutchins
HB 2470	Gender-based violence tax	Creating a local sales and use tax to address gender-based violence.	H Local Govt	Davis
ESHB 2482 (SB 6137)	Semiconductor tax incentives	Reinstating semiconductor tax incentives.	S Passed 3rd	Harris
HJR 4209 (SJR 8209)	Residential ex./property tax	Concerning a constitutional amendment providing for a residential real property exemption from property taxes levied for state purposes.	H Finance	Berg
ESB 5309	Petroleum transportation/tax	Eliminating the state public utility tax deduction for the instate portion of interstate transport of petroleum products and crude oil.	S Ways & Means	Lovelett
SB 5404	Cannabis revenue/local gov.	Increasing cannabis revenue distributions to local governments.	S Ways & Means	Wagoner
SB 5568	Liquor revenue/local gov.	Restoring liquor sales revenue distributions to local governments.	S Ways & Means	Wagoner
SSB 5770	Property tax	Providing state and local property tax reform.	S Rules X	Pedersen
SB 5839 (HB 1895)	Working families' tax credit	Modifying the working families' tax credit by clarifying the refundable nature of the credit, the application requirements, and the eligibility verification process.	S Ways & Means	Nguyen
SB 5847 (EHB 1964)	Prorate & fuel tax collect.	Enhancing prorate and fuel tax collections by improving taxpayer compliance, providing additional enforcement mechanisms, and protecting confidential taxpayer information.	S Rules X	Liias
ESSB 5950 (SHB 2104)	Operating budget, supp.	Making 2023-2025 fiscal biennium supplemental operating appropriations.	H Passed 3rd	Robinson
SB 6112	Donated food items/B&O tax	Authorizing a business and occupation tax credit for the cost of donated food items by grocery stores and other food retailers.	S Ways & Means	Lovick
SSB 6136	Rental property B&O tax	Reestablishing a business and occupation tax on the privilege of providing property for rent and supporting access to affordable rental property by exempting from tax landlords participating in a rent stabilization program.	S Ways & Means	Kuderer
SB 6137 (ESHB 2482)	Semiconductor tax incentives	Reinstating semiconductor tax incentives.	S Ways & Means	Cleveland

SB 6191 (SHB 2276)	Housing/taxes	Increasing the supply of affordable and workforce housing.	S Ways & Means	Frame
SB 6215	Tax and revenue laws	Improving tax and revenue laws.	H Passed 3rd	Schoesler
SB 6229	Green transp. grants/match	Modifying match requirements for the green transportation capital grant program.	H Passed 3rd	Shewmake
SB 6235	Criminal justice assistance	Concerning the city and county criminal justice assistance accounts.	S Ways & Means	Wilson
SB 6238	Property tax/veteran widows	Updating thresholds for the property tax exemption for widows and widowers of honorably discharged veterans.	H Passed 3rd	Dozier
SB 6248 (HB 2278)	Capital gains tax	Modifying the capital gains tax under chapter 82.87 RCW and related statutes by closing loopholes, repealing and replacing the business and occupation tax credit with a capital gains tax credit, clarifying ambiguities and making technical corrections in a manner that is not estimated to affect state or local tax collections, treating spouses and domestic partners more consistently, modifying and adding definitions, creating a good faith penalty waiver, and modifying the publication schedule for inflation adjustments.	S Ways & Means	Robinson
SB 6249	Homeowner property tax ex.	Providing housing safety, security, and protection by creating the homeowner relief property tax exemption.	S Ways & Means	Robinson
SB 6250 (HB 2418)	Working families/prop. tax	Increasing the working families' tax credit to reflect the economic burden of property taxes incorporated into rental amounts charged to residential tenants.	S Ways & Means	Robinson
SB 6284 (HB 2451)	Impact fees	Increasing the consistency and transparency of impact fees.	S Ways & Means	Braun
SB 6285 (HB 2450)	Use of impact fees	Ensuring the timely and balanced use of impact fees.	S Ways & Means	Braun
SJR 8209 (HJR 4209)	Residential ex./property tax	Concerning a constitutional amendment providing for a residential real property exemption from property taxes levied for state purposes.	S Ways & Means	Robinson

Climate & Environment

Bill #	Abbrev. Title	Short Description	Status	Sponsor
SHB 1012	Extreme weather events	Addressing the response to extreme weather events.	S Passed 3rd	Leavitt
E2SHB 1185	Lighting products	Reducing environmental impacts associated with lighting products.	S Passed 3rd	Hackney
2ESHB 1282 (SSB 5322)	Public building materials	Requiring environmental and labor reporting for public building construction and renovation material.	S Passed 3rd	Duerr
E2SHB 1368 (SB 5431)	Zero emission school buses	Requiring and funding the purchase of zero emission school buses.	S Passed 3rd	Senn
HB 1422	Reusable packing materials	Clarifying that certain reusable packing materials are exempt from sales and use tax.	H Finance	Springer

ESHB 1589 (SSB 5562)	Clean energy	Supporting Washington's clean energy economy and transitioning to a clean, affordable, and reliable energy future.	S Passed 3rd	Doglio
SHB 1924	Fusion technology policies	Promoting the integration of fusion technology within state clean energy policies.	S Passed 3rd	Shavers
HB 1948	Electric load calculation	Ensuring that methods for calculating the electric load of utilities under the energy independence act do not have the effect of discouraging voluntary investments in renewable power.	Del to Gov	Ybarra
HB 1955	Greenhouse gas disclosures	Repealing the greenhouse gas content disclosure provision.	Del to Gov	Barnard
HB 1976	Incentives/energy upgrades	Changing the incentive structure for tier 1 and tier 2 buildings.	H Spkr Signed	Fosse
HB 1981	Nuclear energy manufacturing	Incentivizing clean nuclear energy manufacturing through preferential business and occupation tax rates.	H Finance	Barnard
HB 2040	Carbon auction rebates	Concerning carbon auction rebate payments.	H Transportation	Connors
SHB 2045	Adopt a fish barrier program	Creating an adopt a fish barrier program.	S Passed 3rd	Waters
HB 2120	Clean energy manufacturers	Concerning tax preferences for clean energy manufacturers.	S Environment, En	Barnard
ESHB 2131 (SB 6138)	Thermal energy networks	Promoting the establishment of thermal energy networks.	S Passed 3rd	Ramel
SHB 2156 (SSB 6256)	Solar consumer protections	Providing solar consumer protections.	Del to Gov	Reeves
HB 2189	Transp. electrification fee	Eliminating the transportation electrification fee for certain hybrid vehicles.	H Transportation	Kloba
EHB 2199	CCA tax exemptions	Creating business and occupation and public utility tax exemptions for certain amounts received as the result of receipt, generation, purchase, sale, transfer, or retirement of allowances, offset credits, or price ceiling units under the climate commitment act.	S Passed 3rd	Orcutt
ESHB 2207	Solid waste dumping	Providing tools designed to reduce the impacts of unlawful solid waste dumping.	S Passed 3rd	Ramos
HB 2286	Salmon rec. capital grants	Creating a capital grant program to support recovery of salmon and steelhead stocks.	H Cap Budget	Wilcox
HB 2289	Salmon recovery projects/tax	Providing a sales and use tax exemption for inputs required for salmon recovery projects.	H Finance	Wilcox
SHB 2293	Avian predation/salmon	Studying the effects of avian predation of salmon.	Del to Gov	Wilcox
HB 2294	Salmon recovery account	Concerning the salmon recovery account.	H Approps	Wilcox
E2SHB 2301 (SSB 6180)	Waste material management	Improving the outcomes associated with waste material management systems, including products affecting organic material management systems.	S Passed 3rd	Doglio
HB 2388	Clean energy fund	Promoting equitable economic and technological advancement through the clean energy fund.	H Cap Budget	Hackney

HB 2417	Renewable energy loans	Establishing the development of renewable energy for Washington revolving loan program and account.	H Cap Budget	Barnard
SB 5508	Greenhouses	Promoting local agriculture through greenhouses.	H Spkr Signed	Short
SSB 5667 (HB 1740)	Forestry riparian easements	Concerning eligibility, enrollment, and compensation of small forestland owners volunteering for participation in the forestry riparian easement program.	H Passed 3rd	Muzzall
ESSB 5828 (HB 1993)	Water rights commissioners	Concerning water rights adjudication commissioners and referees.	H Passed 3rd	Shewmake
SSB 5919 (SHB 2069)	Biogenic carbon dioxide	Concerning the sale of biogenic carbon dioxide and other coproducts of biogas processing.	H Passed 3rd	King
SSB 5931	Motorized vehicle tires/6PPD	Expediting the safer products for Washington process regarding motorized vehicle tires containing 6PPD.	H Passed 3rd	Salomon
ESSB 5973	Heat pumps/CICs	Concerning heat pumps in common interest communities.	H Spkr Signed	Liiias
ESSB 6039 (HB 2129)	Geothermal energy resources	Promoting the development of geothermal energy resources.	H Passed 3rd	Lovelett
SSB 6047 (SHB 2173)	OPMA executive sessions/CCA	Concerning executive sessions by publicly owned natural gas utilities under the open public meetings act in order to comply with the climate commitment act.	H Passed 3rd	Warnick
E2SSB 6058 (2SHB 2201)	Carbon market linkage	Facilitating linkage of Washington's carbon market with the California-Quebec carbon market.	H Passed 3rd	Nguyen
SB 6243	Technology manuf./B&O tax	Providing a state business and occupation tax exemption to encourage clean technology manufacturing in Washington.	S Business, Fin	Mullet

General Government

Bill #	Abbrev. Title	Short Description	Status	Sponsor
SHB 1105	Public comment notice	Requiring public agencies to provide notice for public comment that includes the last date by which such public comment must be submitted.	S Passed 3rd	Kloba
ESHB 1510	Community preservation auth.	Establishing permanent funding for community preservation and development authorities approved through RCW 43.167.060.	S Passed 3rd	Santos
HB 1982	Broadband loans & grants	Concerning the authority of the community economic revitalization board with respect to loans and grants to political subdivisions and federally recognized Indian tribes for broadband.	S Passed 3rd	Waters
E2SHB 2000 (SSB 6168)	International leadership	Renewing Washington's international leadership.	S Passed 3rd	Mena
2SHB 2014 (SSB 5871)	Definition of veteran	Concerning the definition of veteran and restoring honor to veterans.	S Passed 3rd	Volz

SHB 2020	Public infra. assistance prg	Creating a state administered public infrastructure assistance program within the emergency management division.	S Pres Signed	Timmons
SHB 2136 (SB 6111)	Prevailing wage sanctions	Concerning prevailing wage sanctions, penalties, and debarment.	Del to Gov	Ormsby
HB 2167	LEOFF 2 rehiring	Concerning retirement benefit eligibility for law enforcement officers' and firefighters' retirement system plan 2 retirees that separate from service and choose to work in eligible positions on a part-time basis.	H Approps	Paul
HB 2204	Emergency liquor permits	Creating a special liquor permit.	S Passed 3rd	Waters
HB 2337 (SSB 6198)	LEOFF 2 board employees	Concerning employees of the law enforcement officers' and firefighters' plan 2 retirement board.	H Approps	Stonier
HB 2338 (SSB 6197)	LEOFF plan 2	Concerning the law enforcement officers' and firefighters' retirement system plan 2.	H Approps	Bergquist
SHB 2382 (SB 6074)	TNC driver death benefits	Concerning death benefits applicable to drivers of transportation network companies.	S Passed 3rd	Berry
ESB 5824	Dissolution of libraries	Concerning the dissolution of libraries and library districts.	H Passed 3rd	Hunt
E2SSB 5838 (2SHB 1934)	AI task force	Establishing an artificial intelligence task force.	H Passed 3rd	Nguyen
ESSB 5890	Ballot rejection	Reducing ballot rejection rates through updates to ballot curing, canvassing, reporting, and outreach processes.	H Passed 3rd	Valdez
ESSB 6040	Public works payments	Concerning prompt payment in public works.	H Passed 3rd	Valdez
ESB 6089	Electrical inspector reqs.	Eliminating certain minimum requirement equivalencies for electrical inspectors.	H Passed 3rd	King
ESB 6120	Wildland urban interface	Concerning the Wildland Urban Interface Code.	H Passed 3rd	Van De Wege
SSB 6157	Civil service	Reforming civil service to permit deferred action for childhood arrivals recipients to apply for civil service and incorporate civil service advantage for bilingual and multilingual applicants, applicants with higher education, and applicants with prior work experience in social services.	H Passed 3rd	Lovick
SSB 6164	County emergency management	Concerning county emergency management plans.	H Passed 3rd	Wagoner
SSB 6192	Construction change orders	Addressing additional work and change orders on public and private construction projects.	H Passed 3rd	King

Healthcare & Behavioral Health

Bill #	Abbrev. Title	Short Description	Status	Sponsor
2SHB 1877	Behavioral health/tribes	Improving the Washington state behavioral health system for better coordination and recognition with the Indian behavioral health system.	S Passed 3rd	Lekanoff
2SHB 1929 (SB 6050)	Postinpatient housing	Supporting young adults following inpatient behavioral health treatment.	S Pres Signed	Cortes

SHB 1939	Social work compact	Adopting the social work licensure compact.	S Pres Signed	Orwall
HB 1946	Behav. health scholarship	Creating the Washington health corps behavioral health scholarship program.	H Spkr Signed	Eslick
HB 1954	Health care/certain services	Harmonizing language relating to reproductive health care services and gender-affirming treatment.	Del to Gov	Riccelli
E2SHB 1956 (SSB 5923)	Substance use prevention ed.	Addressing fentanyl and other substance use prevention education.	S Passed 3rd	Leavitt
2SHB 2112	Higher ed. opioid prevention	Concerning opioid and fentanyl prevention education and awareness at institutions of higher education.	S Passed 3rd	Nance
ESHB 2115 (SB 5960)	Prescription labels/abortion	Concerning prescription labels for medications used for abortion.	S Passed 3rd	Thai
E2SHB 2247	Behavioral health providers	Addressing behavioral health provider shortages.	S Passed 3rd	Bateman
ESHB 2256	Children behavioral health	Addressing the children and youth behavioral health work group.	Del to Gov	Callan
SHB 2348	County hospital funding	Concerning county hospital funding.	S Passed 3rd	Street
SHB 2396	Synthetic opioids	Concerning fentanyl and other synthetic opioids.	S Passed 3rd	Mosbrucker
HB 2472	Mental health/matching funds	Providing state matching funds for programs supported by the county sales and use tax for chemical dependency, mental health treatment, and therapeutic courts.	H Approps	Hutchins
SSB 5804 (HB 2029)	Opioid overdose med./schools	Concerning opioid overdose reversal medication in high schools.	H Passed 3rd	Kuderer
E2SSB 5853	Behav crisis services/minors	Extending the crisis relief center model to provide behavioral health crisis services for minors.	S Pres Signed	Dhingra
ESB 5906	Drug overdose prevention	Implementing a statewide drug overdose prevention and education campaign.	H Passed 3rd	Wilson
SSB 5920	Psychiatric/cert. of need	Lifting certificate of need requirements for psychiatric hospitals and beds.	H Passed 3rd	Padden
SSB 5940 (HB 1907)	Medical assistant-EMT cert.	Creating a medical assistant-EMT certification.	H Passed 3rd	Van De Wege
SB 5970 (HB 2090)	Local boards of health	Modifying local board of health county commissioner membership.	H Spkr Signed	Hunt
SSB 5986 (HB 2285)	Out-of-network health costs	Protecting consumers from out-of-network health care services charges.	H Passed 3rd	Cleveland
SB 6030	ADU tax exemptions	Amending the county population threshold for counties that may exempt from taxation the value of accessory dwelling units to incentivize rental to low-income households.	H 2nd Reading	Braun
ESB 6095	Secretary of health orders	Establishing clear authority for the secretary of health to issue standing orders.	H Spkr Signed	Robinson
2SSB 6228	Substance use treatment	Concerning treatment of substance use disorders.	H Passed 3rd	Dhingra
E2SSB 6251	Behavioral crisis coord.	Coordinating regional behavioral crisis response and suicide prevention services.	H Passed 3rd	Dhingra
SB 6308	988 system timeline	Extending timelines for implementation of the 988 system.	H Passed 3rd	Dhingra

Housing & Homelessness

Bill #	Abbrev. Title	Short Description	Status	Sponsor
HB 1054	Occupancy limits	Addressing the authority of owners' associations in common interest communities to regulate or limit occupancy by unrelated persons.	S Passed 3rd	Walen
SHB 1596	Affordable housing incentive	Providing local governments with options to increase affordable housing in their communities.	H Finance	Kloba
HB 1890 (SB 5807)	Housing authorities	Concerning housing authorities.	Del to Gov	Alvarado
SHB 1892	Workforce housing prg.	Concerning the workforce housing accelerator program.	S Passed 3rd	Leavitt
ESHB 1998 (SSB 5901)	Co-living housing	Concerning co-living housing.	S Passed 3rd	Gregerson
ESHB 2003 (SB 5967)	Housing/public lands leases	Concerning an exemption to the leasehold excise tax for leases on public lands.	S Pres Signed	Connors
SHB 2012	Rental housing/nonprofits	Concerning eligibility for a property tax exemption for nonprofits providing affordable rental housing built with city and county funds.	S Passed 3rd	Street
HB 2063	Homebuyers/REET exemption	Providing an exemption from the real estate excise tax for transfers of property to qualifying low-income first-time homebuyers.	H Finance	Wylie
HB 2064	Homebuyers/REET exemption	Providing for an exemption from the real estate excise tax for transfers of property to qualifying low-income first-time homebuyers.	H Finance	Wylie
2SHB 2071	Residential housing	Concerning residential housing regulations.	S Passed 3rd	Duerr
SHB 2296 (SSB 6150)	Comprehensive plan revisions	Extending the comprehensive plan revision schedule for select local governments.	Del to Gov	Griffey
ESHB 2321	Middle housing requirements	Modifying middle housing requirements and the definitions of transit stop.	S Passed 3rd	Bateman
SHB 2329	Insurance market/housing	Conducting a study of the insurance market for housing providers receiving housing trust fund resources.	Del to Gov	Macri
HB 2413 (SB 6173)	Housing sales tax/use	Encouraging investments in affordable homeownership unit development.	H Local Govt	Walen
SB 5792	Multiunit res./definition	Concerning the definition of multiunit residential buildings.	H Passed 3rd	Padden
ESSB 5796	Common interest communities	Concerning common interest communities.	H Passed 3rd	Pedersen
SSB 5834	Urban growth areas	Concerning urban growth areas.	H Spkr Signed	Short
SSB 6015	Residential parking	Concerning residential parking configurations.	H Passed 3rd	Shewmake
SB 6065	Housing/property tax ex.	Concerning the property tax exemption for cities or counties providing affordable housing to qualifying households.	S Housing	Saldana
SB 6173 (HB 2413)	Housing sales tax/use	Encouraging investments in affordable homeownership unit development.	H Passed 3rd	Nobles
E2SSB 6175	Existing structures/tax	Concerning housing affordability tax incentives for existing structures.	H Rules R	Trudeau

(2SHB 2308)				
ESSB 6291 (SHB 2465)	State building code council	Streamlining the state building code council operating procedures by establishing criteria for statewide amendments to the state building code.	H Passed 3rd	Wilson

Labor & Commerce

Bill #	Abbrev. Title	Short Description	Status	Sponsor
SHB 1905 (SSB 5894)	Equal pay/protected classes	Including protected classes in the Washington equal pay and opportunities act.	S Pres Signed	Mena
HB 1927 (SB 5932)	Temporary total disability	Reducing the number of days that a worker's temporary total disability must continue to receive industrial insurance compensation for the day of an injury and the three-day period following the injury.	S Passed 3rd	Bronoske
ESHB 2019	Native American apprentices	Establishing a Native American apprentice assistance program.	S Pres Signed	Stearns
2SHB 2022 (SB 5900)	Construction crane safety	Concerning construction crane safety.	S Passed 3rd	Reed
HB 2137 (SB 6202)	Tourism promotion exemptions	Concerning technical changes to allowable exemptions for tourism promotion area assessments.	S Pres Signed	Berg
HB 2260 (SB 6201)	Alcohol sale to minors/civil	Establishing civil penalties for the unlawful sale or supply of alcohol to minors.	S Pres Signed	Waters
EHB 2266 (SB 6107)	Construction/sanitary cond.	Concerning sanitary conditions for construction workers who menstruate or express milk.	S Passed 3rd	Stonier
2SHB 2320 (SSB 6220)	High THC cannabis products	Concerning high THC cannabis products.	S Passed 3rd	Davis
SSB 5376	Cannabis waste	Allowing the sale of cannabis waste.	H Passed 3rd	Stanford
ESSB 5778 (SHB 1940)	Employer political speech	Protecting the rights of workers to refrain from attending meetings or listening to their employer's speech on political or religious matters.	H Passed 3rd	Keiser
ESSB 5793 (SHB 1991)	Paid sick leave	Concerning paid sick leave.	H Spkr Signed	Saldana
SSB 5808	Safety telecom/interest arb.	Granting interest arbitration to certain public safety telecommunicators.	H Passed 3rd	Van De Wege
ESB 5816	Alcohol server permits	Concerning alcohol server permits.	H Passed 3rd	Van De Wege
SSB 5935	Noncompetition covenants	Concerning noncompetition covenants.	H Spkr Signed	Stanford
SB 5979	Construction worker leave	Concerning accrued leave for construction workers.	H Spkr Signed	Keiser
ESSB 6007	Grocery workers	Concerning employment standards for grocery workers.	H Spkr Signed	Conway
SB 6080 (HB 1896)	Tourism marketing funding	Simplifying the funding provisions of the statewide tourism marketing account.	H Passed 3rd	Boehnke

ESSB 6105	Adult entertainment workers	Creating safer working conditions in adult entertainment establishments.	H Passed 3rd	Saldana
SB 6271	Cannabis excise tax/THC	Modifying the cannabis excise tax to consider THC concentration.	H Finance	Keiser
SB 6272	Cannabis excise tax revenue	Dedicating the state share of cannabis excise tax revenue to counties and cities.	S Ways & Means	Mullet
SSB 6302	Supply chain competitiveness	Creating a Washington state supply chain competitiveness infrastructure program.	H Transportation	Liias

Public Safety & Criminal Justice

Bill #	Abbrev. Title	Short Description	Status	Sponsor
SHB 1241	Harassment	Addressing harassment.	S Passed 3rd	Leavitt
HB 1635 (SB 6023)	Police dogs/liability	Limiting liability arising from the use of trained police dogs.	S Passed 3rd	Mosbrucker
HB 1883	Juror service wages/tax	Concerning employer tax incentives for paying wages to employees during juror service.	H Finance	Walen
SHB 1903	Lost or stolen firearms	Reporting lost or stolen firearms.	S Passed 3rd	Berry
SHB 1911 (SB 5914)	Office of public defense	Concerning activities in which the office of public defense may engage without violating the prohibition on providing direct representation of clients.	H Spkr Signed	Taylor
HB 1983	Criminal justice trtmnt acct	Concerning the criminal justice treatment account.	S Pres Signed	Simmons
ESHB 2021 (SB 6001)	Firearm disposition	Concerning the disposition of privately owned firearms in the custody of state or local government entities or law enforcement agencies.	H Spkr Signed	Senn
HB 2034 (SB 5833)	Court reorganization notices	Requiring counties and cities to provide the administrative office of the courts with notice of court reorganizations.	Del to Gov	Cheney
SHB 2086 (SB 6207)	Office of indep. invest.	Updating processes of the office of independent investigations by changing authority to obtain and share investigative information and aligning with current operations and practices.	Del to Gov	Entenman
EHB 2088	Crisis teams/liability	Extending liability protections for responders dispatched from mobile rapid response crisis teams and community-based crisis teams.	Del to Gov	Orwall
ESHB 2118 (SB 6266)	Firearms dealers	Protecting the public from gun violence by establishing additional requirements for the business operations of licensed firearms dealers.	S Passed 3rd	Walen
ESHB 2153	Catalytic converter theft	Deterring the theft of catalytic converters.	S Passed 3rd	Ryu
HB 2202	Local public defense costs	Providing a state program of assistance for local government indigent public defense and law enforcement costs.	H Approps	Couture
HB 2211 (SB 6076)	Criminal justice local tax	Granting local taxing authority to fund criminal justice.	H Local Govt	Stearns

SHB 2217	Juvenile criminal offenses	Concerning authority over individuals found guilty of or accused of criminal offenses that occurred when the individual was under age 18.	S Pres Signed	Cortes
HB 2231	Law enforcement funding	Incentivizing cities and counties to attract and retain commissioned law enforcement officers.	H Local Govt	Walén
HB 2238	Ammunition tax	Imposing a new tax on the sale or transfer of ammunition.	H Finance	Thai
ESSB 5424 (SHB 1413)	Flexible work/peace officers	Concerning flexible work for general and limited authority Washington peace officers.	H Passed 3rd	Lovick
SSB 5427 (HB 1410)	Hate crimes & bias incidents	Concerning people who have been targeted or affected by hate crimes and bias incidents.	S Pres Signed	Valdez
2SSB 5444	Firearms/certain premises	Concerning firearm sensitive places.	H Passed 3rd	Valdez
SSB 5588	Mental health sentencing alt	Concerning the mental health sentencing alternative.	H Passed 3rd	Nobles
2SSB 5780	Public defense & prosecution	Expanding training opportunities for public defense.	H Passed 3rd	Torres
SSB 5812	Electric vehicle fires	Concerning the response to electric vehicle fires.	H Passed 3rd	Wilson
SB 5886 (HB 1986)	Firefighter safety funding	Adding purposes for the use of existing firefighter safety funding.	H Spkr Signed	Braun
ESSB 5891 (HB 2133)	School bus trespass	Designating trespassing on a public school bus as a felony offense.	H Passed 3rd	Boehnke
SSB 5917	Bias-motivated defacement	Concerning criminal penalties for bias-motivated defacement of private or public property.	S Pres Signed	Billig
E2SSB 5937	Crime victims & witnesses	Supporting crime victims and witnesses by promoting victim-centered, trauma-informed responses in the legal system.	H Passed 3rd	Dhingra
SSB 5953	Incarcerated student grants	Concerning financial aid grants for incarcerated students.	H Passed 3rd	Wilson
ESSB 5985	Firearms background checks	Concerning firearms background check program.	H Passed 3rd	Hansen
SSB 5998	Nonfelony convict. vacation	Timing of eligibility for vacation of nonfelony convictions.	S Pres Signed	Hansen
2SSB 6006	Victims of human trafficking	Supporting victims of human trafficking and sexual abuse.	H Passed 3rd	Dhingra
ESSB 6009 (HB 2414)	Hog-tying	Prohibiting the use of hog-tying.	H Passed 3rd	Trudeau
SB 6076 (HB 2211)	Criminal justice local tax	Granting local taxing authority to fund criminal justice.	S Ways & Means	Keiser
SB 6090	Law enf. hiring grants	Creating a law enforcement hiring grant program.	S Ways & Means	Holy
E2SSB 6109	Children and families	Supporting children and families.	H Passed 3rd	Wilson
SSB 6146 (HB 2305)	Tribal warrants	Concerning tribal warrants.	H Passed 3rd	Dhingra
SSB 6186	Missing persons/pub. assist.	Concerning disclosure of certain recipient locations to the Washington state patrol.	S Pres Signed	Kauffman

SB 6222	District court judges	Concerning the number of district court judges.	S Pres Signed	Wagoner
SSB 6227	Protection order/insanity	Allowing entry of a civil protection order to protect victims when a person is found not guilty by reason of insanity.	S Pres Signed	Dhingra
SB 6242	Law enforcement training	Concerning law enforcement training.	H Approps	Mullet
ESB 6246	Firearm info./mental health	Concerning transmission of information relating to firearm prohibitions for persons committed for mental health treatment.	H Passed 3rd	Dhingra
SB 6263	Firefighter death benefits	Concerning death benefits provided by the 1955 act for firefighters' relief and pensions.	H Passed 3rd	Wilson
SSB 6301 (HB 2475)	Basic law enf. academy	Concerning basic law enforcement academy.	H Passed 3rd	Lovick

Social Programs & Education

Bill #	Abbrev. Title	Short Description	Status	Sponsor
SHB 1075 (SB 5249)	Working families' tax credit	Expanding eligibility for the working families' tax credit to everyone age 18 and older.	H Approps	Thai
HB 1716	Child care B&O credit	Supporting employers providing child care assistance to employees by establishing a business and occupation tax credit for businesses and requiring the department of revenue to provide a report to the legislature.	H Finance	Rule
SHB 1889	Professionals/immigration	Allowing persons to receive professional licenses and certifications regardless of immigration or citizenship status.	Del to Gov	Walén
SHB 1916 (SB 5933)	Infants and toddlers program	Concerning funding for the early support for infants and toddlers program.	S Pres Signed	Senn
SHB 1945	Food assistance access	Streamlining and enhancing program access for persons eligible for food assistance.	S Passed 3rd	Alvarado
SHB 2007	Cash assistance time limits	Expanding time limit exemptions applicable to cash assistance programs.	S Passed 3rd	Peterson
HB 2101	Child care licensing fees	Eliminating child care licensing fees.	H Approps	Rule
HB 2111 (SB 5941)	Subsidized child care	Clarifying requirements for subsidized child care.	Del to Gov	Nance
2SHB 2124	Child care prg. eligibility	Supporting and expanding access to child care and early learning programs.	S Passed 3rd	Eslick
SHB 2195	Early learning facilities	Strengthening the early learning facilities grant and loan program by revising criteria and providing resources to the Ruth LeCocq Kagi early learning facilities development account.	S Passed 3rd	Callan
2SHB 2214 (SSB 6300)	College grant/public assist.	Permitting beneficiaries of public assistance programs to automatically qualify as income-eligible for the purpose of receiving the Washington college grant.	S Pres Signed	Slatter
SHB 2230	Economic security grants	Promoting economic inclusion by creating the economic security for all grant program.	H Spkr Signed	Peterson

SHB 2368	Refugee & immigrant assist.	Assisting refugees and immigrants.	Del to Gov	Gregerson
HB 2415	Economic assistance/TANF	Expanding economic assistance for individuals who are eligible for temporary assistance for needy families.	S Passed 3rd	Cortes
ESHB 2441	College in the HS fees	Establishing a pilot program eliminating college in the high school fees for private not-for-profit four-year institutions.	S Passed 3rd	Corry
ESHB 2494	School operating costs	Increasing state funding for operating costs in schools.	S Passed 3rd	Bergquist
SSB 5774	Fingerprint backgr. checks	Increasing the capacity to conduct timely fingerprint-based background checks for prospective child care employees and other programs.	H Passed 3rd	Billig
2SSB 5882 (SHB 1960)	Prototypical school staffing	Increasing prototypical school staffing to better meet student needs.	H Passed 3rd	Stanford
SB 5904	Financial aid terms	Extending the terms of eligibility for financial aid programs.	H Passed 3rd	Nobles
ESSB 6038	Child care tax preference	Reducing the costs associated with providing child care.	H Rules R	Wilson

Transportation

Bill #	Abbrev. Title	Short Description	Status	Sponsor
HB 1963	License plate covers	Prohibiting license plate covers.	S Passed 3rd	Ramos
EHB 1964 (SB 5847)	Prorate & fuel tax collect.	Enhancing prorate and fuel tax collections by improving taxpayer compliance, providing additional enforcement mechanisms, and protecting confidential taxpayer information.	C 1 L 24	Ramos
SHB 1989	Graffiti abatement pilot	Creating a graffiti abatement and reduction program.	S Pres Signed	Barkis
ESHB 2134 (SSB 5947)	Transportation budget, supp.	Making supplemental transportation appropriations for the 2023-2025 fiscal biennium.	S Passed 3rd	Fey
HB 2189	Transp. electrification fee	Eliminating the transportation electrification fee for certain hybrid vehicles.	H Transportation	Kloba
ESHB 2384 (SB 5959)	Traffic safety cameras	Concerning automated traffic safety cameras.	S Passed 3rd	Donaghy
HB 2486	Commute trip tax credit	Extending the commute trip reduction tax credit program.	H Finance	Wylie
SSB 5947 (ESHB 2134)	Transportation budget, supp.	Making supplemental transportation appropriations for the 2023-2025 fiscal biennium.	S Rules 2	Liias
SB 6283	Connecting communities prg.	Eliminating the expiration date for the Sandy Williams connecting communities program.	H Passed 3rd	Nobles
SSB 6316	SR 520 corridor	Concerning the state route number 520 corridor.	H Transportation	Pedersen