



FEDERAL & STATE LEGISLATIVE PRIORITIES

Presentation to the City Light Review Panel

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GOVERNMENT & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS

- Two staff people to cover council, regional, state & federal legislation
- External Affairs Oversight Council – SCL Policy Expertise
- Work closely with City’s Office of Intergovernmental Relations (OIR)
- Priorities adopted by the Mayor & Council
- Leverage key trade association & coalitions/organizations



STATE LEGISLATIVE PRIORITIES – 2017 SESSION

- Seek “authority” to provide EV incentives to utility customers
- Support “fix” to WA Solar Incentive Program (PTC)
- Clean Energy III Funds
- VW Settlement Funds
- I-937 Amendments



FEDERAL LEGISLATIVE PRIORITIES

- Tax & Finance
 - Municipal Bonds/ Infrastructure funds
 - Comparable incentives for public utilities
- Energy & Natural Resources
 - Hydropower Relicensing Reforms
 - Energy Efficiency Provisions
 - Low-income weatherization/ State Energy Programs
 - Renegotiate Columbia River Treaty
- Climate Policy & Regulations
 - EPA's authority to regulate ghg emissions
 - US DOE Energy Sector Climate Resiliency Partnership
- Transportation Electrification
 - Promote sector electrification opportunities



KEY TRADE ASSOCIATIONS & MEMBERSHIPS

- Large Public Power Council
- American Public Power Association
- National Hydropower Association
- Alliance to Save Energy
- Clean Energy Group
- Public Power Council
- NW Energy Coalition
- NW Public Power Association
- CleanTech Alliance
- Smart Grid NW



CITY LIGHT

OUR VISION

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

OUR MISSION

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

OUR VALUES

Excellence, Accountability, Trust and Stewardship.

