



Seattle City Light

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



2020 STATE LEGISLATIVE UTILITY ISSUES

- Low Carbon Fuel Standard ***
- Community Solar
- Cap & Invest
- System Reliability
- Beneficial Electrification

***SCL Priority



2020 FEDERAL LEGISLATIVE PRIORITIES

- Tax & Finance
 - Infrastructure Investment proposal includes energy sector & public utility investments
- Energy & Natural Resources
 - Oppose efforts to privatize BPA's assets
 - Support federal energy efficiency programs + R&D
 - Low-income weatherization/ State Energy Programs
 - Complete negotiations on the Columbia River Treaty
- Climate Policy & Regulations
 - Support economy-wide efforts to regulate carbon emissions
 - Support state efforts establish more stringent vehicle emissions standards
- Transportation Electrification



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
- Grid Forward



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.

