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### **Week Overview**

This past Friday, February 20<sup>th</sup>, marked the first major cutoff of the 2015 legislative session, as this was the deadline for all bills to be voted out of policy committee in their house of origin. This past week saw marathon committee hearings with both chambers trying to “exec” as many bills as possible. Bills that did make the deadline moved either to the Rules Committee (policy only bills) or to a fiscal committee if they had fiscal impacts. The next major deadline is next Friday the 27<sup>th</sup>, as the fiscal committees must complete their work on bills before then. After fiscal cutoff, all action moves to the chamber floors, as all bills must be out of their house of origin by March 11<sup>th</sup> to be considered by the other chamber.

With cut-off looming, Seattle leaders traveled to Olympia to weigh in on numerous issues. Mayor Murray testified at the Senate Transportation Committee’s February 18<sup>th</sup> hearing on the transportation package; Councilmember Tom Rasmussen also attended the hearing and held numerous one-on-one meetings with legislators on transportation, Medicaid reimbursements for services for the elderly and most vulnerable, and other City priorities; Council President Tim Burgess testified in support of [HB 1739](#), which would eliminate the death penalty; and City Attorney Pete Homes and David Mendoza, the Mayor’s policy expert, met with legislators to discuss marijuana policy.

### **Priority Areas**

#### **Budget and Infrastructure**

On Friday the State’s Economic and Revenue Forecast Council released its [forecast](#), the House and Senate having agreed to move up the state budget forecast to earlier than past years. The General Fund-State revenue forecast has been increased \$107 million for the 2013-15 biennium and by \$129 million for the 2015-17 biennium.

Two priority infrastructure bills for the City, [HB 1957](#) relating to job order contracts, and [HB 1911](#) relating to Latecomer fees for utility development infrastructure, both passed out of committee and were sent to Rules.

## Education

Washington State legislators and officials are estimating it could require up to \$6 billion to fully meet the requirements of the Washington State Supreme Court McCleary Decision. Initial reports indicate that this is nearly double the amount legislators were expecting heading into this session. The increase is due, in part, because the McCleary ruling states school districts should not be relying on local levies to fill holes in the state budget. Legislators have been exploring levy swap and other property tax adjustments as possible solutions.

## Safety Net, Housing and Health Care

Legislation dealing with a minimum wage increase, required paid sick leave for all workers, and employee anti retaliation all passed the House Appropriations Committee and will be sent to the House floor for a vote. However, other bills aimed at restricting or rolling back recent local advancements on these issues continue to be introduced, including Senator Mark Miloscia's (R) [SB 6029](#) – which creates a state-wide \$12/hour living wage and preempts local jurisdictions from enacting policies regarding wages, hours, employee retention and leave.

## Environment

Two bills addressing transportation of hazardous materials by rail saw movement this week. Republican Senator Doug Ericksen's [SB 5057](#), received a hearing in the Senate Ways and Means committee on February 17<sup>th</sup>. Testimony centered on a proposal to use Model Toxics Control Act (MTCA) funds for implementing the policy. Supporters testified that the funding would provide hazardous response training and equipment necessary to treat oil spills. Opponents worried that MTCA funds were already too depleted and suggested that legislators increase and expand the barrel tax, which has not been increased since 1997, as a better source of revenue.

Meanwhile, the Oil Transportation Safety Act [HB 1449](#), sponsored by Rep. Jessyn Farrell moved on to the House Finance Committee where it will receive a hearing on February 24<sup>th</sup>. This bill does raise the barrel tax by \$.10 per 42-gallon barrel and expands it to include oil received by pipeline and rail.

## Transportation

The Senate Transportation Committee held two public hearings on the Senate's proposed multi-billion dollar transportation package, which was delivered as 11 separate bills focusing individually on various fiscal and policy aspects. Fiscal bills were heard on Tuesday, February 17<sup>th</sup> and policy bills on Wednesday the 18<sup>th</sup>. An overflow crowd on the second day was cautiously supportive of the package, citing the overall funding and project proposals as positives while acknowledging problematic issues around low carbon fuel standards, sales tax dedication, and prevailing wages on labor contracts. Mayor Ed Murray testified indicating the package was a good "first step".

The Committee then held an executive session on all 11 bills on Thursday, February 19<sup>th</sup>. Although original voice votes indicated that all 11 bills had passed, subsequent review of the signature boards indicated that two bills, one concerning the sales tax dedication and the second on prevailing wage, had failed to garner sufficient votes to pass. The legislation now moves to the Senate floor, with a vote expected in the next two weeks.

## **Public Safety**

### **Public Records**

Barb Graff of the Seattle Office of Emergency Management testified in support of [SHB 1980](#), which deals with Sunshine Committee recommendations on exemptions from disclosure under the public records act. In particular, the City was supportive of an amendment that exempts from public disclosure the information obtained through the Smart 911 system, including information voluntarily submitted. The bill received executive action in the House State Government Committee on February 19<sup>th</sup>.

### **Marijuana**

[SB 5052](#), Senator Ann Rivers' (R) "Cannabis Patient Protection Act", which passed the Senate last Friday, was given a first reading in the House and was referred to the Healthcare and Wellness Committee.

An alternative bill, [SB 5519](#), the "Marijuana Reform Act" by Senator Jeanne Kohl-Welles (D), was given Executive Action on February 16<sup>th</sup> and moved to the Senate Ways and Means Committee. Representatives from the City Attorney's office and the City provided testimony in support.

After the failure of the House omnibus marijuana bill HB 1461 to move out of committee, a number of new, issue specific-bills are being prepared in that chamber.

### **Looking Ahead**

Moving toward the next cutoff, fiscal committees (Ways and Means and Transportation in the Senate; Appropriations, Finance and Transportation in the House) will have full slates of executive sessions this week. Meanwhile, both chambers will move to the floor to begin debate on those bills that have passed their first hurdles.

# Bill Status Report

Bill #	Abbrev. Title	Short Description	Sponsor	Last Status
<a href="#">HB 1007</a> (SB 5336)	Traffic safety cameras	Limiting the use of automated traffic safety cameras to detect speed violations not in school zones to certain cities.	Fey	Feb 5- Placed on second reading in Rules
<a href="#">SHB 1086</a>	Public record commercial use	Establishing a cost recovery mechanism for public records sought for commercial purposes.	Moeller	Feb 19 Referred to Appropriations
<a href="#">SHB 1093</a>	Unmanned aircraft	Concerning unmanned aircraft.	Morris	Feb 5- Placed on second reading in rules
<a href="#">SHB 1105</a> (SB 5076)	Operating sup budget 2015	Making 2015 supplemental operating appropriations.	Hunter	Feb 19 Signed by Governor
<a href="#">SHB 1107</a> (SSB 5463)	Cultural & heritage programs	Concerning access to and creation of cultural and heritage programs and facilities.	Springer	Feb 23 Scheduled for public hearing in the House Committee on Finance at 8:00 AM. (Subject to change)
<a href="#">HB 1115</a> (SB 5097)	Capital budget 2015-2017	Concerning the capital budget.	Dunshee	Jan 20 Public hearing in the House Committee on Capital Budget at 3:30 PM.
<a href="#">HB 1116</a> (SB 5096)	Capital sup budget 2015	Concerning the supplemental capital budget.	Dunshee	Jan 20 Public hearing in the House Committee on Capital Budget at 3:30 PM.
<a href="#">SHB 1174</a> (SB 5684)	Flame retardants	Concerning flame retardants.	Van De Wege	Feb 18 Public hearing in the House Committee on Appropriations at 3:30 PM.
<a href="#">SHB 1180</a> (SB 5128)	High-capacity trans service	Concerning dedicated funding sources for high capacity transportation service.	Fey	Feb 10 Public hearing in the House Committee on Finance at 3:30 PM.
<a href="#">HB 1182</a> (SB 5088)	Geological hazard assessment	Concerning a geological hazards assessment.	Hurst	Feb 12 Placed on second reading in Rules
<a href="#">SHB 1223</a>	Lodging tx/workforce housing	Allowing the use of lodging taxes for financing workforce housing.	Springer	Feb 25 Scheduled for executive session in the House Committee on Finance at 8:00 AM. (Subject to change)

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<a href="#">SHB 1238</a>	Affordable tuition planning	Concerning affordable tuition planning.	Pollet	Feb 16 Referred to Rules
<a href="#">SHB 1240</a> (SSB 5908)	Student restraint, isolation	Concerning restraint or isolation of students, including students with disabilities, in public schools.	Pollet	Feb 20 Referred to Rules
<a href="#">SHB 1255</a> (SB 5254)	Minority & women's business	Concerning the office of minority and women's business enterprises account.	Tarleton	Feb 12 Referred to Appropriations
<a href="#">SHB 1257</a> (SB 5123)	Tenant screening reports	Concerning tenant screening.	Walkinshaw	Feb 16 Referred to Rules
<a href="#">EHB 1258</a> (SSB 5269)	Detention decision review	Concerning court review of detention decisions under the involuntary treatment act.	Walkinshaw	Jan 29 Passed on third reading on the House Floor
<a href="#">SHB 1276</a>	Impaired driving	Concerning impaired driving.	Klippert	Feb 23 Scheduled for public hearing and executive session in the House Committee on General Government & Information Technology at 9:00 AM. (Subject to change)
<a href="#">SHB 1278</a>	Building energy use	Concerning building energy use disclosure requirements.	Fitzgibbon	Feb 23 Scheduled for executive session in the House Committee on General Government & Information Technology at 9:00 AM. (Subject to change)
<a href="#">HB 1286</a> (SB 5258)	Long-term care funding study	Requiring a study for funding options for long-term care services and supports.	Tharinger	Feb 17 Referred to Appropriations
<a href="#">SHB 1295</a> (SSB 5437)	Breakfast after the bell	Concerning breakfast after the bell programs.	Hudgins	Feb 24 Scheduled for public hearing in the House Committee on Appropriations at 1:30 PM. (Subject to change)
<a href="#">HB 1299</a> (SB 5360)	Trans budget 2015-2017	Making transportation appropriations for the 2015-2017 fiscal biennium.	Clibborn	Jan 16 Referred to Transportation

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<a href="#">SHB 1314</a> (SB 5283)	Carbon pollution market prog	Implementing a carbon pollution market program to reduce greenhouse gas emissions.	Fitzgibbon	Feb 12 Referred to Appropriations
<a href="#">HB 1352</a> (SB 5094)	Hydroelectric generation	Allowing incremental electricity produced as a result of efficiency improvements to hydroelectric generation projects whose energy output is marketed by the Bonneville power administration to qualify as an eligible renewable resource under the energy independence act.	Nealey	Feb 19 Referred to Rules
<a href="#">SHB 1354</a> (SB 5569)	Employee antiretaliation	Concerning the employee antiretaliation act.	Ryu	Feb 20 Referred to rules
<a href="#">HB 1355</a> (SB 5285)	Minimum hourly wage increase	Increasing the minimum hourly wage to twelve dollars over four years.	Farrell	Feb 20 Referred to Rules
<a href="#">HB 1356</a> (SB 5306)	Sick & safe employment leave	Establishing minimum standards for sick and safe leave from employment.	Jinkins	Feb 20 Referred to Rules
<a href="#">HB 1387</a>	Building officials	Supporting apprenticeship training for building officials.	Takko	Feb 24 Scheduled for public hearing in the House Committee on Appropriations at 1:30 PM. (Subject to change)
<a href="#">HB 1389</a> (SB 5181)	State fire service/disasters	Addressing the scope of state fire service mobilization and ensuring compliance with existing state and federal disaster response policies.	Goodman	Feb 20 Referred to Rules
<a href="#">SHB 1417</a> (SSB 5048)	Water-sewer districts	Subjecting a resolution or ordinance adopted by the legislative body of a city or town to assume a water-sewer district to a referendum.	Takko	Feb 9 Referred to Rules
<a href="#">SHB 1436</a> (SSB 5404)	Homeless youth	Concerning homeless youth prevention and protection.	Kagi	Feb 24 Scheduled for public hearing in the House Committee on Appropriations at 1:30 PM. (Subject to change)
<a href="#">SHB 1449</a> (SB 5087)	Oil transportation safety	Concerning oil transportation safety.	Farrell	Feb 24 Scheduled for public hearing in the House Committee on Finance at 8:00 AM. (Subject to change)

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<a href="#">SHB 1458</a> (SB 5494)	Tobacco and vapor products	Concerning the age of individuals at which sale or distribution of tobacco and vapor products may be made.	Orwall	Feb19 Referred to Finance
<a href="#">SHB 1491</a> (SSB 5452)	Early care & education systm	Improving quality in the early care and education system.	Kagi	Feb 5 Referred to Appropriations
<a href="#">SHB 1501</a>	Social services financing	Concerning public-private financing of prevention-based social service programs.	Zeiger	Feb 20 Referred to Appropriations
<a href="#">SHB 1511</a> (SSB 5433)	Tribal history, culture, etc	Requiring Washington's tribal history, culture, and government to be taught in the common schools.	Ortiz-Self	Feb 12 Referred to Rules
<a href="#">SHB 1553</a>	Opportunity restoration	Encouraging certificates of restoration of opportunity.	Walkinshaw	Feb 12 Referred to Rules
<a href="#">HB 1554</a>	Children/guardians, family	Exempting information of guardians or family members of children enrolled in child care, early learning, parks and recreation, after-school, and youth development programs.	Stambaugh	Feb 20 Referred to Rules
<a href="#">SHB 1571</a> (SB 5926)	Paint stewardship	Concerning paint stewardship.	Peterson	Feb 24 Scheduled for public hearing in the House Committee on Appropriations at 1:30 PM. (Subject to change)
<a href="#">HB 1576</a> (SB 5864)	Annexed areas/sales & use tx	Concerning sales and use tax for cities to offset municipal service costs to newly annexed areas.	Fitzgibbon	Feb 3 Public hearing in the House Committee on Finance at 3:30 PM.
<a href="#">HB 1593</a> (SB 5813)	Local transportation options	Concerning local transportation options.	McBride	Feb 9 Executive session scheduled, but no action was taken in the House Committee on Transportation at 3:30 PM.
<a href="#">HB 1647</a> (SB 5574)	Reproductive health care	Concerning health plan coverage of reproductive health care.	Cody	Feb 17 Referred to Appropriations
<a href="#">SHB 1684</a>	Public records, charges for	Concerning charges for the cost of providing public records in response to public records requests.	Takko	Feb 20 Referred to Appropriations

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<a href="#">SHB 1690</a> (SB 5571)	Convention cntrs tx deferral	Providing a tax deferral for the expansion of certain existing public facilities district convention centers.	Walkinshaw	Feb 20 Referred to Finance
<a href="#">SHB 1701</a> (SB 5608)	Job applicants/arrests, etc.	Prohibiting employers from asking about arrests or convictions before an applicant is determined otherwise qualified for a position.	Moscoso	Feb 20 Referred to Rules
<a href="#">HB 1720</a>	Healthy housing	Concerning healthy housing.	Robinson	Feb 16 Referred to Rules
<a href="#">SHB 1728</a> (SSB 5486)	Parents for parents program	Creating the parents for parents program.	Ormsby	Feb 24 Scheduled for public hearing in the House Committee on Appropriations at 1:30 PM. (Subject to change)
<a href="#">HB 1733</a> (SB 5672)	Nursing staffing, hospitals	Concerning nursing staffing practices at hospitals.	Cody	Feb 17 Referred to Appropriations
<a href="#">SHB 1735</a> (SB 5740)	Extended foster care	Concerning extended foster care services.	Orwall	Feb 24 Scheduled for public hearing in the House Committee on Appropriations at 1:30 PM. (Subject to change)
<a href="#">SHB 1745</a> (SB 5668)	Voting rights	Enacting the Washington voting rights act.	Moscoso	Feb 20 Referred to Rules
<a href="#">HB 1751</a> (SSB 5343)	Transit construction/parking	Concerning parking impact mitigation from regional transit authority facility construction.	Santos	Feb 24 Scheduled for executive session in the House Committee on Transportation at 1:30 PM. (Subject to change)
<a href="#">HB 1757</a>	Local transportation options	Concerning local transportation options.	Fey	Feb 18 Referred to Rules
<a href="#">HB 1783</a> (SB 5675)	Dual language instruction	Expanding dual language and bilingual instruction for early learners through secondary students.	Ortiz-Self	Feb 19 Referred to Appropriations
<a href="#">SHB 1809</a> (SB 5697)	Crew size on certain trains	Establishing minimum crew size on certain trains.	Haler	Feb 20 Referred to Rules
<a href="#">HB 1821</a> (SB 5710)	For hire, limo, taxi/ind ins	Addressing industrial insurance requirements and options for owners and lessees of for hire vehicles, limousines, and taxicabs.	Sullivan	Feb 20 Referred to Rules



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<a href="#">SHB 1857</a> (SB 5727)	Extreme risk protec. orders	Concerning extreme risk protection orders.	Jinkins	Feb 23 Scheduled for public hearing and executive session in the House Committee on General Government & Information Technology at 9:00 AM. (Subject to change)
<a href="#">SHB 1885</a> (SSB 5755)	Property crimes, impacts of	Addressing and mitigating the impacts of property crimes in Washington state.	Klippert	Feb 20 Referred to Appropriations
<a href="#">SHB 1911</a> (SSB 5795)	Water or sewer facilities	Authorizing municipalities to create assessment reimbursement areas for the construction or improvement of water or sewer facilities.	Fitzgibbon	Feb 20 Referred to Rules
<a href="#">SHB 1916</a>	Chem dependency & mental hlth	Integrating administrative provisions for chemical dependency and mental health.	Pollet	Feb 20 Referred to Appropriations
<a href="#">SHB 1917</a>	Recordings/law enf., etc.	Concerning video and/or sound recordings made by law enforcement or corrections officers.	Hansen	Feb 20 Referred to Rules
<a href="#">HB 1957</a>	Job order contract	Concerning the maximum total dollar amount that may be awarded under a job order contract for cities with a population of more than four hundred thousand.	Walkinshaw	Feb 20 Referred to Rules
<a href="#">HB 2009</a>	Immunization exemptions/children	Concerning exemptions from immunizations for school-age children.	Robinson	Feb 20 Referred to Rules
<a href="#">SHB 2051</a> (SB 5377)	Tenant relocation	Concerning the provision of time and assistance for tenants to relocate due to a rent increase or change of use of the residential unit.	Farrell	Feb 20 Referred to Rules
<a href="#">HB 2086</a> (SB 5900)	The homeless/religious orgs	Prohibiting certain limitations on the hosting of the homeless by religious organizations.	McBride	Feb 20 Referred to Rules
<a href="#">HB 2135</a> (SSB 5898)	Homeless client mgmt info	Modifying Washington homeless client management information system requirements and policies.	Appleton	Feb 17 Referred to Housing
<a href="#">HJR 4204</a> (SJR 8201)	Initiative measures	Amending the Constitution to address changes in state expenditures and revenues made by initiative.	Kagi	Jan 26 Referred to State Government

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<a href="#">SSB 5012</a>	Industrial hemp	Authorizing the growing of industrial hemp.	Hatfield	Feb 4 Passed on third reading in the House Floor
<a href="#">SSB 5048</a> (SHB 1417)	Water-sewer districts	Subjecting a resolution or ordinance adopted by the legislative body of a city or town to assume a water-sewer district to a referendum.	Chase	Feb 11 Referred to Rules
<a href="#">2SSB 5052</a>	Cannabis patient protection	Establishing the cannabis patient protection act.	Rivers	Feb 13 Passed on third reading on the Senate Floor
<a href="#">SSB 5057</a>	Hazardous material transport	Concerning the safe transport of hazardous materials.	Ericksen	Feb 17 Public hearing in the Senate Committee on Ways & Means at 3:30 PM.
<a href="#">SB 5076</a> (SHB 1105)	Operating sup budget 2015	Making 2015 supplemental operating appropriations.	Hill	Jan 13 Referred to Ways & Means
<a href="#">SB 5088</a> (HB 1182)	Geological hazard assessment	Concerning a geological hazards assessment.	Pearson	Feb 3 Referred to Rules
<a href="#">SB 5089</a>	Energy ind. act/clean energy	Revising definitions in the energy independence act to promote the use of clean energy in the future.	Brown	Feb 5 Referred to Rules
<a href="#">SB 5090</a>	Energy ind. act/clean energy	Providing an additional alternative compliance option in the energy independence act to promote the use of clean energy in the future.	Brown	Feb 5 Referred to Rules
<a href="#">SB 5091</a>	Nuclear energy as alt energy	Including nuclear energy in the definition of a "qualified alternative energy resource" for the purposes of RCW 19.29A.090.	Brown	Feb 4 Referred to Rules
<a href="#">SB 5094</a> (HB 1352)	Hydroelectric generation	Allowing incremental electricity produced as a result of efficiency improvements to hydroelectric generation projects whose energy output is marketed by the Bonneville power administration to qualify as an eligible renewable resource under the energy independence act.	Brown	Feb 5 Referred to Rules
<a href="#">SB 5096</a> (HB 1116)	Capital sup budget 2015	Concerning the supplemental capital budget.	Honeyford	Jan 14 Referred to Ways & Means
<a href="#">SB 5097</a> (HB 1115)	Capital budget 2015-2017	Concerning the capital budget.	Honeyford	Feb 5 Public hearing in the Senate Committee on Ways & Means at 3:30 PM.

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<a href="#">SSB 5105</a>	DUI 4th offense/felony	Making a fourth driving under the influence offense a felony.	Padden	Feb 4 Referred to Ways & Means
<a href="#">SB 5121</a>	Marijuana research license	Establishing a marijuana research license.	Kohl-Welles	Jan 29 Referred to Rules
<a href="#">SSB 5124</a>	Electronic smoking devices	Prohibiting the sale of electronic smoking devices to minors.	Warnick	Feb 6 Referred to Rules
<a href="#">SB 5128</a> (SHB 1180)	High-capacity trans service	Concerning dedicated funding sources for high capacity transportation service.	Liias	Jan 14 Referred to Transportation
<a href="#">SB 5181</a> (HB 1389)	State fire service/disasters	Addressing the scope of state fire service mobilization and ensuring compliance with existing state and federal disaster response policies.	Pearson	Feb 17 Public hearing in the Senate Committee on Ways & Means at 3:30 PM.
<a href="#">SB 5193</a> (HB 1416)	Water-sewer distr. lien docs	Exempting documents recording a water-sewer district lien from the surcharge for local homeless housing and assistance.	Benton	Jan 27 Referred to Ways & Means
<a href="#">SSB 5208</a>	Lodging tx/workforce housing	Allowing the use of lodging taxes for financing workforce housing.	Miloscia	Jan 23 Referred to Rules
<a href="#">SB 5258</a> (HB 1286)	Long-term care funding study	Requiring a study for funding options for long-term care services and supports.	Bailey	Feb 23 Scheduled for executive session in the Senate Committee on Ways & Means at 1:30 PM. (Subject to change)
<a href="#">SSB 5269</a> (EHB 1258)	Detention decision review	Concerning court review of detention decisions under the involuntary treatment act.	O'Ban	Feb 23 Scheduled for executive session in the Senate Committee on Ways & Means at 1:30 PM. (Subject to change)
<a href="#">SSB 5277</a>	Patronizing a prostitute	Concerning the crime of patronizing a prostitute.	Kohl-Welles	Feb 12 Referred to Rules
<a href="#">SB 5283</a> (SHB 1314)	Carbon pollution market prog	Implementing a carbon pollution market program to reduce greenhouse gas emissions.	Ranker	Feb 13 Referred to Rules
<a href="#">SB 5289</a>	Abortion, notifying parents	Requiring notification to parents or guardians in cases of abortion.	Padden	Feb 20 Referred to Rules
<a href="#">SB 5336</a> (HB 1007)	Traffic safety cameras	Limiting the use of automated traffic safety cameras to detect speed violations not in school zones to certain cities.	Miloscia	Jan 29 Referred to Rules
<a href="#">SSB 5343</a> (HB 1751)	Transit construction/parking	Concerning parking impact mitigation from regional transit authority facility construction.	Hasegawa	Feb 17 Referred to Rules

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<a href="#">SB 5360</a> (HB 1299)	Trans budget 2015-2017	Making transportation appropriations for the 2015-2017 fiscal biennium.	Liias	Jan 20 Referred to Transportation
<a href="#">SSB 5376</a> (HB 1460)	Eviction records reporting	Concerning the disclosure of certain eviction records in certain reports.	Habib	Feb 20 Referred to Rules
<a href="#">SB 5396</a>	Children/guardians, family	Exempting information of guardians or family members of children enrolled in child care, early learning, parks and recreation, after-school, and youth development programs.	Roach	Feb 11 Referred to Rules
<a href="#">SB 5402</a> (HB 1359)	Marijuana acquisition/adults	Ensuring safe, responsible, and legal acquisition of marijuana by adults.	Conway	Feb 20 Referred to Rules
<a href="#">SSB 5404</a> (SHB 1436)	Homeless youth	Concerning homeless youth prevention and protection.	O'Ban	Feb 24 Scheduled for public hearing in the Senate Committee on Ways & Means at 1:30 PM. (Subject to change)
<a href="#">SSB 5417</a>	Local govt marijuana policy	Concerning local government marijuana policies.	Rivers	Feb 20 Referred to Ways & Means
<a href="#">SSB 5433</a> (SHB 1511)	Tribal history, culture, etc	Requiring Washington's tribal history, culture, and government to be taught in the common schools.	Litzow	Feb 6 Referred to Rules
<a href="#">SSB 5437</a> (SHB 1295)	Breakfast after the bell	Concerning breakfast after the bell programs.	Litzow	Feb 23 Scheduled for public hearing in the Senate Committee on Ways & Means at 1:30 PM. (Subject to change)
<a href="#">SSB 5452</a> (SHB 1491)	Early care & education system	Improving quality in the early care and education system.	Litzow	Feb 18 Referred to Ways & Means
<a href="#">SSB 5463</a> (SHB 1107)	Cultural & heritage programs	Concerning access to and creation of cultural and heritage programs and facilities.	Hill	Feb 10 Referred to Rules
<a href="#">SSB 5486</a> (SHB 1728)	Parents for parents program	Creating the parents for parents program.	Frockt	Feb 23 Scheduled for executive session in the Senate Committee on Ways & Means at 1:30 PM. (Subject to change)

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<a href="#">SB 5519</a>	Marijuana reform	Enacting the comprehensive marijuana reform act.	Kohl-Welles	Feb 17 Referred to Ways & Means
<a href="#">SB 5550</a>	Commercial trans. providers	Regulating providers of commercial transportation services.	Habib	Feb 2 Public hearing in the Senate Committee on Transportation at 3:30 PM.
<a href="#">SB 5571</a> (SHB 1690)	Convention cntrs tx deferral	Providing a tax deferral for the expansion of certain existing public facilities district convention centers.	Fain	Feb 9 Public hearing in the Senate Committee on Ways & Means at 3:30 PM.
<a href="#">SSB 5609</a> (HB 1378)	Synthetic plastic microbeads	Protecting waterways from pollution from synthetic plastic microbeads.	Bailey	Feb 20 Referred to Rules
<a href="#">SB 5639</a> (HB 1739)	Death penalty, eliminating	Reducing criminal justice expenses by eliminating the death penalty in favor of life incarceration.	Miloscia	Jan 27 Referred to Law & Justice
<a href="#">SB 5665</a> (HB 1769)	High-tech R&D tax prefs	Reinstating tax preferences for high-technology research and development.	Hill	Jan 28 Referred to Ways & Means
<a href="#">SB 5668</a> (SHB 1745)	Voting rights	Enacting the Washington voting rights act.	Habib	Feb 20 Referred to Rules
<a href="#">SB 5724</a>	Safe routes to school program	Concerning funding for the safe routes to school program.	Billig	Feb 10 Public hearing in the Senate Committee on Transportation at 3:30 PM.
<a href="#">SB 5740</a> (SHB 1735)	Extended foster care	Concerning extended foster care services.	Fain	Feb 18 Referred to Ways & Means
<a href="#">SSB 5755</a> (SHB 1885)	Property crimes, impacts of	Addressing and mitigating the impacts of property crimes in Washington state.	Hargrove	Feb 24 Scheduled for public hearing in the Senate Committee on Ways & Means at 1:30 PM. (Subject to change)
<a href="#">SSB 5795</a> (SHB 1911)	Water or sewer facilities	Authorizing municipalities to create assessment reimbursement areas for the construction or improvement of water or sewer facilities.	Roach	Feb 20 Referred to Rules
<a href="#">SSB 5804</a> (HB 1289)	State energy code, adoption	Modifying the procedure for adoption and amendment of the Washington state energy code.	Lias	Feb 19 Referred to Rules

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<a href="#">SB 5813</a> (HB 1593)	Local transportation options	Concerning local transportation options.	Cleveland	Feb 4 Referred to Transportation
<a href="#">SB 5864</a> (HB 1576)	Annexed areas/sales & use tx	Concerning sales and use tax for cities to offset municipal service costs to newly annexed areas.	Nelson	Feb 16 Public hearing in the Senate Committee on Ways & Means at 3:30 PM.
<a href="#">SB 5896</a> (HB 1517)	Liquor revenue distribution	Concerning the distribution of liquor revenues to local jurisdictions.	Fraser	Feb 9 Referred to Ways & Means
<a href="#">SSB 5898</a> (HB 2135)	Homeless client mgmt info	Modifying Washington homeless client management information system requirements and policies.	Miloscia	Feb 20 Referred to Rules
<a href="#">SB 5900</a> (HB 2086)	The homeless/religious orgs	Prohibiting certain limitations on the hosting of the homeless by religious organizations.	Miloscia	Feb 20 Referred to Rules
<a href="#">SSB 5908</a> (SHB 1240)	Student restraint, isolation	Concerning restraint or isolation of students, including students with disabilities, in public schools.	McAuliffe	Feb 23 Scheduled for public hearing in the Senate Committee on Ways & Means at 1:30 PM. (Subject to change)
<a href="#">SJR 8201</a> (HJR 4204)	Initiative measures	Amending the Constitution to address changes in state expenditures and revenues made by initiative.	Fain	Jan 21 Referred to Ways & Means

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<a href="#">HB 1084</a>	Land use applications/notice	Addressing notice requirements for land use applications, approvals, and decisions.	Pollet	Jan 22 Public hearing in the House Committee on Local Government at 1:30 PM.
<a href="#">HB 1245</a>	Gun sale background checks	Repealing background check provisions for gun sales and transfers relating to Initiative Measure No. 594.	Shea	Jan 16- Referred to Judiciary
<a href="#">HB 1289</a> (SSB 5804)	State energy code, adoption	Modifying the procedure for adoption and amendment of the Washington state energy code.	Buys	Feb 3 Public hearing in the House Committee on Technology & Economic Development at 10:00 AM.
<a href="#">HB 1359</a> (SB 5402)	Marijuana acquisition/adults	Ensuring safe, responsible, and legal acquisition of marijuana by adults.	Moscoso	Jan 19 Referred to Commerce and Gaming
<a href="#">HB 1378</a> (SSB 5609)	Synthetic plastic microbeads	Protecting waterways from pollution from synthetic plastic microbeads.	McBride	Jan 29 Public hearing in the House Committee on Environment at 8:00 AM.
<a href="#">HB 1416</a> (SB 5193)	Water-sewer distr. lien docs	Exempting documents recording a water-sewer district lien from the surcharge for local homeless housing and assistance.	Wylie	Jan 29 Public hearing in the House Committee on Community Development and Housing & Tribal Affairs at 8:00 AM.
<a href="#">HB 1460</a> (SSB 5376)	Eviction records reporting	Concerning the disclosure of certain eviction records in certain reports.	Robinson	Feb 4 Public hearing in the House Committee on Judiciary at 8:00 AM.
<a href="#">HB 1461</a>	Marijuana T.O.	Relating to marijuana.	Hurst	Feb 3 Public hearing in the House Committee on Commerce & Gaming at 1:30 PM.
<a href="#">HB 1497</a>	School district's board	Concerning appointments of the board of directors of a school district of the first class having within its boundaries a city with a population of four hundred thousand people or more.	Pettigrew	Feb 3 Public hearing in the House Committee on Education at 1:30 PM.



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Bill #	Abbrev. Title	Short Description	Sponsor	Last Status
<a href="#">HB 1502</a> (SB 5026)	Reproductive health care	Declaring that it is an unfair practice for any employer who provides health insurance to its employees as part of an employee's benefit package to not include contraceptive coverage as part of the benefit package, to fail to comply with federal rules adopted under the affordable care act relating to the provision of contraceptive coverage, or to discriminate against any employee based on that employee's use of any reproductive health care service, drug, or device.	Jenkins	Jan 21 Referred to Judiciary
<a href="#">HB 1565</a> (SB 5378)	Housing options/govt progrms	Concerning the preservation of housing options for participants in government assistance programs.	Ormsby	Feb 4 Public hearing in the House Committee on Judiciary at 8:00 AM.
<a href="#">HB 1739</a> (SB 5639)	Death penalty, eliminating	Reducing criminal justice expenses by eliminating the death penalty in favor of life incarceration.	Carlyle	Feb 18 Public hearing in the House Committee on Judiciary at 8:00 AM.
<a href="#">HB 1747</a> (SB 5789)	Firearms storage	Concerning the protection of children through responsible storage of firearms.	Kagi	Jan 28 Referred to Judiciary
<a href="#">HB 1769</a> (SB 5665)	High-tech R&D tax prefs	Reinstating tax preferences for high-technology research and development.	Pettigrew	Feb 11 Public hearing in the House Committee on Technology & Economic Development at 8:00 AM.
<a href="#">HB 1910</a> (SB 5732)	Law enforcement oversight	Encouraging effective oversight of law enforcement conduct.	Ryu	Feb 12 Public hearing in the House Committee on Judiciary at 1:30 PM.
<a href="#">HB 1988</a>	Resident undergrad tuition	Freezing resident undergraduate tuition at the four-year institutions of higher education.	Goodman	Feb 18 Public hearing in the House Committee on Higher Education at 1:30 PM.



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Bill #	Abbrev. Title	Short Description	Sponsor	Last Status
<a href="#">HB 2045</a>	Net metering systems	Promoting development of reliable distributed energy resources through extending and modifying an existing tax incentive for certain net metering systems, preserving the existing ground rules for net metering until net metering systems' generating capacity equals 0.5 percent of the utility's 1996 peak demand, requiring distribution resources planning, and authorizing a reliability charge and other alternatives to existing ground rules for net metering, for a utility that has achieved the existing 0.5 percent interconnection requirement for net metering systems.	Morris	Feb 19 Public hearing in the House Committee on Technology & Economic Development at 1:30 PM.
<a href="#">SB 5026</a> (HB 1502)	Reproductive health care	Declaring that it is an unfair practice for any employer who provides health insurance to its employees as part of an employee's benefit package to not include contraceptive coverage as part of the benefit package, to fail to comply with federal rules adopted under the affordable care act relating to the provision of contraceptive coverage, or to discriminate against any employee based on that employee's use of any reproductive health care service, drug, or device.	Pedersen	Jan 12 Referred to Law & Justice
<a href="#">SB 5087</a> (SHB 1449)	Oil transportation safety	Concerning oil transportation safety.	Rolfes	Jan 14 Referred to Energy & Environment

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Bill #	Abbrev. Title	Short Description	Sponsor	Last Status
<a href="#">SB 5123</a> (SHB 1257)	Tenant screening reports	Concerning tenant screening.	Frockt	Jan 21 Public hearing in the Senate Committee on Financial Institutions & Insurance at 1:30 PM.
<a href="#">SB 5254</a> (SHB 1255)	Minority & women's business	Concerning the office of minority and women's business enterprises account.	McCoy	Jan 16 Referred to Commerce & Labor
<a href="#">SB 5285</a> (HB 1355)	Minimum hourly wage increase	Increasing the minimum hourly wage to twelve dollars over four years.	Jayapal	Jan 19 Referred to Commerce & Labor
<a href="#">SB 5306</a> (HB 1356)	Sick & safe employment leave	Establishing minimum standards for sick and safe leave from employment.	Habib	Jan 19 Referred to Commerce & Labor
<a href="#">SB 5377</a> (SHB 2051)	Tenant relocation	Concerning the provision of time and assistance for tenants to relocate due to a rent increase or change of use of the residential unit.	Kohl-Welles	Feb 11 Public hearing in the Senate Committee on Financial Institutions & Insurance at 1:30 PM.
<a href="#">SB 5378</a> (HB 1565)	Housing options/govt progrms	Concerning the preservation of housing options for participants in government assistance programs.	Kohl-Welles	Feb 5 Referred to HSMHH
<a href="#">SB 5494</a> (SHB 1458)	Tobacco and vapor products	Concerning the age of individuals at which sale or distribution of tobacco and vapor products may be made.	Miloscia	Jan 22 Referred to Commerce & Labor
<a href="#">SB 5569</a> (SHB 1354)	Employee antiretaliation	Concerning the employee antiretaliation act.	Hasegawa	Jan 23 Referred to Commerce & Labor
<a href="#">SB 5572</a>	Marijuana sales, etc.	Concerning the sales, distribution, and delivery of marijuana.	Kohl-Welles	Feb 2 Public hearing in the Senate Committee on Commerce & Labor at 1:30 PM.
<a href="#">SB 5574</a> (HB 1647)	Reproductive health care	Concerning health plan coverage of reproductive health care.	Hobbs	Jan 26 Referred to Health Care

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Bill #	Abbrev. Title	Short Description	Sponsor	Last Status
<a href="#">SB 5608</a> (SHB 1701)	Job applicants/arrests, etc.	Prohibiting employers from asking about arrests or convictions before an applicant is determined otherwise qualified for a position.	Miloscia	Feb 13 Public hearing in the Senate Committee on Commerce & Labor at 8:00 AM.
<a href="#">SB 5672</a> (HB 1733)	Nursing staffing, hospitals	Concerning nursing staffing practices at hospitals.	Conway	Jan 28 Referred to Commerce & Labor
<a href="#">SB 5675</a> (HB 1783)	Dual language instruction	Expanding dual language and bilingual instruction for early learners through secondary students.	Roach	Jan 28 Referred to Early Learning
<a href="#">SB 5684</a> (SHB 1174)	Flame retardants	Concerning flame retardants.	Nelson	Feb 17 Public hearing in the Senate Committee on Energy and Environment & Telecommunications at 1:30 PM.
<a href="#">SB 5697</a> (SHB 1809)	Crew size on certain trains	Establishing minimum crew size on certain trains.	Parlette	Feb 9 Public hearing in the Senate Committee on Commerce & Labor at 1:30 PM.
<a href="#">SB 5710</a> (HB 1821)	For hire, limo, taxi/ind ins	Addressing industrial insurance requirements and options for owners and lessees of for hire vehicles, limousines, and taxicabs.	Fain	Jan 29 Referred to Commerce & Labor
<a href="#">SB 5727</a> (SHB 1857)	Extreme risk protec. orders	Concerning extreme risk protective orders.	Froct	Jan 30 Referred to Law & Justice
<a href="#">SB 5732</a> (HB 1910)	Law enforcement oversight	Encouraging effective oversight of law enforcement conduct.	Jayapal	Jan 30 Referred to Law & Justice
<a href="#">SB 5789</a> (HB 1747)	Firearms storage	Concerning the protection of children through responsible storage of firearms.	Kohl-Welles	Feb 3 Referred to Law & Justice
<a href="#">SB 5926</a> (SHB 1571)	Paint stewardship	Concerning paint stewardship.	Chase	Feb 11 Referred to Energy & Environment

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Bill #	Abbrev. Title	Short Description	Sponsor	Last Status
<a href="#">SB 5964</a>	Infill development	Addressing infill development.	Roach	Feb 19 Public hearing in the Senate Committee on Government Operations & Security at 10:00 AM.