



Session Watch

Monday, February 11, 2019 (day 29 of the 105-day session)

Pay Close Attention to Bill Tracking

I reorganized the bill tracking list into subject matter categories this week. With such a long list. I hope it makes things easier to find. February 22nd is policy committee cutoff. The list should shrink significantly after that.

Issues of Interest...Bills to Come

Two issues of interest do not yet appear on the tracking list because they are not yet in bill form. The department of agriculture and legislators continue to work on a brand bill. A work session on the concept was held last week, but no bill has been submitted. A bill is expected next week dealing with cage free eggs. Egg producers are attempting to get ahead of a citizen's initiative by proposing legislation.

Pesticide Application Work Group

The pesticide application safety work group bill, SB 5550, survived a minor kerfuffle during its hearing in the Senate Labor Committee. It passed unscathed and is scheduled for hearing on Tuesday in Ways & Means. The companion bill, HB 1725, is scheduled for hearing in the House Labor Committee on Thursday.

SB 5451 Eliminates

Senator King also sponsored SB 5451 to limit the need for a hydraulics permit (HPA) to work done at or below the ordinary high-water line. This in contrast to HB 1579 and SB 5580, both of which would greatly expand the department of Fish & Wildlife's regulatory authority with respect to HPAs. Both bills reference the orca recovery task force which gives them added emotional appeal.

Quote of the Week

How many days are in an odd and even legislative session?

Trivia Question of the Week

"Aim for success, not perfection. Never give up your right to be wrong, because then you will lose the ability to learn new things and move forward with your life". - Dr. David M. Burns

Last Week's Trivia Answer

William Bouck

Upcoming Hearings of Interest

Law & Justice (Senate) - SHR 4, - 2/11 @ 10:00am

- SB 5434 - Public Hearing - Restricting possession of weapons in certain locations.

Labor & Workplace Standards (House) - HHR E, JLOB - 2/11 @ 1:30pm

- HB 1725 - Public Hearing - Implementing the recommendations of the pesticide application safety work group. (Support/High)

Transportation (Senate) - SHR 1, - 2/11 @ 3:30pm

- SB 5723 - Public Hearing - Increasing safety on roadways for pedestrians, bicyclists, and other roadway users. (Low)

Finance (House) - HHR A, JLOB - 2/12 @ 8:00am

- HB 1211 - Public Hearing - Supporting Washington's clean energy economy and transitioning to a clean, affordable, and reliable energy future. (Concerns/Medium)

Rural Development, Agriculture, & Natural Resources (House) - HHR B, JLOB - 2/12 @ 10:00am

- HB 1731 - Public Hearing - Continuing the work of the Washington food policy forum. (Support/Low)
- HB 1733 - Public Hearing - Retaining productive farmland. (Support/Low)

State Government & Tribal Relations (House) - HHR E, JLOB - 2/12 @ 1:30pm

- ESB 5273 - Public Hearing - Concerning the presidential primary. (Neutral/Medium)

Ways & Means (Senate) - SHR 4, - 2/12 @ 3:30pm

- SB 5550 - Public Hearing - Implementing the recommendations of the pesticide application safety work group. (Support/High)

- SSB 5116 - Public Hearing - Supporting Washington's clean energy economy and transitioning to a clean, affordable, and reliable energy future. (Hearing is on the Proposed Substitute.) (Concerns/Medium)

Civil Rights & Judiciary (House) - HHR A, JLOB - 2/13 @ 8:00am

- HB 1530 - Public Hearing - Restricting possession of weapons in certain locations.

Rural Development, Agriculture, & Natural Resources (House) - HHR B, JLOB - 2/13 @ 8:00am

- HB 1784 - Public Hearing - Concerning wildfire prevention. (Support/Medium)

State Government & Tribal Relations (House) - HHR E, JLOB - 2/13 @ 1:30pm

- ESB 5273 - Exec Session - Concerning the presidential primary. (Neutral/Medium)

Agriculture, Water, Natural Resources & Parks (Senate) - SHR 3, - 2/14 @ 1:30pm

- SB 5620 - Public Hearing - Establishing a pilot project to test elk fencing. (Support/High)
- SB 5552 - Public Hearing - Concerning the protection of native pollinators, including bees. (Hearing on the proposed substitute). (Support/High)

Rural Development, Agriculture, & Natural Resources (House) - HHR B, JLOB - 2/15 @ 10:00am

- HB 1875 - Public Hearing - Concerning wildlife damage to agricultural crops. (Support/Medium)

Selected Bills of Interest

Agriculture

<u>Bill Details</u>	<u>Status</u>	<u>Sponsor</u>	<u>Priority</u>	<u>Position</u>
<u>HB 1712</u> Farm products/vehicle weight Authorizing vehicles or combinations of vehicles carrying farm products to exceed total gross weight limits by two thousand pounds.	H Trans	Dye	Low	Support
<u>HB 1863</u> <u>(SB 5804)</u> Ag., food, nat. resource ed. Concerning agriculture, food, and natural resource education.	H Education	Blake	Low	Support
<u>HB 1875</u> Ag. crop damage by wildlife Concerning wildlife damage to agricultural crops.	H RDev, Ag&NR	Eslick	Medium	Support
<u>SB 5349</u> Products identified as milk Prohibits the sale of a product that is identified by the word "milk" and, is intended for human consumption as food or drink, if the product is not milk or does not contain milk or milk products.	S Ag/Water/Natura	Ericksen	High	Support
<u>SB 5447</u> <u>(HB 1429)</u> Dairy milk assessment fee Delays, until June 30, 2025, the expiration date for the dairy milk assessment fee.	S Rules 2	Van De Wege	Low	
<u>SB 5543</u> <u>(HB 1733)</u> Productive farmland Requires the state conservation commission to develop a form and process for an agricultural land assessment to be completed by a state agency before the acquisition of an interest in real property when the interest includes agricultural land. Requires state agencies, including state departments, boards, councils, commissions, state universities, colleges, and community colleges, to complete an agricultural land assessment in the form and process described and adopted by the state conservation commission before acquisition of an interest in real property.	S Ag/Water/Natur	Takko	Low	Support
<u>SB 5550</u> <u>(HB 1725)</u> Pesticide application safety Creates the pesticide application safety committee and requires it to: (1) Explore how the department of agriculture, the department of labor and industries, the department of health, and the Washington poison center collect and track data; and (2) Consider the feasibility and requirements of developing a shared database, including how the department of health could use existing tools, to better display multiagency data regarding pesticides. Creates an advisory work group to collect information and make recommendations to the full committee on topics requiring unique expertise and perspectives on issues within the jurisdiction of the committee. Expires July 1, 2025.	S Ways & Means	Saldana/Dent	High	Support

Native pollinators	S Ag/Water/Natur	Lias	High	Support
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Requires the department of agriculture to establish a program to: (1) Promote and protect native pollinator habitat and the health and sustainability of pollinator species; (2) Provide technical and financial assistance to state agencies, local governments, and private landowners to implement practices that promote habitat for native and managed pollinators; and (3) Be administered in coordination with the apiary program, the honey bee commission, and programs administered by the state conservation commission and conservation districts. Requires the department to: (1) Create and chair a pollinator health task force; and (2) Develop educational materials regarding the best practices for avoiding adverse effects from pesticides on populations of bees and other pollinating insects. Requires the task force to build upon existing pollinator plans and pollinator habitat plans at the national and state level to develop a state pollinator health strategy. Provides a January 1, 2020, expiration date for the task force.

[SB 5552](#)

SB 5719 (HB 1401)	Hemp production Concerning hemp production.	S Ag/Water/Natur	Hasegawa
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Broadband

<u>Bill Details</u>	<u>Status</u>	<u>Sponsor</u>	<u>Priority</u>	<u>Position</u>	
<u>HB 1498 (SB 5511)</u>	Broadband service	H Inn, Tech & E	Hudgins	High	Support
	Creates the governor's statewide broadband office to encourage, foster, develop, and improve affordable, quality broadband. Requires the public works board to establish a competitive grant and loan program to award funding to eligible applicants to promote the expansion of access to broadband service in unserved and underserved areas.				
<u>HB 1800</u>	Rural internet infra./taxes	H Finance	Orcutt	Medium	Support
	Allowing a local sales and use tax as a credit against the state sales tax for rural high-speed internet infrastructure without increasing the total sales and use tax rate.				
<u>SB 5085</u>	Broadband internet access	S Environment, E	McCoy	Medium	Support
	Authorizes a unit of local government or other subdivision of the state to provide broadband services when approved by the utilities and transportation commission pursuant to certain requirements.				

Elections

<u>Bill Details</u>	<u>Status</u>	<u>Sponsor</u>	<u>Priority</u>	<u>Position</u>	
<u>SHB 1063</u>	Primary elections/age 17		Bergquist	Low	Concerns
	Permits a person to vote in a primary election or presidential primary election if the person is registered to vote, and is not at least eighteen years old at the time of the election, but is or will be at least eighteen years old by the next general election.				
<u>HB 1209 (SB 5063)</u>	Ballots, prepaid postage	H State Govt & T	Hansen	Low	
	Requires the state to reimburse counties for the cost of return postage on mail and absentee ballots for elections. Requires return envelopes for election ballots to include prepaid postage.				
<u>HB 1262 (SB 5229)</u>	Presidential primary	H State Govt & T	Walsh/Zeiger	Medium	Support
	Changes the dates for the presidential primary.				
<u>HB 1310 (ESB 5273)</u>	Presidential primary	H State Govt & T	Valdez/Hunt	Medium	Support
	Changes the dates for the presidential primary. Requires each party to determine which candidates are to be placed on the presidential primary ballot for that party.				

Energy / Carbon

<u>Bill Details</u>	<u>Status</u>	<u>Sponsor</u>	<u>Priority</u>	<u>Position</u>
<u>SHB 1110</u> (SB 5412) Greenhouse gas/transp. fuels Low carbon fuel standard (1) Reduce levels of conventional air pollutants from diesel and gasoline that are harmful to public health; (2) Reduce greenhouse gas emissions associated with transportation fuels, which are the state's largest source of greenhouse gas emissions; and (3) Create jobs and spur economic development based on innovative clean fuel technologies. Requires the joint legislative audit and review committee to: (1) Analyze, by December 1, 2027, the impacts of the initial five years of clean fuels program implementation; and (2) Submit a report to the legislature that summarizes the analysis.	H Trans	Fitzgibbon	Medium	Oppose
<u>SHB 1113</u> Greenhouse emission limits Amending state greenhouse gas emission limits for consistency with the most recent assessment of climate change science and with the United States' commitment under the 2015 Paris climate agreement.	H Approps	Slatter	Medium	Concerns
<u>SHB 1211</u> (SSB 5116) Clean energy Establishes the Washington clean energy transformation act. Addresses the elimination of coal-fired electricity and the transition of the state's electricity supply to one hundred percent carbon neutral by 2030. Provides that it is the policy of the state that all retail sales of electricity to the state's customers be greenhouse gas neutral by January 1, 2030. Requires the department of commerce to convene an energy and climate policy advisory committee to develop recommendations to the legislature for the coordination of existing resources, or the establishment of new ones, to: (1) Examine the costs and benefits of energy-related policies, programs, functions, activities, and incentives; and (2) Conduct other energy-related studies and analyses as may be directed by the legislature. Requires the department of health to conduct a cumulative impact analysis to designate the communities highly impacted by fossil fuel pollution and climate change.	H Finance	Tarleton/Carlyle	Medium	Concerns
<u>HB 1984</u> Ag competitiveness/emissions Ensuring that attempts to limit greenhouse gas emissions in Washington state do not make Washington's agricultural products and food processing businesses economically uncompetitive, thereby shifting emissions to jurisdictions without similar greenhouse gas policies.	H Env & Energy	Maycumber	Low	Support
<u>HB 1985</u> Ag/greenhouse emission rules Providing regulatory relief from greenhouse gas emissions rules for producers of agricultural commodities and food products.	H Env & Energy	Maycumber	Low	Support

Guns

<u>Bill Details</u>	<u>Status</u>	<u>Sponsor</u>	<u>Priority</u>	<u>Position</u>
<u>HB 1203</u> Lost or stolen firearms Requires an owner or other person lawfully in possession of a firearm that has been lost or stolen to report the loss or theft to the local law enforcement agency within five days after the loss or theft. Requires a law enforcement agency that receives a report of a lost or stolen firearm to enter certain information about the firearm into the national crime information center database.	H Civil R & Judi	Doglio		
<u>HB 1286</u> (SB 5340) Assault weapons ban Prohibits a person, unless certain conditions are met, from manufacturing, possessing, distributing, importing, transferring, selling, or purchasing an assault weapon or large capacity magazine.	H Civil R & Judi	Peterson		
<u>HB 1319</u> Firearm open carry/local gov Authorizes cities, towns, counties, and other municipalities to enact laws and ordinances that restrict the open carrying of firearms at a public meeting of the governing authority of the city, town, county, or other municipality.	H Civil R & Judi	Wylie		

Local gov firearm regulation H Civil R & Judi Macri Medium Oppose
 Relating to local government authority to regulate firearms. Finds that: (1) Gun violence is a public health crisis in the state; (2) Local governments have been blocked from taking action to prevent gun violence because of the statewide preemption of local regulations; (3) Local jurisdictions must have the ability to build upon state standards and adopt approaches to regulations to address the epidemic of firearm violence in their communities.

[HB 1374](#)

Weapons in certain locations H Civil R & Judi Davis
 Restricting possession of weapons in certain locations. Prohibits a person from carrying or possessing the following weapons on licensed child care center premises, child care center-provided transportation, or areas of facilities while being used exclusively by a child care center: A firearm; any other dangerous weapon; an air gun, air pistol, or air rifle; a portable device manufactured to function as a weapon that is commonly known as a stun gun, including a projectile stun gun; or a device, object, or instrument that is used or intended to be used as a weapon with the intent to injure a person by an electric shock, charge, or impulse. Prohibits a person from entering the following places when he or she possesses or has a weapon under his or her control: The premises of a library; or the premises of a local government's neighborhood, community, or regional park facilities at which children and youth are likely to be present.

[HB 1530](#)
 (SB 5434)

Weapon possession/orders H Civil R & Judi Jinkins
 Prohibiting the possession and acquisition of weapons by persons convicted of certain criminal offenses or subject to certain no-contact orders, protection orders, or restraining orders. Specifies that a person is guilty of unlawful possession of a firearm in the second degree, if he or she does not qualify for unlawful possession of a firearm in the first degree and he or she owns, possesses, or controls a firearm, after having previously been convicted, or found not guilty by reason of insanity, of the following: (1) Unlawful aiming or discharge of a firearm or dangerous weapon; and (2) Animal cruelty in the second degree.

[HB 1541](#)

Domestic violence/firearms S Rules 2 Dhingra
 Concerning the authorized removal, safekeeping, and return of firearms and ammunition by law enforcement during and after domestic violence incidents. Requires a peace officer, who responds to a domestic violence call and has probable cause to believe that a crime has been committed, to seize all firearms and ammunition that he or she believes were used or threatened to be used in the commission of the offense and may seize all firearms and ammunition in plain sight or discovered under a consensual or other lawful search. Requires a law enforcement agency to: (1) Comply with certain domestic violence requirements before returning a seized firearm or ammunition to the owner or individual from whom the firearm or ammunition was obtained; and (2) Forward the offense report regarding any incident of domestic violence to the appropriate prosecutor within ten days of making the report. Requires the criminal justice training commission to implement a course of instruction for training law enforcement officers in the handling of domestic violence complaints. Provides immunity from liability to appointed or elected public officials, public employees, public agencies, or units of local government and its employees, for damages arising out of the seizure or failure to seize a firearm.

[SSB 5143](#)

Hunting/visible clothing S 2nd Reading Wilson Low
 Requires the fish and wildlife commission to adopt rules determining the times and manner when a person who is hunting must wear fluorescent orange or fluorescent pink clothing.

[SSB 5148](#)

Taxes

<u>Bill Details</u>	<u>Status</u>	<u>Sponsor</u>	<u>Priority</u>	<u>Position</u>
HB 1172 (SB 5314) Capital gains tax/prop. tax Enacts a capital gains tax.	H Finance	Santos	High	Oppose
Fish barrier removal funding	H Finance	Chapman	Medium	Concerns

[HB 1228](#) (SB 5130) Helps fund state fish barrier removal by implementing a graduated real estate excise tax and moving up to August 1, 2019, the increase in certain vehicle weight fees.

[HB 1343](#) (SB 5129) **Revenue** H Finance Tarleton/Rolfes High Oppose
Enacts a capital gains tax.

[HB 1881](#) **Custom farming/tax exemption** H Finance Ybarra Medium Support
Making the custom farming and hauling farm products tax exemptions permanent.

[SB 5743](#) **Vehicle taxation** S Transportation Fortunato Medium Support
Concerning vehicle taxation. Clarifies that tractors are not vehicles.

Uncategorized Bills

<u>Bill Details</u>	<u>Status</u>	<u>Sponsor</u>	<u>Priority</u>	<u>Position</u>
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HB 1025 Horse slaughter Prohibits a person from slaughtering a horse if the person knows or should know that the meat from the slaughtered animal is intended to be used for human consumption.	H Public Safety	Appleton	Medium	Oppose
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SHB 1114 Food waste reduction Establishes a goal for the state to reduce by fifty percent the amount of food waste generated annually by 2030, relative to 2015 levels. Requires the department of ecology, in consultation with the department of agriculture and the department of health, to develop and adopt a state wasted food reduction and food waste diversion plan designed to achieve the goal.	H Approps	Doglio	Low	Support
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HB 1167 (SB 5476) Composting/nuisance lawsuits Confirms that composting activities are recognized as agricultural activities and protected from nuisance lawsuits.	H Rules R	Walen	Medium	Support
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HB 1187 Fish habitat projects Allows a fish habitat enhancement project to be approved by conservation districts as conservation district-sponsored fish habitat enhancement or restoration projects in order to receive a permit review and approval process.	H 2nd Reading	Dent	Low	Support
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HB 1188 Rangeland fire associations Addresses rangeland fire protection associations which are defined as a nonprofit corporation or nonprofit unincorporated association that has entered into an agreement for the detection, prevention, or suppression of wildfires with the state or an agency of the state. Authorizes an association to enter into agreements with fire protection service agencies for the detection, prevention, or suppression of wildfires. Requires an association to identify the physical boundaries within which it will provide detection, prevention, and suppression of wildfire services and resources. Requires a local wildland fire liaison to provide information to an association concerning the department of natural resources wildfire detection, prevention, and suppression activities taking place within the boundaries of the association. Authorizes the department of natural resources and fire protection service agencies to enter into agreements for the detection, prevention, or suppression of fires with an association.	H RDev, Ag&NR	Dent	Low	Support
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HB 1283 (SB 5277) Agricultural fair funding Changes the funding source and the amount of funding for the fair fund.	H Approps	Dent	High	Support
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HB 1287 (SB 5103) Natural areas Requires the department of natural resources to recommend to the governor a prioritized list of all property acquisitions for the purpose of creating: (1) Washington natural resources conservation areas; and (2) A	H Cap Budget	Griffey	Medium	Support
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Washington natural area preserve. Authorizes the governor to remove projects from the list and submit the amended list in the capital budget request to the legislature.

<u>HB 1309</u>	Studded tires	H Trans	Ryu	Medium	Oppose
	Increases the fee, from five dollars to one hundred dollars, on the retail sale of each new tire sold that contains studs. Decreases the amount, from ten percent to one percent, that the seller can retain. Prohibits a person, firm, or corporation from selling or offering for sale a studded tire or a stud for installation in a tire. Prohibits the use of metal studs imbedded within a tire on any vehicle on public highways.				
<u>HB 1401</u> <u>(SB 5719)</u>	Hemp production	H Commerce & Gam	Shea	Low	Support
	Requires the department of agriculture to develop: (1) An agricultural commodity program to replace the industrial hemp research pilot program; (2) A proposal outlining the state's plan for regulating hemp production in accordance with this act and the agricultural improvement act; and (3) A post harvest test protocol for testing hemp that includes testing of whole plant samples. Creates the legislative task force on the availability of crop insurance for hemp producers to ensure that crop insurance is available in this state for hemp producers. Creates the hemp regulatory account. Makes an appropriation from the general fund to the department of agriculture for the purposes of this act. Repeals, effective January 1, 2020, chapter 15.120 RCW (the industrial hemp research program).				
<u>HB 1516</u>	DFW dog training, nonlethal	H RDev, Ag&NR	Blake	Medium	Support
	Requires the fish and wildlife commission to adopt by rule: (1) A process and criteria to select persons, who may act as agents of the state, for using one or more dogs to hunt or pursue black bear, cougar, or bobcat to protect livestock, domestic animals, private property, or the public safety; and (2) Requirements an applicant must comply with when applying for the program, including a criminal background check. Requires the department of fish and wildlife to administer a training program that provides dog training opportunities, for selected people, using nonlethal pursuit.				
<u>SHB 1579</u>	Chinook abundance	H Approps	Fitzgibbon	Medium	Oppose
	Implementing recommendations of the southern resident killer whale task force related to increasing chinook abundance.				
<u>HB 1611</u> <u>(SB 5626)</u>	Cultivation of shellfish	H Env & Energy	Blake	High	Support
	Ensuring the safe and productive cultivation of shellfish.				
<u>HB 1622</u> <u>(SB 5675)</u>	Drought preparedness	H RDev, Ag&NR	Blake	Medium	Concerns
	Concerning drought preparedness and response.				
<u>HB 1728</u> <u>(SSB 5258)</u>	Isolated worker protection	H Labor & Workpl	Frame	High	Oppose
	Preventing the sexual harassment and sexual assault of certain isolated workers.				
<u>HB 1731</u>	WA food policy forum	H RDev, Ag&NR	Gregerson	Low	Support
	Continuing the work of the Washington food policy forum.				
<u>HB 1784</u>	Wildfire prevention	H RDev, Ag&NR	Kretz	Medium	Support
	Concerning wildfire prevention.				
<u>HB 1941</u>	Wildfires impact review	H RDev, Ag&NR	Kretz	Medium	Support
	Conducting a comprehensive review of the impact of catastrophic wildfires on communities as a means of improving government responses for the future.				
	Pedestrian, etc. safety	H Trans	Kilduff		

<u>HB 1966</u> <u>(SB 5723)</u>	Increasing safety on roadways for pedestrians, bicyclists, and other roadway users. Increases penalties for hitting a vulnerable road user including a tractor driver.				
<u>HB 1983</u>	Natural resource management Concerning natural resource management activities.	H RDev, Ag&NR	Maycumber	Low	Support
<u>SSB 5010</u>	Protected lands/fire levies Addresses parcels of land that do not pay the forest fire protection assessment or a local fire district levy.	S Rules 2	Rolfes	Medium	Support
<u>SSB 5026</u>	Parcel & planning boundaries Concerning the placement of planning boundaries in conjunction with parcel boundaries.	S Rules 2	Honeyford	Low	Support
<u>SB 5100</u>	Cougar control pilot program Requires the department of fish and wildlife, in cooperation and collaboration with the county legislative authorities of Ferry, Stevens, Pend Oreille, Chelan, Okanogan, Mason, and Klickitat counties, to recommend rules to establish a five-year pilot program within select game management units of these counties, to pursue or kill cougars with the aid of dogs. Requires the development of dangerous wildlife task teams in each county. Allows the department of fish and wildlife to authorize five seasons in which cougars may be pursued or killed with dogs, subject to conditions of the pilot program. Authorizes a county legislative authority to request inclusion in the pilot project after taking certain actions.	S Ag/Water/Natur	Sheldon	Low	Support
<u>SB 5139</u>	Daylight saving time Declares an intent to observe daylight saving time year-round, if authorized by the United States congress, and review the potential impact the time zone has on communities along the border between this state and other states to determine whether the state should seek authorization through the United States department of transportation to change the state to mountain standard time year-round if year-round daylight saving time is not authorized by congress. Requires the department of commerce to review impacts the state time zone and daylight saving time have on commerce in the state.	S State Govt/Tri	Honeyford	Low	Oppose
<u>SB 5255</u>	Road usage charges/rural Prohibits the state from imposing or collecting any new road usage charge, vehicle miles traveled fee, or other similar type of comparable charge, tax, or fee, in rural counties.	S Transportation	Sheldon	Low	Support
<u>SB 5451</u>	Hydraulic projects Revises the definition of "hydraulic project," for purposes of chapter 77.55 RCW (construction projects in state waters), to include work at or below the ordinary high water line.	S Ag/Water/Natur	King	Medium	Support
<u>SB 5580</u>	Orca whales/habitat & fish Addresses the need to increase the amount of chinook salmon in the state's waters by implementing recommendations of the southern resident killer whale task force.	S Ag/Water/Natur	Rolfes	Medium	Oppose
<u>SB 5620</u>	Elk fencing pilot project Establishing a pilot project to test elk fencing.	S Ag/Water/Natura	Wagoner	High	Support
<u>SJR 8204</u>	Right to fish, hunt, etc. Amending the Constitution to guarantee the right to fish, hunt, and otherwise harvest wildlife.	S Ag/Water/Natur	Braun	Low	Support

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