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House Bills

HB 1038-S by House Committee on Commerce & Gaming (originally sponsored by Representatives Condotta, Stanford, Johnson, Vick, Haler, and Sawyer)

Increasing the number of tasting rooms allowed under a domestic winery license.

(DIGEST OF PROPOSED 1ST SUBSTITUTE)

Changes the number of tasting rooms allowed, from two to four, for a domestic winery license.

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Jan 12 Public hearing in the House Committee on Commerce & Gaming at 9:00 AM.

Jan 19 COG - Majority; 1st substitute bill be substituted, do pass.

Executive action taken in the House Committee on Commerce & Gaming at 9:00 AM.

HB 1079-S by House Committee on Public Safety (originally sponsored by Representatives Orwall, Klippert, Goodman, Stokesbary, Kilduff, Chapman, McCabe, Hudgins, Jinkins, Ortiz-Self, Bergquist, Stanford, Griffey, Hargrove, Smith, Tarleton, Harmsworth, Ormsby, Muri, Van Werven, Kraft, Fey,

Slatter, Sawyer, McBride, and Gregerson; by request of Attorney General)

Creating a criminal no-contact order for human trafficking and promoting prostitution-related offenses.

(DIGEST OF PROPOSED 1ST SUBSTITUTE)

Requires a defendant who is charged by citation, complaint, or information with an offense involving trafficking or promoting prostitution in the first or second degree, and not arrested, to appear in court for arraignment in person no later than fourteen days after the next day on which court is in session following the issuance of the citation or the filing of the complaint or information.

Requires the court, at that appearance, to determine the necessity of imposing a no-contact order and consider other conditions of pretrial release.

Creates a criminal no-contact order for offenses relating to human trafficking and promoting prostitution.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 16 Public hearing in the House Committee on Public Safety at 1:30 PM.

Jan 19 PS - Majority; 1st substitute bill be substituted, do pass.

Executive action taken in the House Committee on Public Safety at 8:00 AM.

HB 1099-S by House Committee on Commerce & Gaming (originally sponsored by Representatives Sawyer, Condotta, and Kirby)

Addressing local governments' unofficial moratoria on state-licensed marijuana retail outlets.

(DIGEST OF PROPOSED 1ST SUBSTITUTE)

Addresses a local government's unofficial moratoria on state-licensed marijuana retail outlets.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 17 Public hearing in the House Committee on Commerce & Gaming at 1:30 PM.

Jan 19 COG - Majority; 1st substitute bill be substituted, do pass.

Executive action taken in the House Committee on Commerce & Gaming at 9:00 AM.

Jan 23 Referred to Appropriations.

HB 1153-S by House Committee on Public Safety (originally sponsored by Representatives Goodman, Klippert, Pellicciotti, Hayes, Orwall, Griffey, Chapman, Holy, Kilduff, Stanford, Fey, Haler, Doglio, and Frame; by request of Attorney General)

Concerning crimes against vulnerable persons.

(DIGEST OF PROPOSED 1ST SUBSTITUTE)

Creates the crimes of theft from a vulnerable adult in the first and second degree.

Increases penalties, reduces barriers to prosecution, and expands the scope of protection for vulnerable persons.

Encourages each county to develop a written protocol for handling criminal cases involving vulnerable adults.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 16 Public hearing in the House Committee on Public Safety at 1:30 PM.

Jan 19 PS - Majority; 1st substitute bill be substituted, do pass.

Executive action taken in the House Committee on Public Safety at 8:00 AM.

HB 1155-S by House Committee on Public Safety (originally sponsored by Representatives Griffey, Orwall, Klippert, McCabe, Kraft, Caldier, Muri, Bergquist, Stanford, Fitzgibbon, McDonald, Doglio, and Macri)

Making felony sex offenses a crime that may be prosecuted at any time after its commission.

(DIGEST OF PROPOSED 1ST SUBSTITUTE)

Allows the following offenses to be prosecuted at any time after their commission: (1) Rape in the first, second, or third degree;

(2) Rape of a child in the first, second, or third degree;

(3) Child molestation in the first, second, or third degree;

(4) Sexual misconduct with a minor in the first degree;

(5) Sexually violating human remains;

(6) Custodial sexual misconduct in the first degree;

(7) Incest in the first or second degree;

(8) Sexual exploitation of a minor;

(9) Commercial sexual abuse of a minor;

(10) Promoting commercial sexual abuse of a minor; and
(11) Promoting travel for commercial sexual abuse of a minor.

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Jan 17 Public hearing in the House Committee on Public Safety at 1:30 PM.

Jan 19 PS - Majority; 1st substitute bill be substituted, do pass.

Executive action taken in the House Committee on Public Safety at 8:00 AM.

HB 1163-S by House Committee on Public Safety (originally sponsored by Representatives Goodman, Hayes, Orwall, Appleton, Klippert, Pellicciotti, Pettigrew, Chapman, Kilduff, Bergquist, Stanford, and Kloba)

Concerning domestic violence.

(DIGEST OF PROPOSED 1ST SUBSTITUTE)

Modifies domestic violence provisions relating to: (1) Offender scores for assault of a child and criminal mistreatment; and

(2) Revising the crime of fourth degree assault.

Requires a biological sample to be collected for purposes of DNA identification analysis from an adult or juvenile convicted of assault in the fourth degree where domestic violence was pleaded and proven.

Authorizes a sheriff to waive fees associated with service of a writ of habeas corpus that was issued for the return of a child when the person who was granted the writ is, by reason of poverty, unable to pay the cost of service.

Requires the administrative office of the courts, through the Washington state gender and justice commission of the supreme court, to convene a work group to address the issue of domestic violence perpetrator treatment and the role of certified perpetrator treatment programs in holding domestic violence perpetrators accountable.

Creates the Washington domestic violence risk assessment work group to study how and when risk assessment can best be used to improve the response to domestic violence offenders and victims and find effective strategies to reduce domestic violence homicides, serious injuries, and recidivism that are a result of domestic violence incidents in the state.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 16 Public hearing in the House Committee on Public Safety at 1:30 PM.

Jan 19 PS - Majority; 1st substitute bill be substituted, do pass.

Executive action taken in the House Committee on Public Safety at 8:00 AM.

HB 1184-S by House Committee on Public Safety (originally sponsored by Representatives Orwall, Griffey, Klippert, McCabe, Senn, Gregerson, Pellicciotti, Jinkins, Irwin, Wylie, Kilduff, McBride, Bergquist, Fey, Smith, Stanford, and Hudgins)

Modifying patronizing a prostitute provisions.

(DIGEST OF PROPOSED 1ST SUBSTITUTE)

Provides that the crime of patronizing a prostitute may be considered as being committed in more than one location. For instance, a person who sends a communication to patronize a prostitute is considered to have committed the crime at the place from which the contact was made or where the communication is received.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 16 Public hearing in the House Committee on Public Safety at 1:30 PM.

Jan 19 PS - Majority; 1st substitute bill be substituted, do pass.
Executive action taken in the House Committee on Public Safety at 8:00 AM.

HB 1501 by Representatives Hansen, Hayes, Kagi, Smith, Tharinger, Clibborn, and Muri

Protecting law enforcement and the public from persons who illegally attempt to obtain firearms.

Requires a firearms dealer to report information to the Washington state patrol when the dealer denies an application for the purchase or transfer of a firearm as the result of a background check.

Requires the Washington state patrol to: (1) Maintain a database that consists of the information received from a firearms dealer; and

(2) Investigate denied firearm purchase or transfer applications.

Requires the Washington association of sheriffs and police chiefs to create and operate a statewide automated protected person notification system.

Provides that this act is null and void if appropriations are not approved.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to Judiciary (Not Officially read and referred until adoption of Introduction report).

HB 1502 by Representatives Chapman, Orcutt, Lovick, Rodne, Clibborn, and Tharinger; by request of Department of Transportation

Concerning the authorization of and deposit of moneys from department of transportation advertising activities.

Authorizes the department of transportation to: (1) Sell commercial advertising, including product placement, on department web sites and social media; and

(2) Sell a version of its mobile application to users who desire to have access to an application without advertising.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to Transportation (Not Officially read and referred until adoption of Introduction report).

HB 1503 by Representatives Short, Taylor, Van Werven, Buys, Haler, Kraft, and Hargrove

Preventing unfunded mandates involving on-site sewage systems from affecting local governments and property owners.

Prevents unfunded mandates, that involve on-site sewage systems, from affecting local governments and property owners.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to Environment (Not Officially read and referred until adoption of Introduction report).

HB 1504 by Representatives Pike, Blake, Wylie, Peterson, Harris, Vick, Manweller, Tarleton, Orcutt, Farrell, Haler, Dent, Fey, Sells, Kraft, Johnson, MacEwen, Chandler, Stambaugh, Van Werven, Dye, Doglio, and Springer

Concerning rail dependent uses for purposes of the growth management act and related development regulations.

Authorizes counties and cities to adopt development regulations to assure that agriculture, forest, and mineral resource lands adjacent to short line railroads may be developed for freight rail dependent uses.

Authorizes the transportation element required by RCW 36.70A.070 (section 4 of this act) to include development of freight rail dependent uses on land adjacent to a short line railroad.

Authorizes development regulations to be modified to include development of freight rail dependent uses that do not require urban government services in rural lands.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to Environment (Not Officially read and referred until adoption of Introduction report).

HB 1505 by Representatives Peterson, Kloba, Goodman, Macri, Doglio, and McBride

Establishing the naloxone access grant program.

Requires the department of health to establish the naloxone access grant program to: (1) Distribute funds to local health jurisdictions to purchase naloxone;

(2) Distribute naloxone to persons at highest risk for opioid overdose;

(3) Provide training on how to administer naloxone; and

(4) Educate the public on the potential harms of opioid use.

Imposes a fee on each sale by a wholesale distributor of prescription opioids distributed in this state.

Creates the naloxone access account.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to Health Care & Wellness (Not Officially read and referred until adoption of Introduction report).

HB 1506 by Representatives Senn, Pellicciotti, Slatter, Macri, Peterson, Chapman, Ortiz-Self, Bergquist, Sawyer, Frame, Gregerson, Farrell, Kilduff, Kagi, Dolan, Clibborn, Pollet, McBride, Stanford, Doglio, Appleton, Robinson, Fitzgibbon, Sells, Goodman, Tharinger, Hudgins, Ormsby, Riccelli, Fey, and Pettigrew

Addressing workplace practices to achieve gender pay equity.

Updates the existing state equal pay act to address income disparities, employer discrimination, retaliation practices, and the equal status of workers in this state.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

- Jan 23 First reading, referred to Labor & Workplace Standards (Not Officially read and referred until adoption of Introduction report).
- Jan 24 Scheduled for public hearing in the House Committee on Labor & Workplace Standards at 1:30 PM. (Subject to change)

HB 1507 by Representatives Holy and Hudgins

Enhancing election reconciliation reports.

Requires the county auditor to: (1) Make election reconciliation reports available to the public at the auditor's office;

(2) Publish the reports on the auditor's web site at the time of certification; and

(3) Submit the reports to the secretary of state at the time of certification.

Requires the secretary of state to collect the reports from each county auditor and prepare a statewide reconciliation report for each state primary and general election.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

- Jan 23 First reading, referred to State Government (Not Officially read and referred until adoption of Introduction report).

HB 1508 by Representatives Stonier, Dolan, Ortiz-Self, Riccelli, Orwall, Peterson, Sawyer, Doglio, Gregerson, Slatter, Frame, Macri, Bergquist, Senn, Ryu, Kloba, Stanford, Sells, Farrell, Lovick, McBride, Pollet, Hudgins, Jinkins, Kagi, Appleton, Goodman, Tharinger, Clibborn, Ormsby, Cody, Santos, Fey, and Pettigrew

Promoting student health and readiness through meal and nutrition programs.

Establishes the Washington kids ready to learn act of 2017.

Requires each high-needs school to offer breakfast after the bell to each student and provide adequate time for students to consume the food.

Requires the superintendent of public instruction to administer one-time start-up allocation grants to each high-needs school implementing a breakfast after the bell program.

Creates the breakfast after the bell lighthouse project to promote best practices for breakfast after the bell programs.

Requires school districts with school lunch programs to begin to eliminate lunch copays for students in prekindergarten through twelfth grade who qualify for reduced-price lunches.

Authorizes school districts and the office of the superintendent of public instruction to coordinate with the department of agriculture to promote and facilitate farm-to-school programs and small and direct marketing farm programs within school districts.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

- Jan 23 First reading, referred to Education (Not Officially read and referred until adoption of Introduction report).

HB 1509 by Representatives Stonier, Harris, Dolan, Caldier, Ormsby, Volz, Stanford, McCaslin, Riccelli, Holy, Pollet, Taylor, Doglio, Shea, Sawyer, Peterson, Gregerson, Sells, Tharinger, Farrell, Orcutt, and Santos

Concerning credit requirements for high school graduation.

Provides an opportunity for students to complete all credits required for high school graduation.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

- Jan 23 First reading, referred to Education (Not Officially read and referred until adoption of Introduction report).

HB 1510 by Representatives Tarleton, McDonald, Ryu, Fitzgibbon, Tharinger, Clibborn, Santos, and Fey

Fey

Concerning port district worker development and occupational training programs.

Requires ports that are seeking to engage in port district worker development and occupational training programs to declare that port-related workforce development provides a substantial public benefit consistent with the port commission's economic development goals.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

- Jan 23 First reading, referred to Technology & Economic Development (Not Officially read and referred until adoption of Introduction report).

HB 1511 by Representatives Lytton, Sullivan, Dolan, and Santos

Concerning the learning assistance program.

Allocates additional funding to provide supplemental instruction and services for underachieving students in schools with high concentrations of students eligible for free or reduced-price meals and students who are eligible pupils in the transitional bilingual instruction program.

Requires a school building, in order to qualify for a learning assistance concentration allocation, to have a combined percentage of students qualified for free and reduced-price meals in the prior school year and students who are eligible pupils in the transitional bilingual instruction program.

Requires a school district, in order to receive a foster-homeless student learning assistance allocation, to provide documentation of its number of enrolled foster or homeless students to the superintendent of public instruction.

Allows funds for the learning assistance program to be expended for purposes of reading and literacy improvement strategy.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to Education (Not Officially read and referred until adoption of Introduction report).

HB 1512 by Representatives Bergquist, Stambaugh, McBride, Gregerson, Slatter, Frame, Macri, Peterson, Hudgins, Pollet, Orwall, Doglio, Appleton, Fitzgibbon, Goodman, Farrell, and Stanford

Expanding college bound scholarship eligibility.

Revises requirements for eligibility in the college bound scholarship program.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to Higher Education (Not Officially read and referred until adoption of Introduction report).

HB 1513 by Representatives Bergquist, Stambaugh, Frame, Hudgins, Sawyer, Slatter, Macri, Gregerson, Peterson, McBride, Doglio, Appleton, Fitzgibbon, Goodman, Tharinger, Farrell, Pollet, Ormsby, Dolan, and Riccelli

Concerning the collection of youth voter registration sign up information.

Permits a person to sign up to vote at the department of licensing if he or she is sixteen or seventeen years of age.

Requires a social studies teacher to coordinate a voter registration event in each history or social studies class attended by high school seniors.

Allows county auditors to help coordinate and participate in voter registration events for students.

Requires the superintendent of public instruction, in consultation with the secretary of state, to update and distribute youth voter registration materials annually for eligible students to register to vote at school.

Exempts the following from public inspection and copying under the public records act: Information provided for voter sign up.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to State Government (Not Officially read and referred until adoption of Introduction report).

HB 1514 by Representatives Robinson, McBride, Pellicciotti, Orwall, Macri, Ormsby, Gregerson, Kloba, Pollet, Appleton, Bergquist, Tharinger, Clibborn, Farrell, and Dolan

Requiring a minimum of three years' notice on closures or conversions of mobile home parks and manufactured housing communities.

Revises the manufactured/mobile landlord tenant act with regard to notifications for closures or conversions of mobile home parks and manufactured housing communities.

Requires a tenant who sells a mobile home, manufactured home, or park model within a park to provide the buyer with a copy of any closure notice provided by a landlord at least seven days in advance of the intended sale and transfer.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to Judiciary (Not Officially read and referred until adoption of Introduction report).

HB 1515 by Representatives Graves, Riccelli, and Kraft
Clarifying the appropriate format for signed written authorizations for special parking privileges.

Requires a licensed physician, an advanced registered nurse practitioner, or a physician assistant who is authorizing a parking permit to provide a signed written authorization on a prescription pad or paper or office letterhead or by electronic means.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to Transportation (Not Officially read and referred until adoption of Introduction report).

HB 1516 by Representative MacEwen

Creating a data storage system for holding and making public records available to the public.

Requires the director of the consolidated technology services agency to: (1) Establish an internet-based data storage system with the ability to collect and store the electronic records of all local public agencies; and

(2) Provide the records for inspection and copying through a searchable central portal on a state web site.

Requires each local public agency of the state to transmit all of its public records that are in a digital format to the data storage system.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to State Government (Not Officially read and referred until adoption of Introduction report).

HB 1517 by Representative MacEwen

Funding school construction for common schools with lottery revenues.

Authorizes the state finance committee to issue lottery revenue bonds, payable from Washington opportunity pathways account revenues, to provide needed construction assistance to support school facility needs at common schools.

Requires the state finance committee and the office of financial management to conduct an objective analysis of the most effective financing structure for the lottery revenue bonds.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to Capital Budget (Not Officially read and referred until adoption of Introduction report).

HB 1518 by Representatives Senn, Stambaugh, Lovick, Stonier, Harris, Slatter, Kilduff, Nealey, Caldier, Clibborn, Ortiz-Self, Haler, Kloba, Pollet, Orwall, Doglio, Kagi, Fitzgibbon, Goodman, Bergquist, Hudgins, Ormsby, Stanford, and Santos

Improving student achievement by promoting social emotional learning throughout the calendar year.

Establishes the summer step up act.

Requires the department of early learning to contract for up to an additional six hundred slots in summer early childhood education and assistance programs at K-12 school building sites giving priority to programs operated in K-12 school buildings that: (1) Plan to include four-year old children;

(2) Are in low-income areas or areas underserved by the programs; and

(3) Plan to fund summer meals using reimbursements from the United States department of agriculture or other nonstate sources.

Requires the superintendent of public instruction to convene a work group to build upon the social emotional learning work group established in 2016.

Creates the summer step-up grant program to increase the number of programs that combine academics and social emotional learning.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to Education (Not Officially read and referred until adoption of Introduction report).

HB 1519 by Representatives Blake, J. Walsh, and Muri

Allowing incremental electricity produced as a result of certain capital investment projects to qualify as an eligible renewable resource under the energy independence act.

Revises the definition of "eligible renewable resource," for purposes of the energy independence act, to include incremental electricity produced as a result of a capital investment project completed after March 31, 1999, that increases, relative to a baseline level of generation before the capital investment project, the amount of electricity generated by a generation facility that commenced operation before March 31, 1999, and is powered by a renewable resource other than freshwater.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to Technology & Economic Development (Not Officially read and referred until adoption of Introduction report).

HB 1520 by Representatives Tharinger, Short, Cody, Schmick, and Springer

Allowing alternative payment methodologies for critical access hospitals participating in the Washington rural health access preservation pilot.

Requires payments for services, delivered by public health care service districts participating in the Washington rural health access preservation pilot to recipients eligible for certain medical assistance programs, to be based on an alternative, value-based payment methodology established by the state health care authority.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to Health Care & Wellness (Not Officially read and referred until adoption of Introduction report).

HB 1521 by Representatives Dolan, Doglio, Ormsby, Appleton, Bergquist, and Pollet; by request of Office of Financial Management

Removing the requirement that an employee must work at least six months before taking vacation leave.

Revises state government employee provisions to remove the requirement that an employee must work at least six months before taking vacation leave.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to State Government (Not Officially read and referred until adoption of Introduction report).

HB 1522 by Representatives Robinson, Harris, Jinkins, Riccelli, and Pollet

Concerning the community health worker task force.

Requires the department of health, in coordination with the state health care authority, to prepare a report describing the progress to date on detailing each agency's work plan for implementing the recommendations of the community health worker task force and supporting the development of a sustainable community health worker workforce in the state.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to Health Care & Wellness (Not Officially read and referred until adoption of Introduction report).

HB 1523 by Representatives Robinson, Johnson, Cody, Harris, Pollet, Doglio, Appleton, Fitzgibbon, Tharinger, Farrell, McBride, Fey, and Macri

Requiring health plans to cover, with no cost sharing, all preventive services required to be covered under federal law as of December 31, 2016.

Requires a health plan to provide coverage for the same preventive services required to be covered under: (1) 42 U.S.C. Sec. 300gg-13 (2016); and

(2) Federal rules or guidance in effect on December 31, 2016, implementing 42 U.S.C. Sec. 300gg-13.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to Health Care & Wellness (Not Officially read and referred until adoption of Introduction report).

HB 1524 by Representatives Kloba, Klippert, Goodman, Holy, Macri, Peterson, Haler, Doglio, Appleton, and Stanford

Increasing success in therapeutic courts.

Allows a portion of the criminal justice treatment account to be used to provide recovery support services to drug court clients to increase success in drug courts.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to Judiciary (Not Officially read and referred until adoption of Introduction report).

HB 1525 by Representatives Griffey, MacEwen, Taylor, Klippert, Dent, McCaslin, Shea, and Haler

Concerning the economic development element of the growth management act.

Establishes the economic revitalization act.

Provides common sense direction for the application of the growth management act by reaffirming that local governments have broad authority to make decisions that will provide family-wage jobs and increase opportunities for hard-working taxpayers in communities with deteriorating economies.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to Environment
(Not Officially read and referred until adoption of Introduction report).

HB 1526 by Representatives Griffey, Kilduff, MacEwen, Muri, Dent, Hayes, Haler, Smith, and Pollet

Exempting multipurpose senior citizen centers from property taxation.

Exempts the following from property taxes: Real and personal property used by, and for the purposes of, a multipurpose senior citizen center if the multipurpose senior citizen center meets certain requirements.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to Finance (Not Officially read and referred until adoption of Introduction report).

Jan 27 Scheduled for public hearing in the House Committee on Finance at 8:00 AM.
(Subject to change)

HB 1527 by Representatives Riccelli, Orcutt, Holy, Wilcox, Vick, Volz, Buys, McBride, Robinson, Stonier, Short, McCaslin, Ortiz-Self, Nealey, Morris, Rodne, Stambaugh, Tarleton, Wylie, Ryu, Pollet, Springer, Macri, Chapman, Haler, Orwall, Appleton, Fitzgibbon, Hargrove, Barkis, Goodman, Tharinger, Farrell, Ormsby, and Gregerson

Modifying Washington state's motion picture and film industries tax credit.

Provides a business and occupation tax credit for contributions made by a person to a Washington motion picture competitiveness program for a major motion picture production that portrays a significant historical event in this state.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to Finance (Not Officially read and referred until adoption of Introduction report).

Jan 27 Scheduled for public hearing in the House Committee on Finance at 8:00 AM.
(Subject to change)

HB 1528 by Representatives Hayes, Hansen, Smith, Griffey, Young, and Morris

Concerning ferry advisory committees.

Requires the transportation commission to: (1) Develop the ferry user data survey only after providing an opportunity for ferry advisory committees to offer input on survey topical areas and questions; and

(2) Finalize the survey only after providing an opportunity for the ferry advisory committee executive council to offer input on proposed survey topics and questions.

Permits a county legislative authority to establish and appoint a ferry advisory committee, which may consist of multiple members, for each state ferry terminal within its boundaries, except Vashon Island and the San Juan Islands which are allowed only one committee.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to Transportation
(Not Officially read and referred until adoption of Introduction report).

HB 1529 by Representatives Ryu, Santos, Jinkins, Kirby, Pollet, Senn, Dolan, Appleton, Hudgins, Farrell, Stanford, Cody, Macri, and McBride

Concerning recommendations from the joint legislative task force on the use of deadly force in community policing.

Responds to the recommendations from the joint legislative task force on the use of deadly force in community policing on the following subject matter: The state deadly force statute; training and community outreach; law enforcement accountability to its community; data collection; behavioral health; less lethal weapons; and funding and oversight.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to Public Safety
(Not Officially read and referred until adoption of Introduction report).

HB 1530 by Representatives Gregerson, Morris, and Appleton; by request of Office of Financial Management

Grandfathering the accrual of vacation leave above the statutory maximum for certain employees of the Washington state ferries.

Allows employees of the Washington state ferries, who are covered by collective bargaining agreements that contain provisions in effect on June 30, 2017, and allow accrual of unused vacation leave not to exceed three hundred twenty hours, to be permitted to continue the higher accrual limit until the time those provisions are modified through collective bargaining or until the bargaining unit changes its exclusive representative or is decertified.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to Labor & Workplace Standards (Not Officially read and referred until adoption of Introduction report).

HB 1531 by Representatives Chapman, DeBolt, Blake, Koster, Orcutt, Tharinger, Kraft, Pettigrew, Smith, Dolan, and Fitzgibbon

Concerning the forest riparian easement program.

Requires the department of natural resources to: (1) Share information regarding the carbon sequestration benefits of the forest riparian easement program with other state programs attempting to quantify carbon storage or account for carbon emissions; and

(2) Promote the expansion of funding for the forest riparian easement program as one part of the state's overall climate strategy.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to Agriculture & Natural Resources (Not Officially read and referred until adoption of Introduction report).

HB 1532 by Representatives Lytton and Hayes

Concerning the exemption of property taxes for nonprofit homeownership development.

Exempts the following from state and local property taxes: Real property owned by a nonprofit entity for the purpose of developing or redeveloping on the real property one or more residences to be sold to low-income households including land to be leased.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to Finance (Not Officially read and referred until adoption of Introduction report).

HB 1533 by Representatives Dolan, Senn, Doglio, Gregerson, Peterson, Bergquist, Goodman, Kloba, Macri, Sawyer, Appleton, Hudgins, Pollet, Ormsby, and Slatter

Addressing wage and salary information.

Prohibits an employer from: (1) Seeking the wage or salary history of an applicant from the applicant or a current or former employer; or

(2) Requiring that an applicant's prior wage or salary history meet certain criteria.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to Labor & Workplace Standards (Not Officially read and referred until adoption of Introduction report).

Jan 24 Scheduled for public hearing in the House Committee on Labor & Workplace Standards at 1:30 PM. (Subject to change)

HB 1534 by Representatives Ryu, Johnson, Reeves, Klippert, and Appleton; by request of Department of Veterans Affairs

Clarifying the powers, duties, and functions of the department of veterans affairs.

Revises department of veterans affairs provisions to clarify the powers, duties, and functions of the department.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to Community Development, Housing & Tribal Affairs (Not Officially read and referred until adoption of Introduction report).

HB 1535 by Representatives Riccelli, Ormsby, and Tharinger

Addressing county commissioner elections.

Establishes the responsible representation act.

Requires certain noncharter counties to establish a redistricting committee to review and adjust county commissioner districts.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to State Government (Not Officially read and referred until adoption of Introduction report).

HB 1536 by Representatives McBride, Springer, Macri, Robinson, Frame, Kloba, Doglio, Chapman, Gregerson, and Stanford

Concerning local option tools to promote, preserve, and incentivize affordable housing.

Addresses local option tools to promote, preserve, and incentivize affordable housing.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to Community Development, Housing & Tribal Affairs (Not Officially read and referred until adoption of Introduction report).

HB 1537 by Representatives Haler, Springer, Tarleton, Nealey, Goodman, Sawyer, Pollet, and Fey

Requiring disclosure by entities that compensate for petition signatures.

Regulates signature gatherers and those who employ signature gatherers.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to State Government (Not Officially read and referred until adoption of Introduction report).

HB 1538 by Representatives Stambaugh, Doglio, Vick, Hayes, Sells, and Pike

Requiring prime contractors to bond the subcontractors portion of retainage upon request.

Authorizes a subcontractor, at any time before final formal acceptance of a project, to request the contractor to submit a bond to the public owner for that portion of the contractor's retainage pertaining to the subcontractor in a form acceptable to the public body and from a bonding company meeting standards established by the public body.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to Capital Budget (Not Officially read and referred until adoption of Introduction report).

HB 1539 by Representatives McCabe, Orwall, Griffey, Caldier, Senn, Dent, Gregerson, Smith, Kraft, Doglio, and Kagi

Regarding a curriculum for the prevention of sexual abuse of students.

Creates the Erin's law legislative task force for the purpose of adopting a model curriculum for the prevention of sexual abuse of students in kindergarten through twelfth grade.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to Education (Not Officially read and referred until adoption of Introduction report).

HB 1540 by Representatives Santos, Pollet, Appleton, Fitzgibbon, Hudgins, Gregerson, Stanford, Macri, Fey, Pettigrew, and Slatter

Providing public notices of public health, safety, and welfare in a language other than English.

Requires state agencies, that are required by law or rule to provide public notices to a community or area to advise or inform the public about an imminent or emergent public health, safety, or welfare risk, to provide the notices in the language that diverse residents can understand when a significant segment of the community speaks a language other than English and has limited proficiency in English.

Requires each local organization or joint local organization for emergency management to maintain updated demographic data for their jurisdictions and information on the languages represented by their respective communities.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to Public Safety (Not Officially read and referred until adoption of Introduction report).

HB 1541 by Representatives Robinson, Johnson, Harris, McBride, Doglio, Wylie, Peterson, Cody, Stonier, Frame, Sawyer, Macri, Sells, Orwall, Jinkins, Senn, Tharinger, Stanford, Riccelli, Fitzgibbon, Ormsby, Gregerson, Hudgins, Ortiz-Self, Ryu, Farrell, Tarleton, Pollet, Clibborn, Fey, Kilduff, Reeves, Kagi, Chapman, Pellicciotti, Bergquist, Goodman, Lovick, and Slatter

Addressing prescription drug cost transparency.

Requires the office of financial management to use a competitive procurement process to select a data organization to collect, verify, and summarize the prescription drug pricing data provided by issuers and manufacturers.

Requires an issuer to submit certain prescription drug cost and utilization data to the data organization for the previous calendar year.

Requires a covered manufacturer to report certain data for each covered drug to the data organization.

Requires the data organization to compile the data submitted by issuers and manufacturers and: (1) Prepare an annual report for the public and the legislature summarizing the data; and

(2) Provide the report to the office of financial management and the joint select committee on health care oversight.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to Health Care & Wellness (Not Officially read and referred until adoption of Introduction report).

HB 1542 by Representatives Doglio, Santos, Hudgins, Riccelli, Peterson, Stonier, Dolan, Kagi, Macri, Tharinger, Sawyer, Gregerson, Senn, Fitzgibbon, and Lovick

Concerning dropout prevention through engaging youth in farming.

Creates the dropout prevention through farm engagement pilot project to measure the effectiveness and cost-benefit of a particular alternative high school program on improving outcomes for at-risk youth.

Requires the office of the superintendent of public instruction to: (1) Select five pilot projects from school districts that agree to partner with community-based organizations, food banks, and farms or gardens to establish an alternative high school program targeted primarily to at-risk youth; and

(2) Conduct an evaluation after the pilot projects have been operating for two years, including analysis of a statistical comparison group of students who did not participate in the project.

Expires August 31, 2020.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to Education (Not Officially read and referred until adoption of Introduction report).

HB 1543 by Representatives Doglio, Jinkins, Goodman, Senn, Robinson, Stonier, Kagi, Cody, Macri, Bergquist, Slatter, McBride, Peterson, Hudgins, Stanford, Frame, and Appleton

Concerning parental rights and responsibilities of sexual assault perpetrators and survivors.

Establishes a process where a survivor, who becomes pregnant as a result of a sexual assault and who elects to raise the child, can seek the court's assistance in avoiding continued forced interactions with the rapist which eliminates another barrier to healing from the assault.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to Judiciary (Not Officially read and referred until adoption of Introduction report).

HB 1544 by Representatives Doglio, Pike, Blake, McBride, Hudgins, Tharinger, Chapman, Macri, and Lovick

Concerning small farms under the current use property tax program for farm and agricultural lands.

Provides that farms five to twenty acres are eligible for current use valuation of the land underlying the residential structures the same as farms twenty acres and over and farms less than five acres are eligible if certain gross income thresholds are met.

Directs the department of revenue to develop guidance on the administration of this act.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to Finance (Not Officially read and referred until adoption of Introduction report).

HB 1545 by Representative Schmick

Concerning the exclusion of residential housing payments from certain state-funded health programs.

Excludes residential housing payments from certain state-funded health programs.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to Health Care & Wellness (Not Officially read and referred until adoption of Introduction report).

HB 1546 by Representatives Schmick and Cody

Concerning the addition of services for long-term placement of mental health patients in community hospitals that voluntarily contract and are certified by the department of social and health services.

Revises the community mental health services act with regard to the insufficient capacity at eastern and western state hospitals to meet current and growing demand for services and patients.

Requires the department of social and health services and the entities identified in RCW 71.24.310 and 71.24.380 (sections 2 and 3 of this act) to: (1) Work with willing community hospitals to assess their capacity to become certified to provide long-term mental health placements and to meet the requirements of the community mental health services act; and

(2) Enter into contracts and payment arrangements with the hospitals choosing to provide long-term mental health placements.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to Health Care & Wellness (Not Officially read and referred until adoption of Introduction report).

HB 1547 by Representatives Schmick and Cody

Exempting certain hospitals from certificate of need requirements for the addition of psychiatric beds until June 2019.

Prohibits the department of health from requiring a certificate of need for the addition of beds to alleviate the need to board psychiatric patients in emergency departments.

Exempts a hospital licensed under chapter 70.41 RCW from certificate of need requirements for the addition of new psychiatric beds.

Exempts a hospital licensed under chapter 71.12 RCW from certificate of need requirements for the one-time addition of up to thirty new psychiatric beds.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to Health Care & Wellness (Not Officially read and referred until adoption of Introduction report).

HB 1548 by Representatives Schmick and Cody

Concerning curricula for persons in long-term care facilities with behavioral health needs.

Requires the department of social and health services to adopt rules to establish minimum competencies and standards for the approval of curricula for facility-based caregivers serving persons with behavioral health needs and geriatric behavioral health workers.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to Health Care & Wellness (Not Officially read and referred until adoption of Introduction report).

HB 1549 by Representatives Lytton, Appleton, and Ormsby; by request of Office of Financial Management

Investing in education and other vital public services by narrowing or eliminating tax preferences, making administrative revenue changes, and redirecting existing revenue sources.

Invests in education and other vital public services by:

- (1) Narrowing the use tax exemption for extracted fuel;
- (2) Modifying the nonresident sales and use tax exemption;
- (3) Eliminating the sales and use tax exemption for bottled water; and
- (4) Addressing the real estate excise tax on foreclosures; the limit trade-in exclusion; the business license fee; the interest rate on assessments and refunds; trust fund accountability; the economic nexus for retailing business and occupation tax; and the public works assistance account.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to Finance (Not Officially read and referred until adoption of Introduction report).

HB 1550 by Representatives Lytton and Ormsby; by request of Office of Financial Management

Investing in education by modifying the business and occupation tax and providing small business tax relief.

Modifies the business and occupation tax and provides small business tax relief to invest in education.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to Finance (Not Officially read and referred until adoption of Introduction report).

HB 1551 by Representatives Riccelli, Smith, Johnson, Gregerson, Stonier, Peterson, Doglio, Pettigrew, Reeves, Sells, Ryu, Macri, Farrell, Clibborn, Tarleton, Santos, Lovick, Senn, Slatter, McBride, Orwall, Pollet, Dolan, Hudgins, Stanford, Haler, DeBolt, Appleton, Fitzgibbon, Goodman, Bergquist, Vick, Tharinger, Sawyer, Ormsby, and Cody

Creating a competitive equipment assistance grant program to enhance student nutrition in public schools.

Establishes the apple a day act of 2017.

Creates a competitive equipment assistance grant program, to be known as the apple a day program, to enhance overall student nutrition in public schools.

Requires the superintendent of public instruction to establish a competitive process to prioritize applications for state assistance.

Provides that this act is null and void if appropriations are not approved.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to Capital Budget (Not Officially read and referred until adoption of Introduction report).

HB 1552 by Representatives Tarleton, Sells, McBride, Farrell, Slatter, Hudgins, Gregerson, Santos, Peterson, Orwall, Riccelli, Pollet, Dolan, Doglio, Fitzgibbon, Goodman, Macri, Tharinger, Sawyer, and Senn

Concerning fostering economic growth in Washington by supporting the in-state production, processing, and distribution of food supply.

Requires the Washington State University center for sustaining agriculture and natural resources to: (1) Study the economic development of the local food system in the state to identify a ten-year plan for expansion of the state's food production, processing, and distribution capacity; and

(2) Include in the recommendations of the study, short and long-term action plans for the legislature to support and sustain the local food sector in the state.

Expires December 31, 2018.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to Technology & Economic Development (Not Officially read and referred until adoption of Introduction report).

HB 1553 by Representatives Haler, Short, Goodman, Kirby, and Ormsby

Including displaying or wearing motorcycle-related or motorcycle club-related paraphernalia as a factor in profiling discrimination.

Revises the state civil rights act to allow a person to:

(1) Wear motorcycle-related or motorcycle club-related paraphernalia; and

(2) Be free from profiling.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to Judiciary (Not Officially read and referred until adoption of Introduction report).

HB 1554 by Representatives Haler, Shea, Klippert, Van Werven, Muri, J. Walsh, Stambaugh, Young, and Short

Concerning parenting plans.

Addresses sole decision-making authority and mutual decision-making authority in a parenting plan.

Prohibits a court from presuming that a parent, solely because of his or her sex, is more qualified than the other parent to engage in parenting functions or from providing more residential time with the child.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to Judiciary (Not Officially read and referred until adoption of Introduction report).

HB 1555 by Representatives Lytton and Doglio; by request of Office of Financial Management

Establishing a carbon pollution tax and investment program to reduce greenhouse gas emissions, facilitate the transition to a clean energy economy, and invest in K-12 education and other vital public services.

Establishes the carbon pollution tax and investment act.

Imposes a carbon pollution tax on: (1) The sale or use of fossil fuels, including fossil fuels used in generating electricity; or

(2) The sale or consumption of electricity generated through the combustion of fossil fuels.

Creates the carbon pollution reduction account and the carbon reduction investment fund.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to Finance (Not Officially read and referred until adoption of Introduction report).

HB 1556 by Representative Blake

Creating Imagine special license plates.

Creates "Imagine" special license plates to provide funds to Feeding Washington for programs to help end hunger in Washington.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to Transportation (Not Officially read and referred until adoption of Introduction report).

HB 1557 by Representatives Jinkins, Fey, Sawyer, Kirby, Stambaugh, Muri, Kilduff, Appleton, and Goodman

Creating the safe streets pilot project.

Creates the safe streets pilot project in the department of commerce to foster community engagement through neighborhood organizing, law enforcement-community partnerships, neighborhood watch programs, youth mobilization, and business engagement.

Requires the department of commerce, in consultation with the state institute for public policy, to develop reporting guidelines for a grant recipient in order to measure whether the pilot project had an impact on crime rates and community engagement with, and perceptions of, law enforcement.

Expires July 1, 2020.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to Public Safety (Not Officially read and referred until adoption of Introduction report).

HB 1558 by Representatives Kilduff, MacEwen, Sawyer, Hayes, Harris, Griffey, Ormsby,

Riccelli, Bergquist, Dolan, Doglio, Lovick, Ryu, Goodman, Peterson, Fitzgibbon, Muri, Stanford, and Fey

Authorizing membership in the Washington public safety employees' retirement system for employees who provide nursing care to, or ensure the custody and safety of, offender, probationary, and patient populations in institutions and centers.

Revises the following definitions for purposes of the public safety employees' retirement system: (1) "Employer" to include the department of veterans affairs and the department of social and health services; and

(2) "Member" to include certain employees whose primary responsibility is to provide nursing care to or ensure the custody and safety of offender, probationary, or patient populations.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to Appropriations (Not Officially read and referred until adoption of Introduction report).

HB 1559 by Representatives Goodman, Hayes, Bergquist, Dolan, Doglio, Griffey, Ryu, Lovick, Fitzgibbon, Sells, and Ormsby

Granting binding interest arbitration rights to certain uniformed personnel.

Grants binding interest arbitration rights to duly sworn police officers employed as members of a police force by a regional or state university or The Evergreen State College.

Prohibits the duly sworn police officers, mentioned above, from engaging in a strike, work slowdown, or stoppage.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to Labor & Workplace Standards (Not Officially read and referred until adoption of Introduction report).

HB 1560 by Representatives Stanford, Chandler, Ormsby, Harris, Bergquist, Fey, Stonier, Peterson, and Doglio

Addressing plan membership default provisions in the public employees' retirement system, the teachers' retirement system, and the school employees' retirement system.

Revises provisions in the public employees' retirement system, the teachers' retirement system, and the school employees' retirement system with regard to plan membership default.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to Appropriations (Not Officially read and referred until adoption of Introduction report).

HB 1561 by Representatives Frame, Pollet, Doglio, Kloba, Bergquist, Kilduff, Stanford, Dolan, Peterson, Stonier, Senn, Slatter, Fey, Lovick, Macri, Tarleton, Tharinger, Sawyer, Goodman, and Farrell

Concerning open educational resources.

Requires the student achievement council to: (1) Administer the open educational resources grant pilot

program for the four-year institutions of higher education; and

(2) Develop an application form for a grant and a process for: Reviewing and selecting grant applicants; awarding grant funding; and the grant awardee to report back to the council on the use of the grant.

Requires the state institute for public policy to conduct a study on the cost of textbooks and course materials and the use of open educational resources at four-year institutions of higher education.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to Higher Education (Not Officially read and referred until adoption of Introduction report).

HB 1562 by Representatives Gregerson, Stonier, Orwall, Senn, Slatter, Peterson, Lovick, Farrell, Santos, Ryu, McBride, Ortiz-Self, Hudgins, Pollet, Riccelli, Macri, Pike, Stanford, Doglio, Fitzgibbon, Bergquist, Tharinger, Sawyer, Ormsby, Dolan, Cody, and Fey

Continuing the work of the Washington food policy forum.

Requires the Washington food policy forum to build on the work of the forum that was temporarily established in the 2016 supplemental omnibus operating appropriations act to develop recommendations to advance certain food system goals.

Gives responsibility to the director of the state conservation commission for appointing participating members of the forum.

Expires July 1, 2019.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to Agriculture & Natural Resources (Not Officially read and referred until adoption of Introduction report).

HB 1563 by Representatives Ortiz-Self, Farrell, Van Werven, Stambaugh, Riccelli, Gregerson, Appleton, and Bergquist

Requiring school districts to adopt policies regarding the mandatory posting of the child abuse and neglect hotline.

Requires each school district, when it adopts a plan for recognition, initial screening, and response to emotional or behavioral distress in students, to include in the plan a policy regarding the mandatory posting of the state's toll-free, twenty-four hour, seven-day-a-week hotline that will connect an individual to the appropriate child protective services office to report child abuse and neglect.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to Education (Not Officially read and referred until adoption of Introduction report).

HB 1564 by Representatives Ortiz-Self, Robinson, Stonier, Riccelli, Ryu, Fitzgibbon, Macri, Sells, Cody, Pettigrew, Doglio, Bergquist, and Pollet

Concerning pesticide exposure and notification of certain pesticide applications.

Requires a person who applies, or causes to be applied, pesticides by aerial application, air-blast sprayer, or fumigation, to provide written notice of an intended pesticide application to a person who owns, manages, or controls property adjacent to the property of intended pesticide application.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to Health Care & Wellness (Not Officially read and referred until adoption of Introduction report).

HB 1565 by Representatives Macri, Riccelli, Cody, Ortiz-Self, Doglio, Robinson, Hudgins, Clibborn, Pollet, Springer, and Fey

Providing health coverage for young adults.

Requires the state health care authority to provide health coverage to individuals who: (1) Are at least nineteen years old and no older than twenty-six;

(2) Have an income that is at or below one hundred thirty-three percent of the federal poverty level;

(3) Are not incarcerated; and

(4) Are not eligible for categorically needy medical assistance as defined in the social security Title XIX state plan.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to Health Care & Wellness (Not Officially read and referred until adoption of Introduction report).

HB 1566 by Representatives Pellicciotti, McDonald, Stambaugh, Gregerson, Ortiz-Self, Peterson, Riccelli, Stanford, Stonier, Kilduff, Holy, Ormsby, Haler, Bergquist, and Dolan

Concerning the definition of work activity for the purposes of the WorkFirst program.

Revises the definition of "work activity" for purposes of the Work First temporary assistance for needy families program to change the amount of vocational training time, from twelve months to twenty-four months, to qualify as work activity.

Requires the joint legislative audit and review committee to review the impact of extending that time.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to Early Learning & Human Services (Not Officially read and referred until adoption of Introduction report).

HB 1567 by Representatives Koster, Dolan, Griffey, and Muri; by request of Secretary of State

Concerning modification of precinct and district boundary lines.

Revises election provisions regarding redistricting plans, dividing the county into election precincts, and precinct boundary requirements.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to State Government (Not Officially read and

referred until adoption of Introduction report).

HB 1568 by Representatives Pettigrew, Macri, Harris, Bergquist, and Farrell

Creating Fred Hutch special license plates.

Creates Fred Hutch special license plates to support cancer research at the Fred Hutchison cancer research center.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to Transportation (Not Officially read and referred until adoption of Introduction report).

HB 1569 by Representatives Macri, Pettigrew, Jinkins, Tarleton, Bergquist, Tharinger, Peterson, Cody, Senn, Hudgins, Stonier, Pollet, Stanford, Dolan, Kagi, Reeves, Ryu, Springer, Gregerson, Fey, Fitzgibbon, Slatter, Appleton, Clibborn, Farrell, and Sawyer

Requiring the department of social and health services to request all necessary exemptions and waivers from the federal government to allow students to use electronic benefit transfer cards at institutions of higher education.

Requires the department of social and health services, in consultation with the state board for community and technical colleges and the student achievement council, to seek all necessary exemptions and waivers from and amendments to federal statutes, rules, and regulations in order to authorize the public and private institutions of higher education to accept supplemental nutrition assistance program benefits in the form of an electronic benefit transfer card at the institutions' on-campus food retail establishments.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to Early Learning & Human Services (Not Officially read and referred until adoption of Introduction report).

HB 1570 by Representatives Macri, Robinson, McBride, Kagi, Sawyer, Tharinger, Doglio, Pollet, Ortiz-Self, Chapman, Cody, Jinkins, Bergquist, Hudgins, Peterson, Senn, Stonier, Riccelli, Frame, Gregerson, Dolan, Tarleton, Ormsby, Ryu, Fey, Fitzgibbon, Goodman, Slatter, Pettigrew, Kloba, Orwall, Appleton, Clibborn, Farrell, and Stanford

Concerning access to homeless housing and assistance.

Establishes the Washington housing opportunities act.

Improves resources available to aid with increasing access and removing barriers to housing for individuals and families in the state.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to Community Development, Housing & Tribal Affairs (Not Officially read and referred until adoption of Introduction report).

Jan 26 Scheduled for public hearing in the House Committee on Community Development and Housing & Tribal Affairs at 1:30 PM. (Subject to change)

Senate Bills

SB 5007-S by Senate Committee on Financial Institutions & Insurance (originally sponsored by Senators Angel and Mullet; by request of Insurance Commissioner)

Addressing surplus line broker licensing.

(DIGEST OF PROPOSED 1ST SUBSTITUTE)

Addresses the licensing of surplus line brokers.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 17 Public hearing in the Senate Committee on Financial Institutions & Insurance at 8:00 AM.

Jan 19 FI - Majority; 1st substitute bill be substituted, do pass.

Executive action taken in the Senate Committee on Financial Institutions & Insurance at 8:00 AM.

Jan 23 Passed to Rules Committee for second reading.

SB 5079-S by Senate Committee on Health Care (originally sponsored by Senators McCoy, Becker, Rivers, Cleveland, Keiser, Conway, Kuderer, Darneille, Saldaña, Wellman, and Bailey)

Concerning dental health services in tribal settings.

(DIGEST OF PROPOSED 1ST SUBSTITUTE)

Authorizes dental health aide therapist services under certain conditions.

Provides that dental health aide therapist services are eligible for medicaid funding in order to promote increased dental care access for persons served in settings operated by Indian tribes, tribal organizations, and urban Indian organizations.

Requires the state health care authority to coordinate with the centers for medicare and medicaid services to provide that dental health aide therapist services are eligible for federal funding of up to one hundred percent.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 HLTH - Majority; 1st substitute bill be substituted, do pass.

Public hearing and executive action taken in the Senate Committee on Health Care at 10:00 AM.

Jan 23 Passed to Rules Committee for second reading.

SB 5380 by Senators Zeiger, Palumbo, and Mullet; by request of State Board for Community and Technical Colleges

Exempting property owned or used by community and technical colleges from property tax.

Provides a property tax exemption on property owned or used by community and technical colleges.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to Higher Education.

SB 5381 by Senators Baumgartner, Palumbo, Chase, Mullet, and Conway; by request of State Board for Community and Technical Colleges

Making the customized training program permanent.

Makes the customized employment training program permanent.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to Higher Education.

SB 5382 by Senators Liias, Hobbs, Walsh, King, Takko, Saldaña, Cleveland, Chase, Kuderer, and Wellman

Authorizing the issuance of identicards at a reduced cost to applicants who are under the age of eighteen and without a permanent residence address.

Requires the department of licensing to reduce the cost of an identicard if the applicant is under the age of eighteen and does not have a permanent residence address as determined by the department by rule.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to Transportation.

SB 5383 by Senators Bailey, Angel, Takko, and Hobbs

Concerning the taxation and permitting of vessels in Washington.

Removes a disincentive for: (1) State residents to purchase, moor, and use large pleasure vessels in the state's waters; and

(2) Nonresidents to moor and use large pleasure vessels in the state.

Increases state revenues on sales and use taxes, excise taxes, and vessel registrations on large recreational vessels in the state.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to Agriculture, Water, Trade & Economic Development.

SB 5384 by Senators Fortunato and Takko; by request of Department of Fish and Wildlife

Concerning the development of cooperative agreements to expand recreational access on privately owned lands.

Provides immunity from liability, for unintentional injuries, to a landowner who is in lawful possession and control of lands, or water areas or channels and lands adjacent to the areas or channels, who enters into a public access agreement with the department of fish and wildlife.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to Natural Resources & Parks.

SB 5385 by Senators Hobbs and Hunt

Creating a fossil fuel carbon pollution tax.

Imposes a fossil fuel carbon pollution tax, at the time of the first taxable event and upon the first taxable person within the state, on the carbon content of fossil fuels extracted, manufactured, or introduced into the state equal to fifteen dollars per metric ton of carbon dioxide.

Requires the department of revenue to: (1) Calculate the carbon content of fossil fuels, in consultation with the department of ecology; and

(2) If practical, integrate the administration and collection of the fossil fuel carbon pollution taxes with the administration and collection of other taxes imposed on the taxpayer.

Exempts certain fossil fuels from the tax.

Creates the carbon pollution revenues account.

Requires at least fifty percent of the funds transferred to the multimodal transportation account from the carbon pollution revenues account to be expended to assist certain school district programs.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to Energy,
Environment & Telecommunications.

SB 5386 by Senators Pedersen, Miloscia, Hunt, Fain, Billig, Carlyle, Mullet, Kuderer, Saldaña, and Frockt

Strengthening the initiative process by providing for more comprehensive review before initiatives receive ballot titles.

Provides for more comprehensive review before initiatives receive ballot titles in order to strengthen the initiative process.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to State
Government.

SB 5387 by Senators Pedersen, Angel, Rolfes, and Fain

Concerning cremation by biochemical hydrolysis.

Addresses alkaline hydrolysis which is the reduction of human remains to bone fragments and essential elements in a licensed hydrolysis facility using heat, pressure, water, and alkaline substances.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to Commerce,
Labor & Sports.

SB 5388 by Senators Zeiger, Sheldon, Kuderer, Padden, Wilson, Conway, Fortunato, Hobbs, Becker, Warnick, and Honeyford

Concerning unlawful entry on certain properties.

Authorizes a peace officer to remove a person from the premises and order the person to remain off the premises, when the person is unlawfully entering the premises.

Authorizes an owner of premises to initiate an investigation and request the removal of an unauthorized person from the premises by providing a certain declaration to law enforcement.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to Law & Justice.

Jan 26 Scheduled for public hearing in the
Senate Committee on Law & Justice at
10:00 AM. (Subject to change)

SB 5389 by Senators Miloscia and Palumbo

Addressing civil service qualifications.

Modifies civil service employment provisions with regard to lawful permanent residents.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to Commerce,
Labor & Sports.

SB 5390 by Senators Liias, Bailey, and Chase; by request of Office of Financial Management

Grandfathering the accrual of vacation leave above the statutory maximum for certain employees of the Washington state ferries.

Allows employees of the Washington state ferries, who are covered by collective bargaining agreements that contain provisions in effect on June 30, 2017, and allow accrual of unused vacation leave not to exceed three hundred twenty hours, to be permitted to continue the higher accrual limit until the time those provisions are modified through collective bargaining or until the bargaining unit changes its exclusive representative or is decertified.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to Transportation.

SB 5391 by Senators Zeiger, Hobbs, O'Ban, Conway, Chase, and Hunt; by request of Department of Veterans Affairs

Clarifying the powers, duties, and functions of the department of veterans affairs.

Revises department of veterans affairs provisions to clarify the powers, duties, and functions of the department.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to State
Government.

SB 5392 by Senators Rolfes, Sheldon, Ranker, and Bailey

Concerning ferry advisory committees.

Requires the transportation commission to: (1) Develop the ferry user data survey only after providing an opportunity for ferry advisory committees to offer input on survey topical areas and questions; and

(2) Finalize the survey only after providing an opportunity for the ferry advisory committee executive council to offer input on proposed survey topics and questions.

Permits a county legislative authority to establish and appoint a ferry advisory committee, which may consist of multiple members, for each state ferry terminal within its boundaries, except Vashon Island and the San Juan Islands which are allowed only one committee.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to Transportation.

SB 5393 by Senators Warnick, Liias, Takko, and Pearson

Including fish passage barrier removal projects that comply with the forest practices rules in the streamlined permit process provided in RCW 77.55.181.

Requires a forest practices hydraulic project to be approved by the department of natural resources.

Prohibits a person who is aggrieved by the approval, denial, conditioning, or modification of a forest practices hydraulic project from appealing the decision.

Addresses fish passage barrier removal projects that comply with forest practices rules.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to Natural Resources & Parks.

SB 5394 by Senators Rivers, Takko, Hasegawa, Braun, Chase, Warnick, Honeyford, Rolfes, and Zeiger

Concerning the forest riparian easement program.

Requires the department of natural resources to: (1) Share information regarding the carbon sequestration benefits of the forest riparian easement program with other state programs attempting to quantify carbon storage or account for carbon emissions; and

(2) Promote the expansion of funding for the forest riparian easement program as one part of the state's overall climate strategy.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to Natural Resources & Parks.

SB 5395 by Senators Rivers, Mullet, Keiser, and Pedersen

Concerning the timing and content of disclosures by continuing care retirement communities.

Addresses continuing care retirement communities with regard to the timing and content of disclosures.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to Health Care.

SB 5396 by Senators Angel, Lias, Wellman, O'Ban, Cleveland, Hasegawa, and Hunt

Concerning municipal access to local financial services.

Revises public depository provisions with regard to: (1) Loss in a public depository and procedure for payment;

(2) Requirements for becoming a public depository; and

(3) Revising the definition "financial institution" to include federal or state chartered credit unions.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to Financial Institutions & Insurance.

SB 5397 by Senators Warnick, Lias, Walsh, Nelson, O'Ban, Billig, Kuderer, King, Honeyford, Wilson, Pedersen, Hunt, Wellman, Saldaña, and Carlyle

Requiring disclosure by entities that compensate for petition signatures.

Regulates signature gatherers and those who employ signature gatherers.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to State Government.

SB 5398 by Senators Miloscia, Hunt, and Zeiger; by request of Secretary of State

Concerning modification of precinct and district boundary lines.

Revises election provisions regarding redistricting plans, dividing the county into election precincts, and precinct boundary requirements.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to State Government.

SB 5399 by Senators O'Ban, Miloscia, Darneille, Pearson, Takko, and Hunt

Concerning the use of background checks for persons who work with children, persons with developmental disabilities, and vulnerable adults.

Authorizes cities, towns, code cities, counties, and metropolitan park districts to require a federal background investigation, a state criminal background investigation, and a criminal background investigation conducted through a private organization of their employees, applicants for employment, volunteers, vendors, and independent contractors who, in the course of their work or volunteer activity, may have unsupervised access to children, persons with developmental disabilities, or vulnerable adults.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to Human Services, Mental Health & Housing.

SB 5400 by Senators Zeiger, O'Ban, Hunt, Rivers, Cleveland, Becker, McCoy, Rolfes, Hobbs, Keiser, and Wellman

Concerning disclosure of health-related information with persons with a close relationship with a patient.

Authorizes certain health care providers and facilities to disclose, under certain circumstances, health-related information to persons with a close relationship with a patient.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to Human Services, Mental Health & Housing.

SB 5401 by Senators Rivers, Cleveland, Miloscia, Keiser, Conway, Hasegawa, Carlyle, Rolfes, Pedersen, Kuderer, Wellman, and Saldaña

Addressing prescription drug cost transparency.

Requires the office of financial management to use a competitive procurement process to select a data organization to collect, verify, and summarize the prescription drug pricing data provided by issuers and manufacturers.

Requires an issuer to submit certain prescription drug cost and utilization data to the data organization for the previous calendar year.

Requires a covered manufacturer to report certain data for each covered drug to the data organization.

Requires the data organization to compile the data submitted by issuers and manufacturers and: (1) Prepare

an annual report for the public and the legislature summarizing the data; and

(2) Provide the report to the office of financial management and the joint select committee on health care oversight.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to Health Care.

SB 5402 by Senators Liias, Walsh, Billig, Hobbs, King, and Sheldon

Creating the Cooper Jones bicyclist safety advisory council.

Requires the traffic safety commission to convene the Cooper Jones bicyclist safety advisory council to review and analyze data related to bicyclist fatalities and serious injuries to identify points at which the transportation system can be improved and to identify patterns in bicyclist fatalities and serious injuries.

Expires June 30, 2021.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to Transportation.

SB 5403 by Senators O'Ban and Conway

Concerning ferry district authority.

Removes a reference to passenger-only ferry service in a statute governing the formation and operation of a county ferry district.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to Transportation.

SB 5404 by Senators Rivers, Liias, Zeiger, Wellman, Keiser, Fain, Kuderer, and Carlyle

Permitting the possession and application of topical sunscreen products at schools.

Establishes the student sun safety education act.

Allows the possession and application of topical sunscreen products to help prevent sunburn while on school property or at a school-related event or activity.

Encourages schools to educate students about sun safety guidelines.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to Early Learning & K-12 Education.

SB 5405 by Senators Wilson, Fortunato, and Zeiger

Requiring protection for occupants of national guard facilities.

Requires the military department to provide adequate protection for occupants of national guard facilities.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to State Government.

SB 5406 by Senator Becker

Addressing the department of social and health services responses to reports of abandonment, abuse, financial exploitation, or neglect in certain long-term care settings.

Requires the department of social and health services, in the case of a report of abandonment, abuse, financial

exploitation, or neglect in an adult family home or assisted living facility, to designate the unit responsible for conducting inspections as the entity to initiate the first response to a report on behalf of the department.

-- 2017 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to Health Care.

Senate Joint Memorials

SJM 8005 by Senator O'Ban

Requesting that the Interstate 5 bridges over the Nisqually River be named for and recognize the veterans of the Iraq and Afghanistan conflicts.

Requests that the Interstate 5 bridges over the Nisqually River be named for and recognize the veterans of the Iraq and Afghanistan conflicts.

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Jan 23 First reading, referred to Transportation.