The House was called to order at 8:30 a.m. by the Speaker (Representative Lovick presiding). The Clerk called the roll and a quorum was present.

The Speaker (Representative Lovick presiding) led the Chamber in the Pledge of Allegiance. The prayer was offered by Representative Jesse Johnson, 30th Legislative District.

Reading of the Journal of the previous day was dispensed with and it was ordered to stand approved.

RESOLUTION

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 4601, by

WHEREAS, Today, January 18, 2021, the people of Washington state join the nation in honoring the life and work of Dr. Martin Luther King; and

WHEREAS, Dr. King was born on Tuesday, January 15, 1929, in Atlanta, Georgia, attended a segregated school, entered college at the age of 15, and subsequently dedicated his life to advancing civil rights; and

WHEREAS, Dr. King led not just by words but by deeds, helping organize the Montgomery Bus Boycott, the nonviolent protests in Birmingham, and a massive march on Washington, D.C.; and

WHEREAS, Dr. King traveled over 6,000,000 miles, spoke over 2,500 times, and was imprisoned 29 times for his dream of equality, peace, and economic justice; and

WHEREAS, At the age of 35, Dr. King was the youngest man to have received the Nobel Peace Prize, subsequently donating his prize money to further the civil rights movement; and

WHEREAS, The work of Dr. King was instrumental in the ratification of the 24th Amendment and the passing of the landmark Civil Rights Act of 1964, which outlawed racial discrimination and segregation in voting, public facilities, employment, and education; and

WHEREAS, Dr. King also fought for economic justice and opportunity, and was in Memphis, Tennessee, to support striking workers when he was shot on April 4, 1968; and

WHEREAS, Dr. King wrote, "Let us all hope that the dark clouds of racial prejudice will soon pass away, and the deep fog of misunderstanding will be lifted from our fear-drenched communities and in some not-too-distant tomorrow the radiant stars of love and brotherhood will shine over our great nation with all of their scintillating beauty," and he composed this letter of hope and inspiration while behind the iron bars of a Birmingham jail cell; and

WHEREAS, President Ronald Reagan signed a bill in 1983 dedicating the third Monday of each January as a federal holiday to recognize the profound legacy of Reverend Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives, on behalf of the people of Washington state, honor the life of Dr. Martin Luther King through a renewed commitment to hope, civility, and justice during this time of fear and division; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives call on the people of Washington state to exemplify Dr. King's ideals of nonviolence, democratic participation, fairness, and perseverance on this day and every day to come.

Representative Rude moved adoption of HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 4601.

Representatives Rude and Harris-Talley spoke in favor of the adoption of the resolution.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 4601 was adopted.

SPEAKER’S PRIVILEGE

The Speaker (Representative Lovick presiding) introduced the students from the Institute for Community Leadership, Cing Lam Sang, a senior at Foster High School in Tukwila, Sohani Chaudhary, a sophomore at Kent Meridian High School in Kent and Feruza Sherif, a junior at Kentwood High School in Kent, and thanked them for their video.

There being no objection, the House advanced to the fourth order of business.

INTRODUCTION & FIRST READING
HB 1227  by Representatives Ortiz-Self, Callan, Senn, Dolan, Fitzgibbon, Ramos, Davis, Santos, Macri, Gregerson, Young and Ormsby

AN ACT Relating to protecting the rights of families responding to allegations of abuse or neglect of a child; amending RCW 13.34.040, 26.44.056, 26.44.050, 13.34.050, 13.34.062, 13.34.060, 13.34.065; and 13.34.090; and creating new sections.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.


AN ACT Relating to residential landlord-tenant requirements in response to the COVID-19 public health emergency; reenacting and amending RCW 59.18.200; creating new sections; making an appropriation; providing an expiration date; and declaring an emergency.

Referred to Committee on Housing, Human Services & Veterans.

HB 1229  by Representatives Peterson, Dolan, Pollet, Ryu, Berry, Valdez, Fey, Ramel, Ortiz-Self, Bateman, Hackney, Davis, Bergquist, Kloba, Wylie, Lekanoff, Macri, Stonier and Riccelli

AN ACT Relating to assault weapons; adding new sections to chapter 9.41 RCW; and prescribing penalties.

Referred to Committee on Civil Rights & Judiciary.

HB 1230  by Representative Stokesbary

AN ACT Relating to requiring formatting changes to the electronic versions of the Revised Code of Washington and the Washington Administrative Code; amending RCW 44.68.100; and creating a new section.

Referred to Committee on Civil Rights & Judiciary.

HB 1231  by Representatives Young, Jacobsen and Kloba

AN ACT Relating to the traffic lane merge zipper method; amending RCW 46.20.130, 46.82.420, and 46.82.430; and adding a new section to chapter 46.20 RCW.

Referred to Committee on Transportation.

HB 1232  by Representatives Barkis, Griffey, Eslick, Robertson and Young

AN ACT Relating to planning for affordable housing under the growth management act; amending RCW 36.70A.210; and reenacting and amending RCW 36.70A.070.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

HB 1233  by Representatives Barkis, Griffey and Eslick

AN ACT Relating to limited areas of more intensive rural development; and reenacting and amending RCW 36.70A.070.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

HB 1234  by Representatives Senn, Lovick, Dolan, Pollet, Kirby, Ryu, Berry, Fitzgibbon, Valdez, Frame, Fey, Ramel, Ortiz-Self, Bateman, Hackney, Ramos, Davis, Thai, Bergquist, Peterson, Santos, Kloba, Callan, Cody, Lekanoff, Macri, Slatter, Stonier, Tharinger, Ormsby and Riccelli

AN ACT Relating to prohibiting weapons in state capitol buildings and grounds and certain other governmental buildings and facilities; reenacting and amending RCW 9.41.300; prescribing penalties; and declaring an emergency.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

HB 1235  by Representatives Young, Santos, Dolan, Ryu, Leavitt, Caldier, Eslick, Thai, Callan, Rule, Wicks and Pollet

AN ACT Relating to exempting school districts from the state portion of sales and use taxes on school construction; adding a new section to chapter 82.08 RCW; adding a new section to chapter 82.12 RCW; creating new sections; and providing an effective date.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

HB 1236  by Representatives Macri, Taylor, Dolan, Gregerson, Berry, Fitzgibbon, Frame, Simmons, Ramel, Bateman, J. Johnson, Hackney, Chopp, Thai, Peterson, Santos, Orwell, Ortiz-Self, Ryu, Wicks, Lekanoff, Slatter, Berg, Senn, Harris-Talley, Ormsby and Pollet

AN ACT Relating to protecting residential tenants from the beginning to end of their terminancies by penalizing the inclusion of unlawful lease provisions and limiting the reasons for eviction, refusal to continue, and termination; amending RCW 59.18.220 and 59.12.030; reenacting and amending RCW 59.18.220, 59.18.200, and 59.18.230; adding a new section to chapter 59.18 RCW; prescribing penalties; and declaring an emergency.

Referred to Committee on Housing, Human Services & Veterans.
HB 1237  by Representatives Eslick, Senn, Leavitt, Callan, Ortiz-Self, Rude, Davis, Santos, Rule, Goodman and Riccelli

AN ACT Relating to defining family resource centers; amending RCW 43.330.010; reenacting and amending RCW 74.14C.010 and 43.216.010; and creating a new section.

Referred to Committee on Human Services, Reentry & Rehabilitation.

HB 1238  by Representatives Chase, Dolan, Jacobsen, Caldier, Chambers, Sutherland and Klippert

AN ACT Relating to creating the help out Washington state government program to allow Washingtonians to voluntarily contribute to government expenditures; amending RCW 43.79.460; adding a new section to chapter 43.08 RCW; and creating new sections.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

HB 1239  by Representatives Chase, McCaslin, Dent and Sutherland

AN ACT Relating to establishing the new state of Liberty; creating new sections and providing a contingent effective date.

Referred to Committee on State Government & Tribal Relations.

HB 1240  by Representative MacEwen

AN ACT Relating to adding seaplanes to the class of conveyances that may be moored pursuant to RCW 79.105.430; and amending RCW 79.105.430.

Referred to Committee on Environment & Energy.

HB 1241  by Representatives Duerr, Berg, Ortiz-Self, Bateman, Wicks, Macri, Harris-Talley and Pollet

AN ACT Relating to planning under the growth management act; amending RCW 90.58.080 and 90.58.080; reenacting and amending RCW 36.70A.130; providing an effective date; and providing an expiration date.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

HB 1242  by Representatives Leavitt, Dolan, Lovick, Valdez, Simmons, Ramel, Ortiz-Self, Frame, Shewmake, Ryu, Callan, Wicks, Rule, Lekanoff, Macri, Bronoske, Chopp, Slatter, Ramos, Harris-Talley and Pollet

AN ACT Relating to providing paid administrative leave for health care workers in time of declared public health emergencies; adding a new section to chapter 49.12 RCW; and declaring an emergency.

Referred to Committee on Labor & Workplace Standards.

HB 1243  by Representatives Wicks, Springer, Dolan, Ryu, Fitzgibbon, Simmons, Fey, Ramel, Bateman, Senn, Sells, Davis, Peterson, Wylie, Slatter, Berg and Tharinger

AN ACT Relating to local infrastructure project areas; and amending RCW 39.108.120, 84.55.010, 84.55.015, 84.55.020, 84.55.030, 84.55.120, and 39.108.010.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

HB 1244  by Representatives Mosbrucker, Springer, Dent, Hoff, Kirby, Chapman, Jacobsen, Ybarra, Caldier, Goehner, Eslick, Callan, Walsh, Dufault, Chase, Robertson, Klippert and Goodman

AN ACT Relating to prohibiting civil penalties for first-time violations of standards regulated under emergency proclamations; and amending RCW 49.17.180.

Referred to Committee on Labor & Workplace Standards.

HB 1245  by Representatives Orcutt, Dent, Sutherland, Barkis and Chase

AN ACT Relating to repealing the state estate tax; creating new sections; repealing RCW 83.100.040; and providing an effective date.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

HB 1246  by Representatives Orcutt and Young

AN ACT Relating to 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; and amending RCW 82.14.370.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

HB 1247  by Representatives Orcutt, Caldier, Eslick, Abbarno, Sutherland and Young

AN ACT Relating to allowing an additional property tax exemption for seniors, veterans, and persons with disabilities leasing land in a mobile home park or manufactured housing community; adding a new section to chapter 84.36 RCW; creating new sections; and providing an expiration date.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

HB 1248  by Representatives Orcutt, Caldier, Sutherland and Young

AN ACT Relating to allowing leased land in a mobile home park or manufactured housing community to
qualify for the senior, veteran, and persons with disabilities property tax exemption; adding a new section to chapter 84.36 RCW; creating new sections; and providing an expiration date.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

HB 1249 by Representatives Orcutt, Eslick, Sutherland and Barkis

AN ACT Relating to sales tax revenues of transportation projects being used for transportation purposes with at least 70 percent being deposited into the motor vehicle fund; and adding a new section to chapter 82.32 RCW.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

HB 1250 by Representatives Orcutt, Ryu, Boehnke, Dufault and Riccelli

AN ACT Relating to designating Washington a purple heart state; adding a new section to chapter 1.20 RCW; adding a new section to chapter 38.40 RCW; adding a new section to chapter 43.60A RCW; adding a new section to chapter 47.04 RCW; and creating a new section.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

HB 1251 by Representatives Orcutt, Dent, Eslick and Robertson

AN ACT Relating to the authorization of wheeled all-terrain vehicles on state highways; and amending RCW 46.09.455.

Referred to Committee on Transportation.

HB 1252 by Representatives Orcutt and Riccelli

AN ACT Relating to creating Mount St. Helens special license plates; reenacting and amending RCW 46.18.200, 46.17.220, and 46.68.420; adding a new section to chapter 46.04 RCW; and providing an effective date.

Referred to Committee on Transportation.

HB 1253 by Representatives Orcutt, Dolan and Eslick

AN ACT Relating to creating special license plates that support working forests; reenacting and amending RCW 46.17.220, 46.18.200, and 46.68.420; adding a new section to chapter 46.04 RCW; and providing an effective date.

Referred to Committee on Transportation.

HB 1254 by Representatives Orcutt, Abbarno, Sutherland and Goodman

AN ACT Relating to improving motorcycle safety by authorizing the use of the right shoulder of limited access roadways; and amending RCW 46.61.608.

Referred to Committee on Transportation.

HB 1255 by Representatives Orcutt and Sutherland

AN ACT Relating to motorcycle steering equipment requirements; and amending RCW 46.37.530.

Referred to Committee on Transportation.

HB 1256 by Representatives Orcutt, Dent and Eslick

AN ACT Relating to direct sales of milk; and adding a new section to chapter 15.36 RCW.

Referred to Committee on Rural Development, Agriculture & Natural Resources.

HB 1257 by Representatives Orcutt, Lovick and Walsh

AN ACT Relating to prohibiting unjustified employer searches of employee personal vehicles; adding new sections to chapter 49.12 RCW; prescribing penalties; and providing an effective date.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

HB 1258 by Representatives Frame, Peterson, Dolan, Ryu, Leavitt, Simmons, Jacobsen, Lovick, Taylor, Fitzgibbon, Fey, Ramel, Ortiz-Self, Shewmake, J. Johnson, Bateman, Eslick, Ramos, Davis, Thai, Santos, Chambers, Wylie, Callan, Wicks, Rule, Sutherland, Chase, Macri, Gregerson, Slatter, Berg and Riccelli

AN ACT Relating to the operation, authorization, and permitting of microenterprise home kitchens; adding a new section to chapter 69.07 RCW; adding a new section to chapter 70.54 RCW; adding a new section to Title 69 RCW; creating a new section; and providing expiration dates.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

HB 1259 by Representatives Santos, Dolan, Ryu, Valdez, Fey, Ramel, Ortiz-Self, Hackney, Ramos, Kloba, Callan, Lekanoff, Macri, Gregerson, Slatter, Stonier and Harris-Talley


Referred to Committee on Appropriations.
HB 1260 by Representatives Wicks, Dolan, Berry, Fitzgibbon, Simmons, Ramel, Ortiz-Self, Bateman, Sells, Lekanoff and Mcari

AN ACT Relating to improving the development of the marijuana market by enacting provisions specific to craft cannabis production; adding new sections to chapter 69.50 RCW; and providing an expiration date.

Referred to Committee on Commerce & Gaming.

HB 1261 by Representative Klippert

AN ACT Relating to wildlife harvest reports required by the department of fish and wildlife; amending RCW 77.32.070; and prescribing penalties.

Referred to Committee on Rural Development, Agriculture & Natural Resources.

HB 1262 by Representatives Klippert and Chase

AN ACT Relating to background investigations of peace officers, reserve officers, and corrections officers; and amending RCW 43.101.010, 43.101.080, 43.101.095, and 43.101.096.

Referred to Committee on Public Safety.

HB 1263 by Representatives Abbarno, Barkis, Dent, McEntire, Mosbrucker, Ybarra, Eslick, Boehnke and Gilday

AN ACT Relating to rural infrastructure; and adding a new chapter to Title 43 RCW.

Referred to Committee on Capital Budget.

HB 1264 by Representatives Thai, Morgan, Senn, Berry, Valdez, Simmons, Ramel, Ortiz-Self, Davis, Peterson, Wylie, Callan, Lekanoff, Macri, Bronoske, Slatter, Ramos, Berg, Harris-Talley, Pollet, Gregerson and Riccelli

AN ACT Relating to establishing an equity impact statement for legislative proposals; adding a new chapter to Title 43 RCW; and creating a new section.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

HB 1265 by Representatives Rude, Chapman, Griffey, Walsh, Graham, Eslick, Jacobsen, Chase and Robertson

AN ACT Relating to the presidential primary; amending RCW 29A.56.031, 29A.56.040, and 29A.56.050.

Referred to Committee on State Government & Tribal Relations.

HB 1266 by Representatives Sullivan, Dolan, J. Johnson, Bergquist, Santos, Kloba, Callan and Lekanoff

AN ACT Relating to basic education salary review and rebase; amending RCW 28A.150.412; adding a new section to chapter 28A.150 RCW; and creating a new section.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

HB 1267 by Representatives Entenman, Hackney, Senn, Dolan, Leavitt, Berry, Fitzgibbon, Valdez, Simmons, Ramel, Ortiz-Self, Ramos, Chopp, Davis, Thai, Bergquist, Peterson, Kloba, Callan, Lekanoff, Macri, Goodman, Gregerson, J. Johnson, Lovick, Slatter, Ryu, Berg, Harris-Talley, Sells, Tharinger, Orwall, Pollet, Santos and Ormsby

AN ACT Relating to investigation of potential criminal conduct arising from police use of force, including custodial injuries, and other officer-involved incidents; amending RCW 10.93.020, 39.26.125, and 10.114.011; adding a new section to chapter 41.06 RCW; adding a new chapter to Title 43 RCW; and creating new sections.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

HJM 4000 by Representatives Chase, McCaslin, Dent and Sutherland

Petitioning for the creation of a new state in eastern Washington.

Referred to Committee on State Government & Tribal Relations.

HJR 4201 by Representatives Young, Walsh, Dent, Caldier and Sutherland

Amending the state Constitution so that tracking individuals for the purposes of determining taxes or fees is prohibited.

Referred to Committee on Transportation.

HJR 4202 by Representatives Young, Walsh, Dent, Caldier and Sutherland

Amending the state Constitution so that road usage charges are limited in relation to how they may be implemented.

Referred to Committee on Transportation.

There being no objection, the bills, memorial and resolutions listed on the day’s introduction sheet under the fourth order of business were referred to the committees so designated.

The Speaker assumed the chair.
There being no objection, the House reverted to the third order of business.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

January 18, 2021

Mme. SPEAKER:

The President has signed:

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 8401,
SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 8402,

and the same are herewith transmitted.

Brad Hendrickson, Secretary

SIGNED BY THE SPEAKER

The Speaker signed the following bills:

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 8401
SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 8402

There being no objection, the House adjourned until 9:55 a.m., January 19, 2021, the 9th Legislative Day of the Regular Session.

LAURIE JINKINS, Speaker

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