



# PICTORIAL GUIDE TO THE LEGISLATURE 2025

69th WASHINGTON STATE LEGISLATURE

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## Introduction

This Legislative Pictorial Guide of the 69th Legislature contains pictures of and biographical material on state-wide elected officials and members of the Senate and House of Representatives. Additionally, there are sections of the guide on Americans with Disabilities Act, how a bill becomes law, parking and tour information, and a campus map.

This Pictorial Guide is prepared by the Senate and the House of Representatives to assist those interested in becoming better acquainted with their statewide elected officials, legislators and the legislative process in our state.



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## State Elected Officials

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### **BOB FERGUSON** **Governor**

Bob Ferguson is a fourth-generation Washingtonian and son of a public school teacher and Boeing employee. Bob has lived and worked on both sides of the mountains, starting his legal career in Spokane. He's been standing up to powerful interests that don't play by the rules and achieving big victories for Washington families.

Bob is fighting to make state government more efficient and effective and center the people in every decision. He's focused on speeding up government and solving problems. His priorities include making housing more affordable, improving public safety, strengthening education, and reducing costs for Washington families. He's proposed reforms to address the ferries crisis, increase well-trained law enforcement, and adopt universal free school lunches for all Washington K-12 students. He will protect Washingtonians' core freedoms, including the right to access reproductive health care.

Bob's family homesteaded in the 19th century on the beautiful Skagit River, which may explain why Bob is such an enthusiastic mountain climber and backpacker. Bob has hiked hundreds of miles of Washington trails and climbed many of the state's highest peaks.

Bob is an internationally rated chess master. He has twice won the Washington State Chess Championship.

Bob lives with his wife Colleen, a longtime educator, and their twins, Jack and Katie.

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## State Elected Officials

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### DENNY HECK

#### Lt. Governor

**Democrat.** Denny Heck is Washington's 17th Lieutenant Governor who was first elected in 2020. As Lt. Governor, he is the President of the Washington State Senate and Chair of the Senate Rules Committee and the Legislative Committee on Economic Development and International Relations. He serves as Acting Governor whenever Governor Ferguson is out of the state. He is also currently on the Advisory Committee of the Export Import Bank of the United States, and is a member of the Governor's Council of Economic Advisors.

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Lt. Governor Heck was born in Vancouver, Washington and graduated from The Evergreen State College in 1973. He has been married since 1976 to Paula Fruci Heck, an educator who began her career as a teacher and retired as principal at Jefferson Middle School in Olympia.



### STEVE HOBBS

#### Secretary of State

**Democrat.** Steve Hobbs is Washington's 16th Secretary of State. He began his tenure in 2021 and was elected by the people of Washington in 2022 and 2024. Secretary Hobbs leads the office responsible for managing state and local elections, corporation and charity filings, Washington State Library, Washington State Archives, and additional programs.

Hobbs is a lieutenant colonel in the Washington Army National Guard. He holds a master's degree in public administration and a bachelor's degree in political science from the University of Washington. (Go Huskies!) Previously, he was the state senator for Washington's 44th legislative district, having

first been elected in 2006 and served 15 years in the Senate until his appointment as Secretary of State.

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### MIKE PELLICCIOTTI

#### State Treasurer

**Democrat.** Mike Pellicciotti (Pelleh-chee-otti) was elected Washington's 24th State Treasurer in 2020. As Washington's chief financial officer, Mike is dedicated to financial transparency, protecting Washington's financial health, and advancing policies that best serve our state's working families and retirees.

Before becoming Treasurer, he served two terms in the Washington House of Representatives, where he served on House fiscal committees, including the Capital Budget Committee. In the legislature, Mike fought for more equitable and open government, passing laws to get "dark money" out of politics and requiring that the legislature provide its public records.

Before representing the 30th Legislative District of South King and North Pierce Counties, Mike was an assistant attorney general who managed a state unit that combatted economic fraud in Washington.

He has a Bachelor's Degree in Business Administration, and he received his Master's in Rural Development as a United States Fulbright Scholar, where he studied economic development. His Juris Doctor is from Gonzaga University and is a lifelong fan of Gonzaga Basketball.



### PAT MCCARTHY

#### State Auditor

**Democrat.** Pat McCarthy is the 11th Washington State Auditor and became the first woman elected to the position when she took the oath of office in 2017. She was sworn in for a third term in 2025. Previously, Pat was twice elected Pierce County Executive; she is also the first woman to hold that role. Over more than 30 years of her public service career, Pat has served as Pierce County Auditor and Deputy Auditor, and Board President for the Tacoma School District.

As State Auditor, Pat is responsible for the entirety of the State Auditor's Office (SAO). She leads more than 400 employees based in 15 offices across the state. Pat is dedicated to shining a brighter light on government operations for the public, because she believes audits increase public trust in government. Under her leadership, SAO's vision and mission is to increase trust in government through independent and transparent audits of state and local governments, and to help these governments develop strategies to become more efficient and effective.

Over the past three decades, Pat has dedicated herself to building her community into a better place by bringing integrity, innovation, and quality to government through a deep understanding of how local government operates and the needs of communities. In 2010, she was honored with the Key award for her commitment to open, transparent, and accountable government by the Washington Coalition for Open Government (WCOG). Pat received her B.A. from the University of Washington, Tacoma. She lives with her husband, retired Judge John McCarthy, in Tacoma. Pat has four adult children and 11 grandchildren. Pat was first elected as Pierce County Executive in 2009, and again in 2013. In this role, Pat managed daily operations of the state's second-largest county, which employs 3,000 employees and has an annual budget of more than \$900 million. Her role included serving as chair of Sound Transit and president of the Puget Sound Regional Council. Pat was elected as Pierce County Auditor twice, first in 2002 and again in 2006. In this position, she oversaw elections, licensing and recording services. In 2006, Pat was named County Auditor of the Year by Secretary of State Sam Reed. Pat served for 12 years on the Tacoma School Board, including two terms as President, after being elected in 1987. While in this role, Pat led the effort to create the first public school of the arts in Washington. And from 1991 to 1998, Pat served as the administrator and advisor for the Interdisciplinary Arts and Sciences Program at the University of Washington Tacoma.

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## State Elected Officials

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### **NICK BROWN** **Attorney General**

**Democrat.** Nick Brown is Washington State's 19th Attorney General, elected into office in November 2024. Nick believes the Attorney General's role is to serve as the people's advocate, and is committed to using the legal tools and the power of the AG's Office to uphold and enforce Washington's laws, to protect people's rights, to stand up for our shared values, and to keep people safe.

Having grown up in Steilacoom, Nick is a proud product of public schools and the son of public servants: his dad was an Army veteran and his mom was a nurse and healthcare administrator. Determined to follow his parents' example, Nick joined ROTC to help pay for college, graduating

from Morehouse and then going on to attain a law degree from Harvard University.

Nick then began his legal career in the Army JAG corps, where he gained experience as both a prosecutor and defense lawyer. Nick was awarded a Bronze Star in 2005.

After the Army, Nick returned to Washington State where he worked as a prosecutor. He then went on to become the lead counsel for Governor Jay Inslee.

Leaving the governor's office in 2017, Nick worked in the private sector, helping public, private, and non-profit clients navigate complex civil litigation and constitutional issues. Part of his work involved Nick taking a lead role in defending landmark gun safety legislation from legal challenges.

In 2021, President Joe Biden nominated Nick to become the U.S. Attorney for Western Washington where he worked to fight drug cartels and sex trafficking, addressing the fentanyl crisis and reducing violent crime.

As Attorney General, Nick's focus is on getting results that benefit Washington State residents and tangibly improve their lives. His key areas of focus include protecting public safety, advancing environmental and worker protections, standing up for civil rights, and holding the powerful to account when they violate our laws and harm the people of our state.



### **CHRIS REYKDAL** **Superintendent of Public Instruction**

**Non-partisan.** Chris Reykdal is a transformational, visionary leader with a career in public education and an unwavering commitment to doing what is right for students. First elected in 2017, Chris Reykdal is currently serving in his third term as Washington's 16th State Superintendent.

Known for pushing against the status quo to meet the evolving needs of our students and our economy, Chris has spearheaded some of the most transformational changes Washington's K-12 public education system has seen in decades.

As a former teacher, soccer coach, school board director, state legislator, and executive for our state's community and technical college system, Chris has a unique perspective of the K-12 system and how our state supports learners from preschool through postsecondary learning.

Under Chris' leadership, the work of OSPI is centered on equity, transparency, accountability, customer service, and on keeping students at the forefront of all decision-making.

Chris graduated summa cum laude from Washington State University (Go Cougs!) with a bachelor's degree and a teaching certificate, and he earned a master's degree in public administration from the University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill.

Chris is a lifelong learner who enjoys solving complex problems with data and research. In his free time, you can find Chris hiking, cheering on Washington's sports teams, listening to 80s music (the greatest decade for pop music!), or seeing a movie with his family.

Chris and his wife, Kim, live in historic Tumwater with their two children, Carter and Kennedy.



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### DAVE UPTHEGROVE

#### Commissioner of Public Lands

**Democrat.** Commissioner Upthegrove is focused on protecting clean air, clean water and habitat, continuing to improve wildfire prevention and response, and expanding recreational opportunities. He is dedicated to leading with a strong focus on equal rights and fair treatment, including honoring the sovereignty of Washington's tribes. He is honored to lead the talented and driven staff at the Department of Natural Resources. And he is proud to support these 2,200 employees as they manage Washington's lands and resources and meet challenges head-on, with the strength, optimism, and determination that defines our state.

Dave's love of the outdoors developed at a young age. He spent his summers in high school and college working for the Boy Scouts — teaching young people about conservation on Dabob Bay and leading week-long treks through the Cascade Mountains. His interest in politics developed on campus at the University of Colorado where he earned his degree in Environmental Conservation and Biology— later earning a graduate certificate in Energy Policy from the University of Idaho.

Before being elected to serve as your Commissioner of Public Lands, Dave spent twelve years representing the diverse working-class suburbs of South King County in the State House of Representatives. Most recently, he represented his community for more than a decade as a member of the King County Council where he worked with his colleagues to preserve public lands and manage growth, parks, wastewater and transportation in environmentally sustainable ways in our state's most populous county. As Chair of the King County Flood Control District, Dave doubled funding for salmon recovery and led major reforms to better protect central Puget Sound rivers, experience he will bring to bear at DNR.

Commissioner Dave Upthegrove is the first out LGBT statewide executive office holder in the history of the State of Washington. He lives with his husband Chad, cat Dobby, and dog Benji in Des Moines, WA.



### PATTY KUDERER

#### Insurance Commissioner

**Democrat.** Commissioner Patty Kuderer was elected in 2024 as Washington's ninth Insurance Commissioner. As Insurance Commissioner, Kuderer is committed to protecting consumers, promoting transparency and fairness in the insurance in the insurance market, and advocating for expanded access to affordable healthcare.

Previously, Kuderer served for almost a decade in the Washington State Legislature. She was appointed to the state House in 2015 and then became the 48th Legislative District's first female state Senator in 2017. During her time in the Legislature, she championed consumer and worker protections, common sense gun legislation, increasing access to affordable housing, and worked to reform Washington's health care system.

Kuderer also has extensive legal experience as a trial attorney, including serving as a former prosecutor, city attorney, and in private practice. She has handled public records, employment discrimination, and serious injury cases as well as argued before Minnesota Appellate and State Supreme Courts.

In 2022, Kuderer was selected as a Henry Toll Fellow through the Council of State Governments, in recognition of her leadership as a state Senator. Prior to taking elected office, Kuderer was a long-time volunteer for the Chinook Middle School PTSA including Co-President from 2003-2006, earning the "Golden Acorn" award for her volunteer service in 2006. She has also volunteered with a variety of non-profits over the years including Sacred Heart Social Concerns, Congregations for the Homeless, The Peace Alliance, NARAL Pro-Choice Washington, Virtue's Children Nepal, Chrysalis Domestic Violence Center and the Minnesota International Health Volunteers.

Kuderer grew up in Minnesota and is one of nine children. She earned a law degree from the William Mitchell College of Law and a bachelor's degree in history from the University of Minnesota. She has lived in King County's Eastside for over two decades, raising her two (now grown) children.



## Roster of Members

# Washington State Senate

(49 Members: 30 Democrats and 19 Republicans)

Name	Pol.	Dist.	Address
ALVARADO, Emily	D	34	PO Box 40434, Olympia, WA 98504 Olympia - (360) 786-7667
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BOEHNKE, Matt	R	8	PO Box 40408, Olympia, WA 98504 Olympia - (360) 786-7614
BRAUN, John	R	20	PO Box 40420, Olympia, WA 98504 Olympia - (360) 786-7638
CHAPMAN, Mike	D	24	PO Box 40424, Olympia, WA 98504 Olympia - (360) 786-7646
CHRISTIAN, Leonard	R	4	PO Box 40404, Olympia, WA 98504 Olympia - (360) 786-7606
CLEVELAND, Annette	D	49	PO Box 40449, Olympia, WA 98504 Olympia - (360) 786-7696
CONWAY, Steve	D	29	PO Box 40429, Olympia, WA 98504 Olympia - (360) 786-7656
CORTES, Adrian	D	18	PO Box 40418, Olympia, WA 98504 Olympia - (360) 786-7634
DHINGRA, Manka	D	45	PO Box 40445, Olympia, WA 98504 Olympia - (360) 786-7672
DOZIER, Perry	R	16	PO Box 40416, Olympia, WA 98504 Olympia - (360) 786 - 7630
FORTUNATO, Phil	R	31	PO Box 40431, Olympia, WA 98504 Olympia - (360) 786-7660
FRAME, Noel	D	36	PO Box 40436, Olympia, WA 98504 Olympia - (360) 786-7670
GILDON, Chris	R	25	PO Box 40425, Olympia, WA 98504 Olympia - (360) 786-7648
GOEHNER, Keith	R	12	PO Box 40412, Olympia, WA 98504 Olympia - (360) 786-7622
HANSEN, Drew	D	23	PO Box 40423, Olympia, WA 98504 Olympia - (360) 786-7644
HARRIS, Paul	R	17	PO Box 40417, Olympia, WA 98504 Olympia - (360) 786-7632
HASEGAWA, Bob	D	11	PO Box 40411, Olympia, WA 98504 Olympia - (360) 786-7616
HOLY, Jeff	R	6	PO Box 40406, Olympia, WA 98504 Olympia - (360) 786-7610
KAUFFMAN, Claudia	D	47	PO Box 40447, Olympia, WA 98504 Olympia - (360) 786-7692
KING, Curtis	R	14	PO Box 40414, Olympia, WA 98504 Olympia - (360) 786-7626
KRISHNADASAN, Deborah	D	26	PO Box 40426, Olympia, WA 98504 Olympia - (360) 786-7650
LIAS, Marko	D	21	PO Box 40421, Olympia, WA 98504 Olympia - (360) 786-7640
LOVELETT, Liz	D	40	PO Box 40440, Olympia, WA 98504 Olympia - (360) 786-7678
LOVICK, John	D	44	PO Box 40444, Olympia, WA 98504 Olympia - (360) 786-7686

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MCCUNE, Jim	R	2	PO Box 40402, Olympia, WA 98504 Olympia - (360) 786-7602
MUZZALL, Ron	R	10	PO Box 40410, Olympia, WA 98504 Olympia - (360) 786-7618
NOBLES, Twina	D	28	PO Box 40428, Olympia, WA 98504 Olympia - (360) 786-7654
ORWALL, Tina	D	33	PO Box 40433, Olympia, WA 98504 Olympia - (360) 786-7664
PEDERSEN, Jamie	D	43	PO Box 40443, Olympia, WA 98504 Olympia - (360) 786-7628
RAMOS, Bill	D	5	PO Box 40405, Olympia, WA 98504 Olympia - (360) 786-7608
RICCELLI, Marcus	D	3	PO Box 40403, Olympia, WA 98504 Olympia - (360) 786-7604
ROBINSON, June	D	38	PO Box 40438, Olympia, WA 98504 Olympia - (360) 786-7674
SALDAÑA, Rebecca	D	37	PO Box 40437, Olympia, WA 98504 Olympia - (360) 786-7688
SALOMON, Jesse	D	32	PO Box 40432, Olympia, WA 98504 Olympia - (360) 786-7662
SCHOESLER, Mark	R	9	PO Box 40409, Olympia, WA 98504 Olympia - (360) 786-7620
SHEWMAKE, Sharon	D	42	PO Box 40442, Olympia, WA 98504 Olympia - (360) 786-7682
SHORT, Shelly	R	7	PO Box 40407, Olympia, WA 98504 Olympia - (360) 786-7612
SLATTER, Vandana	D	48	PO Box 40448, Olympia, WA 98504 Olympia - (360) 786-7694
STANFORD, Derek	D	1	PO Box 40401, Olympia, WA 98504 Olympia - (360) 786-7600
TORRES, Nikki	R	15	PO Box 40415, Olympia, WA 98504 Olympia - (360) 786-7684
TRUDEAU, Yasmin	D	27	PO Box 40427, Olympia, WA 98504 Olympia - (360) 786-7652
VALDEZ, Javier	D	46	PO Box 40446, Olympia, WA 98504 Olympia - (360) 786-7690
WAGONER, Keith	R	39	PO Box 40439, Olympia, WA 98504 Olympia - (360) 786-7676
WARNICK, Judy	R	13	PO Box 40413, Olympia, WA 98504 Olympia - (360) 786-7624
WELLMAN, Lisa	D	41	PO Box 40441, Olympia, WA 98504 Olympia - (360) 786-7641
WILSON, Claire	D	30	PO Box 40430, Olympia, WA 98504 Olympia - (360) 786-7658
WILSON, Jeff	R	19	PO Box 40419, Olympia, WA 98504 Olympia - (360) 786-7636

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## Senate

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# SENATE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON



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## Senators

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### **ALVARADO, EMILY**

**Democrat.** Emily is a longtime leader on housing who served as the director of the City of Seattle's Office of Housing, an executive with a national affordable housing nonprofit, and as professional staff at Planned Parenthood. She's an attorney who graduated from the University of Washington School of Law and has also worked as a community organizer. Her legislative priorities include economic opportunity, housing, high-quality public education and childcare, reproductive justice, and breaking the cycle of poverty. She is the 2nd Vice Chair of the Members of Colors Caucus and a member of both the Jewish Caucus and Latino Caucus. The daughter of two public school educators, Emily lives in West Seattle with her husband, two children, and a rescue dog named Frazer.



### **BATEMAN, JESSICA**

**Democrat.** Jessica is a lifelong resident of the Pacific Northwest. She is a first-generation college student who received both her master's degree in Public Administration and her bachelor's degree in Environmental Science from The Evergreen State College. As an organizer and coalition leader, she has worked to create affordable housing, help struggling families, and empower at-risk youth. She currently works as a health care policy analyst and previously served in the House of Representatives and the Olympia City Council.



### **BOEHNKE, MATT**

**Republican.** Matt was elected to the Senate in 2022, after serving two terms in House, representing the 8th Legislative District. Matt was raised in Kennewick, graduating from Kamiakin High School in 1986. He then attended Eastern Washington University, graduating as an ROTC-Distinguished Military Graduate and receiving his active duty commission in the U.S. Army Aviation branch in 1990. Matt spent the next 21 years in the service, rising to the rank of Lieutenant Colonel before retiring and moving back to Kennewick. Since 2015, he has served as the director and lead professor of the cybersecurity division at Columbia Basin College. Matt and his wife, Dawn, have been married for 28 years. They have two sons, Matthew and Brandon.



### **BRAUN, JOHN**

#### **Republican Leader**

**Republican.** Senator Braun is in his fourth term serving the 20th Legislative District, including parts of Lewis, Cowlitz, Thurston and Clark counties. Currently, John serves as the minority leader in the Senate. As the former Senate Republican leader on budget and tax issues, he negotiated historic reductions in college tuition and education-funding reforms. A Navy veteran, John is president of family-owned Braun Northwest, which specializes in building emergency-response vehicles. He earned an engineering degree from the University of Washington and master's degrees in business and engineering from the University of Michigan. John and his family reside in Lewis County.

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## Senators

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### **CHAPMAN, MIKE**

**Democrat.** Mike Chapman served for a decade as a local law enforcement officer and U.S. Customs Inspector. He then served four terms as a Clallam County Commissioner and was elected to the House in 2016 and the Senate in 2024. Mike received his Master's Degree in Leadership and Liberal Studies from Duquesne University, his Bachelor's in Organizational Management from Northwest College, and his Associate of Arts and Sciences from Shoreline College. Highlights of his legislative work include helping secure small business tax cuts primarily benefiting rural Washington, ensuring funding for a new Hwy 101 Elwha River Bridge and other transportation projects on the Olympic Peninsula, and legislation creating private and public scholarships for job skills training for rural residents. He is chair of the Agriculture & Natural Resources Committee.



### **CHRISTIAN, LEONARD**

**Republican.** Leonard Christian joined the Senate in 2025 after serving in the House. An Air Force veteran, Leonard played many roles during his 21 years of service, including aircraft mechanic, recruiter and security manager. During his time in the military, he learned the importance of community, love of country, and hard work. He holds a Bachelor of Science in Aeronautics from Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University and a Master of Business Administration from Webster University. Leonard is a real estate agent in Spokane Valley, where he lives with his wife Rima.



### **CLEVELAND, ANNETTE**

#### **Assistant Majority Caucus Chair**

**Democrat.** As chair of the Senate Health & Long-Term Care Committee, Annette brings over 30 years of public and private sector knowledge to Olympia. She has represented the 49th Legislative District since 2012. Annette previously staffed two U.S. senators, spent five years at the Vancouver Columbian and most recently served as an administrator for a non-profit health organization. She has long been involved in her community on affordable health-care issues and continues to advocate on behalf of small businesses, seniors and healthcare workers. She lives in Vancouver with her husband.



### **CONWAY, STEVE**

#### **President Pro Tempore**

**Democrat.** Steve Conway was elected to the Senate in 2010 for the 29th Legislative District, having served as a state representative since 1993. A graduate of the University of Oregon with masters and doctorate degrees in history, he was also a Fulbright Fellow at the London School of Economics. Steve retired as Secretary Treasurer of the United Food and Commercial Workers Union, Local 81. He and his wife, Georgia, have two sons: Collin, his wife Emily and their sons Grayson and Beckett live in Seattle; Levin, his wife Diana and their two daughters Elizabeth and Anna live in Tacoma.

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## Senators

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### **CORTES, ADRIAN**

**Democrat.** Senator Cortes was elected in 2024 to represent the 18th Legislative District in the Washington State Senate. Cortes previously served on the Battle Ground Planning Commission and was later elected to the Battle Ground City Council for three terms. He served as mayor from 2020 to 2021, where he focused on improving the lives of Battle Ground residents by cutting utility taxes, making investments in public safety and roads, and passing a fiscally responsible budget. Cortes moved to the 18th Legislative District when he was 6 years old and has lived there ever since. Cortes is a second career teacher and now works for the Camas School District, teaching special education. Cortes resides in Battle Ground, where he is raising his two daughters. Cortes serves as vice chair of the Business, Financial Services & Trade Committee and a member of the Early Learning & K-12 Education and the Transportation committees.



### **DHINGRA, MANKA**

#### **Deputy Majority Leader**

**Democrat.** Senator Dhingra represents the 45th Legislative District. She brings two decades of experience as a prosecutor and behavioral health expert to her role as chair of the Senate Law & Justice Committee. She also serves on the Environment, Energy & Technology and Ways & Means committees. Dhingra was first elected to the Senate in November 2017, the first Sikh state legislator elected in the nation. During her time in the Senate, Dhingra helped pass legislation and funding to transform the Washington state behavioral health system, reorienting it around prevention as well as improving crisis response. She is one of the state's key proponents of expanding the 988 Suicide and Crisis Lifeline and continues to strive to ensure Washingtonians with behavioral health needs get the treatment they need and deserve. She lives in Redmond with her family.



### **DOZIER, PERRY**

#### **Republican Deputy Whip**

**Republican.** Perry Dozier, a 16th District native, was elected to his second Senate term in 2024. Perry has managed irrigated and dryland farming operations in Walla Walla and Columbia counties for over 40 years, and is a longtime leader on agricultural issues. His background includes being a past president of the Washington Association of Wheat Growers, and serving as a Walla Walla County commissioner from 2009 to 2016. A Prescott High School graduate, he earned a BA in economics from Whitman College. Perry and wife Darleen reside in Waitsburg. They have grown sons, Kyle and Logan, and a daughter-in-law, Riley.



### **FORTUNATO, PHIL**

**Republican.** Phil is the state Senator for the 31st Legislative District, which includes parts of Auburn, Bonney Lake, Lake Tapps, Milton, Sumner, Carbonado, Wilkeson and Orting. He started his first business at 18, and has been a contractor and environmental consultant for over 45 years, recognized as a Clean Water Act compliance expert. He leads efforts to reduce government waste, protect taxpayers, and is a lifelong Second Amendment advocate. Phil and his wife of 48 years, Suzanne, live in Auburn and have five children; three sons having served in the Marine Corps. Fortunato is a founding member of the Senate Freedom Caucus.

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## Senators

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### **FRAME, NOEL**

**Democrat.** Senator Noel Frame represents the 36th Legislative District in Northwest Seattle. Noel is an award-winning legislator, having been honored more than 15 times for her work advocating for youth involved in the foster care and juvenile justice systems, expanding services for individuals with intellectual and developmental disabilities and behavioral health challenges, championing economic development, and fixing the state's upside-down tax code. She earned a B.A. and M.A. from George Washington University. As a citizen legislator, Noel is partner and part-owner of an organizational development, engagement, and policy consulting firm in the Belltown neighborhood in Seattle, and she lives with her husband and son in Greenwood.



### **GILDON, CHRIS**

**Republican.** After serving a term in the House, Chris is in his second term as state senator for the 25th Legislative District, which includes Puyallup, South Hill, Summit and Waller. He is Republican leader on the Senate Ways and Means Committee and a member of the Senate Housing Committee. A 23-year veteran Army officer, Chris served in five overseas deployments, leading thousands of soldiers and civilians and earning two Bronze Star Medals. He also has a background in commercial real estate. Chris lives in Puyallup with his wife, Autumn. They have two adult children.



### **GOEHNER, KEITH**

**Republican.** Keith was elected to the Senate in 2025 after serving three terms in the House, representing the 12th Legislative District. He served four terms as a Chelan County Commissioner from 2003 to 2018. Keith was born in Leavenworth and grew up in Dryden; he graduated from Peshastin-Dryden High School in 1970. He then attended Wenatchee Valley College and graduated from Seattle Pacific University where he earned a Bachelor of Arts in Education. Keith is a former schoolteacher and third-generation orchardist who grows pears in the Dryden area. Keith and his wife, Lisa, have been married for 50 years. They have three children, Brendan, Heidi, and Benjamin, and eight grandchildren.



### **HANSEN, DREW**

**Democrat.** Drew Hansen was appointed to represent the 23rd Legislative District in the Washington State Senate in 2023. He previously served in the House of Representatives for 12 years, where he chaired the Civil Rights & Judiciary Committee and the Higher Education Committee. He is the prime sponsor of Washington state's landmark free college tuition law, the nation's first state-level net neutrality law, and the Public Broadband Act, which opens up opportunities for public broadband networks in Washington State. He lives on Bainbridge Island with his family.



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### **HARRIS, PAUL**

**Republican.** After serving 14 years in the House, Paul is in his first term as the senator representing the 17th District, which includes parts of Clark and Klickitat counties and all of Skamania County. He holds a Bachelor of Science degree in Business and Marketing from Brigham Young University. Paul is a small business owner. Paul served on the Evergreen School Board for 10 years and is active in the community and with his church. He resides in Vancouver with his wife of 50 years, Lori. They have five grown children and nine grandchildren. Paul is also a cancer survivor.



### **HASEGAWA, BOB**

#### **Majority Caucus Chair**

**Democrat.** A lifelong resident of the 11th Legislative District, Bob grew up on Beacon Hill in Seattle and then bought a home in the 1970s in the Maplewood Heights area of Renton. After his parents passed away, Bob bought the house he grew up in on Beacon Hill, where he now lives. He is a longtime labor and social justice activist and a leader in many workers struggles. Bob helped secure top wages and benefits for working families and retirees, and he collaborated in many social justice struggles to protect civil rights, democracy, environmental health, and our constitutional rights.



### **HOLY, JEFF**

**Republican.** Senator Holy was elected to his first term in the Senate in November 2018 and re-elected in November 2022. He previously served three terms in the House of Representatives. Jeff has lived in the Spokane area for over 40 years with his wife, Cindy; and has two grown children. He earned his bachelor's degree at Washington State University after serving in the Army. After graduation, Jeff began a 22-year career with the Spokane Police Department as an officer and detective. During this time, he attended Gonzaga University School of Law where he earned his Juris Doctorate. He has been a licensed attorney since 1990.



### **KAUFFMAN, CLAUDIA**

#### **Leadership Liaison to Tribal Nations**

**Democrat.** Claudia was elected in 2022 to represent the 47th Legislative District — a seat she previously held in the Washington State Senate from 2007-2011. A resident of Kent for over 20 years, she is a fierce advocate for legislation and policy to increase support services for people with disabilities, improve public safety, protect our natural environment, strengthen tribal partnerships, and ensure Washingtonians of all ages have the opportunities and resources needed to succeed. Claudia, a member of the Nez Perce Tribe, is the caucus's Leadership Liaison to Tribal Nations, chair of the Senate Business, Financial Services & Trade Committee, and on the State Government, Tribal Affairs & Elections and Ways & Means committees.

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### **KING, CURTIS**

**Republican.** Senator King has served the 14th Legislative District in the Senate since 2007. His district includes Bickleton, Centerville, Finley, Glenwood, Grandview, Granger, Lyle, Mabton, Pasco, Roosevelt, Sunnyside, Toppenish, Union Gap, Wapato and Yakima, as well as Mt. Adams. King is a member of Sunrise Rotary and the Perry Technical Institute Board of Trustees. He is a past president of United Way, Yakima Regional Hospital and the Central Washington State Fair Board. He has degrees from University of Washington in physics and mathematics and an MBA from Clemson-Furman Universities. He and his wife, Lois have two married daughters and two grandsons.



### **KRISHNADASAN, DEBORAH**

**Democrat.** Senator Deb Krishnadasan represents the 26th Legislative District and was appointed to the Senate in December 2024. Originally from Puyallup, Krishnadasan now lives in Gig Harbor. She began her career in public service on the Peninsula School Board, eventually becoming its president. She is the vice chair of the State Government, Tribal Affairs & Election Committee and sits on the Early Learning & K-12 Education and Transportation committees.



### **LIAS, MARKO**

**Democrat.** Marko has represented the 21st Legislative District in the Washington State Legislature since 2008, starting in the House before being appointed to the Senate in 2014. Throughout his legislative service, he has prioritized policies to increase access to public transportation across Washington, provide educational and career opportunities for students, make the state safer and more inclusive for LGBTQ+ youth, and build an economy that works for everyone. Marko, who lives in Edmonds, graduated from Kamiak High School in Mukilteo and received degrees from Georgetown University and the University of Washington. He is chair of the Senate Transportation Committee and sits on the Senate Agriculture & Natural Resources and Senate Environment, Energy & Technology committees.



### **LOVELETT, LIZ**

#### **Deputy Majority Leader**

**Democrat.** Senator Liz Lovelett represents the 40th Legislative District in northern Puget Sound, including all of San Juan County and portions of Whatcom and Skagit counties. She is Vice Chair of the Local Government Committee, and serves on the Senate Environment, Energy & Technology Committee and the Transportation committee. As a fifth generation Fidalgo Island resident, Liz is rooted in her community and has worked in areas critical to the 40th Legislative District, including local water management, affordable housing, public safety, and the issues around the transport of hazardous materials. Liz is committed to environmental stewardship, sustainable community growth, economic vitality, and solutions that put people first.

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### **LOVICK, JOHN**

#### **Vice President Pro Tempore**

**Democrat.** John Lovick served as a State Trooper for 31 years and was named Trooper of the Year in 1992. He also served 13 years in the United States Coast Guard. John was first elected to the Mill Creek City Council before serving nine years in the House of Representatives, including five years as Speaker Pro Tem, until he was elected Snohomish County Sheriff and Snohomish County Executive. A long-time resident of Mill Creek and a Snohomish County resident for 47 years, Lovick is married to a retired teacher. He still volunteers regularly at the elementary school his children attended, cooks many of his famous “John Lovick’s Deep-Fried Turkeys” for charity events, and avidly plays pickleball whenever he can.



### **MACEWEN, DREW**

#### **Republican Deputy Leader**

**Republican.** Drew MacEwen has represented the 35th Legislative District since 2013, initially in the House, moving to the Senate in 2023. He developed a love for the 35th District while serving in the Navy for six years and being stationed at Naval Base Kitsap. MacEwen is founder and president of Falcon Financial, Inc., and managing partner of Mountain Lakes Capital Management LLC. He earned a Bachelor of Science degree from Excelsior College in New York, and is a graduate of the U.S. Navy Nuclear propulsion program. He lives in rural Mason County with his wife Danelle and has two grown children.



### **MCCUNE, JIM**

**Republican.** Senator McCune first served in the state House of Representatives for one year, in 1998, before returning in 2005 - 2013. From 2017 to 2021, he served as a member of the Pierce County Council. He returned to the Legislature in 2021 to serve in the Senate. McCune is a small business owner, working more than 37 years as a Copper River Salmon provider. He is active in the community, having been a Boy Scoutmaster, a member of Kiwanis and Optimists’ Clubs, a Big Brother, and a high school basketball coach. He resides in Graham and is the proud father of three sons.



### **MUZZALL, RON**

#### **Republican Deputy Caucus Chair**

**Republican.** Ron Muzzall is a fourth-generation farmer on Whidbey Island. A graduate of WSU, he has been involved in numerous industry associations, boards, and committees, including the National Council of Farmer Cooperatives, Skagit Farmers Supply and Land O’Lakes cooperative. He served North Whidbey Fire and Rescue for 20 years. Ron and his family own and operate a family farm, marketing their local products in the community. A lifelong member of Oak Harbor Lutheran Church, he served multiple terms on the council and as president. He is the Ranking Member on the Senate Health and Long-term Care Committee.

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### **NOBLES, T'WINA**

#### **Majority Whip**

**Democrat.** T'wina has represented the 28th Legislative District in the Washington State Senate since 2021. At the time of her initial swearing in, she was the first Black state senator to serve in a decade. T'wina moved to the district when her family was stationed at Joint Base Lewis-McChord and has remained in the area since, living now in Fircrest. Education has been central to her journey, attending Tacoma Community College before transferring to the University of Puget Sound, where she earned her bachelor's degree and a master's in teaching. T'wina then taught at Stadium and Lincoln high schools. She also serves on the University Place School Board. T'wina is the majority whip, chair of the Senate Higher Education & Workforce Development Committee, vice chair of the Senate Early Learning & K-12 Education Committee, and on the Senate Transportation Committee.



### **ORWALL, TINA**

**Democrat.** Tina has represented the 33rd Legislative District since 2009. The 988 suicide and crisis lifeline, suicide prevention, supporting sexual assault survivors/rape kit reform, combating trafficking, language access, airport mitigation, supporting veterans, and the Foreclosure Fairness Act are among her legislative accomplishments. Tina has worked with all levels of government to help embrace best practices to better serve the community. Twenty years of experience working in the public mental health system and with trauma-informed practices, as well as strategic planning in workforce development and affordable housing, make Tina a valued seasoned legislator. She earned a BS in Psychology and a MSW in Administration from the UW. Tina has two children.



### **PEDERSEN, JAMIE**

#### **Majority Leader**

**Democrat.** Jamie has represented the 43rd Legislative District in central Seattle since 2006. He serves as the Senate Majority Leader. He has served on the Legislative Ethics Board since 2008 and the Uniform Law Commission since 2010. Jamie is executive vice president and general counsel at McKinstry, an engineering and construction firm whose hundreds of skilled union craftspeople excel in environmentally responsible building. He is a member and former chair of the National Leadership Council of Lambda Legal, fighting for equality for LGBTQ people. Jamie teaches Sunday School and serves as treasurer at Central Lutheran Church on Capitol Hill. An Eagle Scout, he serves as an adult leader in Troop 15. He has been a member of the Seattle Men's Chorus for the past 29 years. Jamie lives on Capitol Hill with his husband Eric Pedersen and their sons Trygve, Leif, Erik and Anders.



### **RAMOS, BILL**

**Democrat.** Bill represents the 5th Legislative District. He has a strong background in transportation planning and natural resource management. He has a bachelor's degree in forest sciences. After college, Bill worked with the U.S. Forest Service, including an international assignment in Honduras to help improve forest management practices. He then moved to Washington and continued his Forest Service career. Bill later worked with the US Department of Transportation with the Federal Transit Administration where he developed and managed the Tribal Transit Program. Bill serves as vice chair of the Senate Transportation Committee and as a member of the Labor & Commerce and Environment, Energy & Technology committees. Bill lives in Issaquah with his wife.

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### **RICCELLI, MARCUS** **Majority Floor Leader**

**Democrat.** Marcus represents the 3rd Legislative District in Spokane. He graduated from Gonzaga (BS, Business Administration) and the University of Washington (MA, Public Administration). He was elected to the Senate in 2024 after serving 12 years in the House of Representatives. He has led efforts to expand affordable and accessible health care, oral health access, continuing support for medical education in our rural and underserved areas, and ending childhood hunger. He previously served as U.S. Senator Maria Cantwell's Eastern Washington Director, and Senior Policy Advisor to Washington State Senate Majority Leader Lisa Brown. Outside the legislature, Marcus is a Community Relations Manager for CHAS Health, a community health system. Marcus and his wife, Amanda, have two children.



### **ROBINSON, JUNE**

**Democrat.** June has represented the 38th Legislative District in the Washington State Legislature since 2013, starting in the House before being appointed to the Senate in 2020. She has been a champion for increasing access to affordable health care and housing, improving the state's behavioral health system, investing in public education and early learning, and more. Raised on a dairy farm in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, June earned degrees from the University of Delaware and the University of Michigan. Before joining the Legislature, she led nonprofit and local government efforts in community and public health and affordable housing. June, who lives in Everett, is chair of the Senate Ways & Means Committee and on the Health & Long-Term Care Committee.



### **SALDAÑA, REBECCA**

**Democrat.** Rebecca represents the 37th Legislative District, one of Washington's most diverse districts composed of a majority of people of color. The 37th includes several Seattle neighborhoods, such as Beacon Hill, the Central District, Columbia City, Rainier Valley, and Rainier Beach. It also encompasses parts of Renton and unincorporated areas of King County, including Skyway. Rebecca grew up in Seattle and graduated from Seattle University. She has worked as a union organizer, staff to former U.S. Rep. Jim McDermott, and as the executive director of Puget Sound Sage. Her expertise spans a variety of areas, including worker and immigrant advocacy, transit equity, women's rights, and social and racial justice. Rebecca currently serves as the chair for the Senate Labor & Commerce Committee and is a member of the Rules, Ways & Means and Agriculture & Natural Resources committees. She is also part of the Senate Members of Color Caucus and the Latino Democratic Caucus. She and her family live in Rainier Beach/Skyway.



### **SALOMON, JESSE**

**Democrat.** Jesse Salomon brings a deep and varied resume to his role as senator for the 32nd Legislative District that contains Shoreline, Lynnwood, Mountlake Terrace, North Seattle, Woodway, Edmonds, and parts of unincorporated Snohomish County. A practicing attorney for almost 20 years, Jesse holds a Juris Doctorate from the University of Washington School of Law and a Bachelor of Arts from Western Washington University. His priorities are education, living wage jobs, protecting the environment, and fiscal accountability. Jesse and his wife Sarah, a public health researcher, live with their son in Shoreline.



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### **SCHOESLER, MARK**

**Republican.** Serving his 6th term as 9th District Senator after 12 years as state Representative, Mark is a longtime farmer and rancher on land his family has had since the 1880s. He is serving on three committees: Agriculture and Natural Resources, Labor and Commerce, and Ways and Means (ranking member on capital budget). He is a member and past chairman of Select Committee on Pension Policy, on the board of Washington State Institute for Public Policy, Washington Association of Wheat Growers life member and Washington Farm Bureau member. Mark and wife Ginger have two adult children, a grandson, and two granddaughters.



### **SHEWMAKE, SHARON**

#### **Assistant Majority Floor Leader**

**Democrat.** Senator Sharon Shewmake of the 42nd Legislative District is a professor of environmental economics, urban economics, and energy policy at Western Washington University in Bellingham, and a children's book author, spouse, and mother of two young boys. She completed Bachelor's degrees in Economics and in Environmental Science and Policy at Duke University, and continued her education at the University of California at Davis, earning her Ph.D. in Agricultural and Resource Economics. Sharon is focused on helping families with affordability of housing and energy, creating jobs and building infrastructure, and ensuring everyone can live in safe communities.



### **SHORT, SHELLY**

#### **Republican Floor Leader**

**Republican.** Shelly Short represents the 7th Legislative District, the state's largest, encompassing all or part of Chelan, Douglas, Ferry, Okanogan, Pend Oreille, Spokane and Stevens counties. Short champions her district's rural lifestyle, business and recreational opportunities, individual rights, affordable energy, and sensible management of natural resources for beneficial use. Short grew up in Spokane Valley and attended Spokane Falls Community College and Eastern Washington University. A resident of the district 30+ years, she was elected to the House in 2008 and moved to the Senate in 2017. She lives in Addy with her husband Mitch and has two grown children.



### **SLATTER, VANDANA**

**Democrat.** Vandana represents the 48th Legislative District, including parts of Bellevue, Redmond, Kirkland and all of Clyde Hill, Medina, Yarrow Point and Hunts Point. Slatter serves as vice chair of the Environment, Energy & Technology Committee and as a member on the Health & Long-Term Care and Higher Education & Workforce Development committees. Previously, Vandana served on the Bellevue City Council. She is a clinical pharmacist having worked twenty years in the biotech industry and has served on the Washington State Board of Pharmacy. She received both the Environmental, and STEM Legislator of the Year Awards in 2020. She currently serves on the Evans School Advisory Board, and the Hopelink Foundation Board. Vandana holds a PharmD and M.P.A. from the University of Washington and currently lives in Bellevue with her family.

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### STANFORD, DEREK

**Democrat.** Senator Derek Stanford holds a Ph.D. in Statistics from the University of Washington. His professional work focuses on data science and machine learning in the aerospace industry. Previously, he has served as director of analytics at companies specializing in fraud detection and customer insights. He has also worked as a research scientist at a software company, where he served as Principal Investigator on a research project for DARPA (Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency). He serves on the Business, Financial Services & Trade, Labor & Commerce, and Ways & Means committees. He lives in Bothell with his family.



### TORRES, NIKKI

#### Republican Deputy Floor Leader

**Republican.** Elected in 2022 to serve Washington's 15th Legislative District. The first-generation Latina attended Pasco High School and earned undergraduate and master's degrees in business administration from the University of Phoenix and works as a strategic partnership manager for Western Governors University. Nikki is a former president of the Tri-Cities Hispanic Chamber of Commerce and served as a member of the Pasco City Council. She gives back to her community having served on the Washington Childcare Collaborative Task Force, Kennewick Police Department Foundation, and on boards for Tri-Cities Community Health and Visit Tri-Cities. Nikki has two daughters and is a grandmother to three.



### TRUDEAU, YASMIN

**Democrat.** Yasmin is a fierce advocate for working people, housing and community safety. She brings extensive legal and lived experience to her role as a state senator. She currently serves as vice-chair of the Senate Ways & Means Committee with responsibilities for leading the Senate's work on the capital budget, and is also vice-chair of the Law & Justice Committee and a member of the Housing Committee. Additionally, she serves as Chair of the Senate Members of Color Caucus. She previously served as the legislative and tribal affairs director for the Washington State Attorney General's Office and as a policy analyst for the Washington State Senate Democratic Caucus. Yasmin and her husband live in Tacoma with their two children.



### VALDEZ, JAVIER

**Democrat.** Sen. Javier Valdez is the proud son and grandson of farmworkers and laborers. Javier holds a Bachelor's Degree in Business Administration from the University of Washington and a Master's Degree in Public Administration from Baruch College, as a participant in the National Urban Fellows. Javier is a longtime leader in Seattle's and Washington State's Latino community and a member of organized labor, where he served for several years as the first President of Washington State Council of County and City Employees, Local 21-C, AFSCME Council 2. Born and raised in Moses Lake, Javier resides in Seattle's Maple Leaf neighborhood.



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### WAGONER, KEITH

#### Republican Whip

**Republican.** Senator Keith Wagoner serves Washington's 39th Legislative District. Appointed to serve in January 2018, Keith grew up in Alger, Washington. He attended Washington State University until being appointed to the U.S. Naval Academy in Annapolis, Maryland. After graduating with a B.S. in Physical Oceanography, he was commissioned a Second Lieutenant in the U.S. Marine Corps. Upon completing Marine Officer Training, following an inter-service transfer to the Navy, he earned his pilot's Wings of Gold at the Navy flight training program. Keith retired after 23 years and returned to Skagit County, serving as Mayor of Sedro-Woolley after five years on the city council. He and his wife Wen Lee Wagoner have three adult children.



### WARNICK, JUDY

#### Republican Caucus Chair

**Republican.** After serving eight years in the state House of Representatives, Warnick was elected to her first four-year term as state Senator in 2015. She represents the 13th Legislative District, which includes Kittitas, Grant, and parts of Adams and Douglas Counties. She was reelected as the Senate Republican Caucus Chair in 2024. Judy has received numerous awards for her work on small business and agriculture issues. Judy grew up on a dairy farm in Deer Park. She lives in Moses Lake with her husband, Roy, where they operate a small business and own a family farm. They have three grown daughters and eight grandchildren.



### WELLMAN, LISA

**Democrat.** Lisa Wellman represents the 41st Legislative District. Lisa's 25-year career in technology and marketing includes executive level positions in Fortune 100 companies and numerous technology startups in the state. She led commercial publishing for Apple Computer's U.S. markets, eventually becoming VP of Worldwide Publishing, Entertainment and New Media Markets. Lisa serves on the board of the Washington State Arts Commission. She serves on the Educational Opportunity Gap Oversight and Accountability Committee, the Mastery Based Learning Workgroup and is a mentor for MBA candidates at the Foster Business School at the University of Washington. She has a B.A., Summa Cum Laude, from Barat College and enjoys photography, travel, reading and bridge. She has two daughters and a grandson and resides on Mercer Island.



### WILSON, CLAIRE

#### Assistant Majority Whip

**Democrat.** As chair of the Senate Human Services Committee, Claire Wilson is a strong proponent of reform in the juvenile justice, child welfare and corrections systems. She also serves as vice chair of the Early Learning & K-12 Education Committee and brings 25 years of experience in early education and family involvement at the Puget Sound Educational Services District. Prior to that, she taught pregnant and parenting teens at Mt. Tahoma High School. A longtime resident of the 30th Legislative District, she was born and raised in Washington State and proudly identifies as a lesbian woman and mother. Claire has lived in South King County since 1999.

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### **WILSON, JEFF**

**Republican.** Jeff Wilson, serving his second term in the Senate, is a longtime businessman and leader in the Longview/Kelso area. He serves concurrently as a Port of Longview commissioner. A resident of the district since age 10, Wilson graduated from Mark Morris High School and attended Western Washington University. Throughout a career in sanitation and environmental services, Wilson has emphasized community service, and has organized and participated in many local initiatives. He and his wife Trisha have been awarded the “key to the city” of Longview, among many recognitions for volunteerism. They reside in Longview and have two grown children.

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## Senate Administration

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### **BANNISTER, SARAH**

#### **Secretary of the Senate**

Sarah began her legislative career with the Senate in 2000, bringing over two decades of experience to her role. She joined the Office of the Secretary of the Senate in 2010 and was elected Secretary in 2022. In this capacity, she oversees legislative processes, manages Senate staff, and ensures the efficient operation of Senate functions. Sarah is a dedicated public servant who is committed to supporting the integrity and effectiveness of the legislative process. An Olympia native, Sarah lives with her husband, Jerry, and enjoys spending time with their family. Their children and grandchildren all reside in Olympia, including Brandon and his wife, Jordan, as well as Cameron and his wife, Alyssa, and their two children, Camille and Emery. Outside of work, Sarah finds joy in spending time with her grandchildren, working in the yard, tackling home improvement projects, and reading.



### **PEHAR, COLLEEN**

#### **Deputy Secretary of the Senate**

A graduate in criminal justice from Washington State University, Colleen began her legislative career in 2011 as an intern in the Washington State Legislative Internship Program. After completing her undergraduate degree, Colleen returned to state government full time during the 2011 interim. Since her time as an intern, Colleen served in several positions in the legislative community including caucus staff, Director of Government Relations at The Evergreen State College, and Senate Director of Civic Education. Colleen was raised in Covington and now lives in Gig Harbor with her husband, Nikola.

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**CHRIS STEARNS**  
**Speaker**  
**Pro Tempore**



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## Representatives

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**ABBARNO, PETER**  
**Minority Caucus Chair**

**Republican.** Peter Abbarno represents the 20th District, which includes parts of Clark, Cowlitz, Lewis, and Thurston counties. Peter is a business owner, attorney and partner of Althausen Rayan Abbarno, LLP, but most importantly, he is a husband and father. Peter holds a Bachelor of Arts degree in political science from State University of New York in Fredonia, a Juris Doctor from Vermont Law School, and a Master of Laws in Taxation from the University of Washington School of Law. Peter served for five years on the Centralia City Council. He is an active volunteer and holds numerous awards for his community involvement. Peter and his wife, Holly, have two children and live in Centralia.



**ABELL, HUNTER**

**Republican.** Hunter is serving his first term in the Legislature representing the 7th Legislative District. A third-generation resident of Ferry County, Hunter attended Inchelium High School and is a graduate of The College of William & Mary and Gonzaga University School of Law. Hunter served over 20 years, both active and reserve, in the U.S. Navy, and is currently a Commander in the U.S. Navy Reserve. Professionally, Hunter is an attorney with the firm of Williams Kastner & Gibbs, PLLC. Hunter lives on Long Rifle Ranch in Inchelium and is the proud father of two wonderful daughters.



**BARKIS, ANDREW**

**Republican.** Andrew Barkis was born and raised in Chehalis. He is a graduate of Seattle University with a degree in Communications. Andrew's personal knowledge and experience as a local business owner foster his priorities to have limited, but effective government that is focused on being fiscally responsible, creating more jobs, and enhancing small business growth within the 2nd District and state. Andrew and his wife, Lisa, live in Olympia. They have two grown sons, Cameron and Evan. They enjoy doing anything outdoors, especially hiking and camping around the Pacific Northwest.



**BARNARD, STEPHANIE**

**Republican.** Stephanie Barnard was elected to the Washington State Legislature in 2022. A small business advocate dedicated to strengthening her region's economy and way of life, she served as head of government affairs for the Tri-City Chamber of Commerce for over four years. Stephanie has led impactful advocacy efforts through the Tri-Cities Legislative Council and the Local Government Affairs Committee. A former Boy Scouts of America board member, she also founded a nonprofit providing car seats and safety training to low-income parents. Born and raised in Washington, Stephanie resides in Pasco and has six children.

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## Representatives

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### **BERG, APRIL**

**Democrat.** April represents the 44th District, which includes Mill Creek, Snohomish, Clearview, Maltby, Echo Lake, and parts of Everett. She serves as Chair of the House Finance Committee and a member of the Appropriations Committee. In the private sector, April has worked as an aerospace program manager and as owner of The Edmonds Inn Bed and Breakfast. She received her degree from Oregon State University and has served as a planning commissioner for the City of Mill Creek, on the Edmonds School Board, and on the Everett School Board. April and her family have lived in Snohomish County for more than 25 years.



### **BERGQUIST, STEVE**

**Democrat.** Steve is a public-school teacher and former small business owner in Renton. He is a proud fourth generation resident of the 11th Legislative District, graduating from Renton's Hazen High School. He is a University of Washington Seattle graduate with a double major in Political Science and History and received his Master's in Teaching with a social studies endorsement from Western Washington University. His wife, Avanti, is a child psychiatrist. They have two amazing children. Steve is also a board member of The Renton Regional Community Foundation and Special Olympics Washington.



### **BERNBAUM, ADAM**

**Democrat.** Adam represents the 24th District and has a background working as a rural organizer, on behavioral health and criminal justice reform, and as legislative staff in the senate. He's focused on practical solutions to affordable housing, rural healthcare, jobs, and protecting our natural resources. Adam believes in creating opportunities so young people can earn a living wage and older generations can retire with dignity. He grew up in a union home and lives in Port Angeles.



### **BERRY, LIZ**

**Democrat.** Liz represents the Seattle neighborhoods of Queen Anne, Magnolia, Interbay, Ballard, Phinney Ridge, Crown Hill, and Greenwood. She serves as Chair of the Labor & Workplace Standards Committee and is a passionate advocate for gun safety, uplifting working families, and combating climate change and plastic pollution. Liz previously led the region's largest civil justice advocacy organization and worked as Legislative Director to U.S. Congresswoman Gabby Giffords. She lives in Queen Anne with her husband and two young children.

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## Representatives

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### **BRONOSKE, DAN**

**Democrat.** Rep. Bronoske was first elected to represent the 28th district in 2020. This session he moves into his new role chairing the Healthcare and Wellness Committee after previously serving as Deputy Speaker Pro Tempore. He also serves on the Labor and Workplace Standards Committee and Transportation Committee. Rep. Bronoske is prior service with 6 years at the Washington Army National Guard. He has served as a firefighter and EMT for over 20 years.



### **BURNETT, BRIAN**

#### **Assistant Minority Whip**

**Republican.** Brian is serving his first term for the 12th District, which includes Chelan County and parts of Snohomish and King counties. He has more than 25 years in law enforcement, including 12 years as Chelan County Sheriff. Brian has served as the president of the Washington Association of Sheriffs and Police Chiefs and the Washington State Sheriffs' Association. He is involved in his community through several nonprofit organizations, including the North Central Washington Chaplain Foundation, UV Cares, Family Lines, and Royal Family Kids. He has been married to his wife April for 37 years. They raised seven children and are proud grandparents to 10 grandchildren.



### **CALDIER, MICHELLE**

**Republican.** Michelle is serving her sixth term representing the 26th Legislative District, which includes Pierce and Kitsap counties. Prior to serving in the Legislature, Michelle was a dentist who devoted her practice to caring for the elderly in nursing homes. She became involved in politics by advocating in Olympia to protect the vulnerable population she served. Michelle is a fourth-generation Kitsap County resident and proud graduate of the University of Washington, where she later taught as an affiliate professor. In addition, she is a mother and has served for many years as a foster parent.



### **CALLAN, LISA**

**Democrat.** Rep. Lisa Callan has represented the 5th district since 2019. She proudly serves as Vice Chair of the Capital Budget Committee and Lisa also serves as a co-chair of the state's Children & Youth Behavioral Health Work Group whose charge is to improve outcomes for all children and youth in Washington state. She also serves on the Appropriations Committee. Prior to her election to the State House Lisa served as a director of the Issaquah School Board, worked as a Boeing engineer and project manager, and consulted in software development.

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## Representatives

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### **CHASE, ROB**

**Republican.** Rob is serving his second term representing the 4th Legislative District, having previously served from 2021-2022. He has a Bachelor of Arts degree in Business Administration from Eastern Washington University and is Certified in Production and Inventory Management from the American Production and Inventory Control Society. Rob also served in the U.S. Army Reserve from 1972 to 1978. Rob served as Spokane County Treasurer from 2011-2018. He is a board member of the Citizens Alliance for Property Rights and has been a Sunday school teacher. Rob has been married to his wife Chris for more than 44 years. They have four grown children and four grandchildren.



### **CONNORS, APRIL**

#### **Minority Floor Leader**

**Republican.** April Connors represents the 8th Legislative District and is serving her second term in the Legislature. A lifelong Tri-Citizen, April is a successful residential real estate agent. She has served with a local parent-teacher organization, volunteered with the Academy of Children's Theatre, and is a Board Member of the Kadlec Foundation. She holds a Bachelor of Arts in Communications from Washington State University. Her prior professional experiences include writing and maintaining city codes as a legal assistant, during which she participated in a housing case brought to the U.S. Supreme Court. She and her husband, Mike, live in Kennewick with their four children.



### **CORRY, CHRIS**

#### **Deputy Minority Leader**

**Republican.** Chris Corry is serving his fourth term in the Legislature. He previously served in the 14th Legislative District, but after redistricting, now serves in the 15th Legislative District. Chris graduated from the University of Washington with a bachelor's degree in political science. Active in his community, he serves as a volunteer with several non-profits. He is married to his wife Jennica and has four children.



### **CORTES, JULIO**

**Democrat.** Rep. Julio Cortes' family immigrated from Mexico to Washington when he was five years old. After graduating from Wapato High School, Cortes started his college journey at Walla Walla Community College before finishing his four-year degree at Western Washington University. After college, Rep. Cortes spent almost a decade working with at-risk and homeless youth and families. Most recently, Cortes has been working for the City of Everett as the Economic Development and Marketing manager. Rep. Cortes' represents the 38th legislative district which includes Everett, Marysville, Lake Goodwin, Eastmont, Hat Island and Tulalip.

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### **COUTURE, TRAVIS**

#### **Assistant Minority Floor Leader**

**Republican.** Travis Couture is serving his second term in the Legislature. A U.S. Navy Veteran, Travis patrolled the Pacific as a submariner while stationed with Ballistic Missile Submarines USS Alabama and USS Nebraska. He was honorably discharged in 2011, having earned numerous honors and awards for his service. Since taking office, Travis has been a passionate leader of education, protecting children and communities, and fiscal responsibility. In 2025, Travis became the Republican budget lead after being named ranking member on the House Appropriations Committee. Travis is a small business owner in Allyn, where he lives with his family.



### **DAVIS, LAUREN**

**Democrat.** Lauren is a former Head Start preschool teacher and worked in international development as a Fulbright Scholar in West Africa and a consultant at the Gates Foundation. Before she was elected, Lauren championed 2016's Ricky's Law—a historic investment in addiction treatment, named after her best friend. She was the founding Executive Director of the Washington Recovery Alliance, helped launch Forefront Suicide Prevention, and taught mental health policy at the UW School of Social Work. Lauren's legislative work centers on advancing behavioral health, improving public safety, reforming the criminal legal system, and curbing domestic violence.



### **DENT, TOM**

**Republican.** Tom is serving his sixth term representing the 13th District, which includes Kittitas County, most of Grant, and parts of Douglas and Adams counties. He has been a Columbia Basin resident most of his life. He became a professional pilot in 1976 and soon after founded Tom Dent Aviation, which offered aerial application, pilot service, and flight instruction for area agriculture and industry. His legislative priorities include water rights, improving forest management and fire suppression, aviation issues, early learning and children's issues. Tom lives with his family on the Flying T Ranch, located seven miles NE of Moses Lake, raising bison and producing hay.



### **DOGLIO, BETH**

**Democrat.** Beth is currently serving her fourth term representing the 22nd Legislative District and serves as the Chair of the Environment & Energy Committee. She has worked at Climate Solutions for 20 years, a Northwest-based clean energy nonprofit. She was the first Executive Director of Washington Conservation Voters and worked for Pro-Choice Washington, Audubon Washington, and Seattle Public Utilities. Beth is Chair of the Board of New Horizons, which provides housing to the most vulnerable and veterans. She also serves on the Board of Trustees for South Sound YMCA. Beth has a BA from Indiana University in Political Science and Telecommunications. She lives in Olympia with her husband, Dr. Eddy Cates has two grown sons.

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### **DONAGHY, BRANDY**

**Democrat.** Rep. Brandy Donaghy is a Navy veteran who worked on aviation weapons and weapon systems on F/A-18 and A-6 aircraft. After her service, she worked in a number of fields including real estate and IT, and completed her bachelor's degree in Business Administration with a Management Information Systems focus from UW-Bothell. Brandy is a community educator, organizer, and volunteer. She is also involved in Emergency Preparedness training and is CERT certified. She lives in unincorporated Snohomish County with her family.



### **DUERR, DAVINA**

**Democrat.** Davina is a registered architect who served for six years as a Bothell City Councilmember and during that time participated in many regional committees including the board of directors of Sound Cities Association. While serving on the city council, she worked to secure funding to expand the 405 express toll lanes for bus rapid transit implementation. Her passions and experience are fighting for affordable housing, a smarter transportation system, and strong environmental protections. She earned her bachelor's degree from Syracuse University in architecture with a minor in environmental geography. Davina is the daughter of a Taiwanese immigrant and the mother of two wonderful young adults.



### **DUFAULT, JEREMIE**

**Republican.** Jeremie is serving his third term in the Washington State House of Representatives. He graduated from A.C. Davis High School in east Yakima. He and his extended family are long-time residents of Central Washington. Jeremie is a real estate developer and a lieutenant colonel in the U.S. Army Reserve JAG Corps. He served in Kuwait and Afghanistan and is an American Legion and Veterans of Foreign Wars member. He lives in Selah with his three daughters. Jeremie's neighbors elected him to the Selah City Council in 2017.



### **DYE, MARY**

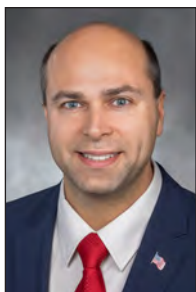
**Republican.** First appointed to the House of Representatives in 2015, Mary Dye is serving her sixth term, representing the 9th Legislative District. As ranking member of the House Environment and Energy Committee, Dye prioritizes protection of affordable and reliable energy, improving environmental and water quality and outdoor recreation. She is also working to improve irrigation infrastructure to ensure irrigated farms are climate resilient. She graduated from the Harvard Kennedy School Senior Executive Leadership program and holds a B.S. in Crop Management from the University of Idaho. Dye and her husband farm dryland wheat in Garfield County.



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### **ENGELL, ANDREW**

**Republican.** Andrew Engell is serving his first term representing the 7th Legislative District. He has lived in the Colville area since early childhood and has experience in welding, construction, farming, and managing affordable housing units. He brings a strong work ethic to Olympia as he serves the residents of the 7th District. Engell worked for more than seven years for former Congresswoman Cathy McMorris Rodgers, travelling around Eastern Washington meeting with individuals, small business owners, local government officials, and local, state, and federal agencies. He has a passion for people and for making their lives better. Andrew and his wife, Celeste, live in Colville with their four children.



### **ENTENMAN, DEBRA**

**Democrat.** Debra serves the 47th Legislative District, representing parts of Auburn and Kent, Covington, Renton, and unincorporated King County. Her committee assignments include Civil Rights and Judiciary, Postsecondary Education & Workforce Development, Housing, and Transportation. As a former 12-year staff member in the office of Congressman Adam Smith and with her experience as a nontraditional student, Debra is passionate about Higher education and workforce development, early learning, and K-12 schools, and about leveling the playing field for working and middleclass families. She has served on the Board of Trustees at Renton Technical College and studied political science at Highline Community College and Seattle University, earning a B.A. in Political Science from SU.



### **ESLICK, CAROLYN**

**Republican.** Carolyn Eslick is serving her fifth term in the Legislature. She served six years as a city council member and nearly a decade as the mayor of Sultan. Carolyn owned a family restaurant on U.S. Highway 2 for 20 years. She is the founder and former president of GroWashington. Dedicated to helping young people reach their full potential, she serves as the ranking Republican on the House Early Learning and Human Services Committee. She works closely with communities to find solutions to teenage drug and mental health issues. She and her husband, Charles, a retired teacher, live in Sultan.



### **FARIVAR, DARYA**

**Democrat.** State Representative Darya Farivar was born and raised in the 46th Legislative District in the Lake City neighborhood. Prior to the legislature, Rep. Farivar worked in disability rights, behavioral health, and immigrant and refugee advocacy. She graduated from the University of Redlands with a B.A. in Communicative Disorders and a minor in Women, Gender and Sexuality Studies. Darya is proud to be the first Middle Eastern and Iranian American woman elected to the legislature. Her work focuses on the intersection of disability and incarceration to serve those furthest from privilege and to keep communities healthy and safe.



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### **FEY, JAKE**

**Democrat.** Jake represents the 27th Legislative District, including parts of Tacoma, Pierce County and all of Fife and Ruston. During the 2022 Legislative Session, Jake led his colleagues in passage of the Move Ahead Washington transportation package—a \$17 billion, 16-year package that makes unprecedented investments in transit, active transportation and highway preservation and maintenance. First in his family to graduate from college, he earned a B.A. in Political Science from the University of Washington and a master's degree in public administration from the University of Puget Sound. Jake has lived in Tacoma for more than 30 years. He is married and has two children and two grandkids.



### **FITZGIBBON, JOE**

#### **Majority Leader**

**Democrat.** Joe represents the 34th Legislative District, which includes the communities of West Seattle, White Center, parts of South Seattle and Burien, and Vashon and Maury Islands. He was elected in 2010 and served previously as a legislative assistant and on the Burien Planning Commission. Joe grew up in a Navy family and lived across Washington and the United States, but considers Burien to be home and now lives in West Seattle. As the former House Environment & Energy Committee Chair (2014-2022), Joe is passionate about protecting Washington's clean air, clean water, climate, and wildlife.



### **FOSSE, MARY**

#### **Deputy Majority Floor Leader**

**Democrat.** Representative Mary Fosse is the proud mother of two, wife of a veteran, daughter of a single mother, a survivor, and a former small business owner with over a decade of community advocacy experience. Mary is a supporter of unions and working families, helping empower workers through her service on the House Labor & Workplace Standards Committee. Fosse serves on the Everett City Council, and is a former Everett Districting Commissioner, Council of Neighborhoods Representative, and legislative staffer. In her free time, Rep. Fosse enjoys spending quality time with her family, gardening, and volunteering in her community.



### **GOODMAN, ROGER**

**Democrat.** Roger represents the 45th District, including parts of Redmond, Kirkland, Sammamish, and Duvall. Roger earned an A.B. as a Senior Fellow from Dartmouth College, a J.D. from George Washington University and an M.P.A. from Harvard University. Roger previously served as Legislative Director, Counsel and Chief of Staff to two senior Democratic Members of Congress in Washington, D.C. Roger practices law in Seattle and has consulted on criminal justice policy for the King County Bar Association. In the Legislature, Roger focuses on reducing the harm from domestic violence and impaired driving, improving police-community relations, and expanding early learning programs. He lives in Kirkland with his family.

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## Representatives

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### **GRAHAM, VIRGINIA “JENNY”**

**Republican.** Rep. Jenny Graham is serving her fourth term representing the 6th Legislative District, covering parts of Spokane County, Airway Heights, and Medical Lake. An Army veteran, wife, mother of three grown children, grandmother of four grandchildren, and former small business owner, Jenny became a dedicated crime victims advocate after her sister’s tragic murder by the Green River Killer. Her passion for justice and community service inspired her to run for public office. Jenny, a registered Taekwondo instructor and former ski coach for individuals with developmental disabilities, remains deeply committed to serving others. She and her husband, Curtis, proudly call Spokane home.



### **GREGERSON, MIA**

**Democrat.** Mia was first appointed in 2013 to represent the 33rd Legislative District, including SeaTac, Normandy Park, Des Moines, Burien and parts of Kent. Mia also served on the SeaTac City Council from 2008 to 2015. Her legislative accomplishments include serving as the Appropriations Committee Vice Chair, expanding voting rights, increasing access to affordable housing, and championing statewide digital equity efforts. She prides herself in representing one of the most racially diverse districts in the state. Mia has spent most of her life in her district and holds degrees from Highline Community College and the University of Washington.



### **GRIFFEY, DAN**

#### **Minority Whip**

**Republican.** Dan Griffey is serving his sixth term in the Legislature. Dan has served his community for decades, starting at 16 when he became one of the youngest EMTs in the state and volunteer firefighter. In 2022, he retired as a lieutenant after 30 years of service as a professional firefighter in Central Mason County. Since taking office in 2015, Dan has been a fierce advocate for sexual assault and domestic violence survivors. He continues to fight to end the statute of limitations on felony sex offenses. Dan and his wife, Dinah, have four children and five grandchildren.



### **HACKNEY, DAVID**

**Democrat.** Elected in 2020, David represents the 11th Legislative District, which includes Renton, Tukwila, and North Kent. David has practiced law for over 27 years, as a federal prosecutor, a war crimes prosecutor for the United Nations and as in house counsel for The Nature Conservancy. He has facilitated criminal justice reform projects in Kosovo and Uzbekistan. David serves on the Environment & Energy and Transportation Committees and is Vice Chair of the Consumer Protection & Business Committee. He is passionate about criminal justice reform, environmental justice, and civil rights. David holds a bachelor’s degree from Cornell University and a J.D./M.P.A. from Harvard Law School and the Harvard Kennedy School.

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### HILL, NATASHA

**Democrat.** Born and raised in Spokane's Hillyard neighborhood, Natasha was the first in her family to graduate college. A graduate of Rogers high school (2000) and Running Start student, she earned an AA Degree from Spokane Community College (2001), a Bachelor's in Sociology from the University of Washington (2003), and a law degree from Southwestern Law School in Los Angeles (2006). Natasha has represented people from diverse backgrounds across CA and WA. She has served as a moot court coach at Gonzaga Law School for 4 years. In 2024 she served as interim editor for The Black Lens, a newspaper focused on Spokane's Black community. She is also a licensed broker and small business owner. Natasha and her two children live on Spokane's South Hill.



### HUNT, VICTORIA

**Democrat.** Victoria is serving her first term representing the 5th District. With a PhD in Ecology and having worked both in clean energy and in environmental science, she is uniquely qualified to serve as Vice Chair of the House Environment & Energy Committee. Victoria is also a member of the Local Government and Transportation Committees. She previously served as an Issaquah City Councilmember, where she championed initiatives for affordable housing, environmental stewardship, and enhancing public safety. A dedicated public servant, Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) volunteer, and proud mother, Victoria lives in Issaquah.



### JACOBSEN, CYNDY

**Republican.** Cyndy was elected to the state House of Representatives in 2020 from the 25th District. She is a lifelong Washingtonian who has lived in this part of the state for over three decades. She is passionate about helping people and brings a wide variety of experience to the table. Cyndy served on the Puyallup City Council and has volunteered as a president, treasurer, and board member for many parent, community, and faith-based groups. She brings frugality, common sense, and a collaborative spirit to the Legislature. Cyndy and her husband raised their seven children in the Puyallup area and now enjoy the close company of many of their grandchildren.



### JINKINS, LAURIE

#### Speaker of the House

**Democrat.** Laurie represents the 27th Legislative District, including most of Tacoma and all of Ruston and Fife. She made history as Washington's first woman and lesbian Speaker of the House in 2020, and previously served as chair of the House Civil Rights and Judiciary Committee. Laurie received bachelor's and master's degrees from the University of Wisconsin-Madison and a Juris Doctor from Seattle University School of Law, as well as completed executive studies at Harvard University's Kennedy School of Government. She is a senior advisor at the Tacoma-Pierce County Health Department and lives with her wife, Laura, in Tacoma, where they raised their son Wulf.

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## Representatives

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### **KEATON, MICHAEL**

**Republican.** Michael Keaton represents the 25th Legislative District. He is serving his first term. Michael served on the Puyallup School Board from 2015-23. He is on the following House committees: Appropriations; Education; Postsecondary Education and Workforce; and Technology, Economic Development, and Veterans. After graduating with a Bachelor of Arts from the University of Washington, Michael served his country as an F-16 Fighting Falcon combat fighter pilot for the U.S. Air Force, where he earned the call sign “Batman.” He also earned a Master of Aerospace Science from Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University. Michael and his family live in South Hill.



### **KLICKEK, MARK**

**Republican.** Mark was elected to office in 2020 to represent the 16th Legislative District. He is a native of Walla Walla, Washington. He grew up on the family farm following in his ancestor’s footsteps, farming the land by growing irrigated crops, orchards, dryland wheat, cattle, and timber. He continues to sell farm and ranch real estate with Northwest First Realtors. His goal as a state representative is to work collaboratively, with both sides of the aisle, for a better Washington. Mark has been married for 35 years, has three adult children and three grandchildren and enjoys spending time with his growing family.



### **KLOBA, SHELLEY**

**Democrat.** Shelley is serving her fifth term representing the 1st District, which includes parts of Northeastern King and Snohomish Counties. She serves as Vice Chair of the Technology, Economic Development & Veterans Committee and is an ex-officio member of the WA State Gambling Commission. Shelley is a former Washington State PTA Legislative Director, Kirkland City Councilmember, Kirkland Park Board member. In the Legislature, she has become a champion of consumer data privacy, sensible autonomous vehicle laws, problem gambling prevention and treatment, and modernizing cannabis laws with particular focus on patient access. Shelley is a graduate of the University of Illinois (B.S., Kinesiology), the Seattle Massage School, and the University of Idaho Energy Policy Planning certificate program. She and her husband reside in Kenmore with their daughter.



### **LEAVITT, MARI**

#### **Deputy Majority Whip**

**Democrat.** Mari is a mom, small business owner, education leader and strong supporter of military families. With more than two decades of experience working in postsecondary education, she is committed to ensuring access to community and technical education opportunities to help students succeed. Mari has also served Pierce County residents by administering programs ranging from behavioral health to affordable housing. She attended Tacoma Community College and earned her B.A. and M. Ed. from Western Washington University and Ph.D. from Oregon State University. She lives in University Place with her husband, children, and pets.

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## Representatives

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### **LEKANOFF, DEBRA**

**Democrat.** With decades of experience serving the public, Debra is in her fourth term representing the 40th Legislative District, which includes San Juan County, and parts of Skagit and Whatcom Counties. Her life's work has been building safe and healthy communities by finding solutions to the affordable housing crisis, supporting the most vulnerable in our communities, and ensuring we provide healthcare for all. These essential services are vital to her commitment as a policy maker who builds coalitions and brings people to the table where every person is heard, and policy is built on a group platform. She also works on issues of workforce development and education for all, protecting jobs, growing the economy, and removing barriers to find impactful community-based solutions. Debra resides in Anacortes.



### **LEY, JOHN**

**Republican.** John is serving his first term in the Legislature, representing the 18th District. He and his family have been part of the Pacific NW for over 40 years. After 11-plus years in the Air Force, he joined the private sector as a pilot for Delta Air Lines for over 31 years. He also served as a member of the Board of Directors of the Airline Pilots Association, representing 60,000 pilots nationwide. John is fighting for financially responsible and common-sense solutions to problems in the Legislature. He's focused on transportation, especially the I-5 Interstate Bridge Replacement Program. He wants to reduce government intervention, focus on public safety, and improve student learning outcomes in public schools.



### **LOW, SAM**

**Republican.** Sam Low is serving his second term as a state representative. Sam was a successful small business owner before turning to public service after being elected to the Lake Stevens City Council. That led to his role on the Snohomish County Council where he continues to serve as he takes on the role of state legislator. Sam is passionate about helping improve the lives of his community members and the rest of the state and always ready to work in a bipartisan manner to get things done. Sam and his wife, Mariah, live in Lake Stevens and have five adult children.



### **MACRI, NICOLE**

**Democrat.** Nicole represents the 43rd Legislative District which includes several neighborhoods in central Seattle. A native of Brooklyn, NY, Nicole graduated from Rutgers University and earned a master's in public administration from the University of Washington. She lives with her partner in Seattle's Capitol Hill neighborhood and is deputy director of Seattle's Downtown Emergency Service Center, which provides housing, integrated health care and other social services. Nicole has been a legislative leader in housing justice, health care access, and in enacting protections for LGBTQ people and people with disabilities. She is Vice Chair of the Appropriations Committee, serves on the Health Care and Wellness Committee, and co-chairs the Legislative LGBTQ Caucus



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## Representatives

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### **MANJARREZ, DEB**

**Republican.** Deb is serving her first term representing the 14th District, which includes most of Yakima County, and parts of Klickitat, Benton, and Franklin counties. She is a certified public accountant and has been the senior partner in her firm for 25 years. Deb and her husband, Mark, are long-time apple orchardists in the Wapato area. They manage an orchard that has been in her family since the 1940s. She chaired the Wapato Chamber of Commerce for 10 years and helped found the popular Wapato Tamale Festival. Deb and Mark have been married for 39 years. They have two daughters and three grandchildren.



### **MARSHALL, MATT**

**Republican.** Matt Marshall is serving his first term in the Legislature. He is a proud Army veteran who served honorably both enlisted and as an officer. His time serving his country helped him cultivate a deep sense of country, duty, leadership, and integrity that continues to shape his public service. Matt also has over a dozen years of experience as an orthopedic surgery physician assistant. He has a strong sense of community and brings a wealth of experience navigating the complexities of education policy and administration from his prior service as an elected school board member. Matt and his family live in Eatonville.



### **MCCLINTOCK, STEPHANIE**

#### **Minority Caucus Vice Chair**

**Republican.** Stephanie is serving her first term in the state House of Representatives, representing the 18th District, located in Southwest Washington. She is dedicated to her community, which is why making Washington a better place to live and raise a family is one of her top priorities in Olympia. Additionally, as a former school board member and with two children in college, she is particularly interested in the work of the college and workforce development committee. Stephanie believes in a better Washington and plans to be a commonsense voice in Olympia. She is married and has two adult sons.



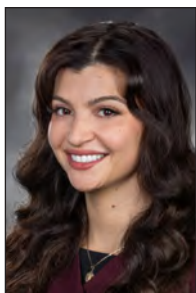
### **MCENTIRE, JOEL**

**Republican.** Joel is serving his third term representing the 19th District, which includes parts of Cowlitz, Grays Harbor, Lewis, Pacific, Wahkiakum and Thurston counties. Joel was raised in Cathlamet. After high school, he served on a two-year mission in Cleveland, Ohio, which included cleaning up flood damage and providing other humanitarian services. After his mission, Joel served in the United States Marine Corps and continues to be a Marine Corps reservist. He has a Bachelor of Science degree in evolutionary ecology and a master's degree in mathematics education. He has many years of experience working in education in various roles. Joel and his wife, Margaret Jean, have five children.

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## Representatives

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### **MENÁ, SHARLETT**

**Democrat.** Sharlett represents the 29th District, covering South and East Tacoma, Parkland, Spanaway, and parts of Lakewood. A proud daughter of Mexican immigrants, she was born in the Tri-Cities and is the first in her family to graduate college. She chairs the House State Government & Tribal Relations Committee, serves on the Environment & Energy and Finance Committees, and is a member of the Washington State Latino Democratic Caucus. Sharlett currently works at the Dept. of Ecology and has worked for the U.S. House, State Senate, and former Gov. Inslee. Her upbringing inspires her to empower working families and advocate for her diverse community.



### **MENDOZA, GLORIA**

#### **Assistant Minority Whip**

**Republican.** Gloria Mendoza is serving her first term representing the 14th Legislative District. A former farmworker, Gloria has lived in Yakima County for more than 45 years. She has owned and operated various small businesses for more than 25 years, including a private vocational and technical school, and is the founder of a company that provides services to children and families. Gloria served as Grandview's mayor and on the Grandview City Council. She is the proud mother of three children. Gloria is active in her community and deeply cares about family and the agricultural community.



### **MORGAN, MELANIE**

**Democrat.** Representative Morgan, a US Army veteran, former school board director, and community advocate, champions equity and racial justice. She prioritizes inclusive policy, including the CROWN Act and a \$200 million Community Reinvestment Account addressing the War on Drugs' impact. Morgan advocates for underrepresented communities, particularly in agriculture and cannabis, promoting diversity. She established Juneteenth as a state holiday and has been a housing advocate since 1997, with experience in mortgage banking and the Pierce County Housing Authority. Prioritizing youth voices, she collaborated with students to designate the state dinosaur. Representing the 29th District, Pos 1, Morgan will continue focusing on equity, diversity, inclusion, and housing equity for the 2025-2027 biennium.



### **NANCE, GREG**

**Democrat.** Greg proudly represents Kitsap, the community that raised him. He is working for working families like the one he grew up in. A Bainbridge K-12 public school grad, Greg attended UChicago as a Truman Scholar and earned his Masters at Cambridge where he studied management and innovation as a Gates Scholar. He co-founded Moneythink, an education technology nonprofit recognized as a "Champion of Change" by President Obama. A lifelong ferry rider and conservationist, he is on a mission to Fix our Ferries and protect Puget Sound. Greg ran 3,156 miles from the Atlantic to the Pacific for youth mental health.



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### **OBRAS, EDWIN**

#### **Assistant Majority Whip.**

**Democrat.** Edwin represents the 33rd District, which includes SeaTac, Normandy Park, Des Moines, and parts of Kent, Burien, Renton, and unincorporated King County. Edwin immigrated as a child from the Philippines and is the first person in his family to graduate from college. He received his BA from the University of Washington and an MPA from Northeastern University. Edwin has worked in the human services field for over 25 years. He also sits on the Board of Directors at the Filipino Community of Seattle having served 5 years as Board President. Edwin is the father of a young adult son.



### **ORCUTT, ED**

**Republican.** Ed Orcutt represents the 20th Legislative District. He is serving his thirteenth term. Ed is ranking member on the Finance Committee. He also sits on the Transportation Committee, Agriculture and Natural Resources Committee, and Economic and Revenue Forecast Council. A Maine native, Ed is a professional forester and owns a forest management company. He earned a Bachelor of Science degree in Forest Management from the University of Idaho. Ed has been active in his community for over 30 years, serving in several leadership roles. Married since 1996, he and his wife, Marcie, live in Kalama.



### **ORMSBY, TIMM**

**Democrat.** Timm was born and raised in Spokane. He is a proud cement mason, and a member of the Plasterers & Cement Masons Local 72. He recently retired from the NE Washington-N Idaho Building & Construction Trades Council. Timm chairs the Appropriations Committee, which drafts the House version of the state's operating budget. He also serves on the Economic & Revenue Forecast Council and the Washington State Institute for Public Policy Board, as well as various community organization boards. Timm is married to Kim Ormsby and has three children and six grandchildren.



### **ORTIZ-SELF, LILLIAN**

#### **Majority Caucus Chair**

**Democrat.** Appointed to the 21st Legislative District in 2014, Lillian retained her seat in the November election. She holds two master's degrees in public administration and counseling and has worked as a school counselor at Everett Public Schools for over 20 years. Before coming to the Legislature, Lillian served as clinical director of a mental health center, regional coordinator for the Illinois State Board of Education, education advisor for the Department of Children and Family Services, and director and founder of the CU Project, a center for Latino families and youth. Lillian has lived in Mukilteo with her family for over 20 years.

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## Representatives

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### **PARSHLEY, LISA**

**Democrat.** Rep. Lisa Parshley is serving her first time in the Washington House of Representatives. She previously served as a member of Olympia City Council. Outside of her duties as an elected official, Rep. Parshley is a leader in veterinary medicine and a small business owner. Her legislative priorities are focused on workforce development and workers' rights, protecting our environment, and lowering costs for working families.



### **PAUL, DAVE**

**Democrat.** Dave is an experienced educator. He has taught in higher education for over 25 years, most recently helping students at Skagit Valley College since 2008. He currently teaches American Government and serves as the College's Director of Community Relations. Dave has a background in helping non-traditional students navigate a changing employment landscape and he serves on the Island County Economic Development Council. He also has significant experience with K-12 schools, including serving on the Oak Harbor Educational Foundation and his local school board while living in Ohio. Dave and his wife, Rachel Anderson-Paul, have four children and live in Oak Harbor.



### **PENNER, JOSHUA**

**Republican.** Josh Penner serves as the Mayor of Orting and is a lifelong resident of the 31st District. A USMC veteran, Josh served in Iraq during the Global War on Terrorism and later became a leader in the Veterans' community, co-chairing the King County Veterans Consortium and co-founding the Pacific Northwest Veterans Coalition. As mayor, he has prioritized fiscal responsibility, public safety, tax relief, balanced budgets, and increased community investments. Josh and his wife Tricia have four children, including two with special needs.



### **PETERSON, STROM**

**Democrat.** Strom represents the 21st Legislative District in Southwest Snohomish County, including neighborhoods in Edmonds, Lynnwood, Everett and Mukilteo. He is a former small business owner having recently sold his restaurant after nearly 20 years Edmonds; food industry. Strom served on the Edmonds City Council. He also serves on the Snohomish County Council. His community involvement includes the PAWS Board, Edmonds Center for the Arts, and the Edmonds Community College. Strom lives in Edmonds with his wife, Maria, and their dog Lulu. He earned his Bachelor of Arts in English from the University of New Mexico.

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### **POLLET, GERRY**

**Democrat.** Gerry represents the 46th District (NE and N Seattle). Gerry is a UW Law School graduate and is a faculty member at the UW School of Public Health and WWU College of Environment. Gerry wrote the statewide referendum that stopped use of Hanford as the nation's High Level Nuclear Waste dump. He is also Director of Heart of America Northwest, leading advocacy for cleanup of the Hanford Nuclear Reservation. Gerry's a long-time public school activist and serves on the Washington Coalition for Open Government board. Gerry has twice been Washington Student Association's "Legislator of the Year" and The League of Women Voters "Sunshine in Government" honoree.



### **RAMEL, ALEX**

#### **Majority Whip**

**Democrat.** Rep. Ramel represents the 40th District which includes San Juan County and parts of Skagit and Whatcom Counties. He was first appointed to the Legislature in 2020. Alex graduated from the Western Washington University College of the Environment and has lived in Bellingham for the last 24 years. He has served as Kulshan Community Land Trust President, helped lead the Community Energy Challenge. His focus on affordable housing & climate change stem from wanting to create a better future for his son, Alden.



### **REED, JULIA**

**Democrat.** Julia, a Seattle native, represents the 36th legislative district. During her day job she consults with businesses, school districts, and nonprofits on postsecondary education access programs, workforce development, and economic development issues. Her legislative work focuses on improving access to post-high school education, workforce development, housing, and expanding access to affordable transportation options that don't require cars. She proudly chairs the Maritime Caucus supporting Washington's maritime industries and workforce.



### **REEVES, KRISTINE**

**Democrat.** As a working mom, former foster youth, and small business owner, Kristine is a strong advocate for working families, educators, and building an economy that works best for all of us. Reeves is a Moses Lake native, a Washington State University (Go Cougs!) and Gonzaga (Go Zags!) grad, she is currently working on her doctorate in Organizational Psychology. Throughout her public service, Kristine has remained dedicated to educational opportunities for all children; ensuring veterans, service members and their families gain access to their earned services and benefits; and fighting for a future that includes us all. Reeves is an economic developer, equity & inclusion consultant, and founder of the Political Equity Project. She lives with her husband and two young children in Federal Way.

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## Representatives

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### **RICHARDS, ADISON**

**Democrat.** Adison has lived in every corner of the 26th District and is focused on giving back. He has volunteered at the Rotary Club, Down Home Band on the Key Peninsula, Awesome Praise, the Gig Harbor Sister Cities Council, and as a Peninsula High School cross country coach. As an attorney, Adison has served at Kitsap Legal Aid Services in housing law to help folks struggling to make ends meet. Adison graduated from Peninsula High and grew up working for his father's small business before going to college. He lives in Gig Harbor with his dog Blue.



### **RUDE, SKYLER**

#### **Assistant Minority Floor Leader**

**Republican.** Skyler was born and raised in Walla Walla. He was first elected to the House in 2018 after serving 4 years as Sen. Maureen Walsh's legislative assistant. The 16th district covers all of Walla Walla County and parts of Benton, Franklin, and Grant counties. He currently serves on the Education (Ranking Member), Appropriations, and Postsecondary Education & Workforce committees. He enjoys camping, road trips, floating the Walla Walla River, and studying local history in his spare time.



### **RULE, ALICIA**

**Democrat.** Alicia represents the 42nd Legislative District. She is a social worker, mental health professional and small business owner. Alicia has helped families with adoptions, supported children who have experienced abuse and cared for hospice patients. She has a bachelor's degree from the University of Washington and a master's degree from San Diego State University. Alicia owns a mental health practice and previously served on the Blaine City Council. She is a proud mom to three boys.



### **RYU, CINDY**

**Democrat.** Cindy serves the 32nd Legislative District, which includes Seattle, Shoreline, Edmonds, Woodway, Mountlake Terrace and Lynnwood. Cindy is a strong advocate for small business, tourism, public transportation, environmental protection, and the safety of our communities. She is working on economic development, providing affordable housing for our working families, and encouraging investments in public infrastructure, including broadband and connectivity.

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## Representatives

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### **SALAHUDDIN, OSMAN**

#### **Assistant Majority Whip**

**Democrat.** Osman represents the 48th Legislative District, including parts of Bellevue, Redmond, Kirkland, and all of Clyde Hill, Medina, Yarrow Point, and Hunts Point. A Redmond native and proud son of immigrants—a special education teacher and small business owner—he earned a B.S. in neurobiology from the University of Washington, where he served as Student Body President. Before being elected, Osman worked as a researcher at Fred Hutch Cancer Research Center and UW Medicine. He has served his community on the Redmond City Council, worked for the King County Council, and contributed to non-profit boards like the Transportation Choices Coalition.



### **SANTOS, SHARON TOMIKO**

**Democrat.** Sharon Tomiko was elected to the House in 1998, representing the most diverse legislative district in Washington state. She is a member of the Washington State Education Opportunity Gap Oversight and Accountability committee, the National Conference of State Legislatures' Education committee, and the National Asian Pacific American Caucus State Legislators Foundation. Locally, she serves on the Board of the Neighborhood House.



### **SCHMICK, JOE**

**Republican.** Rep. Joe Schmick was appointed to office in 2007 and won his first election in 2008. Since then, he has continually served the 9th District which includes Adams, Asotin, Columbia, Garfield, Lincoln, and Whitman counties, and parts of south Spokane County, including the city of Cheney. A former second-generation farmer and small-business owner, he earned degrees in Accounting and Economics from EWU and is a graduate of the Washington Agriculture and Forestry Education Foundation. Joe's extensive background in agriculture includes leadership roles in local, state and national Farm Bureau organizations, Grain Quality Committee, Washington Barley Commission, and the National Barley Improvement Committee. Joe and his wife, Kim, reside in Colfax.



### **SCHMIDT, SUZANNE**

**Republican.** Suzanne is serving her second term representing the 4th District, which includes Spokane Valley, Liberty Lake, Millwood, and the communities of Colbert, Chattaroy, Green Bluff and Newman Lake. Suzanne put herself through college as a single mom. She worked as a park ranger at Libby Dam during college and, after graduating, accepted a permanent job with the Corps of Engineers. Since 1999, Suzanne has represented Washington employers by providing workers' compensation claims management, Labor and Industries account management, safety consulting services, and compliance recommendations. Suzanne lives in Spokane Valley with her husband, Dean. She has three sons and three grandchildren.

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## Representatives

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### **SCOTT, SHAUN**

**Democrat.** Shaun represents the 43rd District. He serves as Vice Chair of the Labor & Workplace Standards Committee and sits on the House Education and Finance Committees. Outside of the legislature, he is a filmmaker, a union organizer, and the author of the book “Heartbreak City: Seattle Sports and the Unmet Promise of Urban Progress.” A member of the Seattle Democratic Socialists of America since 2017, Shaun is the first socialist elected to the Washington State Legislature since 1912. He studied history at the University of Washington and lives in Seattle’s University District.



### **SHAVERS, CLYDE**

#### **Assistant Speaker Pro Tempore**

**Democrat.** Clyde represents the 10th Legislative District, which includes all of Island County and portions of Skagit and Snohomish counties. He graduated from the U.S. Naval Academy and holds a Juris Doctor from Yale Law School. Clyde is a Navy veteran having been stationed in the Middle East and Southeast Asia and currently a practicing attorney. His local public service activities include volunteering and serving on the board of Skagit Friendship House and former board member of South Whidbey’s Goosefoot. Clyde serves as Vice Chair of the Education Committee and is a member of the Health Care & Wellness, and Technology, Economic Development, & Veterans committees. He lives in Clinton.



### **SIMMONS, TARRA**

#### **Deputy Speaker Pro Tempore**

**Democrat.** Tarra represents the 23rd District, which includes Bainbridge Island, Poulsbo, the North Kitsap Peninsula, and parts of Bremerton. Originally hailing from Bremerton, Tarra is a graduate of Pacific Lutheran University and the Seattle University School of Law. A fierce advocate for formerly incarcerated people, she co-founded a non-profit helping formerly incarcerated people reintegrate into their communities and became the first formerly incarcerated person elected to a state legislature in 2020. On her committees she advocates for fairer, more equitable legal, education, and healthcare systems. She lives in Bremerton with her dog, Hope.



### **SPRINGER, LARRY**

#### **Deputy Majority Leader**

**Democrat.** Larry has been a small business owner since 1982 after he left a career as an elementary school teacher. A lifelong resident of East King County, Larry served 11 years on the Kirkland City Council, including four as mayor. Larry was elected to the House in 2004. He is a past president of the Kirkland Downtown Association, former chair of the Suburban Cities Association and has been awarded the National Distinguished Leadership Award for Community Service. Larry and his wife, Penny, live in Kirkland with their two golden retrievers.



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### STEARNS, CHRIS

#### Speaker Pro Tempore

**Democrat.** Representing the 47th Legislative District and currently serving as Speaker Pro Tempore, Chris is an Auburn resident and was the first Native American member of the Auburn City Council. After earning a B.A. from Williams College and a J.D. from Cornell Law School, he began a 30-year legal career that included work at the state and federal level to advance human and tribal rights, expand clean energy jobs, champion health care access and affordability, and improve economic opportunity for tribal and other marginalized communities. He was chair of the Washington State Gambling Commission and first-ever Native American Affairs Director at the U.S. Department of Energy. Chris and his wife Pamela have two daughters and a grandson.



### STEELE, MIKE

**Republican.** A native of Lake Chelan, Mike graduated from Pacific Lutheran University with degrees in political science and business administration. After graduating, Mike worked as a member of the White House political affairs team before returning to Washington state to work for the House Republican Caucus. He is the current executive director of the Lake Chelan Chamber of Commerce, a former city council member, and former chair of the Washington State Chamber of Commerce Executives. Mike's legislative priorities focus on economic vitality, sustainable job growth, and career and technical education. He enjoys spending time with his family, skiing, and boating.



### STOKESBARY, DREW

#### Minority Leader

**Republican.** Drew is the House Republican Leader and is serving his sixth term representing the 31st Legislative District. He is a lifelong Washingtonian, having grown up in the Puget Sound area and graduated from local public schools. Drew holds a B.S. from Duke University, where he studied economics and mathematics, and graduated cum laude from Notre Dame Law School. Outside the Legislature, he is a partner with the law firm Chalmers, Adams, Backer & Kaufman, where he provides legal counsel to emerging companies and venture capital funds. Drew and his wife (Ashley) have four sons (Jackson, Eli, Walker and Baker) and a border collie.



### STONIER, MONICA JURADO

#### Majority Floor Leader

**Democrat.** Monica is a longtime educator and middle-school teacher who now works as an instructional coach for special services at Evergreen Public Schools in Vancouver, mentoring fellow educators to improve their classroom instruction and empowering students with engaging and relevant lessons. She earned her Bachelor's degree from Western Washington University and her Master's degree from Washington State University Vancouver. She comes from a strong military family and believes in making Clark County—and Washington state—a better place for all families, with great schools and a robust middle class. Monica and her husband Brandon have been married since 2001 and have two children.



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## Representatives

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### **STREET, CHIPALO**

#### **Majority Caucus Vice Chair**

**Democrat.** Chipalo represents the 37th District, which covers southeast Seattle. An early passion for technology drove him to get bachelor's and master's in Computer Science from Brown University. After college, Chipalo joined Microsoft, where his pioneering work on edge computing has led to 4 patents. Currently, he works on Copilot. Chipalo also started a small real estate company that views rental homes as partnerships between the owner and tenants. Chipalo gave back to his community by designing and teaching courses on computer science in south Seattle and served on the Public Policy Impact Council at the United Way of King County. He lives in the Central District in Seattle.



### **STUEBE, DAVID**

**Republican.** David is serving his first term in the Legislature, representing the 17th District, which includes east Vancouver, parts of Clark County, and Skamania and Klickitat counties. A retired Marine Colonel, David's leadership and dedication have long been evident in his military and community service. Drawing upon his extensive background, David champions critical issues such as public safety, affordable housing, and the development of stronger communities in Southwest Washington. David was appointed to the Washougal City Council in November 2021 and appointed mayor by the city council in September 2022. He has also worked in the pharmaceutical and health care industries for over 20 years. David has lived in Washougal since 2007.



### **TAYLOR, JAMILA**

**Democrat.** Jamila represents the 30th Legislative District. She is an attorney, youth advocate and small business owner with a passion for community service and a commitment to serving the public good. She has a bachelor's degree from Virginia State University and a law degree from the University of Oregon. Jamila spent time working in youth development and outreach. She launched a legal practice and nonprofit consulting business in 2014, before later joining Northwest Justice Project in 2017 where she served as NJP's statewide advocacy counsel for crime victims civil legal services. She lives in Federal Way.



### **THAI, MY-LINH**

#### **Deputy Majority Leader**

**Democrat.** My-Linh represents the 41st Legislative District, which includes Beaux Arts, Bellevue, Mercer Island, Newcastle, Issaquah and Sammamish. She is the first refugee elected to the Washington State Legislature. At 15, My-Linh immigrated to the U.S. as a Vietnamese refugee. She is a graduate of Federal Way High School and the University of Washington School of Pharmacy. A former School Board Director for the Bellevue School District, she was elected by her fellow Board Directors to serve as Vice President of the Washington State School Board Directors Association. My-Linh lives in Bellevue with her family.

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## Representatives

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### **THARINGER, STEVE**

**Democrat.** Steve is a former small business owner, certified mediator, and Clallam County commissioner who was first elected to the House of Representatives in 2010. He received his bachelor's degree from Colorado College, served as the past chair of the Salmon Recovery Funding Board, and worked on several statewide planning efforts on watershed planning and biodiversity. In the House, he is the longtime chair of the Capital Budget Committee, which builds schools, parks, and other vital infrastructure throughout the state. He's a member of the Sequim Sunrise Rotary and received the Clallam County Community Service Award for his long-standing community involvement. Steve received his B.A. in Political Science from Colorado College and resides in Port Townsend.



### **THOMAS, BRIANNA**

#### **Assistant Majority Whip.**

**Democrat.** Brianna represents the 34th District, which includes West Seattle, Vashon Island, White Center, and west Burien. Brianna has spent her entire career in public service and community advocacy. Prior to her appointment to the Legislature in 2025, Brianna worked as a staffer in the Washington State Senate, policy advisor in the Seattle Mayor's Office, field director at the Washington Housing Alliance Action Fund, and a campaign manager for the \$15 minimum wage in SeaTac. Brianna is a graduate of the University of Washington. Brianna lives in West Seattle and loves dinner theater.



### **TIMMONS, JOE**

#### **Assistant Speaker Pro Tempore**

**Democrat.** Joe represents the 42nd Legislative District. Prior to joining the Legislature in 2022, Joe worked at the local, state, and federal levels of government. Joe is passionate about education and supporting working families. He aims to close the opportunity gaps for students from pre-school through higher education to ensure that Washington state has a well-trained workforce and that everyone has the tools necessary to succeed in life. Joe has a bachelor's degree from Western Washington University and a master's degree from the University of Washington. Joe and his wife Heather live in Bellingham, near where Heather grew up, with their son.



### **VOLZ, MIKE**

**Republican.** Mike is serving his fifth term representing the 6th Legislative District, which includes communities in Spokane County. He is a graduate of Eastern Washington University with a degree in business finance and accounting, and holds an MBA from Gonzaga University. A licensed Certified Public Accountant and certified in "lean management" principles, Mike currently serves as the Chief Deputy Treasurer for Spokane County. He is an Army veteran, having served as a military policeman in West Germany and at Ft. Bragg, North Carolina.

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## Representatives

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### **WALEN, AMY**

**Democrat.** Serving the 48th Legislative District. Amy's journey to the Legislature reflects her commitment to her community. Originally from Oregon, she studied and practiced law in Australia before moving to Washington where she met her husband, Jim. They settled in Kirkland and together own and operate a local auto business. Prior to joining the Legislature in 2019, Amy served on the Kirkland City Council and as Mayor. Amy's current priorities are supporting working families, fighting scams and price gouging, advocating for affordable housing solutions, and championing resources to prevent gun violence. She is a proud stepmom of three, legal guardian to her nephew, and mom to three lovable dachshunds



### **WALSH, JIM**

**Republican.** Jim Walsh was elected to the state House in 2016 and represents the 19th District, covering parts of Cowlitz, Grays Harbor, Lewis, Pacific, Thurston, and Wahkiakum counties. In 2016, Jim was only the third Republican to represent the district since the 1940s; since 2020, the district has been represented by an all-GOP delegation. Jim focuses on creating family-wage jobs, funding schools, and protecting taxpayers, property rights, and gun rights. A graduate of Amherst College, Jim has coached youth basketball, written for the *Aberdeen Daily World*, and served in various Republican leadership roles. He lives in Aberdeen and has five children



### **WATERS, KEVIN**

**Republican.** Kevin is the first Skamania County Resident in over 85 years to serve in the Washington State Legislature. He is serving his second term in the state House of Representatives, representing the 17th District. As a 4th-generation Southwest Washingtonian, community is engrained in Kevin's DNA. He is an active local business leader who serves on several community boards. He started his family business, Backwoods Brewing, and grew it into more than 70 employees. Kevin was also a Port of Skamania Commissioner from 2010 to 2019. He plans to bring the best solutions for the 17th district in Olympia. He is married and has two young daughters.



### **WYLIE, SHARON**

**Democrat.** Sharon is a former Government Relations Officer for Clark County and two-term member of the Oregon Legislature. Elected in 2011, she has extensive experience in government relations, management and project development. Sharon volunteers as a Next Generation Facilitator with the National Institute for Civil Discourse, and in her community for housing, arts and environmental organizations. She earned her Bachelor's in Political Science from UC Riverside. An avid backpacker and oil painter, Sharon lives in Vancouver with her husband of over 40 years, Ted. She has grown twin daughters and four grandchildren.

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## Representatives

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**YBARRA, ALEX**

**Minority Caucus Vice Chair**

**Republican.** Alex Ybarra was elected in 2019 as the state representative for the 13th District, which covers parts of Grant, Kittitas, and Yakima counties. His priorities include protecting taxpayers, funding schools, finding energy solutions, creating family-wage jobs, addressing water issues, and supporting agriculture. A lifelong resident of Quincy, Alex holds a Bachelor of Science in Mathematics from Central Washington University and an MBA from the University of Phoenix. He has served on the Quincy School Board and the State Commission on Hispanic Affairs. Alex has worked as an aerospace engineer and held leadership roles at Grant County PUD. He has one grown daughter, Micaela.



**ZAHN, JANICE**

**Assistant Majority Whip**

**Democrat.** Janice represents the 41st District, which includes Mercer Island, Newcastle, Beaux Arts Village, and portions of Bellevue, Issaquah, and Sammamish. She is a member of the Transportation, Capital Budget, Housing, and Local Government Committees, and continues to serve as a Bellevue City Councilmember. Janice is also Chief Engineer at the Port of Seattle and holds a master's degree in public administration from the University of Washington Evans School, as well as a Master of Science degree in structural engineering and a Bachelor of Science degree in civil engineering, both from the University of Washington. An immigrant from Hong Kong, Janice raised two daughters in Bellevue and has lived there for over 30 years.

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## House Administration

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### **DEAN, BERNARD**

#### **Chief Clerk**

Bernard Dean was first elected Chief Clerk in 2017. He previously served as Deputy Chief Clerk from 2007 through 2016. Bernard first joined the House staff in 2000 as a Senior Fiscal Analyst for the Appropriations Committee, where he worked on corrections, health care, and human services issues. Prior to working for the House, Bernard worked as a Budget Manager for the Department of Corrections, where he was responsible for directing the development and administration of program operating budgets. He also previously served as Policy Research Manager for the Sentencing Guidelines Commission. Bernard earned a Master of Arts in Political Science from Washington State University.



### **PALMER, MELISSA**

#### **Deputy Chief Clerk**

Melissa has served as the Deputy Chief Clerk since the fall of 2019. She first joined the House in 2008 as fiscal staff for the Appropriations Committee. During that time she had the opportunity to cover a variety of budget areas. She then became the House Capital Budget Committee Staff Coordinator and was serving in that role prior to joining the Chief Clerk's Office. She earned a Master of Public Administration from The Evergreen State College.

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# Americans with Disabilities Act

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## Assistance For Persons With Disabilities

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The Washington State Legislature is committed to making legislative activities and facilities accessible to all people. To meet this goal, the Legislature has taken steps to ensure that individuals with disabilities have full access to legislative activities, programs, and services.

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## Barrier-Free Access

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All legislative buildings have designated disabled parking and entrance ramps to provide easy access. Each building on the campus has at least one door that is accessible by wheelchair. Legislative hearing rooms in the Cherberg and O'Brien buildings are accessible to persons using wheelchairs. Each hearing room has an accessible entrance and a designated wheelchair seating area. If additional assistance is required, please contact the appropriate Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) coordinator listed below.

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## Auxiliary Aids For Communication

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### TTY Hotline:

The Legislature has TTY service. This service allows persons who are deaf or hard-of-hearing to communicate with legislators and staff about matters before the Legislature, scheduling, bill information, etc. For information or to leave a message, call the following number:

Legislative TTY . . . . . 1-800-833-6388

### State Telephone Relay Service:

State Telephone Relay Service (TTY) . . . . . 1-800-833-6388

### Assistive Listening Devices in Hearing Rooms and Chambers:

Assistive listening devices are available by request and may be used at any seat in the Hearing Rooms, select conference rooms, and public galleries in the House and Senate Chambers. Headsets with induction neck-loops are available for persons who use hearing aids and cochlear implants with a "T" switch. Ask your audiologist whether your hearing aid or cochlear implant has a "T" switch (telecoil) and how to use it with an assistive listening headset. Requests for headsets and neck-loops should be directed to Senate or House Security staff.

### ASL Interpreters and Readers:

If you require an American Sign Language interpreter or reader, please contact the ADA Coordinator in advance. The more advance notice you are able to provide, the higher likelihood that your request can be fulfilled.

### Documents in Alternative Formats:

Legislative documents can be made available in alternate formats (large print or braille) upon request. If you need a document in an alternate format, please contact one of the appropriate ADA Coordinators. Please give as much advance notice as possible, as it may take a significant turnaround time to meet certain requests.

### Comments/Concerns

The Washington Legislature would like to hear from you if you have comments or concerns relating to services we provide to persons with disabilities. If you have comments or complaints, please feel free to contact the appropriate ADA Coordinator.

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## ADA Coordinators

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The Senate and House of Representatives ADA coordinators provide assistance if questions or concerns arise and coordinate the implementation of the ADA.

Senate Human Resource Officer . . . . . (360) 786-7558

Kyle Overmiller, Technology & Facilities Director . . . . . (360) 786-7271

LSS Human Resources Business Partner . . . . . (360) 786-7337

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## How a Bill Becomes a Law

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1. A bill may be introduced in either the Senate or House of Representatives, but the procedure by which a bill becomes a law is much the same, wherever the bill originates.  
The bill is introduced in the Senate or the House by a member, or members, of that body. After the bill is filed with the Secretary of the Senate or Chief Clerk of the House, it is given a number and, it is read the first time by title only in open session and referred to a standing committee.
2. The committee studies the bill and often holds public hearings on it. The committee will then meet to consider the information it has gathered. It may approve the bill with or without amendments, draft a new bill on the same subject incorporating the desired changes, or take no action.
3. The committee is now ready to report back to the Senate or the House. If the majority is in favor of the bill as introduced or with certain amendments, the chair recommends the bill for passage. The committee report is read in open session of the Senate or the House, and the bill is then referred to the Rules Committee.
4. After the bill has been recommended for passage by the standing committee to which it was originally referred, the Rules Committee can either place it on the second reading calendar for debate before the entire body, or take no action.
5. When the bill appears on the calendar for second reading, it is subject to amendment. It is then returned to the Rules Committee where it must receive a favorable vote before being placed on the third reading calendar for final passage. This referral to Rules is often bypassed by vote of the Senate or the House and the bill placed on final passage immediately following its second reading. Depending upon the degree of controversy, debate may last a few minutes to several hours or even several days.
6. After passing in the Senate or the House, the bill will go through an almost identical procedure in the other body.  
If the bill is passed by the other body, but is amended, the originating body must concur on the amendments. If the change in the bill is not accepted, it may be returned for reconsideration of the amendments. If the amendments are not rescinded, a conference committee may be requested on the differences.
7. If the conference committee cannot agree, a conference committee may be appointed with power to rewrite the amendment or even write an entirely new bill. When the conferees reach agreement, they report to their respective houses. Their report is either accepted or rejected without any changes.
8. If the report is accepted by both houses, the bill is signed by the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House in open sessions of each body, and then is sent for the Governor's signature.
9. Within five days, if the Legislature is still in session, or 20 days after its adjournment, the Governor may sign the bill or veto all or any section of it. The Legislature can override the veto by a two-thirds vote of both houses. If the Governor fails to act on the bill, it becomes law without a signature.



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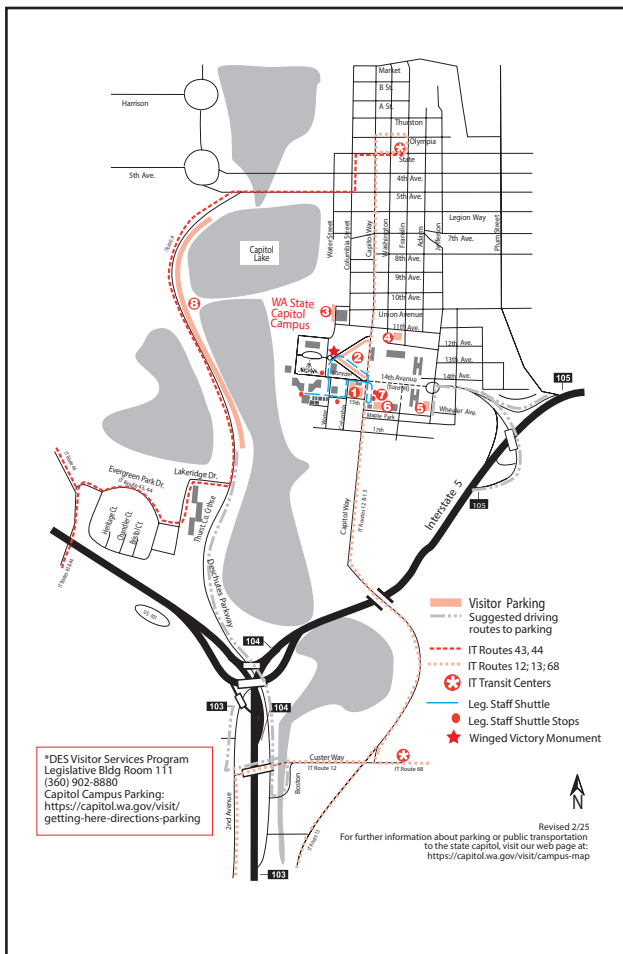
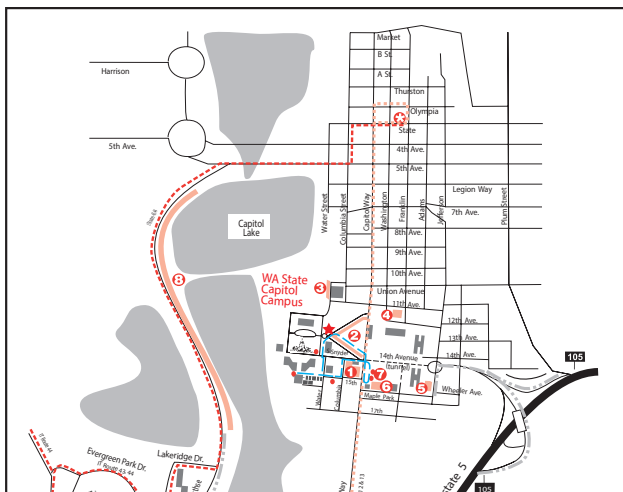
## State Capitol Parking Information

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There are four parking locations available for visitors to the Capitol:

1. **North and South Diagonal Parking** located along the North and South Diagonal streets on the Capitol Campus. The North Diagonal has 54 stalls. The South Diagonal has 48 stalls. There is a \$2.00 per hour charge.
2. **General Administration Building** located at 11th Avenue and Columbia Street. There are 35 visitor parking stalls on the west side (facing Capitol Lake) of the building. There is a \$2.00 per hour charge.
3. **Maple Park Annex Parking Lot off Maple Park Street** has metered parking with 14 stalls. Parking is \$2.00 an hour.
4. **Capitol Campus Visitor Parking in the Plaza Garage** at Maple Park and the only stop light on Maple Park offers 35 additional metered parking spaces. Parking is \$2.00 an hour.

# State Capitol Parking Information



\*DES Visitor Services Program  
 Legislative Bldg Room 111  
 (360) 902-8880  
 Capitol Campus Parking:  
<https://capitol.wa.gov/visit/getting-here-directions-parking>

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 For further information about parking or public transportation to the state capitol, visit our web page at:  
<https://capitol.wa.gov/visit/campus-map>

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## Visitors Tour Information

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The Department of Enterprise Services State Capitol Visitor Services Program provides general public and specialized educational tours to school groups, constituent visitors and guests, community organizations and the visiting public. The Tour Office will coordinate with the legislator's office when scheduling visiting constituent groups. When school groups are scheduled to tour the capitol during session, the Tour Office will notify legislative offices of any visiting groups from their district and reserve a time for the legislator to meet with them.

Tour requests from constituents usually come directly to the Tour Office. However, many times the request comes first to the legislator, who will then call the Tour Office with the name of the group and a contact phone number.

Free guided public tours of the Washington State Legislative Building are offered seven days a week between the hours of 10:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. Monday – Friday, and 11:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. on weekends and holidays. Tours begin every hour on the hour and are one hour in length. Public tours begin in the main entrance foyer, located just inside the main entrance doors of the Legislative Building. The Legislative Building is closed on Thanksgiving, the day after Thanksgiving, Christmas, and New Year's Day.

Free public tours of the Governor's Residence are available most Wednesdays by reservation. Afternoon tours are available, but tour dates and times can vary from week to week. Maximum group size is limited to 25 and each tour lasts one hour. Photo ID is required.

Visitors are welcome to take a self-guided tour of the Legislative Building and the campus grounds. Complimentary building brochures are available at the Tour Information Desk, located in the main entrance foyer of the Legislative Building and at the Visitor Services Office located on the first floor of the Legislative Building in Room 111.

The Washington State Capitol Tour Office accepts reservations for group tours year round. Please visit the Visitor Services website at [www.des.wa.gov](http://www.des.wa.gov) to complete an online group tour request form or call the Tour Office at 360-902-8880 between 7:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. Monday – Friday for information about current tour offerings and availability, visitor parking, and accommodation or special needs assistance.

**Campus Activities and Event Information** . . . . . 360-902-8881

**Capitol Tours** . . . . . 360-902-8880

**Executive Residence Tours** (Wednesdays by reservation) . . . 360-902-8880

Further information about guided, self-guided, and virtual tours of the Capitol and surrounding grounds can be found at <https://capitol.wa.gov/tours/self-guided-virtual-tours>

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## Legislative Gift Center

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The Legislative Gift Center is committed to promoting the State of Washington and the goods produced around the state. The friendly staff will gladly work with you to find the perfect gift or souvenir. With a wide variety of books, greeting cards, legislative items, toys, gourmet foods, sweet confections and Washington wines there is sure to be something to please everyone. Numerous convenience items and services are available such as stamps, umbrellas, gift wrapping, shipping and on-campus delivery. Proceeds from the Gift Center support the work of the Capital Furnishings Preservation Committee, the Legislative Oral History Program, and the Legacy Project. The shop is located in the Capitol Building by the Southeast entrance, room #106. Open hours: Monday to Friday 9am to 4pm, Saturday/Sunday 11am to 4pm. Feel welcome to call us at 360-786-1889 or order online: [www.WACapitolGiftShop.org](http://www.WACapitolGiftShop.org).



