

## SIXTY EIGHTH LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION

## FIRST DAY

House Chamber, Olympia, JANUARY 9, 2023

The House was called to order at 12:00 p.m. by Chief Clerk Bernard Dean for the 2023 Regular Session of the 68th Legislature.

The flags were escorted to the rostrum by the Washington State Patrol Honor Guard, Commanded by Sergeant James Maguire, and comprised of Sergeant William Rutherford, Trooper Brian Chase, Trooper Jeffery Eifert, and Trooper Michael Sessions. Chief Clerk Dean led the Chamber in the Pledge of Allegiance.

The National Anthem was sung by Representative Paul Harris, 17th Legislative District.

The prayer was offered by Pastor Gregory Christopher, Shiloh Baptist Church, Tacoma.

The Chief Clerk called upon Representative-elect Julio Cortes and Representative-elect Greg Cheney to escort Justice Raquel Montoya-Lewis of the Supreme Court of the State of Washington to the rostrum.

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

## MESSAGES FROM THE SECRETARY OF STATE

**The Honorable Speaker of the House of Representatives  
The Legislature of the State of Washington  
Olympia, Washington**

Madam Speaker:

I, Steve Hobbs, Secretary of State of the state of Washington, do hereby certify that the following is a full, true, and correct list of persons elected to the Office of State Representative at the state General Election held in the state of Washington on the 8th day of November 2022, as shown by the official returns of said election now on file in the Office of the Secretary of State:

## Representatives Elected November 8, 2022

District	Name	Party	Counties Represented
1	Davina Duerr Shelley Kloba	Prefers Democratic Party Prefers Democratic Party	King, Snohomish
2	Andrew Barkis JT Wilcox	Prefers Republican Party Prefers Republican Party	Pierce, Thurston
3	Marcus Riccelli Timm Ormsby	Prefers Democratic Party Prefers Democratic Party	Spokane
4	Suzanne Schmidt Leonard Christian	Prefers Republican Party Prefers Republican Party	Spokane
5	Bill Ramos Lisa Callan	Prefers Democratic Party Prefers Democratic Party	King
6	Mike Volz Jenny Graham	Prefers Republican Party Prefers Republican Party	Spokane
7	Jacquelin Maycumber Joel Kretz	Prefers Republican Party Prefers Republican Party	Douglas, Ferry, Grant, Okanogan, Pen Oreille, Spokane, Stevens
8	Stephanie Barnard April Connors	Prefers Republican Party Prefers Republican Party	Benton, Franklin
9	Mary Dye Joe Schmick	Prefers Republican Party Prefers GOP Party	Adams, Asotin, Columbia, Franklin, Garfield, Lincoln, Spokane, Whitman
10	Clyde Shavers Dave Paul	Prefers Democratic Party Prefers Democratic Party	Island, Skagit, Snohomish
11	David Hackney Steve Bergquist	Prefers Democratic Party Prefers Democratic Party	King
12	Keith W. Goehner Mike Steele	Prefers Republican Party Prefers Republican Party	Chelan, Douglas, King, Snohomish

13	Tom Dent Alex Ybarra	Prefers Republican Party Prefers Republican Party	Grant, Kittitas, Yakima
14	Chris Corry Gina Mosbrucker	Prefers Republican Party Prefers Republican Party	Klickitat, Yakima
15	Bruce Chandler Bryan Sandlin	Prefers Republican Party Prefers Republican Party	Adams, Benton, Franklin, Grant, Yakima
16	Mark Klicker Skyler Rude	Prefers Republican Party Prefers Republican Party	Denton, Franklin, Walla Walla
17	Kevin Waters Paul Harris	Prefers Republican Party Prefers Republican Party	Clark, Skamania
18	Stephanie McClintock Greg Cheney	Prefers Republican Party Prefers Republican Party	Clark
19	Jim Walsh Joel McEntire	Prefers Republican Party Prefers Republican Party	Cowlitz, Grays Harbor, Lewis, Pacific, Thurston, Wahkiakum
20	Peter Abbarno Ed Orcutt	Prefers Republican Party Prefers Republican Party	Clark, Cowlitz, Lewis, Thurston
21	Strom Peterson Lillian Ortiz-Self	Prefers Democratic Party Prefers Democratic Party	Snohomish
22	Beth Doglio Jessica Bateman	Prefers Democratic Party Prefers Democratic Party	Thurson
23	Tarra Simmons Drew Hansen	Prefers Democratic Party Prefers Democratic Party	Kitsap
24	Mike Chapman Steve Tharinger	Prefers Democratic Party Prefers Democratic Party	Clallam, Grays Harbor, Jefferson
25	Kelly Chambers Cyndy Jacobsen	Prefers Republican Party Prefers Republican Party	Pierce
26	Spencer Hutchins Michelle Calder	Prefers Republican Party Prefers Republican Party	Kitsap, Pierce
27	Laurie Jinkins Jake Fey	Prefers Democratic Party Prefers Democratic Party	Pierce
28	Mari Leavitt Dan Bronoske	Prefers Democratic Party Prefers Democratic Party	Pierce
29	Melanie Morgan Sharlett Mena	Prefers Democratic Party Prefers Democratic Party	Pierce
30	Jamila E. Taylor Kristine Reeves	Prefers Democratic Party Prefers Democratic Party	King
31	Drew Stokesbary Eric E. Robertson	Prefers Republican Party Prefers Republican Party	King, Pierce
32	Cindy Ryu Lauren Davis	Prefers Democratic Party Prefers Democratic Party	King, Snohomish
33	Tina L. Orwall Mia Su-Ling Gregerson	Prefers Democratic Party Prefers Democratic Party	King
34	Emily Alvarado Joe Fitzgibbon	Prefers Democratic Party Prefers Democratic Party	King
35	Dan Griffey Travis Couture	Prefers Republican Party Prefers Republican Party	Kitsap, Mason, Thurston
36	Julia G. Reed Liz Berry	Prefers Democratic Party Prefers Democratic Party	King
37	Sharon Tomiko Santos Chipalo Street	Prefers Democratic Party Prefers Democratic Party	King

38	Julio Cortes Mary Fosse	Prefers Democratic Party Prefers Democratic Party	Snohomish
39	Sam Low Carolyn Eslick	Prefers Republican Party Prefers Republican Party	Skagit, Snohomish
40	Debra Lekanoff Alex Ramel	Prefers Democratic Party Prefers Democratic Party	San Juan, Skagit, Whatcom
41	Tana Senn My-Linh T. Thai	Prefers Democratic Party Prefers Democratic Party	King
42	Alicia Rule Joe Timmons	Prefers Democratic Party Prefers Democratic Party	Whatcom
43	Nicole Macri Frank Chopp	Prefers Democratic Party Prefers Democratic Party	King
44	Brandy Donaghy April Berg	Prefers Democratic Party Prefers Democratic Party	Snohomish
45	Roger Goodman Larry Springer	Prefers Democratic Party Prefers Democratic Party	King
46	Gerry Pollet Darya Farivar	Prefers Democratic Party Prefers Democratic Party	King
47	Debra Jean Entenman Chris Stearns	Prefers Democratic Party Prefers Democratic Party	King
48	Vandana Slatter Amy Walen	Prefers Democratic Party Prefers Democratic Party	King
49	Sharon Wylie Monica Jurado Stonier	Prefers Democratic Party Prefers Democratic Party	Clark

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand, and affixed the seal of the state of Washington on this 8th day of December 2022.

#### Canvass of the Returns of the General Election Held on November 8, 2022

I, Steve Hobbs, Secretary of State of the State of Washington, do hereby certify that according to the provisions of RCW 29A.60.250, I have canvassed the returns of the 3,067,686 votes cast in the November 8, 2022 General Election by the registered voters of the state for all statewide measures, statewide offices, those legislative and judicial offices whose jurisdiction encompasses more than one county, as received from the County Auditors. The votes cast for these measures and these candidates are as follows:

##### Advisory Vote No. 39

Engrossed Substitute Senate Bill 5974

The legislature increased, without a vote of the people, the tax on aircraft fuel from 11 cents to 18 cents per gallon, costing \$14 million in its first ten years, for government spending.

Repealed: 1,704,666  
Maintained: 1,189,673

##### Advisory Vote No. 40

Engrossed Substitute House Bill 2076

The legislature imposed, without a vote of the people, premiums on "transportation network companies" to provide workers compensation to their drivers, costing an indeterminate amount in its first ten years, for government spending.

Repealed: 1,494,471  
Maintained: 1,378,471

##### U.S. Senator

Candidate	Party Preference	Votes
Patty Murray	(Prefers Democratic Party)	1,741,827
Tiffany Smiley	(Prefers Republican Party)	1,299,322
WRITE-IN		6,751

##### Congressional District 1 - U.S. Representative

Candidate	Party Preference	Votes
Suzan DelBene	(Prefers Democratic Party)	181,992
Vincent J Cavaleri	(Prefers Republican Party)	104,329

WRITE-IN		363
Congressional District 2 - U.S. Representative		
Candidate	Party Preference	Votes
Rick Larsen	(Prefers Democratic Party)	202,980
Dan Matthews	(Prefers Republican Party)	134,335
WRITE-IN		608
Congressional District 3 - U.S. Representative		
Candidate	Party Preference	Votes
Marie Gluesenkamp Perez	(Prefers Democratic Party)	160,314
Joe Kent	(Prefers Republican Party)	157,685
WRITE-IN		1,760
Congressional District 4 - U.S. Representative		
Candidate	Party Preference	Votes
Dan Newhouse	(Prefers Republican Party)	150,619
Doug White	(Prefers Democratic Party)	70,710
WRITE-IN		5,318
Congressional District 5 - U.S. Representative		
Candidate	Party Preference	Votes
Cathy McMorris Rodgers	(Prefers Republican Party)	188,648
Natasha Hill	(Prefers Democratic Party)	127,585
WRITE-IN		773
Congressional District 6 - U.S. Representative		
Candidate	Party Preference	Votes
Derek Kilmer	(Prefers Democratic Party)	208,710
Elizabeth Kreiselmaier	(Prefers Republican Party)	138,754
WRITE-IN		409
Congressional District 7 - U.S. Representative		
Candidate	Party Preference	Votes
Pramila Jayapal	(Prefers Democratic Party)	295,998
Cliff Moon	(Prefers Republican Party)	49,207
WRITE-IN		1,442
Congressional District 8 - U.S. Representative		
Candidate	Party Preference	Votes
Kim Schrier	(Prefers Democratic Party)	179,003
Matt Larkin	(Prefers Republican Party)	155,976
WRITE-IN		1,059
Congressional District 9 - U.S. Representative		
Candidate	Party Preference	Votes
Adam Smith	(Prefers Democratic Party)	171,746
Doug Basler	(Prefers Republican Party)	67,631
WRITE-IN		471
Congressional District 10 - U.S. Representative		
Candidate	Party Preference	Votes

Marilyn Strickland	(Prefers Democratic Party)	152,544
Keith R Swank	(Prefers Republican Party)	114,777
WRITE-IN		427

Secretary of State		
Candidate	Party Preference	Votes
Steve Hobbs	(Prefers Democratic Party)	1,468,521
Julie Anderson	(Prefers Nonpartisan Party)	1,351,926
WRITE-IN		129,933

Legislative District 1 - State Representative Position 1		
Candidate	Party Preference	Votes
Davina Duerr	(Prefers Democratic Party)	48,043
John Peeples	(Prefers Republican Party)	19,740
WRITE-IN		58

Legislative District 1 - State Representative Position 2		
Candidate	Party Preference	Votes
Shelley Kloba	(Prefers Democratic Party)	48,198
Jerry Buccola	(Prefers Republican Party)	19,443
WRITE-IN		67

Legislative District 2 - State Representative Position 1		
Candidate	Party Preference	Votes
Andrew Barkis	(Prefers Republican Party)	41,291
WRITE-IN		3,009

Legislative District 2 - State Representative Position 2		
Candidate	Party Preference	Votes
JT Wilcox	(Prefers Republican Party)	38,535
Edward Meer	(States No Party Preference)	13,634
WRITE-IN		1,022

Legislative District 7 - State Senator		
Candidate	Party Preference	Votes
Shelly Short	(Prefers Republican Party)	51,661
WRITE-IN		1,638

Legislative District 7 - State Representative Position 1		
Candidate	Party Preference	Votes
Jacquelin Maycumber	(Prefers Republican Party)	42,611
Lonny Ray Williams	(Prefers Republican Party)	14,771
WRITE-IN		1,180

Legislative District 7 - State Representative Position 2		
Candidate	Party Preference	Votes
Joel Kretz	(Prefers Republican Party)	51,074
WRITE-IN		1,534

Legislative District 8 - State Senator		
Candidate	Party Preference	Votes
Matt Boehnke	(Prefers Republican Party)	40,808

Ronni Batchelor	(Prefers Independent Party)	15,960
WRITE-IN		143
Legislative District 8 - State Representative Position 1		
Candidate	Party Preference	Votes
Stephanie Barnard	(Prefers Republican Party)	37,729
Patrick Guettner	(Prefers Republican Party)	13,015
WRITE-IN		995
Legislative District 8 - State Representative Position 2		
Candidate	Party Preference	Votes
April Connors	(Prefers Republican Party)	29,176
Joe Cotta	(Prefers Republican Party)	22,880
WRITE-IN		993
Legislative District 9 - State Representative Position 1		
Candidate	Party Preference	Votes
Mary Dye	(Prefers Republican Party)	46,711
WRITE-IN		2,124
Legislative District 9 - State Representative Position 2		
Candidate	Party Preference	Votes
Joe Schmick	(Prefers GOP Party)	45,320
WRITE-IN		2,133
Legislative District 10 - State Representative Position 1		
Candidate	Party Preference	Votes
Clyde Shavers	(Prefers Democratic Party)	37,375
Greg Gilday	(Prefers Republican Party)	37,164
WRITE-IN		104
Legislative District 10 - State Representative Position 2		
Candidate	Party Preference	Votes
Dave Paul	(Prefers Democratic Party)	38,911
Karen Lesetmoe	(Prefers Republican Party)	35,711
WRITE-IN		74
Legislative District 12 - State Representative Position 1		
Candidate	Party Preference	Votes
Keith W. Goehner	(Prefers Republican Party)	45,819
WRITE-IN		2,764
Legislative District 12 - State Representative Position 2		
Candidate	Party Preference	Votes
Mike Steele	(Prefers Republican Party)	42,812
Robert K Amenn	(Prefers Republican Party)	9,655
WRITE-IN		2,111
Legislative District 13 - State Senator		
Candidate	Party Preference	Votes
Judy Warnick	(Prefers Republican Party)	41,785
WRITE-IN		1,242

## Legislative District 13 - State Representative Position 1

Candidate	Party Preference	Votes
Tom Dent	(Prefers Republican Party)	41,617
WRITE-IN		1,235

## Legislative District 13 - State Representative Position 2

Candidate	Party Preference	Votes
Alex Ybarra	(Prefers Republican Party)	41,425
WRITE-IN		1,086

## Legislative District 14 - State Representative Position 1

Candidate	Party Preference	Votes
Chris Corry	(Prefers Republican Party)	30,367
Laurene Contreras	(States No Party Preference)	15,592
WRITE-IN		135

## Legislative District 14 - State Representative Position 2

Candidate	Party Preference	Votes
Gina Mosbrucker	(Prefers Republican Party)	30,940
Liz Hallock	(States No Party Preference)	15,208
WRITE-IN		148

## Legislative District 15 - State Senator

Candidate	Party Preference	Votes
Nikki Torres	(Prefers Republican Party)	15,686
Lindsey Keesling	(Prefers Democratic Party)	7,437
WRITE-IN		55

## Legislative District 15 - State Representative Position 1

Candidate	Party Preference	Votes
Bruce Chandler	(Prefers Republican Party)	17,856
WRITE-IN		802

## Legislative District 15 - State Representative Position 2

Candidate	Party Preference	Votes
Bryan Sandlin	(Prefers Republican Party)	17,384
WRITE-IN		774

## Legislative District 16 - State Representative Position 1

Candidate	Party Preference	Votes
Mark Klicker	(Prefers Republican Party)	37,792
Jeff Strickler	(Prefers Democratic Party)	17,128
WRITE-IN		63

## Legislative District 16 - State Representative Position 2

Candidate	Party Preference	Votes
Skyler Rude	(Prefers Republican Party)	38,916
Jan Corn	(Prefers Democratic Party)	15,816
WRITE-IN		65

## Legislative District 17 - State Representative Position 1

Candidate	Party Preference	Votes
Terri Niles	(Prefers Democratic Party)	32,423
Kevin Waters	(Prefers Republican Party)	36,901
WRITE-IN		110

## Legislative District 17 - State Representative Position 2

Candidate	Party Preference	Votes
Joe Kear	(Prefers Democratic Party)	31,407
Paul Harris	(Prefers Republican Party)	37,860
WRITE-IN		125

## Legislative District 19 - State Representative Position 1

Candidate	Party Preference	Votes
Jim Walsh	(Prefers Republican Party)	39,940
Kelli Hughes-Ham	(Prefers Democratic Party)	24,232
WRITE-IN		71

## Legislative District 19 - State Representative Position 2

Candidate	Party Preference	Votes
Joel McEntire	(Prefers Republican Party)	39,357
Cara Cusack	(Prefers Democratic Party)	24,643
WRITE-IN		81

## Legislative District 20 - State Representative Position 1

Candidate	Party Preference	Votes
Peter Abbarno	(Prefers Republican Party)	50,693
WRITE-IN		2,059

## Legislative District 20 - State Representative Position 2

Candidate	Party Preference	Votes
Ed Orcutt	(Prefers Republican Party)	50,764
WRITE-IN		1,973

## Legislative District 24 - State Representative Position 1

Candidate	Party Preference	Votes
Mike Chapman	(Prefers Democratic Party)	46,050
Sue Forde	(Prefers Republican Party)	35,354
WRITE-IN		73

## Legislative District 24 - State Representative Position 2

Candidate	Party Preference	Votes
Steve Tharinger	(Prefers Democratic Party)	44,910
Brian Pruiett	(Prefers Republican Party)	36,202
WRITE-IN		53

## Legislative District 26 - State Senator

Candidate	Party Preference	Votes
Emily Randall	(Prefers Democratic Party)	38,222
Jesse L. Young	(Prefers Republican Party)	36,946
WRITE-IN		93

## Legislative District 26 - State Representative Position 1

Candidate	Party Preference	Votes
Adison Richards	(Prefers Democratic Party)	37,081
Spencer Hutchins	(Prefers Republican Party)	37,816
WRITE-IN		45

## Legislative District 26 - State Representative Position 2

Candidate	Party Preference	Votes
Michelle Caldier	(Prefers Republican Party)	42,087
Matt Macklin	(Prefers Democratic Party)	32,741
WRITE-IN		65

## Legislative District 31 - State Senator

Candidate	Party Preference	Votes
Phil Fortunato	(Prefers Republican Party)	35,764
Chris Vance	(States No Party Preference)	28,053
WRITE-IN		263

## Legislative District 31 - State Representative Position 1

Candidate	Party Preference	Votes
Holly Stanton	(Prefers Democratic Party)	25,929
Drew Stokesbary	(Prefers Republican Party)	39,051
WRITE-IN		69

## Legislative District 31 - State Representative Position 2

Candidate	Party Preference	Votes
Eric E. Robertson	(Prefers Republican Party)	40,206
Carrie Wilbur	(Prefers Democratic Party)	24,489
WRITE-IN		86

## Legislative District 32 - State Senator

Candidate	Party Preference	Votes
Jesse Soloman	(Prefers Democratic Party)	43,240
Patricia Weber	(Prefers Democratic Party)	13,159
WRITE-IN		1,396

## Legislative District 32 - State Representative Position 1

Candidate	Party Preference	Votes
Cindy Ryu	(Prefers Democratic Party)	51,038
Lori Theis	(Prefers Election Integrity Party)	11,155
WRITE-IN		298

## Legislative District 32 - State Representative Position 2

Candidate	Party Preference	Votes
Lauren Davis	(Prefers Democratic Party)	50,403
Anthony Hubbard	(Prefers Republican Party)	13,001
WRITE-IN		140

## Legislative District 35 - State Senator

Candidate	Party Preference	Votes
Drew C MacEwen	(Prefers Republican Party)	41,828
Julianne Gale	(Prefers Democratic Party)	32,705
WRITE-IN		74

## Legislative District 35 - State Representative Position 1

Candidate	Party Preference	Votes
Daniel Griffey	(Prefers Republican Party)	43,938
James DeHart	(Prefers Democratic Party)	30,459
WRITE-IN		96

## Legislative District 35 - State Representative Position 2

Candidate	Party Preference	Votes
Sandy Kaiser	(Prefers Democratic Party)	34,762
Travis Couture	(Prefers Republican Party)	39,445
WRITE-IN		57

## Legislative District 39 - State Representative Position 1

Candidate	Party Preference	Votes
Robert J. Sutherland	(Prefers Republican Party)	24,976
Sam Low	(Prefers Republican Party)	31,997
WRITE-IN		1,856

## Legislative District 39 - State Representative Position 2

Candidate	Party Preference	Votes
Carolyn Eslick	(Prefers Republican Party)	38,519
Jessica Wadhams	(Prefers Democratic Party)	26,082
WRITE-IN		123

## Legislative District 40 - State Representative Position 1

Candidate	Party Preference	Votes
Debra Lekanoff	(Prefers Democratic Party)	52,488
Shannon Perkes	(Prefers Republican Party)	23,208
WRITE-IN		142

## Legislative District 40 - State Representative Position 2

Candidate	Party Preference	Votes
Alex Ramel	(Prefers Democratic Party)	47,326
Trevor Smith	(Prefers Democratic Party)	14,978
WRITE-IN		1,872

## Supreme Court - Justice Position 1

Candidate	Votes
Mary I. Yu	1,961,152
WRITE-IN	52,447

## Supreme Court - Justice Position 5

Candidate	Votes
Barbra Madsen	1,937,634
WRITE-IN	43,453

## Supreme Court - Justice Position 6

Candidate	Votes
G. Helen Whitener	1,918,080
WRITE-IN	42,740

Court of Appeals, Division 2, District 2 - Judge Position 1

Candidate	Votes
Erik D. Price	229,277
WRITE-IN	4,963

Court of Appeals, Division 2, District 3 - Judge Position 2

Candidate	Votes
Anne Cruser	184,274
WRITE-IN	3,252

Court of Appeals, Division 3, District 2 - Judge Position 1

Candidate	Votes
George Fearing	120,000
WRITE-IN	1,513

Benton, Franklin Superior Court - Judge Position 4

Candidate	Votes
George F. Cicotte	39,419
Norma Rodriguez	48,898
WRITE-IN	218

Benton, Franklin Superior Court - Judge Position 6

Candidate	Votes
Jacqueline I. Stam	64,910
WRITE-IN	704

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the state of Washington on this 7th day of December 2022, at Olympia, the State Capital.

Steve R. Hobbs  
Secretary of State

**OATH OF OFFICE**

Justice Montoya-Lewis administered the Oath of Office to the Members of the House of Representatives. The Certificates of Election were distributed to the members.

**RESOLUTION**

**HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 2023-4601**, by Representatives Fitzgibbon and Kretz

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That ~~((permanent))~~temporary House Rules for the ~~((Sixty-Seventh))~~Sixty-Eighth Legislature be adopted as follows:

TEMPORARY RULES OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
((SIXTY-SEVENTH))SIXTY-EIGHTH LEGISLATURE ((2021-2022))2023-2024

**HOUSE RULE NO.**

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<b>Rule <del>((34))35</del></b>	Legislative <del>((Mailings))</del> Publications
<b>Rule 36</b>	<u>Emergency Resolution Authorized</u>

#### Definitions

**Rule 1.(A)** "Absent" means an unexcused failure to attend.

~~("Term" means the two-year term during which the members as a body may act.~~

~~"Session" means a constitutional gathering of the house in accordance with Article II § 12 of the state Constitution.)~~

**(B)** "Bill" means bill, joint memorial, joint resolution, or concurrent resolution unless the context indicates otherwise.

**(C)** "Committee" means any standing, conference, joint, or select committee as so designated by rule or resolution.

**(D)** "Fiscal committee" means the appropriations, capital budget, finance, and transportation committees.

~~("Bill" means bill, joint memorial, joint resolution, or concurrent resolution unless the context indicates otherwise.)~~

**(E)** "Sergeant at arms" means the director of house security.

**(F)** "Session" means a constitutional gathering of the house in accordance with Article II, section 12 of the state Constitution.

~~(G) "Term" means the two-year term during which the members as a body may act.~~

#### Chief Clerk to Call to Order

**Rule 2.** It shall be the duty of the chief clerk of the previous term to call the house to order and to conduct the proceedings until a speaker is chosen.

#### Election of Officers

**Rule 3.** The house shall elect the following officers at the commencement of each term: Its presiding officer, who shall be styled speaker of the house; a speaker pro tempore, who shall serve in absence or in case of the inability of the speaker; a deputy speaker pro tempore, who shall serve in absence or in case of the inability of the speaker and speaker pro tempore; and a chief clerk of the house. Such officers shall hold office during all sessions until the convening of the succeeding term: PROVIDED, HOWEVER, That any of these offices may be declared vacant by the vote of a constitutional majority of the house, the members voting viva voce and their votes shall be entered on the journal. If any office is declared vacant, the house shall fill such vacant office as hereinafter provided. In all elections by the house a constitutional majority shall be required, the members shall vote viva voce and their votes shall be entered on the journal. ~~((Art. II §))~~Article II, section 27)

#### Powers and Duties of the Speaker

**Rule 4.** The speaker shall have the following powers and duties:

(A) The speaker shall take the chair and call the house to order precisely at the hour appointed for meeting and if a quorum be present, shall cause the journal of the preceding day to be read and shall proceed with the order of business.

(B) The speaker shall preserve order and decorum, and in case of any disturbance or disorderly conduct within the chamber or legislative area, shall order the sergeant at arms to suppress the same and may order the sergeant at arms to remove any person creating any disturbance within the house chamber or legislative area.

(C) The speaker may speak to points of order in preference to other members, arising from the seat for that purpose, and shall decide all questions of order subject to an appeal to the house by any member, on which appeal no member shall speak more than once without leave of the house.

(D) The speaker shall sign all bills in open session. ~~((Art. H §))~~ Article II, section 32

(E) The speaker shall sign all writs, warrants, and subpoenas issued by order of the house, all of which shall be attested to by the chief clerk.

(F) The speaker shall have the right to name any member to perform the duties of the chair, but such substitution shall neither extend beyond adjournment nor authorize the representative so substituted to sign any documents requiring the signature of the speaker.

(G) The speaker, in open session, shall appoint committee chairs as selected by the majority party caucus, and shall appoint members to committees in the same ratio as the membership of the respective parties of the house, unless otherwise provided by law or house rules.

(H) The speaker shall serve as chair of the rules committee and the executive rules committee.

(I) The speaker shall have charge of and see that all officers, attaches, and clerks perform their respective duties.

(J) The speaker pro tempore shall exercise the duties, powers, and prerogatives of the speaker in the event of the speaker's death, illness, removal, or inability to act until the speaker's successor shall be elected.

#### Chief Clerk

**Rule 5.** The chief clerk shall perform the usual duties pertaining to the office, and shall hold office until a successor has been elected.

The chief clerk shall perform all administrative duties related to the public records obligations of members of the house.

The chief clerk shall employ, subject to the approval of the speaker, all other house employees; the hours of duty and assignments of all house employees shall be under the chief clerk's directions and instructions, and they may be dismissed by the chief clerk with the approval of the speaker. The speaker shall sign and the chief clerk shall countersign all payrolls and vouchers for all expenses of the house and appropriately transmit the same. In the event of the chief clerk's death, illness, removal, or inability to act, the speaker may appoint an acting chief clerk who shall exercise the duties and powers of the chief clerk until the chief clerk's successor shall be elected.

#### Executive Rules Committee

**Rule 6.** The executive rules committee is hereby established to oversee administrative operations of the house. The committee consists of four members of the majority caucus and three members of the minority caucus, to be named by the speaker and minority leader respectively.

#### Duties of Employees

**Rule 7.** Employees of the house shall perform such duties as are assigned to them by the chief clerk. Under no circumstances shall the compensation of any employee be increased for past services. No house employee shall seek to influence the passage or rejection of proposed legislation.

#### Admission to the House

**Rule 8.** It shall be the general policy of the house to keep the chamber clear as follows:

(A) The sergeant at arms shall admit only the following individuals to the wings and adjacent areas of the house chamber for the period of time beginning one-half hour prior to convening and ending one-half hour following the adjournment of the house's daily session:

The governor or designees, or both;  
 Members of the senate;  
 State elected officials;  
 Officers and authorized employees of the legislature;  
 Former members of the house who are not advocating any pending or proposed legislation;  
 Representatives of the press;  
 Other persons with the consent of the speaker.

(B) Only members of the house, pages, sergeants at arms, and clerks are permitted on the floor while the house is in session.

(C) Lobbying in the house chamber or in any committee room or lounge room is prohibited when the house or committee is in session unless expressly permitted by the house or committee. Anyone violating this rule will forfeit ~~((his or her))~~ their right to be admitted to the house chamber or any of its committee rooms.

#### Absentees and Courtesy

**Rule 9.** No member shall be absent from the service of the house without leave from the speaker. When the house is in session, only the speaker shall recognize visitors and former members.

#### Bills, Memorials and Resolutions - Introductions

**Rule 10.** Any member desiring to introduce a bill shall file the same with the chief clerk. Bills filed by 10:00 a.m. shall be introduced at the next daily session, in the order filed: PROVIDED, That if such introduction is within the last ten days of a regular session, it cannot be considered without a direct vote of two-thirds (2/3) of all the members elected to each house with such vote recorded and entered upon the journal. ~~((Art. H §))~~ Article II, section 36

Any returning member or member-elect may prefile a bill with the chief clerk commencing the first Monday in December preceding any regular session or twenty (20) days before any special session. Prefiled bills shall be introduced on the first legislative day.

All bills shall be endorsed with a statement of the title and the name of the member or members introducing the same. The chief clerk shall attach to all bills a substantial cover bearing the title and sponsors and shall number each bill in the order filed. All bills shall be printed unless otherwise ordered by the house.

Any bill introduced at any session during the term shall be eligible for action at all subsequent sessions during the term. No house bill may be introduced that is identical to any other pending house bill.

### Reading of Bills

**Rule 11.** Every bill shall be read on three separate days: PROVIDED, That this rule may be temporarily suspended at any time by a two-thirds (2/3) vote of the members present; and that on and after the fifth day prior to the day of adjournment sine die of any session, as determined pursuant to Article II, section 12 of the state Constitution or concurrent resolution, or on and after the third day prior to the day a bill must be reported from the house as established by concurrent resolution, this rule may be suspended by a majority vote.

A bill may be returned to second reading for the purpose of amendment by a suspension of the rules: PROVIDED, That on and after the fifth day prior to the day of adjournment sine die of any session, as determined pursuant to Article II, section 12 of the state Constitution or concurrent resolution, or on and after the third day prior to the day a bill must be reported from the house as established by concurrent resolution, this rule may be suspended and a bill returned to second reading for the purpose of amendment by a majority vote.

(A) **FIRST READING.** The first reading of a bill shall be by title only, unless a majority of the members present demand a reading in full.

After the first reading the bill shall be referred to an appropriate committee.

Upon being reported out of committee, all bills shall be referred to the rules committee, unless otherwise ordered by the house.

The rules committee may, by majority vote, refer any bill in its possession to a committee for further consideration. Such referral shall be reported to the house and entered in the journal under the fifth order of business.

(B) **SECOND READING.** Upon second reading, the bill number and short title and the last line of the bill shall be read unless a majority of the members present shall demand its reading in full. The bill shall be subject to amendment section by section. No amendment shall be considered by the house until it has been sent to the chief clerk's desk in writing or electronically, distributed to the desk of each member or made available to each member electronically, and read by the clerk. All amendments adopted during second reading shall be securely fastened to the original bill. All amendments rejected by the house shall be passed to the minute clerk, and the journal shall show the disposition of such amendments.

When no further amendments shall be offered, the speaker shall declare the bill has passed its second reading.

(C) **SUBSTITUTE BILLS.** When a committee reports a substitute for an original bill with the recommendation that the substitute bill do pass, it shall be in order to read the substitute the first time and have the same printed. A motion for the substitution shall not be in order until the second reading of the original bill.

(D) **THIRD READING.** Only the last line of bills shall be read on third reading unless a majority of the members present demand a reading in full. No amendments to a bill shall be received on third reading but it may be referred or recommitted for the purpose of amendment.

(E) **SUSPENSION CALENDAR.** Bills may be placed on the second reading suspension calendar by the rules committee if at least two minority party members of the rules committee join in such motion. Bills on the second reading suspension calendar shall not be subject to amendment or substitution except as recommended in the committee report. When a bill is before the house on the suspension calendar, the question shall be to adopt the committee recommendations and advance the bill to third reading. If the question fails to receive a two-thirds vote of the members present, the bill shall be referred to the rules committee for second reading.

(F) **HOUSE RESOLUTIONS.** House resolutions shall be filed with the chief clerk who shall transmit them to the rules committee. If a rules committee meeting is not scheduled to occur prior to a time necessitated by the purpose of a house resolution, the majority leader and minority leader by agreement may waive transmission to the rules committee to permit consideration of the resolution by the house. The rules committee may adopt house resolutions by a sixty percent majority vote of its entire membership or may, by a majority vote of its members, place them on the motions calendar for consideration by the house. House resolutions are not subject to debate, except for resolutions necessary for the operation of the house, and resolutions commemorating Children's Day, Day of Remembrance, Martin Luther King Jr. Day, National Guard Day, and President's Day.

(G) **CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS.** Reading of concurrent resolutions may be advanced by majority vote.

### Amendments

**Rule 12.** The right of any member to offer amendments to proposed legislation shall not be limited except as provided in Rule 11(E) and as follows:

(A) **AMENDMENTS TO BE OFFERED IN PROPER FORM.** The chief clerk shall establish the proper form for amendments and all amendments offered shall bear the name of the member who offers the same, as well as the number and section of the bill to be amended.

(B) **COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.** When a bill is before the house on second reading, amendments adopted by committees and recommended to the house shall be acted upon by the house before any amendments that may be offered from the floor.

(C) **SENATE AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILLS.** A house bill, passed by the senate with amendment or amendments which shall change the scope and object of the bill, upon being received in the house, shall be referred to the appropriate committee and shall take the same course as for original bills unless a motion not to concur is adopted prior to the bill being referred to committee.

(D) **AMENDMENTS TO BE GERMANE.** No motion or proposition on a subject different from that under consideration shall be admitted under color of amendment; and no bill or resolution shall at any time be amended by annexing thereto or incorporating therein any other bill or resolution pending before the house.

(E) **SCOPE AND OBJECT NOT TO BE CHANGED.** No amendment to any bill shall be allowed which shall change the scope and object of the bill. This objection may be raised at any time an amendment is under consideration. The speaker may allow the person raising the objection and the mover of the amendment to provide brief arguments as to the merits of the objection. ((Art. II §)Article II, section 38)

(F) **NO AMENDMENT BY REFERENCE.** No act shall ever be revised or amended without being set forth at full length. ((Art. II §)Article II, section 37)

(G) **TITLE AMENDMENTS.** The subject matter portion of a bill title shall not be amended in committee or on second reading. Changes to that part of the title after the subject matter statement shall either be presented with the text amendment or be incorporated by the chief clerk in the engrossing process.

(H) **DATE AND TIME FOR AMENDMENT SUBMISSION.** To facilitate the orderly consideration of proposed legislation, the speaker, after consultation with the minority leader, may establish a date and time for submission of amendments.

### Final Passage

**Rule 13.** Rules relating to bills on final passage are as follows:

(A) BUDGET BILLS. No final passage vote may be taken on an operating budget, transportation budget, or capital budget bill until twenty-four (24) hours after the bill is placed on the third reading calendar. The twenty-four (24) hour requirement does not apply to conference reports, which are governed by the Joint ~~((Rule 20))~~ Rules of the Senate and the House of Representatives, or to bills placed on the third reading calendar by a two-thirds (2/3) vote of the members present.

(B) RECOMMITMENT BEFORE FINAL PASSAGE. A bill may be recommitted at any time before its final passage.

(C) FINAL PASSAGE. No bill shall become a law unless on its final passage the vote be taken by yeas and nays, the names of the members voting for and against the same be entered on the journal of each house, and a majority of the members elected to each house be recorded thereon as voting in its favor. ~~((Art. II §))~~ Article II, section 22)

(D) BILLS PASSED - CERTIFICATION. When a bill passes, it shall be certified to by the chief clerk, said certification to show the date of its passage together with the vote thereon.

### Hour of Meeting, Roll Call and Quorum

**Rule 14.** (A) HOUR OF MEETING. The speaker shall call the house to order each day of sitting at 10:00 A.M., unless the house shall have adjourned to some other hour.

(B) ROLL CALL AND QUORUM. Before proceeding with business, the roll of the members shall be called and the names of those absent or excused shall be entered on the journal. A majority of all the members elected must be present to constitute a quorum for the transaction of business. In the absence of a quorum, seven members with the speaker, or eight members in the speaker's absence, having chosen a speaker pro tempore, shall be authorized to demand a call of the house and may compel the attendance of absent members in the manner provided in Rule ~~((22))~~23(B). Any member participating remotely in house proceedings as provided in Rule 17 shall be considered present for purposes of a quorum. For the purpose of determining if a quorum be present, the speaker shall count all members present, whether voting or not. ~~((Art. II §))~~ Article II, section 8)

(C) The house shall adjourn not later than 10:00 P.M. of each working day. This rule may be suspended by a majority vote.

### Daily Calendar and Order of Business

**Rule 15.** The rules relating to the daily calendar and order of business are as follows:

(A) DAILY CALENDAR. Business of the house shall be disposed of in the following order:

First: Roll call, presentation of colors, prayer, and approval of the journal of the preceding day.

Second: Introduction of visiting dignitaries.

Third: Messages from the senate, governor, and other state officials.

Fourth: Introduction and first reading of bills, memorials, joint resolutions, and concurrent resolutions.

Fifth: Committee reports.

Sixth: Second reading of bills.

Seventh: Third reading of bills.

Eighth: Floor resolutions and motions.

Ninth: Presentation of petitions, memorials, and remonstrances addressed to the Legislature.

Tenth: Introduction of visitors and other business to be considered.

Eleventh: Announcements.

(B) UNFINISHED BUSINESS. The unfinished business at which the house was engaged preceding adjournment shall not be taken up until reached in regular order, unless the previous question on such unfinished business has been ordered prior to said adjournment.

(C) EXCEPTIONS. Exceptions to the order of business are as follows:

(1) The order of business may be changed by a majority vote of those present.

(2) By motion under the eighth order of business, a bill in the rules committee may be placed on the calendar by the affirmative vote of a majority of all members of the house.

(3) House resolutions and messages from the senate, governor, or other state officials may be read at any time.

### Motions

**Rule 16.** Rules relating to motions are as follows:

(A) MOTIONS TO BE ENTERTAINED OR DEBATED. No motion shall be entertained or debated until announced by the speaker and every motion shall be deemed to have been seconded. A motion shall be reduced to writing and read by the clerk, if desired by the speaker or any member, before it shall be debated and by the consent of the house may be withdrawn before amendment or action.

(B) MOTIONS IN ORDER DURING DEBATE. When a motion has been made and seconded and stated by the chair, the following motions are in order, in the rank named:

- (1) Privileged motions:
  - Adjourn
  - Adjourn to a time certain
  - Recess to a time certain
  - Reconsider
  - Demand for division
  - Question of privilege
  - Orders of the day

- (2) Subsidiary motions:
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| First rank:  | Question of consideration   |
| Second rank: | To lay on the table   |
| Third rank:  | For the previous question   |
| Fourth rank: | To postpone to a day certain<br>To commit or recommit<br>To postpone indefinitely |
| Fifth rank:  | To amend  |
- (3) Incidental motions:
- Points of order and appeal
  - Method of consideration
  - Suspension of the rules
  - Reading papers
  - Withdraw a motion
  - Division of a question

(C) THE EFFECT OF POSTPONEMENT - MOTIONS TO POSTPONE OR COMMIT. Once decided, no motion to postpone to a day certain, to commit, or to postpone indefinitely shall again be allowed on the same day and at the same stage of the proceedings. When a question has been postponed indefinitely, it shall not again be introduced during the session. The motion to postpone indefinitely may be made at any stage of the bill except when on first reading.

(D) MOTIONS DECIDED WITHOUT DEBATE. A motion to adjourn, to recess, to lay on the table and to call for the previous question shall be decided without debate.

All incidental motions shall be decided without debate, except that members may speak to points of order and appeal as provided in Rule ((23))24.

Motions to adopt house resolutions shall be decided without debate, except as provided in Rule 11(F).

A motion for suspension of the rules shall not be debatable except that the mover of the motion may briefly explain the purpose of the motion and one member may briefly state the opposition to the motion.

(E) MOTION TO ADJOURN. A motion to adjourn shall always be in order, except when the house is voting or is working under the call of the house; but this rule shall not authorize any member to move for adjournment when another member has the floor.

#### **Remote Participation and Voting Permitted Upon Authorization**

**Rule 17.** The majority leader and minority leader or their designees may authorize members of their respective caucuses to participate remotely in official house proceedings, including committee meetings and floor sessions, upon the request of a member who is experiencing a medical condition or illness that prevents in-person participation. Once authorized, any member participating remotely shall be considered present for purposes of a quorum and voting. Members participating remotely shall use the computer and virtual background provided by the house during all committee meetings and floor proceedings. The majority leader and minority leader or their designees shall determine when the member's authorization to participate remotely ends.

#### **Members' Right to Debate**

**Rule ((17))18.** The methods by which a member may exercise ((his or her))their right to debate are as follows:

(A) RECOGNITION OF MEMBER. When any member desires to speak in debate or deliver any matter to the house, the member shall rise and respectfully address the speaker and pause until recognized. Any member participating remotely in house proceedings as provided in Rule 17 who desires to speak may request to be recognized by use of the request to speak button in the remote floor activity system.

(B) ORDER OF SPEAKING. When two or more members arise at once, the speaker shall name the one who is to speak.

(C) LIMITATION OF DEBATE. No member shall speak longer than ten (10) minutes without consent of the house: PROVIDED, That on and after the fifth day prior to the day of adjournment sine die of any session, as determined pursuant to Article II, section 12 of the state Constitution or concurrent resolution, or on and after the ((third))fifth day prior to the day any bill must be reported from the house as established by concurrent resolution, no member shall speak more than three (3) minutes without the consent of the house. No member shall speak more than twice on the same question without leave of the house: PROVIDED, That the chair of the committee or the mover of the question may close debate if it is consistent with Rule ((19))20 (Previous Question).

#### **Rules of Debate**

**Rule ((18))19.** The rules for debate in the house are as follows:

(A) QUESTION OF PRIVILEGE. Any member may rise to a question of privilege and explain a personal matter, by leave of the speaker, but the member shall not discuss any pending question in such explanations.

(B) WITHDRAWAL OF MOTION, BILL, ETC. After a motion is stated by the speaker or a bill, memorial, resolution, petition, or remonstrance is read by the clerk, it shall be deemed to be in possession of the house, but may be withdrawn by consent of the house at any time before decision or amendment.

(C) READING OF A PAPER. When the reading of any paper is called for and is objected to by any member, it shall be determined by a vote of the house.

(D) DISTRIBUTION OF MATERIALS. Any materials of any nature distributed to the members' desks on the floor shall be subject to approval by the speaker and shall bear the name of at least one member (~~(granting)~~) granted permission for the distribution. Any member participating remotely as provided in Rule 17 who wishes to distribute materials subject to the speaker's approval may do so electronically. All materials approved for distribution shall be provided electronically to members participating remotely to the extent practicable. This shall not apply to materials normally distributed by the chief clerk.

(E) ORDER OF QUESTIONS. All questions, whether in committee or in the house, shall be propounded in the order in which they are named except that in filling blanks, the largest sum and the longest time shall be put first.

(F) DIVISION OF POINTS OF DEBATE. Any member may call for a division of a question which shall be divided if it embraces subjects so distinct that one being taken away a substantive proposition shall remain for the decision of the house; but a motion to strike out and to insert shall not be divided. The rejection of a motion to strike out and to insert one proposition shall not prevent a motion to strike out and to insert a different proposition.

(G) DECORUM OF MEMBERS. While the speaker is putting the question, no member shall walk across or out of the house; nor when a member is speaking shall any member entertain private discourse or pass between the speaking member and the rostrum.

(H) REMARKS CONFINED. A member shall confine all remarks to the question under debate and avoid personalities. No member shall impugn the motive of any member's vote or argument.

(I) EXCEPTION TO WORDS SPOKEN IN DEBATE. If any member be called to order for words spoken in debate, the person calling the member to order shall repeat the words excepted to and they shall be taken down in writing at the clerk's table. No member shall be held in answer or be subject to the censure of the house for words spoken in debate if any other member has spoken before exception to them shall have been taken.

(J) TRANSGRESSION OF RULES - APPEAL. If any member, in speaking or otherwise, transgresses the rules of the house the speaker shall, or any member may, call the member to order, in which case the member so called to order shall immediately sit down unless permitted to explain; and the house shall, if appealed to, decide the case without debate; if there be no appeal, the decision of the chair shall prevail.

If the decision be in favor of the member called to order, the member shall be at liberty to proceed; if otherwise, and the case shall require it, the member shall be liable to the censure of the house.

#### Ending of Debate - Previous Question

**Rule ~~((19))~~20.** The previous question may be ordered by a two-thirds (2/3) vote of the members present on all recognized motions or amendments which are debatable.

The previous question is not debatable and cannot be amended.

The previous question shall be put in this form: "Representative \_\_\_\_\_ demands the previous question. As many as are in favor of ordering the previous question will say 'Aye'; as many as are opposed will say 'No'."

The results of the motion are as follows: If determined in the negative, the consideration goes on as if the motion had never been made; if decided in the affirmative it shall have the effect of cutting off all debate and bringing the house to a direct vote upon the motion or amendment on which it has been ordered: PROVIDED HOWEVER, That when a bill is on final passage or when the motion to postpone indefinitely is pending, one of the sponsors of the bill or the chair of the committee may have the privilege of closing debate after the previous question has been ordered.

If an adjournment is had after the previous question is ordered, the motion or proposition on which the previous question was ordered shall be put to the house immediately following the approval of the journal on the next working day, thus making the main question privileged over all other business, whether new or unfinished.

#### Voting

**Rule ~~((20))~~21.** (A) PUTTING OF QUESTION. The speaker shall put the question in the following form: "The question before the house is (state the question). As many as are in favor say 'Aye'; and after the affirmative vote is expressed, "as many as are opposed say 'No'."

(B) ALL MEMBERS TO VOTE. ~~((Every))~~ Except as provided in subsection (G), every member who was in the house or participating remotely in house proceedings as provided in Rule 17 when the question was put shall vote unless, for special reasons, excused by the house.

All motions to excuse a member shall be made before the house divides or before the call for yeas and nays is commenced; and any member requesting to be excused from voting may make a brief and verbal statement of the reasons for making such request, and the question shall then be taken without further debate.

(C) COUNT OF THE HOUSE. Upon a division and count of the house on the question, only members at their desks within the bar of the house or participating remotely in house proceedings as provided in Rule 17 shall be counted.

~~((C))~~(D) CHANGE OF VOTE. When the electric roll call machine is used, no member shall be allowed to vote or change a vote after the speaker has locked the roll call machine. When an oral roll call is taken, no member shall be allowed to vote or change a vote after the result has been announced.

~~((D))~~(E) PRIVATE INTEREST. No member shall vote on any question which affects that member privately and particularly. A member who has a private interest in any bill or measure proposed or pending before the legislature shall disclose the fact to the house of which he is a member, and shall not vote thereon. ~~((Art. H §))~~ Article II, section 30)

~~((E))~~(F) INTERRUPTION OF ROLL CALL. Once begun, the roll call may not be interrupted. No member or other person shall visit or remain at the clerk's desk while the yeas and nays are being called.

~~((F))~~(G) MOTIONS NOT REQUIRING A RECORDED ROLL CALL VOTE. Members in the house and members participating remotely in house proceedings as provided in Rule 17 may vote on any motion not requiring a recorded roll call vote, including when the house divides. Members participating remotely may vote using the remote floor activity system.

(H) INABILITY TO VOTE USING REMOTE VOTING FUNCTION. A member participating remotely in house proceedings as provided in Rule 17 who is unable to vote using the remote voting function on any motion requiring a recorded roll call vote may vote

orally. If a member is unable to vote using the remote voting function or orally, the rostrum staff shall contact the member by telephone and the member's vote may be taken by telephone to rostrum staff after the member answers security questions to verify the identity of the member. The rostrum staff will announce the vote of the member, which shall be recorded.

**(I) YEAS AND NAYS - RECORDED VOTES.** Upon the final passage of any bill, the vote shall be taken by yeas and nays and shall be recorded by the electric voting system: PROVIDED, HOWEVER, That an oral roll call shall be ordered when demanded by one-sixth (1/6) of the members present. ~~((Art-H-§))~~ Article II, section 21

The speaker may vote last when the yeas and nays are called.

When the vote is by electric voting machine or by oral roll call on any question, it shall be entered upon the journal of the house. A recorded vote may be compelled by one-sixth (1/6) of the members present. A request for a recorded vote must be made before the vote is commenced.

~~((G))~~ **(J) TIE VOTE, QUESTION LOSES.** In case of an equal division, the question shall be lost.

~~((H))~~ **(K) DIVISION.** If the speaker is in doubt, or if division is called for by any member, the house shall divide.

~~((H))~~ **(L) STATEMENT FOR JOURNAL.** A member whose recorded vote does not accurately reflect ~~((his or her))~~ their intent may submit a written statement for the journal clarifying their intent to vote aye or nay. The statement must be submitted to the chief clerk on the same day the vote is taken. A member who is excused for one or more days of recorded votes may submit a written statement for the journal explaining the reason for ~~((his or her))~~ their absence. The statement may not exceed ~~((fifty))~~ 50 words and must be submitted to the chief clerk on the same day the member returns. A member participating remotely in house proceedings as provided in Rule 17 who was unable to vote using the remote voting function, orally, or by telephone may submit a statement for the journal within 48 hours indicating their intent to vote yea or nay.

**Reconsideration**

**Rule ~~((21))~~ 22.** Notice of a motion for reconsideration on the final passage of bills shall be made on the day the vote to be reconsidered was taken and before the house has voted to transmit the bill to the senate.

Reconsideration of the votes on the final passage of bills must be taken on the next working day after such vote was taken: PROVIDED, That on and after the fifth day prior to the day of adjournment sine die of any session, as determined pursuant to Article II, section 12 of the state Constitution, or concurrent resolution, or on and after the third day prior to the day a bill must be reported from the house as established by concurrent resolution, then reconsideration of votes on the final passage of bills must be taken on the same day as the original vote was taken; AND PROVIDED FURTHER, That any member participating remotely in house proceedings as provided in Rule 17 who was unable to vote using the remote voting function, orally, or by telephone may require reconsideration of the vote on the final passage of bills the same day the vote is taken.

A motion to reconsider an amendment may be made at any time the bill remains on second reading.

Any member who voted on the prevailing side may move for reconsideration or give notice thereof.

A motion to reconsider can be decided only once when decided in the negative.

When a motion to reconsider has been carried, its effect shall be to place the original question before the house in the exact position it occupied before it was voted upon.

**Call of the House**

**Rule ~~((22))~~ 23.** One-sixth (1/6) of the members present may demand a call of the house at any time before the house has divided or the voting has commenced by yeas and nays.

**(A) DOORS TO BE CLOSED.** When call of the house has been ordered, the sergeant at arms shall close and lock the doors, and no member shall be allowed to leave the chamber: PROVIDED, That the rules committee shall be allowed to meet, upon request of the speaker, while the house stands at ease: AND PROVIDED FURTHER, That the speaker may permit members to use such portions of the fourth floor as may be properly secured.

**(B) SERGEANT AT ARMS TO BRING IN THE ABSENTEES.** The clerk shall immediately call a roll of the members and note the absentees, whose names shall be read and entered upon the journal in such manner as to show who are excused and who are absent without leave. A member authorized to participate remotely in house proceedings as provided in Rule 17 who is visible at the time of the roll call through the remote floor activity system shall not be considered absent or absent without leave.

The clerk shall furnish the sergeant at arms with a list of those who are absent without leave, and the sergeant at arms shall proceed to bring in such absentees; but arrests of members for absence shall not be made unless ordered by a majority of the members present.

**(C) HOUSE UNDER CALL.** While the house is under a call, no business shall be transacted except to receive and act on the report of the sergeant at arms; and no other motion shall be in order except a motion to proceed with business under the call of the house, a motion to excuse absentees, or a motion to dispense with the call of the house. The motion to proceed with business under the call of the house and the motion to excuse absent members shall not be adopted unless a majority of the members elected vote in favor thereof. The motion to dispense with the call of the house may be adopted by a majority of the members present.

**Appeal from Decision of Chair**

**Rule ~~((23))~~ 24.** The decision of the chair may be appealed from by any member, on which appeal no member shall speak more than once unless by leave of the house. In all cases of appeal, the question shall be: "Shall the decision of the chair stand as the judgment of the house?"

**Standing Committees**

**Rule ~~((24))~~ 25.** The standing committees of the house and the number of members that shall serve on each committee shall be as follows:

1. Appropriations.....	33
2. Capital Budget.....	23
3. Children, Youth & Families.....	13
4. Civil Rights & Judiciary.....	17
5. College & Workforce Development.....	13
6. Commerce & Gaming.....	9
7. Community & Economic Development.....	13
8. Consumer Protection & Business.....	7
9. Education.....	13

10. Environment & Energy.....	13
11. Finance.....	17
12. Health Care & Wellness.....	15
13. Housing, Human Services & Veterans.....	9
14. Labor & Workplace Standards.....	7
15. Local Government.....	7
16. Public Safety.....	13
17. Rules.....	27
18. Rural Development, Agriculture & Natural Resources.....	15
19. State Government & Tribal Relations.....	7
20. Transportation.....	29))
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2. Appropriations.....	31
3. Capital Budget.....	29
4. Civil Rights & Judiciary.....	11
5. Community Safety, Justice & Reentry.....	9
6. Consumer Protection & Business.....	13
7. Education.....	15
8. Environment & Energy.....	15
9. Finance.....	13
10. Health Care & Wellness.....	17
11. Housing.....	13
12. Human Services, Youth & Early Learning.....	11
13. Innovation, Community Economic Development & Veterans.....	15
14. Labor & Workplace Standards.....	9
15. Local Government.....	7
16. Postsecondary Education & Workforce.....	15
17. Regulated Substances & Gaming.....	11
18. Rules.....	24
19. State Government & Tribal Relations.....	7
20. Transportation.....	29

Committee members shall be selected by each party's caucus. The majority party caucus shall select all committee chairs. "Committee chair" includes committee cochairs.

**Duties of Committees**

**Rule ((25))26.** House committees shall operate as follows:

(A) NOTICE OF COMMITTEE MEETING. The chief clerk shall make public the time, place and subjects to be discussed at committee meetings. All public hearings held by committees shall be scheduled with at least five (5) ~~((days in advance))~~ days' notice, including the day of notice and day of hearing, and shall be given adequate publicity: PROVIDED, That when less than eight (8) days remain for action on a bill, the Speaker may authorize a reduction of the five-day notice period when required by the circumstances, including but not limited to the time remaining for action on the bill, the nature of the subject, and the number of prior hearings on the subject.

(B) COMMITTEE QUORUM. A majority of any committee shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business.

(C) SESSION MEETINGS. No committee shall sit while the house is in session without special leave of the speaker.

(D) DUTIES OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

(1) Only such bills as are included on the written notice of a committee meeting may be considered at that meeting ~~((except upon the vote of a majority of the entire membership of the committee to consider another bill))~~.

(2) A majority recommendation of a committee must be ~~((signed))~~made by a majority of the entire membership of the committee in a regularly called meeting before a bill, memorial, or resolution may be reported out: PROVIDED, That by motion under the eighth order of business, a majority of the members elected to the house may relieve a committee of a bill and place it on the second reading calendar.

Majority recommendations of a committee can only be "do pass," "do pass as amended," or that "the substitute bill be substituted therefor and that the substitute bill do pass."

(3) Members of the committee not concurring in the majority report may ~~((prepare))~~make a written minority report containing a recommendation of "do not pass" or "without recommendation," which shall be ~~((signed))~~joined by those members of the committee subscribing thereto, and submitted with the majority report.

(4) Every recommendation and report shall be made by members of the committee during the regularly called meeting of the committee. No signatures are required.

(5) All committee reports shall be spread upon the journal. The journal of the house shall contain an exact copy of all committee reports, together with the names of the members ~~((signing))~~joining in the majority and minority recommendations contained in such reports.

~~((5))~~(6) Every vote to report a bill out of committee shall be taken by the yeas and nays, with the nays specifying "do not pass" or "without recommendation" and the names of the members voting for and against, as well as the names of members absent, shall be recorded on the committee report. Any member may call for a recorded vote, which shall include the names of absent members, on any substantive question before the committee. A copy of all recorded committee votes shall be kept by the chief clerk and shall be available for public inspection.

~~((6))~~(7) A member participating remotely in house proceedings as provided in Rule 17 who is unable to vote on a bill in committee for technical reasons may submit a statement for the bill file indicating their intent to have voted yea, nay-do not pass, or nay-without recommendation. The statement must be submitted to the chief clerk on the same day the vote is taken.

(8) All bills having a direct appropriation shall be referred to the appropriate fiscal committee before their final passage.

~~((7))~~(9) No standing committee shall vote by secret written ballot on any issue.

~~((8))~~(10) During its consideration of or vote on any bill, resolution, or memorial, the deliberations of any standing committee of the House of Representatives shall be open to the public.

~~((9))~~(11) A standing committee to which a bill was originally referred shall, prior to voting the bill out of committee, consider whether the bill authorizes rule-making powers or requires the exercise of rule-making powers and, if so, consider:

(a) The nature of the new rule-making powers; and

(b) To which agencies the new rule-making powers would be delegated and which agencies, if any, may have related rule-making powers.

~~((10))~~(12) Insofar as practicable, testimony in public hearings should be balanced between those in support of and in opposition to proposed legislation, with consideration given to providing an opportunity for members of the public to testify within available time.

#### Standing Committees - Expenses - Subpoena Power

**Rule ((26))27.** Regardless of whether the legislature is in session, members of the house may receive from moneys appropriated for the legislature, reimbursement for necessary travel expenses, and payments in lieu of subsistence and lodging for conducting official business of the house.

The standing committees of the house may have the powers of subpoena, the power to administer oaths, and the power to issue commissions for the examination of witnesses in accordance with the provisions of chapter 44.16 RCW. Before a standing committee of the house may issue any process, the committee ~~((chairperson))~~chair shall submit for approval of the executive rules committee a statement of purpose setting forth the name or names of those subject to process. The process shall not be issued prior to approval by the executive rules committee. The process shall be limited to the named individuals.

#### Vetoed Bills

**Rule ((27))28.** Veto messages of the governor shall be read in the house and entered upon the journal. It shall then be in order to proceed to reconsider the bill, refer it, lay it on the table, or postpone its consideration to a day certain.

The merits of the bill may be debated before the vote is taken, but the vote on a vetoed bill cannot be reconsidered.

In case of a bill containing several sections or items, one or more of which has been objected to by the governor, each section or item so objected to shall be voted upon separately by the house. Action by the house upon all vetoed bills shall be endorsed upon the bill and certified by the speaker.

Vetoed bills originating in the house, which have not been passed notwithstanding the veto of the governor, shall remain in the custody of the officers of the house until the close of the term, after which they shall be filed with the secretary of state.

#### Suspension of Compensation

**Rule ((28))29.** (1) Any member of the House of Representatives convicted and sentenced for any felony punishable by death or by imprisonment in a Washington state penal institution shall, as of the time of sentencing, be denied the legislative salary for future service and be denied per diem, compensation for expenses, office space facilities, and assistance. Any member convicted of a felony and sentenced therefor under any federal law or the law of any other state shall, as of the time of sentencing, be similarly denied such salary, per diem, expenses, facilities, and assistance if either (a) such crime would also constitute a crime punishable under the laws of Washington by death or by imprisonment in a state penal institution, or (b) the conduct resulting in the conviction and sentencing would also constitute a crime punishable under the laws of Washington by death or by imprisonment in a state penal institution.

(2) At any time, the house may vote by a constitutional majority to restore the salary, per diem, expenses, facilities, and assistance denied a member under subsection (1). If the conviction of a member is reversed, then the salary, per diem, and expense amounts denied the member since sentencing shall be forthwith paid, and the member shall thereafter have the rights and privileges of other members.

#### Smoking and Vaping

~~Rule ((29))30. Smoking of cigarettes, pipes, or cigars shall not be permitted at any public meeting of any committee of the house of representatives or within House facilities.~~

~~"No smoking" signs shall be posted so as to give notice of this rule)~~**30.** To provide a safe and healthy environment for all members, employees, and the public, smoking and vaping shall not be permitted at any public meeting of the House of Representatives or within house facilities. Smoking includes the lighting of cigarettes, pipes, or cigars. Vaping includes the use of electronic nicotine delivery systems or electronic smoking devices such as e-cigarettes, e-pipes, or e-cigars.

#### Liquor

**Rule ((30))31.** The House of Representatives shall strictly adhere to the liquor laws of the state of Washington, including provisions relating to banquet and special occasion permits. The proper permits must always be obtained before consumption of liquor in any house facility.

#### Parliamentary Rules

**Rule ((31))32.** The rules of parliamentary practice comprised in Reed's Parliamentary Rules shall govern all cases in which they are not inconsistent with the standing rules and orders of the house.

#### Standing Rules Amendment

**Rule ((32))33.** Any standing rule may be rescinded or changed by a majority vote of the members elected: PROVIDED, That the proposed change or changes be submitted at least one day in advance in writing to the members together with notice of the consideration thereof. Any standing rule may be suspended temporarily by a two-thirds (2/3) vote of the members present except as provided in Rule 11.

#### Rules to Apply for Assembly

**Rule ((33))34.** The permanent house rules adopted at the beginning of the term are to govern all acts of the house during the course of the term unless amended or repealed.

#### Legislative Publications

**Rule ((34))35.** The House of Representatives directs the house executive rules committee to adopt procedures and guidelines to ensure that all legislative publications at public expense are for legitimate legislative purposes.

#### ~~((Appendix to House Rules~~

~~The House of Representatives of the sixty-seventh legislature acknowledges that the COVID-19 pandemic requires the adoption of extraordinary rules of procedure that protect the health of members, staff, and the public, and ensure transparency and openness in house proceedings.~~

Pursuant to Article II, section 9 of the state Constitution, the House of Representatives hereby adopts the following Appendix Rules A-1 through A-10 to govern its proceedings during the COVID-19 state of emergency.

### **Application of Rules**

Rule A-1. Reed's Parliamentary Rules and the Rules of the House of Representatives are hereby superseded to the extent they are inconsistent with the rules set forth in this appendix.

### **Remote Participation and Voting Authorized**

Rule A-2. House members shall participate remotely in official house proceedings, including committee meetings and floor sessions, and when doing so, shall be considered present for purposes of a quorum and voting.

Members are encouraged to use computers provided by the house to participate in committee meetings and are encouraged to use the virtual background provided by the house in their video display. Members are required to use computers provided by the house to cast votes in remote floor sessions and are required to use the virtual background provided by the house for their video display.

Reasonable accommodations provided to a member due to a disability must include provisions necessary to facilitate participation in remote proceedings.

### **Admittance to House Facilities**

Rule A-3. Admittance to house facilities is permitted only as follows:

(1) The speaker, the speaker pro tempore, the deputy speaker pro tempore, the minority leader, the majority floor leader, the minority floor leader, and staff essential to floor operations are permitted in the chamber during floor proceedings.

(2) The executive rules committee may authorize additional members to be admitted to the chamber during floor proceedings.

(3) Including the above referenced members, each caucus may designate 15 members to participate remotely from their assigned legislative offices. Each caucus must prioritize members with technological problems that preclude remote participation.

(4) The executive rules committee may authorize additional members of the house to participate remotely from their assigned legislative offices upon a showing that technological problems preclude participation from the member's home or an alternate district location.

(5) Staff may access house facilities only with prior approval of the chief clerk.

(6) Any person permitted access to house facilities must comply with public health requirements both on and off campus, and any other restriction established by executive rules and/or the chief clerk.

(7) The chief clerk shall continue to review public health data and guidance and periodically update the executive rules committee. The executive rules committee may modify provisions relating to admittance to house facilities as conditions warrant.

### **House Resolutions**

Rule A-4. House resolutions are not subject to debate, except for resolutions necessary for the operation of the house, and resolutions commemorating Day of Remembrance, Martin Luther King Jr. Day, President's Day, and National Guard Day. Floor debate on commemorative resolutions is limited to 10 minutes for members of the majority caucus and 10 minutes for members of the minority caucus.

### **Members Right to Debate**

Rule A-5. Any member who desires to speak may request to be recognized by use of the request to speak function in the remote floor activity system.

No member may speak longer than 10 minutes without consent of the house, PROVIDED, that on and after the fifth day prior to the day of adjournment Sine Die of any session, as determined by Article II, section 12 of the state Constitution or concurrent resolution, and on and after the fifth day prior to the day any bill must be reported from the house as established by concurrent resolution, no member may speak more than three minutes without consent of the house.

### **Amendments**

Rule A-6. To facilitate the orderly consideration of legislation, the speaker, after consultation with the minority leader, may establish a deadline for submission of amendments.

### **Voting**

Rule A-7. The speaker shall divide the house on all motions not requiring a recorded roll call vote. A member is not required to participate in a division vote.

All members present in the remote floor proceedings shall vote when the question is put on any motion requiring a recorded roll call vote. Before locking the roll call machine, the speaker shall call the name of any member not voting. If a member is unable to vote using the remote voting function, the member may vote orally. If a member is unable to vote using the remote voting function or orally, the rostrum staff shall contact the member by telephone and the member's vote may be taken by telephone to rostrum staff after the member answers security questions to verify the identity of the member. The rostrum staff will announce the vote of the member, which shall be recorded.

Any member who was unable to vote using the remote voting function, orally, or by telephone may require reconsideration of the vote on the same day the vote is taken or submit a statement for the journal within 48 hours indicating their intent to vote yea or nay.

### **Distribution of Materials**

Rule A-8. Any requirement to distribute materials to members' desks is satisfied by distribution through electronic means.

### **Duties of Committees**

Rule A-9. Every notice of a committee meeting shall include a web address for information about viewing and providing public testimony at committee meetings in lieu of a physical location.

Every member participating remotely in a committee meeting shall be considered present for purposes of quorum and roll call voting.

Only such bills as are included on the written notice of a committee meeting may be considered at that meeting.

Every report and recommendation shall be made by members of the committee during a regularly called meeting of the committee. No signatures are required.

Every vote to report a bill out of committee shall be taken by the yeas and nays, with nays specifying "do not pass" or "without recommendation."

A member who is unable to vote on a bill in committee for technical reasons may submit a statement for the bill file indicating their intent to have voted aye, nay do not pass, or nay without recommendation. The statement must be submitted to the chief clerk on the same day the vote is taken.

A meeting shall be considered open to the public if an alternate and broadly accessible means for the public to view the meeting is available.

#### **Term of Appendix Rules**

Rule A-10. The rules in this appendix expire on the termination of the COVID-19 state of emergency, or when rescinded by the executive rules committee, whichever occurs first.)

#### **Emergency Resolution Authorized**

**Rule 36.** If the executive rules committee determines through a majority vote that physically convening all members and staff in a single location presents a danger to the health or safety of members, staff, and the public or is impractical because of an emergency, disaster, or catastrophic incident under RCW 42.14.010, the house shall adopt a resolution establishing the rules and procedures governing any special or regular legislative session. For purposes of adopting the house resolution required by this rule, some or all members may vote using the remote voting function or other process established by the chief clerk. Members are considered in attendance within the bar of the house when using the remote floor activity system or following the established process, including for purposes of establishing quorum. To the extent practicable, a member participating remotely or otherwise under this rule has the same privileges, rights, and responsibilities under the house rules as if the member were physically present.

Representative Fitzgibbon moved adoption of HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 4601.

Representatives Fitzgibbon and Kretz spoke in favor of the adoption of the resolution.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 4601 was adopted.

#### **ELECTION OF THE SPEAKER**

Representative Fitzgibbon: "Thank you, Mr. Chief Clerk. I want to echo the words of the gentleman from the 7th district. I think we're all very happy to be back in person. I don't know if there is a member who is happier to have us back in person than the good lady from the 27th district, Representative Jinkins. Who's led us through this very unusual previous biennium where we convened mostly remotely.

But thanks to that, our ability to adapt during those difficult times, we managed to avoid any outbreaks of COVID-19 as some legislatures around the country did see. And that's really a testament, I think, to her leadership. And I want to thank her for that.

You know, different institutions, Mr. Chief Clerk, require different kinds of leadership. And I don't know that I would nominate Representative Jinkins to be a ship captain or an army general or a hospital CEO, but I do think that her leadership qualities are uniquely suited to the body that we serve in here.

She genuinely cares about the priorities and the experiences and the expertise of every member of this body. I know that she's made the time to meet with all ninety-eight elected members of the House of Representative. And also with every, with broader members of the legislative community. Particularly the staff of this institution.

She takes in information, takes in arguments from people who disagree with her, and she may not change her mind right away. But she takes that into account and it helps her set her priorities. How can she best lead a very diverse body of members from all different parts of the state. With all different life, all different priorities, all different sets of life experiences.

And I can tell you from experience, you don't always change her mind on the first go, but she really does care about the points of view that are being presented to her. And it informs her approach, it informs her outlook, it informs her priorities.

That's the kind of leadership that I want to see from the leader of this Chamber. Somebody who really collaborates and who really listens and who is able to adapt to new information and to changing circumstances. I think that she's done an incredible job of demonstrating that leadership during the three years in which she has presided over this chamber.

And I urge your support for her."

#### **MOTIONS**

Representative Fitzgibbon moved that the nominations for the Office of Speaker of the House of Representatives be closed. The motion was carried.

Representative Fitzgibbon moved that Representative Laurie Jinkins be elected to the Office of Speaker of the House of Representatives. The motion was carried.

Representative Laurie Jinkins was elected to the Office of the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Representative Fitzgibbon escorted Speaker Jinkins to the rostrum.

#### **OATH OF OFFICE**

Justice Montoya-Lewis administered the Oath of Office to Speaker Jinkins.

Chief Clerk Dean congratulated Speaker Jinkins and turned the gavel over to her.

#### **SPEAKER'S PRIVILEGE**

The Speaker introduced Nisqually Tribal Chair Willie Frank III; Vice Chair Antonette Squally; Councilwoman Chay Squally and the Nisqually Council and Canoe family.

#### **SPEAKER'S REMARKS**

Speaker Jinkins: "Thank you Chair Frank for welcoming us all to the ancestral homeland of the sovereign tribes. Starting what I hope will be a new tradition here in the House of Representatives. We acknowledge tribal nations as the original stewards of this land. And the history of dispossession that enabled the eventual construction of this very building we convene in today. We're honored to have you and Chair Peters of the Squaxin Tribe here today. Along with other tribal members from the Nisqually and Squaxin Tribes. I'm wondering if you can all stand so we can acknowledge you today. I look forward to our continued government to government partnership here in the people's house.

Representative Fitzgibbon, thank you very much for nominating me. And thank you to the members of the House for placing your confidence in me again. I promise I will do my very best to meet that confidence with listening, hard work, and good policy. And Justice Montoya-Lewis, thank you for keeping me on track with that oath of office. And thank you for being here. I do think that when we have supreme court justices, swear us in, it helps to build our relationships between the judicial and the legislative branch. And I think that continuing to strengthen those is always something to work for.

Representative Harris, where are you in the very back there? Thank you for lifting us up with that wonderful rendition of the National Anthem. And Pastor Christopher, your motivating and inspirational words really set the tone for the work we're going to undertake here over the next several months. I'm so grateful you were able to be here today, my friend. And I wish you the best as you plan your retirement later this year.

Today, I'm going to talk a lot about family. Both our own family and our legislative one. Both, my own family. And how this also about how this Chamber and this institution are growing and transforming. Just like our state is. About why I know we can deliver results for the people of the state of Washington. And

about the challenges that confront us. And about how every single one of us in this Chamber, from every corner of the state can work together to do those things.

You know, the last time I delivered remarks to a packed House with actual visitors in the galleries was on the opening day of the 2020 session. My first, as Speaker of the House. At that time, none of us knew within weeks, in fact, I researched it, within seven days of us kicking off our legislative session, would we be faced with a global pandemic that completely changed how we work, how we socialize and how we live our lives. Many of my family members travelled from out of state to see me sworn in back in 2020, which was very special to me. And this year many of them have returned and they're up in the gallery. I'm going to ask them to stand, as I call them out. My sister Julie, my sister-in-law Toby, my niece Sasha, my sister-in-law Glenda and her husband, my backpacking buddy, Jim. My brother Todd is also here from Boise. Some of you may recall that Todd worked as a smoke jumper. And in January of 2020 he was fighting catastrophic wildfires in Australia and couldn't be here. I am forever in awe of his courage. And I'm so happy he's retired. And that he can, he can enjoy being a grandpa to Rory. So thank you for being here today.

One person who isn't here and is incredibly missed, is my dad Jack Jinkins. Dad passed away in 2020, really unexpectedly. But I'm incredibly grateful he was able to be here for the opening ceremonies in 2020 because he got to meet so many of you. And he loved being able to tell people stories about it back in Wisconsin where I grew up. I am however, really happy that my mom Donna is joining me today on the dyess.

My parents role modeling of what it means to live in a really small town and rely on each other to get things done even when you didn't always agree with each other, has been an integral part of the way that I operate in the legislature. I also want to acknowledge another loss. Not one in my immediate family, but our legislative one. This past fall, Jamie Walsh, the wife of Representative Jim Walsh, tragically lost her life in a car accident. Jim, we may not always agree on policy, but every single member of this Chamber is deeply saddened by your loss. We are keeping you and your family in our thoughts and in our hearts during these very difficult times.

Family is so important. And I obviously couldn't do this without the incredible loving support, advice, and sometimes a stern talking to from my partner of thirty-four years and wife of nearly ten years, Laura. And our son, who's soon to be graduating from Western Washington University, Wolf. Thank you both for letting me model the ability to love your family and love your job. Both at the same time.

You know, in my time as Speaker, we have held not one, but two mostly remote legislative sessions. A historic first and hopefully last in our state. I recognize that for some legislators, this may not be your first term. But it's your first ever opening day ceremony in person. You've never experienced this before. And I am so glad that you finally get to do that. I also want to welcome the twenty-three, yes, twenty-three new legislators. Now officially members of this body. I am excited to work with every single one of you. Welcome.

I mean, look, look around the makeup of this Chamber is more diverse than ever. That's something to celebrate. Because the people's house should reflect the diversity of this great state. Washingtonians sent more women and people of color from every corner of the state here to work together on issues that are most pressing to us. Their trust has once again been placed in US to get the job done over the next one hundred and five days. And we will deliver. Yes. Yes. Yes.

And we know we can because this legislature delivered during some of the most challenging, unprecedented times this state has ever experienced. We delivered with a Washington recovery budget to help working families, communities in small businesses, particularly those hit hardest by the pandemic, and who faced the greatest barriers to recovery. We delivered with billions of dollars in rent assistance, mortgage assistance, and utility assistance to keep folks housed and warm through the pandemic. We delivered with a transformational sixteen-year transportation package, Move Ahead Washington, that creates a sustainable and achievable future for our state. Thank you, seatmate Jake Fey for that.

We delivered with the Fair Start For Kids Act supporting our youngest learners. Their working parents and our economy that relies on the success of both to run smoothly. We delivered with support for our K-12 schools. Funding more school counselors and psychologists and school nurses and social workers to help our students. And we delivered with Apple Health and Homes to bring stable housing and community support services to our neighbors suffering from chronic homelessness. Thank you, Speaker Ameritas Chopp for that. We delivered with the Climate Commitment Act to limit greenhouse gas emissions, reduce pollution in overburdened communities, and invest in clean jobs and climate resilience.

And we delivered with the Working Families Tax Credit. Putting money back in the pockets of hundreds of thousands of working families in this state. Thank you, Representative Thai, and Representative Stokesbary for leading on that in this body. We did all of this and more, so much more, through two mostly remote sessions. Keeping the health of our staff and the public and each other at the forefront at all times. We can be proud of what we did. And that our legislature didn't have to shut down at all and stop work like so many other state legislatures had to. And we can be proud that Washington has weathered the last two years with our economy ranked best in the nation by Wallet Hub. And second-best state for doing business, according to CNBC.

But we know that those rankings don't tell the whole story, right? Even with our strong economy, there are families across Washington who are struggling. And there is still more work that we need to do to fully deliver on these successes we've achieved over the last couple of years. One of the things that people really need our help with is housing. Washington state needs about 1.1 million new homes built within the next couple of decades. Almost half of those homes are needed for people with very low or extremely low incomes. A market the private sector has never been able to serve and that will not be served without public funding. We have a big need for more housing of all kinds in every part of this state. And there is no single solution to doing that. There are many different ways to get there. And it's going to take creative, innovative, and bipartisan approaches to address the complexity of this problem.

But I'm confident that we can do this because the last few years have been all about finding creative and innovative solutions, right? If the pandemic has taught us anything, it's that a microscopic virus can completely upend the global economy and force us to rethink everything we do. Largely because of baby boomers launched into early retirements by COVID, we're confronting a changing workforce landscape. Which has exposed some really dire needs in many sectors. If not all sectors of our economy. There is no sector that hasn't been affected by these workforce challenges.

The last couple of years we've focused our energy, trying to help folks come out of the pandemic better than they went in. And even though we did better than almost any other state in the nation, there's still so much more to be done. So much of this comes back to workforce as an omnipresent presence over everything else we do this session. Because look, we can build the best behavioral health treatment centers in communities all over this state. But if we don't have enough staff to staff those beds, they will remain empty. And people will not get the care that they need. We can't provide critical health care to communities if hospitals are struggling with staffing issues and staff are weary to the bone because of shortages. We can't help parents access childcare and give businesses more certainty without enough childcare workers. And we can't give our kids the education they deserve without fixing the statewide shortage of teachers, and counselors and school nurses. We can't care for our aging population and support families caring for loved ones if we don't have enough people in the long-term care workforce. And we cannot adequately address public safety in our communities if our law enforcement agencies from the State Patrol to local police departments are struggling to fill positions.

This long list is all to say, this session is going to be a bit about Washington's workforce. Because it affects every sector. Every district. In every corner of this state. Rural and urban. East and west. Agricultural workers to high tech workers. This is an all-hands-on deck issue. Bipartisan. Bicameral. We all need to be aggressive and creative. Working together to solve workforce

challenges. And I'm really confident that we can do this because over the last few weeks I've met with nearly every freshman lawmaker from both sides of the aisle. What I've heard about is a desire for bipartisanship and working together. We may not always agree on everything, but these new legislators are incredibly ready to roll up their sleeves and to get to work on finding common, get working on finding common ground. That's refreshing and promising for this 105 day session.

You know, we've heard a lot from, for some time, about our nation being deeply divided. Mired in gridlock and partisan bickering. Heck, we just witnessed partisan bickering like none of us have ever seen in our lifetimes in the other Washington. I don't want to minimize the divisions that are out there. Immigrant communities, transgender youth and the right to bodily autonomy for every single one of us are all being attacked in an effort to stoke the fires of fear and partisanship.

But in this Washington, even if we disagree on these topics, our conversations will recognize the humanity of every person. They will be respectful and civil. And we will find the ways to protect the rights of every single Washingtonian in every corner of this state. No matter their race, their faith, their gender, their orientation or their identity.

In this Washington, nearly ninety five percent of the legislation passed every year is bipartisan. People are often surprised when I tell them that. But that's how it really is. Last biennium, more than a third of the bills passed, passed this chamber unanimously. That is a lot of common ground. But it's not easy. It's not easy. The bipartisan successes only happen when we're creative and we listen to our constituents into each other. They happen when we are patient with each other. And impatient about the problems we have to solve.

So, as we kick off the 2023 legislative session, I invite all of us to focus on our common ground. I believe the historic diversity in this chamber strengthens our ability to serve all Washingtonians. And it also brings us closer together by inviting us to stretch ourselves as we continue to adapt and advance. This is the people's house. And we are sent here by our constituents to do the people's work. So, let's get to it."

#### POINT OF PERSONAL PRIVILEGE

Representative Wilcox: "Thank you, Madame Speaker. Congratulations on your election to be Speaker. And congratulations on maybe the best speaker's first speech I've ever heard. Very impressive. I also want to congratulate you on your choice of guests here. It means a lot to me. To see Willie up there. And to know that so many other of the Nisqually Tribe and the Squaxins are here. I'm sure Pagan is looking on. She should have been up there. Really. It was good to see Hanford behind me. Chairman Peters, who's uncles I went to high school with.

This is a building of a lot of division, at times. We would like to overcome that as much as possible. We got a little taste over the last couple of years. What division feels like when you don't have human contact. And it wasn't good. Sometimes it's hard to come back into the building when you've been on the losing side of important debates. But when I see Willie up there, and I remember meeting him for the first time on a sand bank on our farm, in the Nisqually, with his dad, forty years ago, probably. And to realize that although my family had been there for five generations, his had walked the same ground for more than we can count. He is not bitter.

We know that we're capable of noble things in this building. But some people come to the Capital and remember in their history that in the 1850's, one of Willie's predecessors, as a leader in the Nisqually Tribe had surrendered. Was locked up for the night in the Governor's Office. And was assassinated overnight. Folks, I wasn't going to say any of this, but I'm moved. If Willie can be here, if Chairman Peters can be here, if Hanford and Pagan can be here, and work together to solve differences, we sure as heck, we better be able to do that. We couldn't have a better example than that.

I had a very unusual experience, a few weeks ago. An older man named Bob, he happens to be my daughter's new grandfather-in-law, mentioned that his grandfather had served in this building. And he didn't know what years, but he of course, knew his name. He had an unusual name, U.S. Ford. Representative U.S. Ford was

my daughter's grandfather-in-law's grandfather. And I found out a little bit more because I invited Bob to come to the Capital and find his grandfather in the portraits that are spread throughout the Capital. Bob's father was a carrier pilot in World War two. Was shot down and killed before he ever got to meet his son. U.S. Ford. Representative U.S. Ford helped raise Bob. And he died fairly young too so Bob didn't really have a lot of family. But he certainly raised a fine family. And when I think about the pride that Bob had for a man that served here eighty years ago, it gives me hope that eighty years from now, some of us are going to have children and grandchildren that are proud of our service here.

I hope everybody feels the same way I do when you drive up. And it works better early in the morning. And I'm kind of a morning guy. When you drive up here and the sun's just rising and you see that dome, it makes me feel like our forefathers and foremothers were not extravagant when they built one of the largest domes in the world. And made it look so inspiring because you can't walk here, you can't walk in this building without feeling inspired. And I don't think very many people, especially when you come in here the first time, feel like, I'm here, I'm a big deal. What you feel like is, this is a big deal. Our job is a big deal. The people that depend on us are a big deal.

We're going to come and go. Maybe our great grandchildren are going to come and look at our picture and remember a little bit about us. But the work is important. The inspiration is important. We aren't. I think the most inspiring thing that happens to me besides walking into this building, especially when it's empty, is to look at the faces of the people that even after, Laurie and I've been here for twelve years now, so maybe sometimes we get a little used to this position, but you go and talk to people that haven't been around government. And you can tell from their faces that they believe that you're capable of huge things. They believe that you're capable of way more than you know that you're capable of. That's our job to, to live up, to all those people.

Now I know that almost half of the members that are in this chamber now, Madame Speaker, have never been here for a regular session. I don't think there's any enterprise in life that is more about being human than politics. And a legislature is the place where human contact is the most important. We've seen conflict here. We've seen sometimes triumph. Sometimes we've lived up to the grandeur of the building. But the other thing that we've seen over time, I think, is less of a sense of reverence for our institution.

And so I would like to ask everyone, and I've talked to the newer legislators in my caucus about this too. We've had a time that's hard on all of us. Almost every institution in our communities and our country has been torn down to some extent. Let's be part of building one up. Let's honor this institution. Not by ever giving up. Not by forgetting our principles. But by persuading in the most effective way. Making an impact in the moment in that debate. But doing it in such a way that your opponents will have more respect for you, instead of less.

I sat down with Willie's dad when I was thinking about running for the very first time. And I've heard his dad talk about being the 'being arrested guy.' And no one had more reasons to be bitter than Billy Frank Jr., who was arrested fifty times. And I bet you that not a single one of those arrests were any fun. In fact, probably they were way worse than we can imagine. And what Billy said was JT, we've won in court, in fact, I think he said they're something like 14-0 in court. When we need legislation, we can often get the legislature to pass it. And we can get the governor to sign it. But it's all transitory. It all goes away unless you convince the people that are on the other side. That's how you accomplish things that are lasting. And that's what we should strive to do. Again, that doesn't mean giving up anything. But means remembering that there's going to be a debate tomorrow. And winning people's hearts is way more important than just scoring points.

We do have a lot of work to do. And there's going to be a bunch of stuff that we don't agree on, I'm sure. But as I've thought about our work this year, especially as I've done the press events that are necessary to this job, it occurs to me that there's really two kinds of jobs. In the majority, your job is to pass things. I'm a little jealous. For everybody else, House Republicans, the press, our constituents, it's our job to aggressively help you not make mistakes. And that should be your first goal too. I'm sure it is. There's a lot of brains in this building. There's a lot of brains

among the people that we represent and among the press. They're not all on one side of the aisle. Our job is to let you know when you might be wrong. Your job is to be open to that possibility and get better.

We have many of the same issues: affordability and inflation. I totally agree with you about workforce, and by the way, Madame Speaker, you've been using names so I'm going to feel free to use names too today. I'm so glad that Representative Ybarra came and asked me if he could switch committees, is working on education & workforce. I can't imagine a more qualified person than a man who grew up working hard in a working family. And is the best spokesperson that you could imagine to reach out to the one part of our workforce that is growing now. And is so often forgotten, so many people think that our Hispanic workforce is central Washington. It's not, it's all over the state.

And one of our major goals is going to be making sure that we don't allow any person in our state to be wasted. Not just as a workforce. But in terms of any kind of talent where we need those. We know that we still have problems in public safety. And Madame Speaker, it was good to fix some of those bills that were hastily passed a couple of years ago. And I went and shook the hands of one of your members who gave a remarkable speech where he started out with, 'I was wrong.' How many of us ever say that in public? We've got farther to go. And I think that we can help you with those.

We know that we still have problems in drug addiction. And it seems like it should be broadly agreeable that although the police and the criminal justice system are defective as the only or the first alternative for people struggling with addiction, they certainly can be part of the toolbox for that. And we have to restore our ability to include the criminal justice system in helping solve our addiction crisis.

And Madame Speaker, we certainly recognize that we've got lots of talent when it comes to housing. We've got my seatmate, Representative Andrew Barkis who has singlehandedly, housed thousands of people during his career. He tells me that we've got great opportunities or further progress in cooperation in that arena.

Madame Speaker, since we both agree that we've got big opportunities for solutions. And since I don't see a name plate here that says Adam Smith or Karl Marx, or anyone else who's famous for their ideology, let's work on the things we have in common first. Let's rush those bills through. So that we're not worried about the most important bills on the last day. Let's accomplish a lot in January and February. We know that we're going to have our fights, and I don't mean to disrespect anybody's ideology. We all have that. But let's make as much of our effort as possible, around accomplishing the best things for people. And save our fights for later.

Thanks, Madame Speaker."

#### **ELECTION OF SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE**

Representative Farivar: "Thank you, Madame Speaker. It is truly an honor to present this nomination today for my friend and mentor, Representative Orwall. Having been sworn in only moments ago, it is incredibly fitting that my first floor speech is also a floor speech and nomination for the first legislator I ever had the pleasure of working with. This is truly special for me.

The good member and I got to know each other through collaboration on the first version of her language access legislation. It is an incredibly ambitious and desperately needed piece of legislation which required patience, determination, and a strong co-governance leadership style.

Now I could talk on and on about how wonderful the good representative is. However, I want to focus in on co-governance and what that means and the incredible work she has done in this leadership style.

Madame Speaker, it means working hand in hand with impacted communities. In this case, it was immigrants and refugees who had loved ones with developmental disabilities. It means making ourselves and resources available for communities that seldom have their voices heard. It means making room at the table. Creating the opportunity for these experts to lead the conversation. And it means doing so while honoring accessibility, cross cultural communication for meaningful participation in true power sharing.

The role of Speaker Pro Tempore is incredibly important and it helps shape the culture of this body. It makes it possible for all of us to effectively work together to serve Washington State.

Madame Speaker, the good representative is exactly who we need. She's proven time and time again that she works hard to meet the needs of her constituents and peers. And takes extra care to support those who have been underrepresented much like myself and my community.

The good member has an incredible heart. Clear and focused mind to lead us. The experience we need to succeed. And a strong grasp of what equity looks like in practice. She makes everyone feel welcomed, empowered, and valued. And has already been doing this work in this very Chamber.

Madame Speaker, I know she will continue to do this great work if elected today.

Thank you for the opportunity."

#### **MOTIONS**

Representative Fitzgibbon moved that the nominations for the Office of Speaker Pro Tempore of the House of Representatives be closed. The motion was carried.

Representative Fitzgibbon moved that Representative Tina Orwall be elected Speaker Pro Tempore of the House of Representatives. The motion was carried.

Representative Tina Orwall was elected Speaker Pro Tempore of the House of Representatives.

Representative Farivar escorted Speaker Pro Tempore Orwall to the rostrum.

#### **OATH OF OFFICE**

Justice Montoya-Lewis administered the Oath of Office to Speaker Pro Tempore Orwall.

#### **ELECTION OF DEPUTY SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE**

Representative Donaghy: "Thank you, Madame Speaker. Deputy Bronoski is a firefighter. And as such, it's important that he do his job with a non-biased view. And be very responsive.

Being responsive and non-biased is also a very good skill to have when presiding over this chamber. He's already demonstrated that he has those abilities. And it's important that we give him the opportunity to continue to do so.

Thank you."

#### **MOTIONS**

Representative Fitzgibbon moved that the nominations for Deputy Speaker Pro Tempore of the House of Representatives be closed. The motion was carried.

Representative Fitzgibbon moved that Representative Dan Bronoske be elected Deputy Speaker Pro Tempore of the House of Representatives. The motion was carried.

Representative Dan Bronoske was elected Deputy Speaker Pro Tempore of the House of Representatives.

Representative Donaghy escorted Deputy Speaker Pro Tempore Bronoske to the rostrum.

#### **OATH OF OFFICE**

Justice Montoya-Lewis administered the Oath of Office to Deputy Speaker Pro Tempore Bronoske.

#### **ELECTION OF THE CHIEF CLERK**

Representative Reeves: "Thank you, Madame Speaker. Today I rise in support of the nomination for Bernard Dean as Chief Clerk of our institution. Many people, when they hear that term, think of some guy pushing up his glasses in the back room,

shuffling around a lot of papers. And while that's absolutely a core function of the job of the Chief Clerk's office, when I think of this place as a political institution and a place of work, I think of the Chief Clerk as our Chief Operations Officer.

I can tell you, I think most of us would agree. I hope we would agree that there are kind of three key things that we are looking for in a Chief Clerk, as our Chief Operations officer. We're looking for somebody who respects the magnitude of this institution. And the importance of the work that we do here. We're looking for somebody who's willing to adapt to change. And to help us manage through that change. And most importantly, we are looking for somebody who understands how important the processes and the systems that we use in this place need to be to work for everyone.

It's why I think it's so important that Mr. Dean, who has managed us through two remote sessions and making sure that the institution and the processes that we bring here worked for all of us. I think it's important, my colleague here tells me, that we're in the works of trying to welcome dogs into the House of Representatives under Mr. Dean's leadership. But ultimately that Mr. Dean has done the work to demonstrate both his commitment to this institution. To the processes that work for us all. And to making sure that he's open to adapting to change as necessary.

Under his leadership, we've made sure that remote sessions work. We've seen the development of an HR office here. And we've enacted a code of conduct. These are all important systems and tools that ensure that this is a respectful workplace.

So for those reasons and many more and my own personal, my own personal preference is that he is a WSU Cougar – Go! Cougs!

I'd like to, I ask respectfully for your vote for Mr. Bernard Dean as Chief Clerk of this institution."

Representative Maycumber: "Thank you, Madame Speaker. I second the nomination for Bernard Dean for Chief Clerk for the House of Representatives for the 2023 legislative session. In true 7th district fashion, I was gonna make a bunch of jokes and make it lighthearted, but I do see that Mr. and Mrs. Dean are here today. So I do want to say a few kind words about Bernard. And all the things he's done for us. And it's nice to see you.

In the last two years, I will say that Bernard had to pretty much put together all of our rules that we had set for him. And then he had to come out and make sure it all worked with a team, of course, but it was very difficult. I will mention, he said not to talk about his extensive resume. But I, one of my key points was he is a WSU grad, which is very important to us, Eastern Washington folks.

And in addition, he served as Deputy Chief Clerk from 2007 to 2016, which is really important. He understands the job. He understands the policy. And he really cares about bringing everyone together and making sure all our voices are heard.

For those new members, I want to make sure that you go in there and speak to him and get to know him. It's very important. But also, at midnight, he also has a bunch of snacks in his office that are open and free game and very important. And a lot of you, now that I've told the secret, are staring at me at the rostrum.

But I want to take a moment, when this politics world seems very divided, he is someone who brings people's faith in the institution back. Bernard takes very strong responsibility for this role. And he makes sure that we hold it to the highest standard possible. And I thank him for that. As each one of us try to serve our constituents to the best of our ability, he's encouraging us and leading this institution with a calm demeanor. Although some of us have seen the other side. But yes, a calm demeanor. He's insightful because he does understand the institution and the job. And he has a desire for collaboration and inclusion. And I thank him for that.

In short, Madame Speaker, he is the right person for the right time and the right job. And as we move forward with everyone here, it is nice to see all the faces. And I know he appreciated it. As he is one of the few people that were here full-time while many of us, many of you weren't, I was here full-time too. But it's nice to have everyone back and it's nice to have Bernard Dean, as our Chief Clerk.

And I recommend an 'aye' vote."

## MOTIONS

Representative Fitzgibbon moved that the nominations for the office of Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives be closed. The motion was carried.

Representative Fitzgibbon moved that Bernard Dean be elected Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives. The motion was carried.

Bernard Dean was elected Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives.

Representative Reeves and Representative Maycumber escorted Chief Clerk Dean to the rostrum.

## OATH OF OFFICE

Justice Montoya-Lewis administered the Oath of Office to Chief Clerk Dean.

Chief Clerk Dean: "Thank you, Justice Montoya-Lewis and Speaker Jinkins. Representatives Reeves and Maycumber, I appreciate your kind remarks.

Thank you for the opportunity to continue to serve as Chief Clerk. I also want to thank my family who have been a constant source of support and encouragement.

It is an honor and a privilege to have been part of this institution for over 22 years. I started out as a staffer on the Appropriations Committee, putting in the long hours, crunching numbers and doing the research to provide members with the information they need to make informed budget and policy decisions.

I've been here through economic prosperity, through recessions, through the tie, and even through an earthquake!

As Chief Clerk, I leaned in, as we challenged ourselves to look inward as an institution and decide that we want the House to be a place that prioritizes and promotes a respectful workplace, a safe workplace—a place where harassment of any sort is not excused or tolerated.

The constant throughout my time here has been the dedication of the people—both elected and employed. That dedication shone bright during the unprecedented crisis of a global pandemic.

For the last three years I worked alongside our team to navigate the challenges of COVID. This crisis required us to think outside the box and act quickly to keep members and staff safe, maintain House operations, and support remote legislative work.

New innovations like remote testimony allowed greater public participation in committee hearings and made it easier for residents throughout the state to participate in the process.

We owe a debt of gratitude to all our staff who once again rose to challenge. Their smarts, creativity, and unwavering commitment to public service enabled us to conduct two legislative sessions safely and successfully without any major disruption.

A special thank you to the Legislative Service Center for developing the technology that made it all possible. You are exceptional!

Many thanks to Deputy Chief Clerk Melissa Palmer and our office staff. This place would not run smoothly without you.

To the new members, take stock in this moment and in the incredible opportunity to serve in the people's house. And know that you have the best and the brightest to support you.

Condoleezza Rice put it well when she said, "There is no greater challenge and there is no greater honor than to be in public service."

Thank you, I look forward to a productive session."

## RESOLUTION

**HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 2023-4600**, by Representatives Fitzgibbon and Kretz

BE IT RESOLVED, That a committee consisting of four members of the House of Representatives be appointed by the

Speaker of the House to notify the Governor that the House is organized and ready to conduct business.

Representative Fitzgibbon moved adoption of HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 4600.

Representative Fitzgibbon spoke in favor of the adoption of the resolution.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 4600 was adopted.

The Speaker appoints Representatives Connors, Couture, Mena and Timmons to notify the Governor that the House is organized and ready to do business.

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

### INTRODUCTION & FIRST READING

HB 1000 by Representatives Stokesbary, Corry, Barkis, Graham, Griffey, Robertson and Caldier

AN ACT Relating to providing sales tax relief by expanding the working families' tax credit; reenacting and amending RCW 82.08.0206; and providing an effective date.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

HB 1001 by Representatives Leavitt, Rude, Ryu, Simmons, Goodman, Pollet, Doglio, Orwall, Macri, Caldier, Reeves, Bronoske, Kloba and Riccelli

AN ACT Relating to the audiology and speech-language pathology interstate compact; adding a new chapter to Title 18 RCW; and providing a contingent effective date.

Referred to Committee on Postsecondary Education & Workforce.

HB 1002 by Representatives Leavitt, Thai, Ryu, Berry, Reed, Lekanoff, Senn, Doglio, Reeves, Bronoske, Kloba and Riccelli

AN ACT Relating to increasing the penalty for hazing; amending RCW 28B.10.901, 9.94A.411, 9.94A.515, and 9A.46.060; creating a new section; and prescribing penalties.

Referred to Committee on Community Safety, Justice, & Reentry.

HB 1003 by Representatives Stokesbary, Jacobsen, Graham, Rude and Griffey

AN ACT Relating to expanding access to dual credit programs; amending RCW 28A.600.287 and 28B.92.030; reenacting and amending RCW 28A.600.310; adding new sections to chapter 28A.600 RCW; adding a new section to chapter 28B.77 RCW; adding a new section to chapter 28B.92 RCW; creating a new section; and repealing RCW 28A.320.196, 28A.600.290, 28B.76.730, 43.131.427, and 43.131.428.

Referred to Committee on Education.

HB 1004 by Representatives Abbarno, Orcutt, Berry, Simmons, Graham, Schmidt, Christian, Lekanoff, Griffey, Dye, Klicker, Wylie, Cheney, Davis and Riccelli

AN ACT Relating to installing signs on or near bridges to provide information to deter jumping; amending RCW 36.86.040, 47.36.030, and 81.36.100; adding a new section to chapter 35.21 RCW; adding a new section to chapter 47.04 RCW; adding a new section to chapter 47.36 RCW; adding a new section to chapter 53.08 RCW; adding a new section to chapter 77.12 RCW; adding a new section to chapter 79.10

RCW; adding a new section to chapter 79A.05 RCW; and creating new sections.

Referred to Committee on Transportation.

HB 1005 by Representatives Abbarno, Graham, Leavitt, Christian, Griffey, Robertson, Orwall, Dye, Caldier, Klicker, Orcutt and Cheney

AN ACT Relating to employer tax incentives for the support of veterans and military families; amending RCW 82.04.4498 and 82.16.0499; creating new sections; providing an effective date; providing expiration dates; and declaring an emergency.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

HB 1006 by Representatives Orwall, Mosbrucker, Goodman, Davis, Hackney, Simmons, Griffey, Peterson, Leavitt, Ryu, Bateman, Reed, Graham, Ramel, Pollet, Doglio, Rude, Macri, Caldier, Reeves, Wylie, Gregerson, Kloba, Riccelli, Farivar and Fosse

AN ACT Relating to expanding access to drug testing equipment to promote community safety; and amending RCW 69.50.102 and 69.50.4121.

Referred to Committee on Community Safety, Justice, & Reentry.

HB 1007 by Representatives Paul, Stokesbary, Bergquist, Leavitt, Simmons, Griffey, Callan, Doglio, Timmons, Reeves, Bronoske, Shavers, Riccelli and Ormsby

AN ACT Relating to interruptive military service credit for members of the state retirement systems; and amending RCW 41.04.005.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

HB 1008 by Representatives Bronoske, Simmons, Goodman, Leavitt, Bateman, Lekanoff, Callan, Kloba, Santos, Ormsby and Fosse

AN ACT Relating to participating in insurance plans and contracts by separated plan 2 members of certain retirement systems; amending RCW 41.05.011; and providing an effective date.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

HB 1009 by Representatives Leavitt, Barkis, Ryu, Paul, Donaghy, Slatter, Simmons, Low, Volz, Schmidt, Christian, Lekanoff, Griffey, Doglio, Robertson, Orwall, Caldier, Reeves, Bronoske, Bergquist, Shavers, Riccelli and Ormsby

AN ACT Relating to military spouse employment; amending RCW 18.340.020 and 73.04.150; adding new sections to chapter 18.340 RCW; adding a new section to chapter 28A.410 RCW; adding a new section to chapter 43.60A RCW; adding a new section to chapter 38.42 RCW; and creating new sections.

Referred to Committee on Innovation, Community & Economic Development, & Veterans.

HB 1010 by Representatives Chapman, McEntire, Dent, Reed, Griffey, Reeves and Kloba

AN ACT Relating to the sanitary control of shellfish; adding a new section to chapter 69.30 RCW; and declaring an emergency.

Referred to Committee on Agriculture and Natural Resources.

HB 1011 by Representatives Abbarno, Corry, Dent, Barkis, Griffey, Ybarra, Walsh, Schmidt, Robertson, Couture,

Stokesbary, Chambers, Hutchins, Eslick, Volz, Sandlin, Jacobsen, Klicker, Graham, Steele, McClintock, Connors, Christian, Rude, Dye, Caldier, Schmick, Orcutt, Springer, Barnard and Cheney

AN ACT Relating to repealing the long-term services and supports trust program; creating a new section; repealing RCW 50B.04.010, 50B.04.020, 50B.04.030, 50B.04.040, 50B.04.050, 50B.04.055, 50B.04.060, 50B.04.070, 50B.04.080, 50B.04.085, 50B.04.088, 50B.04.090, 50B.04.095, 50B.04.100, 50B.04.110, 50B.04.120, 50B.04.130, 50B.04.140, 50B.04.150, 50B.04.160, 50B.04.170, and 50B.04.900; and declaring an emergency.

Referred to Committee on Health Care & Wellness.

HB 1012 by Representatives Leavitt, Robertson, Ryu, Simmons, Reed, Ramel, Lekanoff, Pollet, Callan, Doglio, Orwall, Macri, Timmons, Donaghy, Reeves, Wylie, Bronoske, Paul, Springer and Thai

AN ACT Relating to responding to extreme weather events; amending RCW 38.52.105; adding a new section to chapter 38.52 RCW; and creating new sections.

Referred to Committee on Innovation, Community & Economic Development, & Veterans.

HB 1013 by Representatives Maycumber, Santos, Ybarra, Stonier, Dent, Goodman, Tharinger, Riccelli, Lekanoff, Rude, Walen, Robertson, Mosbrucker, Berry, Stokesbary, Fey, Harris, McClintock, Bronoske, Waters, Duerr, Hackney, Klicker, Kretz, Couture, Barnard, Walsh, Chapman, Griffey, Chopp, Leavitt, Ryu, Low, Barkis, Simmons, Schmidt, Sandlin, Bateman, Reed, Graham, Christian, Timmons, Pollet, Street, Rule, Connors, Cortes, Callan, Doglio, Orwall, Caldier, Reeves, Wylie, Bergquist, Thai, Kloba, Cheney and Ormsby

AN ACT Relating to establishing regional apprenticeship programs through educational service districts; adding a new section to chapter 28A.310 RCW; and creating a new section.

Referred to Committee on Education.

HB 1014 by Representatives Abbarno, Bronoske, Ryu, Simmons, Bateman, Graham, Ramel, Griffey, Dye, Klicker, Orcutt and Cheney

AN ACT Relating to capital projects for the provision of fire protection services; and adding a new chapter to Title 43 RCW.

Referred to Committee on Capital Budget.

HB 1015 by Representatives Santos, Ybarra, Bergquist, Stonier, Leavitt, Rude, Jacobsen, Simmons, Reed, Lekanoff, Goodman, Pollet, Ortiz-Self, Callan, Doglio, Reeves, Tharinger, Wylie, Paul, Thai, Springer and Ormsby

AN ACT Relating to minimum employment requirements for paraeducators; amending RCW 28A.413.040; and declaring an emergency.

Referred to Committee on Education.

HB 1016 by Representatives Chapman, Volz, Goodman and Griffey

AN ACT Relating to creating a wine retailer shipper's permit; amending RCW 66.20.365; and adding a new section to chapter 66.20 RCW.

Referred to Committee on Regulated Substances & Gaming.

HB 1017 by Representatives Ryu, Leavitt, Chambers, Simmons, Jacobsen, Reed, Graham, Lekanoff, Caldier, Timmons, Reeves, Tharinger, Springer, Thai, Santos and Riccelli

AN ACT Relating to expediting licensure for cosmetologists, hair designers, barbers, manicurists, and estheticians; and amending RCW 18.16.090.

Referred to Committee on Consumer Protection & Business.

HB 1018 by Representatives Tharinger, Chapman, Orcutt, Abbarno, Fey, Ryu and Wylie

AN ACT Relating to changing the expiration date for the sales and use tax exemption of hog fuel to comply with the 2045 deadline for fossil fuel-free electrical generation in Washington state and to protect jobs with health care and retirement benefits in economically distressed communities; amending RCW 82.08.956, 82.12.956, and 82.32.605; creating new sections; and providing expiration dates.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

HB 1019 by Representatives Dent, Chapman, Ryu, Corry, Sandlin, Reeves, Springer, Schmick and Davis

AN ACT Relating to creating the pesticide advisory board; adding a new section to chapter 17.21 RCW; and creating a new section.

Referred to Committee on Agriculture and Natural Resources.

HB 1020 by Representatives Morgan, Callan, Ryu, Simmons, Reed, Gregerson, Thai and Ormsby

AN ACT Relating to the state dinosaur; adding a new section to chapter 1.20 RCW; and creating a new section.

Referred to Committee on State Government & Tribal Relations.

HB 1021 by Representatives Thai, Orwall, Leavitt, Ryu, Simmons, Reed, Lekanoff, Callan, Macri, Reeves, Wylie, Kloba and Ormsby

AN ACT Relating to aligning social worker licensing requirements with national standards and requirements for other mental health professionals; amending RCW 18.225.090; and creating a new section.

Referred to Committee on Postsecondary Education & Workforce.

HB 1022 by Representatives Chapman, Reed, Lekanoff, Reeves, Chopp, Wylie, Kloba and Riccelli

AN ACT Relating to providing additional support and services for veterans' assistance and for persons with developmental disabilities or mental health needs; amending RCW 71.20.110, 73.08.080, 84.52.043, 84.52.043, 84.52.010, 84.52.010, and 84.55.005; creating a new section; providing an effective date; and providing an expiration date.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

HB 1023 by Representatives Walen, Goodman, Reeves, Thai and Ormsby

AN ACT Relating to the elimination of wire tap authorization reporting to the administrative office of the courts; and repealing RCW 9.73.120.

Referred to Committee on Civil Rights & Judiciary.

HB 1024 by Representatives Simmons, Reed, Berry, Ryu, Goodman, Bateman, Ramel, Peterson, Street, Doglio, Macri, Reeves, Wylie, Alvarado, Thai, Santos, Ormsby and Fosse

AN ACT Relating to labor and income of incarcerated persons; amending RCW 10.01.160, 72.09.015, 72.09.100, 72.09.110, 72.09.111, 72.09.130, 72.09.460, and 72.09.480; reenacting and amending RCW 9.94A.760; adding a new section to chapter 72.09 RCW; creating new sections; repealing RCW 72.09.400 and 72.09.410; and providing an effective date.

Referred to Committee on Community Safety, Justice, & Reentry.

HB 1025 by Representatives Thai, Reed, Berry, Ryu, Simmons, Bateman, Fitzgibbon, Farivar, Peterson, Alvarado, Pollet, Street, Cortes, Doglio, Macri, Gregerson, Stonier, Kloba and Santos

AN ACT Relating to creating a private right of action for harm from violations of the state Constitution or state law by peace officers; adding a new chapter to Title 7 RCW; and providing an effective date.

Referred to Committee on Civil Rights & Judiciary.

HB 1026 by Representatives Walen, Duerr, Bateman, Reed, Fitzgibbon, Ramel, Peterson, Macri, Tharinger, Wylie and Santos

AN ACT Relating to local government design review; and amending RCW 36.70B.020 and 36.70B.120.

Referred to Committee on Housing.

HB 1027 by Representatives Riccelli, Schmick, Ryu, Simmons, Duerr, Reed, Lekanoff, Pollet, Doglio, Macri, Timmons, Reeves, Tharinger, Wylie, Thai, Stonier, Ormsby, Farivar and Fosse

AN ACT Relating to extending the time frame in which real-time telemedicine using both audio and video technology may be used to establish a relationship for the purpose of providing audio-only telemedicine for certain health care services; and amending RCW 41.05.700, 48.43.735, and 74.09.325.

Referred to Committee on Health Care & Wellness.

HB 1028 by Representatives Orwall, Mosbrucker, Ryu, Simmons, Goodman, Reed, Lekanoff, Pollet, Callan, Doglio, Macri, Caldier, Reeves, Wylie, Gregerson, Davis, Ormsby and Fosse

AN ACT Relating to supporting crime victims and witnesses by promoting victim-centered, trauma-informed responses in the legal system; amending RCW 5.70.040, 5.70.050, 5.70.060, 9A.04.080, 43.101.272, 43.101.276, 43.101.278, 7.68.170, 43.43.545, 7.68.380, 43.185C.260, and 7.69.030; adding a new section to chapter 43.10 RCW; adding new sections to chapter 43.101 RCW; adding a new section to chapter 43.280 RCW; adding a new section to chapter 70.02 RCW; adding a new section to chapter 7.68 RCW; creating a new section; repealing RCW 43.101.270; providing an effective date; and providing expiration dates.

Referred to Committee on Community Safety, Justice, & Reentry.

HB 1029 by Representatives Jacobsen, Walsh, Graham, Christian, Griffey, Rude and Caldier

AN ACT Relating to reemployment of state workers dismissed from employment due to vaccine mandates; adding a new section to chapter 43.01 RCW; and creating a new section.

Referred to Committee on Labor & Workplace Standards.

HB 1030 by Representatives Leavitt, Jacobsen, Pollet, Reeves and Bronoske

AN ACT Relating to applied doctorate degree-granting authority; adding a new section to chapter 28B.35 RCW; and repealing RCW 28B.35.215, 28B.35.216, and 28B.35.218.

Referred to Committee on Postsecondary Education & Workforce.

HB 1031 by Representatives Low, Ryu, Schmidt, Christian, Reeves and Ramos

AN ACT Relating to the medal of valor award presentation; and amending RCW 1.60.030.

Referred to Committee on State Government & Tribal Relations.

HB 1032 by Representatives Dent, Chapman, Ryu, Reed, Graham, Ramel, Pollet, Griffey, Reeves, Tharinger, Wylie, Springer, Kloba and Donaghy

AN ACT Relating to mitigating the risk of wildfires through electric utility planning and identification of best management practices appropriate to each electric utility's circumstances; amending RCW 76.04.780; adding a new section to chapter 43.21F RCW; adding a new section to chapter 80.28 RCW; adding a new section to chapter 19.29A RCW; and creating a new section.

Referred to Committee on Agriculture and Natural Resources.

HB 1033 by Representatives Walen, Ryu, Reed, Fitzgibbon, Pollet, Callan, Doglio, Macri, Gregerson, Davis, Santos, Ormsby and Fosse

AN ACT Relating to evaluating compostable product usage in Washington; adding a new section to chapter 70A.205 RCW; and providing an expiration date.

Referred to Committee on Environment & Energy.

HB 1034 by Representatives Walen, Leavitt, Goodman, Bateman, Slatter, Fitzgibbon, Ramel, Peterson, Orwall, Macri, Wylie, Gregerson, Thai, Springer, Bergquist, Pollet, Stonier, Santos, Donaghy, Ormsby and Fosse

AN ACT Relating to prohibiting fur farming; amending RCW 16.72.010; adding new sections to chapter 16.72 RCW; creating a new section; repealing RCW 16.72.020, 16.72.030, and 16.72.040; prescribing penalties; providing an effective date; and providing expiration dates.

Referred to Committee on Agriculture and Natural Resources.

HB 1035 by Representatives Walen, Ryu, Simmons, Goodman, Bateman, Reed, Ramel, Duerr, Street, Callan, Doglio, Macri, Tharinger, Wylie, Gregerson, Bergquist, Thai, Kloba, Santos, Ormsby and Fosse

AN ACT Relating to prohibiting health care entities from restricting the provision of certain health care services by health care providers; and amending RCW 70.400.010, 70.400.020, and 70.245.190.

Referred to Committee on Health Care & Wellness.

HB 1036 by Representatives Walen, Duerr, Graham, Ramel, Peterson, Doglio, Caldier, Donaghy, Wylie, Ormsby and Fosse

AN ACT Relating to duty of clergy to report child abuse or neglect; amending RCW 26.44.030 and 9A.04.080; and reenacting and amending RCW 26.44.020.

Referred to Committee on Human Services, Youth, & Early Learning.

HB 1037 by Representative Walsh

AN ACT Relating to family burial grounds on privately owned property; amending RCW 68.05.400, 68.20.010, 68.20.140, and 68.50.130; adding a new section to chapter 68.04 RCW; and adding a new chapter to Title 68 RCW.

Referred to Committee on Civil Rights & Judiciary.

HB 1038 by Representatives Taylor, Harris, Reed, Walen, Schmidt and Stonier

AN ACT Relating to licensure of anesthesiologist assistants; amending RCW 18.130.040, 18.130.040, and 18.120.020; adding a new chapter to Title 18 RCW; providing an effective date; and providing an expiration date.

Referred to Committee on Health Care & Wellness.

HB 1039 by Representatives Macri, Harris, Corry, Duerr, Riccelli, Chambers, Goodman, Reed, Fitzgibbon, Pollet, Ryu, Paul, Thai, Springer, Stonier, Kloba, Santos and Ormsby

AN ACT Relating to physical therapists performing intramuscular needling; amending RCW 18.74.010; and adding a new section to chapter 18.74 RCW.

Referred to Committee on Health Care & Wellness.

HB 1040 by Representatives Dent, Orwall, Corry, Ryu, Schmidt, Christian, Sandlin and Davis

AN ACT Relating to establishing an aviation and aerospace advisory committee; adding a new section to chapter 43.330 RCW; providing an effective date; and declaring an emergency.

Referred to Committee on Innovation, Community & Economic Development, & Veterans.

HB 1041 by Representatives Bateman, Macri, Ryu, Simmons, Goodman, Reed, Taylor, Callan, Doglio, Reeves, Wylie, Gregerson, Stonier, Kloba and Ormsby

AN ACT Relating to authorizing the prescriptive authority of psychologists; amending RCW 18.83.010, 18.83.035, 18.83.050, 18.83.080, 18.83.090, 18.64.011, and 18.79.260; reenacting and amending RCW 69.50.101; adding new sections to chapter 18.83 RCW; creating a new section; and providing an effective date.

Referred to Committee on Health Care & Wellness.

HB 1042 by Representatives Walen, Ryu, Barkis, Simmons, Duerr, Goodman, Bateman, Reed, Ramel, Peterson, Pollet, Doglio, Macri, Reeves, Mena, Tharinger, Wylie, Gregerson, Springer, Bergquist, Thai, Kloba, Santos and Ormsby

AN ACT Relating to the creation of additional housing units in existing buildings; adding a new section to chapter 35A.21 RCW; and adding a new section to chapter 35.21 RCW.

Referred to Committee on Housing.

HB 1043 by Representatives McEntire, Leavitt and Walsh

AN ACT Relating to association records in common interest communities; and amending RCW 64.32.170, 64.34.372, and 64.38.045.

Referred to Committee on Housing.

HB 1044 by Representatives McEntire, Graham, Couture, Sandlin, Walsh, Rude, Caldier and Santos

AN ACT Relating to capital financial assistance to small school districts with demonstrated funding challenges; amending RCW 28A.525.159; adding a new section to chapter 28A.525 RCW; creating a new section; and declaring an emergency.

Referred to Committee on Capital Budget.

HB 1045 by Representatives Berry, Peterson, Ryu, Simmons, Goodman, Bateman, Reed, Ramel, Pollet, Street, Senn, Doglio, Macri, Mena, Wylie, Gregerson and Ormsby

AN ACT Relating to creating the evergreen basic income pilot program; amending RCW 74.04.005, 43.216.1368, 43.185C.220, and 26.19.071; reenacting and amending RCW 10.101.010; adding a new section to chapter 43.216 RCW; adding a new chapter to Title 74 RCW; and creating a new section.

Referred to Committee on Human Services, Youth, & Early Learning.

HB 1046 by Representatives Walen, Leavitt, Ryu, Bateman, Peterson, Doglio, Reeves, Wylie, Bergquist, Springer, Kloba, Santos and Ormsby

AN ACT Relating to expanding housing supply by supporting the ability of public housing authorities to finance affordable housing developments by rebenchmarking area median income limits; and amending RCW 35.82.070.

Referred to Committee on Housing.

HB 1047 by Representatives Mena, Ryu, Berry, Simmons, Duerr, Goodman, Bateman, Reed, Fitzgibbon, Ramel, Doglio, Orwall, Macri, Gregerson, Thai, Stonier, Santos, Riccelli and Ormsby

AN ACT Relating to the use of toxic chemicals in cosmetic products; amending RCW 43.21B.110 and 43.21B.300; adding a new chapter to Title 70A RCW; and prescribing penalties.

Referred to Committee on Environment & Energy.

HB 1048 by Representatives Mena, Simmons, Goodman, Berry, Ramel, Peterson, Pollet, Doglio, Macri, Morgan, Wylie, Gregerson, Bergquist, Street, Cortes, Santos, Ormsby and Farivar

AN ACT Relating to enhancing the Washington voting rights act; amending RCW 29A.92.010, 29A.92.030, 29A.92.040, 29A.92.060, 29A.92.090, 29A.92.110, 29A.92.070, 29A.92.080, 29A.92.130, and 36.32.020; adding new sections to chapter 29A.92 RCW; and providing an effective date.

Referred to Committee on State Government & Tribal Relations.

HB 1049 by Representatives Doglio, Bateman, Riccelli and Ormsby

AN ACT Relating to updating timelines for adopting county commissioner district boundaries following expansion from three to five commissioners; and amending RCW 36.32.0552.

Referred to Committee on State Government & Tribal Relations.

HB 1050 by Representatives Riccelli, Berry, Simmons, Ryu, Goodman, Reed, Ramel, Lekanoff, Pollet, Street, Doglio, Donaghy, Wylie, Santos, Ormsby and Fosse

AN ACT Relating to expanding apprenticeship utilization requirements; amending RCW 39.04.320; and providing an effective date.

Referred to Committee on Capital Budget.

HB 1051 by Representatives Leavitt, Walen, Simmons, Ryu, Goodman, Fitzgibbon, Pollet, Doglio, Orwall, Macri, Timmons, Wylie, Bronoske, Ramos, Thai and Kloba

AN ACT Relating to robocalling and telephone scams; amending RCW 80.36.400, 80.36.390, and 19.158.020; creating a new section; and prescribing penalties.

Referred to Committee on Consumer Protection & Business.

HB 1052 by Representatives Ramel, Lekanoff, Bateman, Reed, Pollet, Walen, Doglio and Kloba

AN ACT Relating to providing a property tax exemption for qualified real and personal property owned or used by a nonprofit entity in providing qualified housing funded in whole or part through a local real estate excise tax; amending RCW 84.36.560; and creating a new section.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

HB 1053 by Representatives Robertson, Mosbrucker, Corry, Barkis, Griffey, Walsh, Low, Abbarno, Couture, Stokesbary, Chambers, Hutchins, Ybarra, Schmidt, Dent, Jacobsen, Sandlin, Graham, Steele, Christian, McClintock, Goehner, Connors, Rude, Caldier, Barnard, Cheney and Maycumber

AN ACT Relating to vehicular pursuits; amending RCW 10.116.060; and declaring an emergency.

Referred to Committee on Community Safety, Justice, & Reentry.

HB 1054 by Representatives Walen, Simmons, Ryu, Bateman, Ramel, Doglio, Macri, Gregerson, Springer, Thai, Kloba and Donaghy

AN ACT Relating to the authority of owners' associations in common interest communities to regulate or limit occupancy by unrelated persons; adding a new section to chapter 64.32 RCW; adding a new section to chapter 64.34 RCW; adding a new section to chapter 64.38 RCW; and adding a new section to chapter 64.90 RCW.

Referred to Committee on Housing.

HB 1055 by Representatives Stokesbary, Ormsby, Leavitt, Simmons, Goodman, Lekanoff, Rule, Robertson, Bronoske, Bergquist and Davis

AN ACT Relating to public safety employees' retirement plan membership for public safety telecommunicators; amending RCW 41.37.005 and 41.37.010; adding a new section to chapter 41.37 RCW; creating a new section; and providing an effective date.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

HB 1056 by Representatives Stokesbary, Fitzgibbon, Leavitt, Simmons, Lekanoff, Rule, Griffey, Macri, Bergquist, Wylie and Ormsby

AN ACT Relating to repealing some postretirement employment restrictions; amending RCW 41.32.765, 41.32.802, 41.32.862, 41.32.875, 41.35.060, 41.35.420, 41.35.680, 41.40.630, and 41.40.820; and providing an effective date.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

HB 1057 by Representatives Stokesbary, Fitzgibbon, Leavitt, Simmons, Rude, Bateman, Pollet, Street, Goodman, Robertson, Macri, Donaghy, Bronoske, Paul, Bergquist, Wylie, Kloba and Ormsby

AN ACT Relating to providing a benefit increase to certain retirees of the public employees' retirement system plan 1 and the teachers' retirement system plan 1; amending RCW 41.32.4992 and 41.40.1987; creating new sections; providing an effective date; and declaring an emergency.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

HB 1058 by Representatives Paul, Orcutt, Simmons, Ryu, Reed, Ramel, Lekanoff, Sandlin, Macri, Timmons, Wylie, Shavers, Kloba and Ormsby

AN ACT Relating to streamlining the licensing process for a commercial driver's license by allowing the department to waive requirements for applicants that previously surrendered the license, allowing the license to be renewed online, and modifying the license test fees; amending RCW 46.25.088 and 46.25.060; and providing an effective date.

Referred to Committee on Transportation.

HB 1059 by Representatives Walen, Duerr, Rule, Doglio, Timmons, Reeves, Wylie, Thai, Kloba and Ormsby

AN ACT Relating to protecting minors from sexual exploitation; and amending RCW 9.68A.040 and 9.68A.053.

Referred to Committee on Community Safety, Justice, & Reentry.

HB 1060 by Representatives Corry, Berry, Walen and Reeves

AN ACT Relating to reorganization of domestic mutual insurers; and adding new sections to chapter 48.09 RCW.

Referred to Committee on Consumer Protection & Business.

HB 1061 by Representatives Ryu, Corry and Reeves

AN ACT Relating to the elimination of preclicensing education requirements for licensed insurance producers; and amending RCW 48.17.090.

Referred to Committee on Consumer Protection & Business.

HB 1062 by Representatives Peterson, Simmons, Bateman, Reed, Doglio, Orwall, Macri, Gregerson, Thai, Stonier, Santos and Farivar

AN ACT Relating to the use of deception by law enforcement officers during custodial interrogations; and adding a new chapter to Title 10 RCW.

Referred to Committee on Community Safety, Justice, & Reentry.

HB 1063 by Representative Corry

AN ACT Relating to modifying the operation of motorcycles on roadways laned for traffic; amending RCW 46.61.608; creating a new section; and prescribing penalties.

Referred to Committee on Transportation.

HB 1064 by Representatives Jacobsen, Rude and Walsh

AN ACT Relating to school safety capital grants; and adding a new section to chapter 28A.525 RCW.

Referred to Committee on Capital Budget.

HB 1065 by Representatives Ryu, Reed, Callan, Wylie, Kloba and Ormsby

AN ACT Relating to online marketplace consumer product theft and safety protection; adding a new chapter to Title 19 RCW; and providing an effective date.

Referred to Committee on Consumer Protection & Business.

HB 1066 by Representatives Goodman, Abbarno, Simmons and Kloba

AN ACT Relating to making technical corrections and removing obsolete language from the Revised Code of Washington pursuant to RCW 1.08.025; amending RCW 10.99.033, 7.68.360, 18.85.285, 19.27.190, 24.46.010, 28A.160.090, 28A.515.320, 28B.30.537, 28B.30.900, 28B.50.281, 28C.18.130, 28C.18.140, 31.24.030, 34.05.330, 35.02.260, 35.13.171, 35.21.300, 36.01.120, 36.70A.085, 36.70A.131, 36.70B.040, 36.70B.080, 36.93.080, 36.110.030, 39.04.156, 39.19.240, 39.34.230, 39.35D.080, 39.44.210, 39.44.230, 39.84.090, 40.10.020, 41.06.072, 43.20A.037, 43.20A.790, 43.21A.510, 43.21A.515, 43.21A.612, 43.21G.010, 43.22.495, 43.22A.020, 43.23.035, 43.30.835, 43.31.205, 43.31.504, 43.31.970, 43.63A.115, 43.63A.135, 43.63A.155, 43.63A.230, 43.63A.275, 43.63A.400, 43.63A.410, 43.63A.720, 43.63A.735, 43.63A.764, 43.70.540, 43.132.030, 43.132.810, 43.133.030, 43.133.050, 43.150.040, 43.163.020, 43.163.120, 43.168.010, 43.176.030, 43.176.901, 43.180.040, 43.180.200, 43.180.220, 43.185A.100, 43.185C.200, 43.210.030, 43.210.060, 43.270.020, 43.270.070, 43.270.080, 43.310.020, 43.325.100, 43.325.110, 43.330.065, 43.330.904, 43.332.010, 47.01.440, 47.12.064, 47.39.040, 47.39.069, 47.39.090, 47.50.090, 47.76.230, 49.04.200, 50.38.030, 50.72.030, 53.36.030, 54.16.285, 54.52.020, 57.46.010, 57.46.020, 59.18.440, 59.24.020, 59.24.050, 59.24.060, 59.28.030, 59.28.040, 59.28.050, 59.28.060, 59.28.120, 64.34.442, 66.08.195, 66.08.198, 67.28.8001, 67.38.070, 70.62.290, 70.114A.070, 70.136.030, 70A.50.020, 70A.205.210, 70A.205.710, 71.09.255, 72.09.055, 72.65.210, 76.56.020, 79.105.600, 79A.30.050, 79A.50.100, 79A.60.480, 80.36.440, 80.80.050, 80.80.080, 90.56.280, 9.41.280, 9.41.284, 9.41.305, 9A.44.050, 9A.44.100, 9.94A.838, 9A.44.128, 9A.72.160, 10.31.115, 43.20A.715, 82.04.758, 43.41.425, 64.38.110, 72.01.412, and 88.02.620; reenacting and amending RCW 10.99.080, 28A.300.145, 43.03.305, 43.185B.020, 46.04.670, 46.68.340, 53.08.370, 54.16.330, 70A.15.3150, 79.64.100, 43.21J.030, and 9A.44.010; reenacting RCW 10.99.030, 46.25.010, 66.24.210, 66.24.495, 69.50.530, 69.50.540, 70.47.020, 74.09.053, 82.38.060, and 82.42.040; creating a new section; decodifying RCW 28A.300.2851, 28A.300.807, 43.10.300, 43.280.091, and 44.82.010; repealing 2011 1st sp. sess. c 35 s 3 (uncodified); providing a contingent effective date; and providing expiration dates.

Referred to Committee on Civil Rights & Judiciary.

HB 1067 by Representatives Bronoske, Simmons, Berry, Bateman, Lekanoff, Doglio, Gregerson, Wylie, Ortiz-Self, Pollet, Davis, Riccelli, Ormsby and Fosse

AN ACT Relating to wages for journeypersons in high-hazard facilities; amending RCW 49.80.010; and providing an effective date.

Referred to Committee on Labor & Workplace Standards.

HB 1068 by Representatives Bronoske, Simmons, Ryu, Goodman, Berry, Bateman, Peterson, Taylor, Doglio, Gregerson, Wylie, Pollet, Davis, Santos, Ormsby and Fosse

AN ACT Relating to injured workers' rights during compelled medical examinations; and amending RCW 51.36.070.

Referred to Committee on Labor & Workplace Standards.

HB 1069 by Representatives Leavitt, Harris, Riccelli, Simmons, Barkis, Slatter, Ryu, Bateman, Rude, Schmidt, Rule, Goodman, Ybarra, Callan, Doglio, Orwall, Macri, Caldier, Senn, Tharinger, Bronoske, Gregerson, Paul, Wylie, Stonier, Kloba, Ormsby and Farivar

AN ACT Relating to the mental health counselor compact; and adding a new chapter to Title 18 RCW.

Referred to Committee on Postsecondary Education & Workforce.

HB 1070 by Representatives Connors, Reeves, Hutchins, Schmidt, Peterson, Christian, Rude, Klicker, Barkis and Walsh

AN ACT Relating to exempting the sale and leaseback of property by a seller from the residential landlord-tenant act when the seller agrees to a written lease at closing; and amending RCW 59.18.040.

Referred to Committee on Housing.

HB 1071 by Representatives Walsh, Jacobsen, Graham and Griffey

AN ACT Relating to securing schools by authorizing funding for a school resource officer in every school; amending RCW 28A.710.280 and 28A.715.040; adding a new section to chapter 28A.150 RCW; creating a new section; and providing an effective date.

Referred to Committee on Education.

HB 1072 by Representatives Klicker, Sandlin and Rude

AN ACT Relating to motor vehicle length limitations; and amending RCW 46.44.030.

Referred to Committee on Transportation.

HB 1073 by Representatives Harris, Tharinger, Ryu, Leavitt, Macri, Caldier, Santos and Ormsby

AN ACT Relating to medical assistants; and amending RCW 18.360.040 and 18.360.050.

Referred to Committee on Postsecondary Education & Workforce.

HB 1074 by Representatives Thai, Macri, Simmons, Ryu, Ramel, Peterson, Lekanoff, Alvarado, Pollet, Cortes, Gregerson, Kloba, Davis and Ormsby

AN ACT Relating to documentation and processes governing landlords' claims for damage to residential premises; amending RCW 59.18.260, 59.18.280, 59.18.060, 59.18.130, and 59.18.595; reenacting and amending RCW 59.18.030; and creating a new section.

Referred to Committee on Housing.

HB 1075 by Representatives Thai, Walen, Simmons, Berry, Ramel, Peterson, Pollet, Callan, Macri, Gregerson, Bergquist, Wylie, Kloba, Santos, Riccelli, Fosse and Ormsby

AN ACT Relating to expanding eligibility for the working families' tax credit to everyone age 18 and older; amending 2021 c 195 s 4 (uncodified); reenacting and amending RCW 82.08.0206; creating a new section; providing an effective date; and providing a contingent expiration date.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

HB 1076 by Representatives Klicker, Sandlin and Barnard

AN ACT Relating to encouraging salmon recovery through voluntary stewardship; amending RCW 36.70A.080 and 36.70A.280; adding new sections to chapter 36.70A RCW; and creating a new section.

Referred to Committee on Environment & Energy.

HB 1077 by Representatives Thai, Walen, Simmons, Leavitt, Senn, Goodman and Santos

AN ACT Relating to courthouse facility dogs; amending RCW 10.52.110; and creating a new section.

Referred to Committee on Civil Rights & Judiciary.

HB 1078 by Representatives Duerr, Doglio, Simmons, Reed, Ryu, Walen, Ramel, Macri, Reeves and Kloba

AN ACT Relating to urban forest management ordinances; amending RCW 76.15.110; adding a new section to chapter 35.21 RCW; adding a new section to chapter 35A.21 RCW; and creating a new section.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

HB 1079 by Representatives Thai, Slatter and Ryu

AN ACT Relating to rapid whole genome sequencing; amending RCW 74.09.520 and 28B.20.830; creating a new section; and providing an expiration date.

Referred to Committee on Health Care & Wellness.

HB 1080 by Representatives Taylor, Peterson, Simmons, Walen, Reed, Stearns, Berry, Pollet, Goodman, Orwall, Bergquist, Gregerson and Thai

AN ACT Relating to body worn cameras; and amending RCW 42.56.240.

Referred to Committee on Civil Rights & Judiciary.

HB 1081 by Representatives Simmons, Hutchins, Ryu and Bronoske

AN ACT Relating to authorizing administrative law judges to substitute for pollution control hearings board members in deciding derelict vessel appeals; and amending RCW 79.100.120.

Referred to Committee on Agriculture and Natural Resources.

HB 1082 by Representatives Simmons, Jacobsen, Goodman, Springer, Santos and Ormsby

AN ACT Relating to expanding opportunities for physical therapy and occupational therapy professionals to form professional service corporations; and amending RCW 18.100.050.

Referred to Committee on Consumer Protection & Business.

HB 1083 by Representatives Robertson, Rule and Ryu

AN ACT Relating to ensuring reasonable terms of payment are available to cannabis retailers when contracting with cannabis processors for the purchase of cannabis products; and amending RCW 69.50.395.

Referred to Committee on Regulated Substances & Gaming.

HB 1084 by Representatives Fey, Ramos, Ryu, Ramel, Leavitt, Timmons and Wylie

AN ACT Relating to freight mobility prioritization; amending RCW 47.06A.010, 47.06A.001, 47.06A.020, 47.06A.030, 47.06.045, 47.06.070, 46.68.300, and 46.68.310; adding a new section to chapter 53.20 RCW; adding a new section to chapter 47.04 RCW; creating a new section; recodifying RCW 47.06A.080 and 47.06A.090; and repealing RCW 47.06A.045, 47.06A.050, and 47.06A.060.

Referred to Committee on Transportation.

HB 1085 by Representatives Mena, Bateman, Reed, Fitzgibbon, Ramel, Peterson, Pollet, Berry, Walen, Doglio, Macri, Simmons, Thai, Cortes, Kloba and Ormsby

AN ACT Relating to reducing plastic pollution; amending RCW 70A.245.010, 43.21B.110, and 43.21B.300; adding a new section to chapter 19.27 RCW; adding new sections to chapter 70A.245 RCW; creating a new section; and prescribing penalties.

Referred to Committee on Environment & Energy.

EHB 1086 by Representatives Shavers, Ryu, Ramel, Lekanoff, Callan, Simmons, Timmons, Thai, Paul, Santos, Ormsby and Tharinger

AN ACT Relating to increasing local governments' ability to contract with community service organizations; amending RCW 35.21.278; and creating a new section.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

HB 1087 by Representatives Peterson, Simmons, Berry, Bateman, Reed, Ramel, Pollet, Street, Senn, Macri, Thai, Santos, Ormsby and Farivar

AN ACT Relating to solitary confinement; amending RCW 72.09.015; adding new sections to chapter 72.09 RCW; creating new sections; providing an effective date; and providing expiration dates.

Referred to Committee on Community Safety, Justice, & Reentry.

HB 1088 by Representatives Walen and Reeves

AN ACT Relating to the uniform family law arbitration act; adding a new chapter to Title 26 RCW; and providing an effective date.

Referred to Committee on Civil Rights & Judiciary.

HB 1089 by Representatives Orwall, Ortiz-Self, Leavitt, Reed, Berry, Peterson, Lekanoff, Goodman, Taylor, Doglio, Simmons, Timmons, Reeves, Wylie, Pollet, Davis, Santos and Ormsby

AN ACT Relating to supporting adults with lived experience of sex trafficking; adding a new section to chapter 43.280 RCW; and creating a new section.

Referred to Committee on Human Services, Youth, & Early Learning.

HB 1090 by Representatives Orwall, Hackney, Goodman, Ramel, Simmons, Reeves, Wylie and Ormsby

AN ACT Relating to removing language from the Revised Code of Washington that has been identified by the justices of the supreme court or judges of the superior courts as defects and omissions in the laws pursuant to Article IV, section 25 of the Washington state Constitution; amending RCW 2.43.040, 2.48.190, 4.16.190, 48.140.010, 6.25.030, 10.105.900, 7.80.120, 9.94A.530, 9A.46.020, 10.05.030, 10.95.030, 10.95.035, 10.95.030, 41.56.0251, 35A.66.020, 43.135.034, and 9A.72.160; and repealing RCW 2.48.210, 4.56.250, 7.48.050, 7.48.052, 7.48.054, 7.48.056, 7.48.058, 7.48.060, 7.48.062, 7.48.064, 7.48.066, 7.48.068, 7.48.070, 7.48.072, 7.48.074, 7.48.076, 7.48.078, 7.48.080, 7.48.085, 7.48.090, 7.48.100, 9.81.010, 9.81.020, 9.81.030, 9.81.040, 9.81.050, 9.81.060, 9.81.070, 9.81.080, 9.81.082, 9.81.083, 9.81.090, 9.81.110, 9.81.120, 9.91.180, 9.92.100, 10.52.100, 10.58.090, 10.95.040, 10.95.050, 10.95.060, 10.95.070, 10.95.080, 10.95.090, 10.95.100, 10.95.110, 10.95.120, 10.95.130, 10.95.140, 10.95.150, 10.95.160, 10.95.170, 10.95.180, 10.95.185, 10.95.190, 10.95.200, 10.95.901, 18.108.190, 35.13.165, 36.105.010, 36.105.020, 36.105.030, 36.105.040, 36.105.050, 36.105.060, 36.105.070, 36.105.080, 36.105.090, 36.105.100, 39.88.010, 39.88.020, 39.88.030, 39.88.040, 39.88.050, 39.88.060, 39.88.070, 39.88.080, 39.88.090, 39.88.100, 39.88.110, 39.88.120, 39.88.130, 39.88.900, 39.88.905, 39.88.910, 41.20.110, 47.44.030, 49.32.072, 49.32.073, 49.32.074, 66.24.480, 66.28.080, 73.04.050, 73.04.060, and 85.05.130.

Referred to Committee on Civil Rights & Judiciary.

HB 1091 by Representatives Walsh, McEntire, Jacobsen, Graham and Christian

AN ACT Relating to requiring voter approval of tax increases; amending RCW 43.135.034 and 43.135.041; and creating a new section.

Referred to Committee on State Government & Tribal Relations.

HB 1092 by Representatives Walsh and Graham

AN ACT Relating to the valuation of property for purposes of state property tax levies; and amending RCW 84.40.030.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

HB 1093 by Representatives Walsh, McEntire, Jacobsen and Graham

AN ACT Relating to providing parents and their children with more choices for a quality elementary and secondary education through the family empowerment scholarship program; amending RCW 83.100.230; adding a new section to chapter 28A.150 RCW; adding a new section to chapter 28B.77 RCW; and creating a new section.

Referred to Committee on Education.

HB 1094 by Representatives Stonier, Harris, Goodman, Reed, Ryu, Leavitt, Ramel, Peterson, Pollet, Street, Senn, Cortes, Callan, Doglio, Simmons, Reeves, Lekanoff, Waters, Gregerson, Wylie, Ramos, Kloba, Davis, Chandler, Riccelli, Orwall, Entenman and Fosse

AN ACT Relating to the creation of the Washington future fund program; amending RCW 43.88C.010; reenacting and amending RCW 43.79A.040; adding a new section to chapter 74.09 RCW; adding a new chapter to Title 43 RCW; and providing an expiration date.

Referred to Committee on Human Services, Youth, & Early Learning.

HB 1095 by Representatives Walen, Ortiz-Self, Berry, Reed, Ramel, Pollet, Doglio, Macri, Simmons, Reeves, Wylie, Alvarado, Santos and Ormsby

AN ACT Relating to creating a wage replacement program for certain Washington workers excluded from unemployment insurance; reenacting and amending RCW 42.56.410; adding new chapters to Title 50C RCW; adding a new title to the Revised Code of Washington to be codified as Title 50C RCW; and prescribing penalties.

Referred to Committee on Labor & Workplace Standards.

HB 1096 by Representatives Low, Riccelli, Schmidt, Corry, Peterson, Christian, Street, Rule, Senn, Cortes, Doglio, Robertson, Timmons, Springer, Kloba and Ormsby

AN ACT Relating to assaults committed against amateur sports officials; and amending RCW 9A.36.031.

Referred to Committee on Community Safety, Justice, & Reentry.

HB 1097 by Representatives Walen, Goodman, Leavitt, Ramel, Peterson, Fitzgibbon, Macri, Simmons, Reeves, Thai, Gregerson, Stonier, Pollet, Kloba, Santos and Ormsby

AN ACT Relating to the sale of cosmetics tested on animals; adding a new chapter to Title 69 RCW; providing an effective date; and prescribing penalties.

Referred to Committee on Consumer Protection & Business.

HB 1098 by Representatives Walen, Ramel, Peterson, Senn, Callan, Doglio, Macri, Reeves, Wylie, Pollet, Santos and Ormsby

AN ACT Relating to the duty of clergy to report child abuse or neglect; amending RCW 26.44.030; and reenacting and amending RCW 26.44.020.

Referred to Committee on Human Services, Youth, & Early Learning.

HB 1099 by Representatives Berry, Ormsby, Goodman, Bateman, Reed, Pollet, Doglio, Simmons, Bronoske, Gregerson, Kloba, Santos, Riccelli and Fosse

AN ACT Relating to requiring wages for laborers, workers, and mechanics in public works contracts to be at least the prevailing rate of wage in effect at the time the work is performed; amending RCW 39.12.030; creating a new section; and providing an effective date.

Referred to Committee on Labor & Workplace Standards.

HB 1100 by Representatives Schmick and Leavitt

AN ACT Relating to the disposition of the remains of a county resident who dies indigent in an adjacent county outside of Washington; and amending RCW 36.39.030.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

HB 1101 by Representatives Taylor, Bergquist, Ramel and Gregerson

AN ACT Relating to tenant screening in common interest communities; adding a new section to chapter 64.32 RCW; adding a new section to chapter 64.34 RCW; adding a new section to chapter 64.38 RCW; and adding a new section to chapter 64.90 RCW.

Referred to Committee on Housing.

HB 1102 by Representatives Taylor and Timmons

AN ACT Relating to judge pro tempore compensation; and amending RCW 2.08.180.

Referred to Committee on Civil Rights & Judiciary.

HB 1103 by Representatives Fey, Barkis and Wylie

AN ACT Relating to avoiding interest arbitrage charges on bond proceeds in the capital vessel replacement account; amending 2022 c 186 s 406 (uncodified); and creating a new section.

Referred to Committee on Transportation.

HB 1104 by Representatives Goodman, Wylie, Davis and Ormsby

AN ACT Relating to eligibility and requirements for deferred prosecutions; amending RCW 10.05.010, 10.05.015, 10.05.020, 10.05.030, 10.05.040, 10.05.050, 10.05.060, 10.05.090, 10.05.100, 10.05.120, 10.05.140, 10.05.150, 10.05.155, 10.05.170, and 9.94A.525; adding a new section to chapter 10.05 RCW; and providing an effective date.

Referred to Committee on Community Safety, Justice, & Reentry.

HB 1105 by Representatives Kloba, Abbarno and Thai

AN ACT Relating to requiring public agencies to provide notice for public comment that includes the last date by which such public comment must be submitted; and adding a new section to chapter 42.30 RCW.

Referred to Committee on State Government & Tribal Relations.

HB 1106 by Representatives Fosse, Reeves, Reed, Berry, Doglio, Wylie, Kloba, Santos and Ormsby

AN ACT Relating to qualifications for unemployment insurance when an individual voluntarily leaves work; amending RCW 50.20.050 and 50.29.021; adding a new section to chapter 50.04 RCW; and creating a new section.

Referred to Committee on Labor & Workplace Standards.

HB 1107 by Representatives Fosse, Reed, Berry, Ramel, Doglio, Simmons, Reeves, Kloba, Riccelli and Ormsby

AN ACT Relating to removing the terms "master" and "servant" from Titles 50 and 50A RCW; amending RCW 50.04.100 and 50A.05.010; and creating a new section.

Referred to Committee on Labor & Workplace Standards.

HB 1108 by Representatives Hackney, Walen, Fitzgibbon, Simmons and Kloba

AN ACT Relating to resentencing of individuals sentenced as a persistent offender, or sentenced to an exceptional sentence pursuant to a plea agreement intended to avoid a persistent offender sentence, due to a robbery in the second degree conviction; and amending RCW 9.94A.647.

Referred to Committee on Community Safety, Justice, & Reentry.

HB 1109 by Representatives Senn, Stonier, Rude, Taylor, Slatter, Callan, Doglio, Orwall, Caldier, Simmons, Timmons, Reeves, Couture, Thai, Bergquist, Ortiz-Self, Pollet, Santos, Kloba and Davis

AN ACT Relating to providing funding for school districts to conduct extraordinary numbers of special education eligibility determinations and to subsequently develop individualized education programs for the eligible students; amending RCW 28A.150.392; creating new sections; providing an effective date; and providing an expiration date.

Referred to Committee on Education.

HB 1110 by Representatives Bateman, Barkis, Reed, Taylor, Riccelli, Berry, Fitzgibbon, Peterson, Duerr, Lekanoff, Alvarado, Street, Ryu, Ramel, Cortes, Doglio, Macri, Mena, Gregerson, Thai, Bergquist, Farivar, Wylie, Stonier, Pollet, Santos, Fosse and Ormsby

AN ACT Relating to creating more homes for Washington by increasing middle housing in areas traditionally dedicated to single-family detached housing; amending RCW 36.70A.030, 36.70A.280, and 43.21C.495; adding new sections to chapter 36.70A RCW; adding a new section to chapter 64.34 RCW; adding a new section to chapter 64.32 RCW; adding a new section to chapter 64.38 RCW; adding a new section to chapter 64.90 RCW; and creating a new section.

Referred to Committee on Housing.

HB 1111 by Representatives Ryu, Walen, Peterson, Lekanoff, Street, Bateman, Ramel, Fitzgibbon, Leavitt, Wylie, Pollet, Davis and Santos

AN ACT Relating to housing benefit districts; and adding a new chapter to Title 35 RCW.

Referred to Committee on Housing.

HB 1112 by Representatives Harris, Santos, Ramel, Fitzgibbon, Kloba and Donaghy

AN ACT Relating to imposing criminal penalties for negligent driving involving the death of a vulnerable user victim; amending RCW 46.61.526, 46.20.342, 46.61.110, 46.61.145, 46.61.180, 46.61.185, 46.61.190, 46.61.205, and 46.63.020; adding a new section to chapter 46.61 RCW; prescribing penalties; and providing an effective date.

Referred to Committee on Community Safety, Justice, & Reentry.

HB 1113 by Representatives Harris, Santos and Stonier

AN ACT Relating to reprimands for professional educators; adding a new section to chapter 28A.410 RCW; creating a new section; and providing an expiration date.

Referred to Committee on Education.

HB 1114 by Representatives Mosbrucker, Simmons, Reed and Goodman

AN ACT Relating to the membership of the sentencing guidelines commission; and amending RCW 9.94A.860.

Referred to Committee on Community Safety, Justice, & Reentry.

HB 1115 by Representatives Bateman, Stonier, Reed, Fitzgibbon, Berry, Ramel, Doglio, Macri, Simmons, Duerr, Thai, Bergquist, Wylie, Pollet, Santos, Riccelli, Fosse and Ormsby

AN ACT Relating to prohibiting cost sharing for abortion; amending RCW 48.43.073; and adding a new section to chapter 41.05 RCW.

Referred to Committee on Health Care & Wellness.

HB 1116 by Representative Mosbrucker

AN ACT Relating to providing a behavioral health response to juveniles consuming controlled substances; and amending RCW 43.185C.260.

Referred to Committee on Human Services, Youth, & Early Learning.

HB 1117 by Representatives Mosbrucker, Dye, Leavitt, Schmidt, Christian and Walsh

AN ACT Relating to addressing the extent to which Washington residents are at risk of rolling blackouts and power supply inadequacy events; amending RCW 19.280.065; creating a new section; and providing an expiration date.

Referred to Committee on Environment & Energy.

HB 1118 by Representatives Mosbrucker, Orwall, Jacobsen and Wylie

AN ACT Relating to school bus safety; amending RCW 28A.160.010, 28A.160.205, 46.37.510, 46.63.180, and 43.84.092; adding a new section to chapter 46.37 RCW; adding a new section to chapter 46.68 RCW; and providing an effective date.

Referred to Committee on Education.

HB 1119 by Representatives Riccelli, Bateman, Macri and Kloba

AN ACT Relating to extending the expiration date of the joint select committee on health care oversight; reenacting and amending RCW 44.82.010; and providing an expiration date.

Referred to Committee on Health Care & Wellness.

HB 1120 by Representatives Reeves, Corry and Ryu

AN ACT Relating to the best interest standard for annuities in Washington; amending RCW 48.23.015; adding a new section to chapter 48.23 RCW; and providing an effective date.

Referred to Committee on Consumer Protection & Business.

HB 1121 by Representatives Goodman, Leavitt, Reeves, Lekanoff and Wylie

AN ACT Relating to the uniform child abduction prevention act; and adding a new chapter to Title 26 RCW.

Referred to Committee on Civil Rights & Judiciary.

HB 1122 by Representatives Doglio, Berry, Reed, Ramel, Simmons, Reeves, Lekanoff, Bergquist, Kloba, Pollet, Donaghy, Fosse and Ormsby

AN ACT Relating to granting Washington management service employees the right to collectively bargain; and amending RCW 41.06.022 and 41.80.005.

Referred to Committee on Labor & Workplace Standards.

HB 1123 by Representatives Dye, Klicker, Walsh and Schmick

AN ACT Relating to supporting local and tribal control of clean energy facility siting by altering the authority of the energy facility site evaluation council; amending RCW 80.50.060 and 80.50.100; and creating a new section.

Referred to Committee on Environment & Energy.

HB 1124 by Representatives Peterson, Fitzgibbon, Taylor, Street, Berry, Bateman, Ramel, Doglio, Macri, Simmons, Chopp, Lekanoff, Thai, Bergquist, Stonier, Pollet, Riccelli and Ormsby

AN ACT Relating to protecting tenants from excessive rent and related fees by providing at least six months' notice for rent increases over a certain amount, allowing tenants the right to terminate a tenancy without penalty, and limiting late fees; amending RCW 59.18.140, 59.18.650, 59.18.170, 59.18.230, and 59.20.090; and adding a new section to chapter 59.18 RCW.

Referred to Committee on Housing.

HB 1125 by Representatives Fey, Lekanoff, Timmons, Paul, Wylie and Donaghy

AN ACT Relating to transportation funding and appropriations; amending RCW 43.19.642, 46.20.745, 82.21.030, 47.66.120, 46.68.060, 46.68.290, 47.60.322, 46.68.395, 70A.65.240, 46.68.520, and 46.68.280; creating new sections; making appropriations and authorizing expenditures for capital improvements; and declaring an emergency.

Referred to Committee on Transportation.

HB 1126 by Representatives Fey, Lekanoff, Timmons, Wylie, Paul and Donaghy

AN ACT Relating to transportation funding and appropriations; amending 2022 c 186 ss 206, 207, 208, 209, 210, 211, 212, 213, 214, 216, 217, 218, 219, 221, 222, 223, 224, 301, 303, 304, 305, 306, 307, 308, 309, 310, 401, 402, 403, 404, 405, 406, 601, and 602 (uncodified); 2022 c 187 ss 205 and 308 (uncodified); adding a new section to 2022 c 186 (uncodified); repealing 2022 c 187 ss 203, 304, 305, and 307 (uncodified); making appropriations and authorizing expenditures for capital improvements; and declaring an emergency.

Referred to Committee on Transportation.

HB 1127 by Representatives Bateman, Reed, Macri, Simmons and Riccelli

AN ACT Relating to adult protective services; amending RCW 74.39A.056, 74.34.020, 74.34.063, 74.34.095, and 68.50.105; adding a new section to chapter 74.34 RCW; and providing an effective date.

Referred to Committee on Human Services, Youth, & Early Learning.

HB 1128 by Representatives Bateman, Reed, Taylor, Doglio, Macri, Caldier, Simmons, Thai, Bergquist, Wylie, Kloba, Ormsby and Tharinger

AN ACT Relating to raising the residential personal needs allowance; and amending RCW 74.09.340.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

HB 1129 by Representatives Gregerson, Duerr, Reed, Peterson, Bateman, Ramel, Leavitt, Doglio, Macri, Simmons, Reeves, Chopp, Lekanoff, Wylie, Santos, Ormsby, Kloba and Tharinger

AN ACT Relating to the sale or lease of manufactured/mobile home communities and the property on which they sit; amending RCW 59.20.060, 59.20.073, 59.20.080, 59.20.300, 59.20.305, and 59.21.030; reenacting and amending RCW 59.20.030; adding new sections to chapter 59.20 RCW; creating a new section; and prescribing penalties.

Referred to Committee on Housing.

HB 1130 by Representatives Hackney, Walen, Reed, Peterson, Berry, Bateman, Ramel, Callan, Macri, Simmons, Reeves, Alvarado, Lekanoff, Wylie, Pollet, Davis, Kloba, Ormsby and Tharinger

AN ACT Relating to protecting public safety by establishing duties of firearm industry members engaged in the sale, manufacturing, distribution, importing, or marketing of firearms, ammunition, component parts, or accessories, to adopt and implement reasonable controls to prevent the diversion of firearms and related products to straw purchasers, firearm traffickers, unauthorized individuals, and individuals who pose a risk to themselves or others, to prohibit such firearm industry members from creating or maintaining a public nuisance, providing for investigation and enforcement by the attorney general, and creating a private right of action; adding a new section to chapter 7.48 RCW; creating new sections; and prescribing penalties.

Referred to Committee on Civil Rights & Judiciary.

HB 1131 by Representatives Berry, Doglio, Reed, Fitzgibbon, Taylor, Pollet, Ryu, Ortiz-Self, Ramel, Callan, Macri, Simmons, Chopp, Lekanoff, Duerr, Wylie, Stonier and Kloba

AN ACT Relating to improving Washington's solid waste management outcomes; amending RCW 70A.245.010, 70A.245.020, 70A.245.030, 70A.245.040, 70A.245.090, 70A.245.100, 70A.245.120, 70A.245.060, 70A.205.005, 70A.205.010, 70A.205.045, 81.77.030, 81.77.040, 81.77.160, 81.77.185, 43.21B.110, 43.21B.300, 69.50.342, 69.50.345, and 69.50.345; adding new sections to chapter 70A.245 RCW; adding a new section to chapter to 81.04 RCW; adding a new section to chapter 70A.222 RCW; adding a new section to chapter 70A.350 RCW; adding a new section to chapter 70A.230 RCW; adding a new section to chapter 70A.340 RCW; adding a new section to chapter 70A.455 RCW; adding new chapters to Title 70A RCW; creating new sections; prescribing penalties; providing an effective date; and providing an expiration date.

Referred to Committee on Environment & Energy.

HB 1132 by Representatives Goodman, Rude, Lekanoff, Wylie and Kloba

AN ACT Relating to oversight and training requirements for limited authority Washington peace officers and agencies; amending RCW 43.101.095, 43.101.276, and 43.101.278; and reenacting and amending RCW 43.101.010 and 43.101.200.

Referred to Committee on Community Safety, Justice, & Reentry.

HB 1133 by Representatives Chapman, Low, Peterson, Wylie and Tharinger

AN ACT Relating to establishing limitations on detached accessory dwelling units outside urban growth areas; amending RCW 36.70A.696; and adding a new section to chapter 36.70A RCW.

Referred to Committee on Housing.

HB 1134 by Representatives Orwall, Bronoske, Peterson, Berry, Ramel, Leavitt, Callan, Doglio, Macri, Caldier, Simmons, Timmons, Reeves, Chopp, Lekanoff, Gregerson, Thai, Paul, Wylie, Stonier, Davis, Kloba, Riccelli, Fosse and Farivar

AN ACT Relating to implementing the 988 behavioral health crisis response and suicide prevention system; amending RCW 71.24.890, 71.24.892, 71.24.896, and 82.86.050; reenacting and amending RCW 71.24.025, 71.24.037, and

43.70.442; adding new sections to chapter 71.24 RCW; adding a new section to chapter 28B.20 RCW; and adding a new section to chapter 38.60 RCW.

Referred to Committee on Health Care & Wellness.

HB 1135 by Representatives Slatter, Walen, Reed, Berry, Ramel, Fitzgibbon, Doglio, Wylie, Pollet, Kloba and Tharinger

AN ACT Relating to authorizing impact fee revenue to fund improvements to bicycle and pedestrian facilities; amending RCW 82.02.090; and creating a new section.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

HB 1136 by Representatives Reeves, Reed, Berry, Walen, Ramel and Pollet

AN ACT Relating to requiring employers to reimburse employees for necessary expenditures and losses; and adding a new section to chapter 49.12 RCW.

Referred to Committee on Labor & Workplace Standards.

HB 1137 by Representatives Mosbrucker, Berry, Reed, Lekanoff, Bergquist, Wylie, Pollet and Ormsby

AN ACT Relating to establishing equitable access to the workers compensation stay-at-work program by allowing employers to offer off-site light duty return to work opportunities to injured workers; amending RCW 51.32.090; creating a new section; and providing an effective date.

Referred to Committee on Labor & Workplace Standards.

HB 1138 by Representatives Chapman, Dent, Ramel, Leavitt, Doglio, Lekanoff, Donaghy and Ormsby

AN ACT Relating to drought preparedness; amending RCW 43.83B.415 and 90.86.030; reenacting and amending RCW 43.83B.430; and adding new sections to chapter 43.83B RCW.

Referred to Committee on Agriculture and Natural Resources.

HB 1139 by Representatives Leavitt, Reed, Bateman, Ramel, Orwall, Reeves, Bronoske, Ramos, Gregerson, Wylie, Thai, Pollet, Kloba and Ormsby

AN ACT Relating to harassment of election officials; amending RCW 9A.46.020, 9A.90.120, and 40.24.030; and prescribing penalties.

Referred to Committee on Community Safety, Justice, & Reentry.

HB 1140 by Representatives Ormsby, Gregerson, Macri, Lekanoff and Bergquist

AN ACT Relating to fiscal matters; amending RCW 19.02.210, 28B.92.205, 43.09.475, 43.43.837, 43.79.555, 43.320.110, 70A.65.100, 70A.65.250, 70A.65.260, 74.46.561, and 79A.25.210; reenacting and amending RCW 43.101.200 and 70A.65.030; adding a new section to chapter 43.79 RCW; creating new sections; making appropriations; and declaring an emergency.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

HB 1141 by Representatives Ormsby, Gregerson, Macri, Lekanoff and Bergquist

AN ACT Relating to fiscal matters; amending RCW 28B.76.526; amending 2022 c 297 ss 101, 102, 103, 113, 114, 116, 117, 120, 121, 122, 126, 128, 129, 130, 133, 134, 135, 136, 137, 141, 142, 143, 146, 147, 148, 150, 201, 202, 203,

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Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

**HB 1142** by Representatives Hansen, Timmons, Reed, Simmons, Reeves, Lekanoff and Pollet

AN ACT Relating to increasing tenure-track faculty at the public baccalaureate institutions; adding a new section to chapter 28B.10 RCW; and providing an expiration date.

Referred to Committee on Postsecondary Education & Workforce.

**HB 1143** by Representatives Berry, Walen, Reed, Peterson, Street, Bateman, Ramel, Senn, Callan, Doglio, Macri, Lekanoff, Duerr, Pollet, Davis, Kloba, Fosse and Ormsby

AN ACT Relating to enhancing requirements for the purchase or transfer of firearms by requiring a permit to purchase firearms, firearms safety training, and a 10-day waiting period, prohibiting firearms transfers prior to completion of a background check, and updating and creating consistency in firearms transfer and background check procedures; amending RCW 9.41.090, 43.43.590, 9.41.047, 9.41.049, 9.41.092, 9.41.094, 9.41.097, 9.41.0975, 9.41.110, 9.41.1135, 9.41.345, 9.41.270, 9.41.280, 9.41.282, 9.41.284, 9.41.800, 9.41.801, 9.41.802, 9.41.804, 9.41.815, 7.105.305, 7.105.330, 7.105.335, 7.105.340, 7.105.350, 7.105.570, 10.31.100, 10.99.033, 10.99.040, 11.130.257, 26.09.060, 71.05.182, and 72.23.080; reenacting and amending RCW 7.105.310 and 10.99.030; adding new sections to chapter 9.41 RCW; adding a new section to chapter 43.43 RCW; repealing 2019 c 244 s 1; and providing an effective date.

Referred to Committee on Civil Rights & Judiciary.

**HB 1144** by Representatives Berry, Walen, Reed, Peterson, Street, Bateman, Ramel, Senn, Callan, Doglio, Orwall, Macri, Lekanoff, Pollet, Santos, Kloba and Ormsby

AN ACT Relating to enhancing requirements for the purchase or transfer of firearms by establishing a 10-day waiting period, requiring firearms safety training, prohibiting firearms transfers prior to completion of a background check, and updating and creating consistency in firearms transfer and background check procedures; amending RCW 9.41.090, 9.41.092, 9.41.110, 9.41.090, 9.41.110, and 9.41.1135; adding a new section to chapter 43.43 RCW; repealing 2019 c 244 s 1; providing an effective date; and providing an expiration date.

Referred to Committee on Civil Rights & Judiciary.

**HB 1145** by Representatives Berry, Timmons, Reed, Peterson, Fitzgibbon, Bateman, Ramel, Senn, Ryu, Leavitt, Doglio, Macri, Simmons, Duerr, Springer, Stonier, Pollet, Kloba, Donaghy and Ormsby

AN ACT Relating to protecting southern resident orcas from vessels; amending RCW 77.15.740, 77.65.615, and 77.15.815; and prescribing penalties.

Referred to Committee on Agriculture and Natural Resources.

**HB 1146** by Representatives Paul, Steele, Ramel, Taylor, Callan, Rude, Timmons, Chopp, Lekanoff, Duerr, Ramos, Shavers, Stonier, Pollet, Santos, Riccelli and Ormsby

AN ACT Relating to notifying high school students and their families about available dual credit programs and any available financial assistance; and adding a new section to chapter 28A.600 RCW.

Referred to Committee on Education.

**HB 1147** by Representatives Tharinger, Leavitt, Callan and Wylie

AN ACT Relating to the capital budget; amending RCW 28B.20.725, 28B.30.750, 43.88D.010, 39.35D.030, and 43.99N.060; amending 2022 c 296 ss 1018, 1046, 2004, 3003, 3010, 5004, and 7002, and 2021 c 332 ss 1065, 1098, 2067, 3010, 3012, 3019, 3021, 3022, 3024, 3026, 3027, 3028, 3031, 3037, 3038, 3039, 3048, 3069, 3072, 3078, 3094, 3097, and 3295 (uncodified); reenacting and amending RCW 43.185.050, 43.83B.430, and 43.155.050; adding new sections to 2022 c 296 (uncodified); creating new sections; providing a contingent effective date; and declaring an emergency.

Referred to Committee on Capital Budget.

**HB 1148** by Representatives Tharinger, Callan and Wylie

AN ACT Relating to state general obligation bonds and related accounts; amending RCW 43.99U.010, 28A.527.010, 28A.527.020, and 43.99V.010; adding new sections to chapter 43.100A RCW; repealing RCW 43.100A.306; and declaring an emergency.

Referred to Committee on Capital Budget.

**HB 1149** by Representatives Tharinger, Reed, Berry, Bateman, Ramel, Taylor, Macri, Reeves, Thai, Wylie, Pollet and Ormsby

AN ACT Relating to reducing homelessness in Washington state through capital expenditures for programs that address housing insecurity; adding new sections to chapter 43.100A RCW; adding new sections to chapter 43.330 RCW; creating new sections; providing a contingent effective date; and providing for the submission of certain sections of this act to a vote of the people.

Referred to Committee on Capital Budget.

**HB 1150** by Representatives Mosbrucker, Rule and Reeves

AN ACT Relating to creating the offense of unlawful branding of another person; amending RCW 9.94A.515 and 9A.04.080; adding a new section to chapter 9A.40 RCW; creating a new section; and prescribing penalties.

Referred to Committee on Community Safety, Justice, & Reentry.

**HB 1151** by Representatives Stonier, Macri, Reed, Peterson, Berry, Ramel, Fitzgibbon, Cortes, Callan, Simmons, Reeves, Lekanoff, Bergquist, Fosse and Ormsby

AN ACT Relating to mandating health plans to provide coverage for the diagnosis of infertility, treatment for infertility, and standard fertility preservation services; adding a new section to chapter 48.43 RCW; adding a new section to chapter 41.05 RCW; and creating new sections.

Referred to Committee on Health Care & Wellness.

**HB 1152** by Representatives Mena, Reed, Berry, Ramel, Macri, Simmons, Reeves, Fosse, Farivar and Ormsby

AN ACT Relating to consumer gender discrimination; amending RCW 19.86.140; adding a new section to chapter 19.86 RCW; and prescribing penalties.

Referred to Committee on Consumer Protection & Business.

HB 1153 by Representatives Peterson, Fitzgibbon, Berry, Walen, Bateman, Goodman, Leavitt, Macri, Gregerson, Stonier, Pollet and Fosse

AN ACT Relating to prohibiting octopus farming; and amending RCW 15.85.020.

Referred to Committee on Agriculture and Natural Resources.

HB 1154 by Representatives Walsh and Jacobsen

AN ACT Relating to religious institutions and gubernatorial proclamations; and amending RCW 43.06.220.

Referred to Committee on State Government & Tribal Relations.

HB 1155 by Representatives Slatter, Street, Reed, Ryu, Berg, Alvarado, Taylor, Bateman, Ramel, Senn, Goodman, Fitzgibbon, Macri, Simmons, Reeves, Lekanoff, Orwall, Duerr, Thai, Gregerson, Wylie, Ortiz-Self, Stonier, Pollet, Riccelli, Donaghy, Fosse and Ormsby

AN ACT Relating to the collection, sharing, and selling of consumer health data; and adding a new chapter to Title 19 RCW.

Referred to Committee on Civil Rights & Judiciary.

HB 1156 by Representatives Slatter, Reed, Callan, Simmons, Timmons, Reeves, Chopp, Lekanoff, Thai, Paul, Bergquist, Wylie, Pollet, Ormsby and Tharinger

AN ACT Relating to extending the terms of eligibility for the Washington college grant program; amending RCW 28B.92.200; creating a new section; and declaring an emergency.

Referred to Committee on Postsecondary Education & Workforce.

HB 1157 by Representatives Leavitt, Walen, Fitzgibbon, Bateman, Ramel, Goodman, Orwall, Macri, Duerr, Bronoske, Springer, Gregerson, Wylie, Stonier and Pollet

AN ACT Relating to prohibiting the display of wild or exotic animals for public entertainment or amusement; adding a new chapter to Title 16 RCW; and prescribing penalties.

Referred to Committee on Agriculture and Natural Resources.

HB 1158 by Representatives Walen, Reed, Peterson, Fitzgibbon, Taylor, Berry, Bateman, Ramel, Slatter, Macri, Simmons, Reeves, Duerr, Gregerson, Thai, Wylie, Stonier, Pollet, Santos, Fosse, Ormsby and Tharinger

AN ACT Relating to encouraging electoral participation and making ballots more meaningful by abolishing advisory votes; amending RCW 29A.32.070, 29A.64.090, 29A.72.040, 29A.72.250, 29A.72.290, and 29A.32.031; adding a new section to chapter 29A.32 RCW; creating a new section; and repealing RCW 29A.72.283, 29A.72.285, and 43.135.041.

Referred to Committee on State Government & Tribal Relations.

HB 1159 by Representatives Wylie and Stonier

AN ACT Relating to interstate cannabis agreements; adding a new section to chapter 43.06 RCW; and providing a contingent effective date.

Referred to Committee on Regulated Substances & Gaming.

HB 1160 by Representatives Graham, Jacobsen, Walsh and Schmidt

AN ACT Relating to establishing an aggravating circumstance for the mutilation or dismemberment of a human body; and amending RCW 9.94A.535.

Referred to Committee on Community Safety, Justice, & Reentry.

HB 1161 by Representatives Graham, Sandlin, Christian, Jacobsen, Walsh and Schmidt

AN ACT Relating to prohibiting persons convicted of violent offenses with firearm enhancements from receiving earned early release credits; and amending RCW 9.94A.729.

Referred to Committee on Community Safety, Justice, & Reentry.

HB 1162 by Representatives Graham, Sandlin, Dye, Christian and Tharinger

AN ACT Relating to expanding offenses and penalties for manufacture, sale, distribution, and other conduct involving controlled substances and counterfeit substances; amending RCW 9A.42.100, 9.94A.518, 69.50.406, 69.50.4011, 69.50.410, and 69.50.4015; and prescribing penalties.

Referred to Committee on Community Safety, Justice, & Reentry.

HB 1163 by Representative Fey

AN ACT Relating to exempting certain leasehold interests in arenas with a seating capacity of more than 2,000 from the leasehold excise tax; amending RCW 82.29A.130 and 82.29A.130; creating a new section; providing effective dates; and providing an expiration date.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

HB 1164 by Representatives Doglio, Fitzgibbon, Reed, Berry, Ramel, Macri, Lekanoff, Duerr, Pollet and Kloba

AN ACT Relating to providing for the responsible management of appliances containing harmful gases and other materials; amending RCW 43.21B.110, 43.21B.300, and 70A.65.260; adding a new section to chapter 82.04 RCW; adding a new chapter to Title 70A RCW; and prescribing penalties.

Referred to Committee on Environment & Energy.

HB 1165 by Representatives Orwall, Reeves, Wylie and Davis

AN ACT Relating to civil remedies for unauthorized disclosure of intimate images; adding a new chapter to Title 7 RCW; creating a new section; repealing RCW 4.24.795; and prescribing penalties.

Referred to Committee on Civil Rights & Judiciary.

HB 1166 by Representatives Dye and Walsh

AN ACT Relating to improving climate resiliency through the development of a water quality trading program for recipients of national pollutant discharge elimination system general permits; and amending RCW 90.48.260.

Referred to Committee on Environment & Energy.

HB 1167 by Representatives Duerr, Low, Walen, Reed, Bateman, Ramel, Fitzgibbon, Taylor, Macri, Gregerson, Wylie, Pollet, Kloba and Tharinger

AN ACT Relating to residential housing regulations; amending RCW 43.21C.229; adding new sections to chapter 36.70A RCW; and adding a new section to chapter 19.27 RCW.

Referred to Committee on Housing.

HB 1168 by Representatives Simmons, Ramel, Callan, Wylie, Davis and Ormsby

AN ACT Relating to providing prevention services, diagnoses, treatment, and support for prenatal substance exposure; amending RCW 71.24.610; adding a new section to chapter 43.216 RCW; adding new sections to chapter 71.24 RCW; and creating a new section.

Referred to Committee on Health Care & Wellness.

HB 1169 by Representatives Simmons, Taylor, Berry, Bateman, Goodman, Wylie, Santos and Ormsby

AN ACT Relating to legal financial obligations; amending RCW 7.68.035, 43.43.7532, 43.43.7541, 7.68.240, 9.92.060, 9.94A.6333, 9.94B.040, 9.95.210, 10.01.180, 10.82.090, 13.40.192, and 13.40.200; reenacting and amending RCW 9.94A.760; adding a new section to chapter 7.68 RCW; providing an effective date; and declaring an emergency.

Referred to Committee on Civil Rights & Judiciary.

HB 1170 by Representatives Street, Couture, Berry, Ramel, Fitzgibbon, Lekanoff, Duerr, Thai and Pollet

AN ACT Relating to improving climate resilience through updates to the state's integrated climate response strategy; amending RCW 70A.05.010, 70A.05.020, 70A.05.030, and 70A.05.040; adding a new section to chapter 70A.05 RCW; and creating a new section.

Referred to Committee on Environment & Energy.

HB 1171 by Representatives Mosbrucker and Graham

AN ACT Relating to modifying the motorcycle safety education advisory board; and amending RCW 46.20.520.

Referred to Committee on Transportation.

HB 1172 by Representatives McEntire, Jacobsen and Walsh

AN ACT Relating to incorporating working families fiscal impacts in fiscal notes; amending RCW 43.88A.010; and adding a new section to chapter 43.88A RCW.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

HB 1173 by Representatives Connors, Klicker and Rude

AN ACT Relating to reducing light pollution associated with certain energy infrastructure; adding a new section to chapter 80.50 RCW; adding a new section to chapter 43.21A RCW; adding a new section to chapter 35.63 RCW; adding a new section to chapter 35A.63 RCW; and adding a new section to chapter 36.01 RCW.

Referred to Committee on Environment & Energy.

HB 1174 by Representatives Simmons, Farivar, Reed, Street, Bateman, Ramel, Macri, Reeves, Lekanoff, Davis and Ormsby

AN ACT Relating to improving access and removing barriers to jail-based voting; adding a new section to chapter 29A.04 RCW; and adding a new chapter to Title 29A RCW.

Referred to Committee on State Government & Tribal Relations.

HB 1175 by Representatives Doglio, Dye and Leavitt

AN ACT Relating to creating a state financial assurance program for petroleum underground storage tanks; amending RCW 82.23A.020; reenacting and amending RCW 70A.325.020 and 43.79A.040; adding a new chapter to Title 70A RCW; prescribing penalties; and providing expiration dates.

Referred to Committee on Environment & Energy.

HB 1176 by Representatives Slatter, Fitzgibbon, Berry, Walen, Ramel, Leavitt, Taylor, Callan, Macri, Ryu, Reeves, Reed, Mena, Chopp, Duerr, Thai, Wylie, Ortiz-Self, Stonier, Pollet and Tharinger

AN ACT Relating to developing opportunities for service and workforce programs to support climate-ready communities; adding new sections to chapter 43.41 RCW; adding new sections to chapter 28C.18 RCW; creating a new section; and repealing RCW 43.330.310, 50.12.320, and 28C.18.170.

Referred to Committee on Postsecondary Education & Workforce.

HB 1177 by Representatives Lekanoff, Orwall, Reed, Berry, Ramel, Callan, Doglio, Timmons, Walsh, Reeves, Chopp, Duerr, Gregerson, Taylor, Wylie, Stonier, Pollet, Davis, Kloba and Ormsby

AN ACT Relating to a missing and murdered indigenous women and people cold case investigations unit; adding a new section to chapter 43.10 RCW; and creating a new section.

Referred to Committee on Community Safety, Justice, & Reentry.

HB 1178 by Representatives Hackney, Leavitt, Reed, Berry, Walen, Bateman, Ramel, Callan, Doglio, Macri, Duerr, Bergquist, Pollet, Santos and Ormsby

AN ACT Relating to the restoration of local government authority to regulate firearms by adopting ordinances or regulations relating to firearms that are in addition to or more restrictive than the requirements of state law; reenacting and amending RCW 9.41.300; adding a new section to chapter 9.41 RCW; creating a new section; and repealing RCW 9.41.290.

Referred to Committee on Civil Rights & Judiciary.

HB 1179 by Representatives Ramos, Goodman, Leavitt, Ryu, Ortiz-Self, Bateman, Taylor, Callan and Macri

AN ACT Relating to authorizing the state auditor to receive nonconviction data; and amending RCW 10.97.050 and 43.101.460.

Referred to Committee on State Government & Tribal Relations.

HB 1180 by Representatives Peterson, Senn, Alvarado, Reed, Walen, Street, Berry, Bateman, Ramel, Fitzgibbon, Doglio,

Macri, Callan, Simmons, Lekanoff, Duerr, Gregerson, Bergquist, Pollet, Davis, Fosse, Ormsby and Tharinger

AN ACT Relating to establishing firearms-related safety measures to increase public safety by prohibiting the manufacture, importation, distribution, selling, and offering for sale of assault weapons, and by providing limited exemptions applicable to licensed firearm manufacturers and dealers for purposes of sale to armed forces branches and law enforcement agencies for purposes of sale or transfer outside the state; reenacting and amending RCW 9.41.010; adding new sections to chapter 9.41 RCW; creating a new section; prescribing penalties; and declaring an emergency.

Referred to Committee on Civil Rights & Judiciary.

HB 1181 by Representatives Duerr, Fitzgibbon, Berry, Peterson, Ryu, Alvarado, Taylor, Reed, Walen, Bateman, Ramel, Goodman, Doglio, Macri, Callan, Simmons, Lekanoff, Gregerson, Bergquist, Stonier, Pollet, Davis, Kloba, Riccelli, Mena and Tharinger

AN ACT Relating to improving the state's climate response through updates to the state's planning framework; amending RCW 36.70A.020, 36.70A.480, 36.70A.320, 36.70A.190, 86.12.200, and 36.70A.030; reenacting and amending RCW 36.70A.070 and 36.70A.130; adding new sections to chapter 36.70A RCW; adding a new section to chapter 70A.45 RCW; adding a new section to chapter 47.80 RCW; adding a new section to chapter 90.58 RCW; adding a new section to chapter 43.21C RCW; and creating a new section.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

HB 1182 by Representative Wylie

AN ACT Relating to providing a tax exemption for the first 20,000 gallons of wine sold by a winery in Washington; adding a new section to chapter 66.24 RCW; and creating a new section.

Referred to Committee on Regulated Substances & Gaming.

HB 1183 by Representatives Dye, Sandlin, Christian, Jacobsen, Barkis, Walsh, Barnard and Schmick

AN ACT Relating to prohibiting Washington from adopting California vehicle emissions standards; adding a new section to chapter 70A.15 RCW; creating a new section; repealing RCW 70A.30.010 and 70A.30.030; and providing an effective date.

Referred to Committee on Environment & Energy.

HB 1184 by Representatives Hackney, Duerr and Pollet

AN ACT Relating to enacting the used motor vehicles express warranties act; and adding a new chapter to Title 46 RCW.

Referred to Committee on Consumer Protection & Business.

HB 1185 by Representatives Hackney, Duerr, Berry, Ramel, Fitzgibbon, Doglio and Pollet

AN ACT Relating to reducing environmental impacts associated with lighting products; amending RCW 70A.230.020, 70A.505.010, 70A.505.020, 70A.505.030, 70A.505.040, 70A.505.050, 70A.505.060, 70A.505.070, 70A.505.100, 70A.505.110, 70A.505.120, 70A.505.130, 70A.505.160, 82.04.660, 43.21B.110, and 70A.230.080; adding a new section to chapter 70A.505 RCW; creating a new section; repealing RCW 70A.505.090, 43.131.421, 43.131.422, and 70A.230.150; prescribing penalties; and providing effective dates.

Referred to Committee on Environment & Energy.

HB 1186 by Representatives Rule, Ramel, Callan, Doglio, Macri, Simmons, Timmons, Reeves, Thai, Wylie, Stonier, Davis and Ormsby

AN ACT Relating to making permanent and expanding the child welfare housing assistance program; amending RCW 74.13.802; providing an effective date; and declaring an emergency.

Referred to Committee on Human Services, Youth, & Early Learning.

HB 1187 by Representatives Hackney, Berry, Bateman, Ramel, Doglio, Simmons, Lekanoff, Bronoske, Wylie, Stonier, Pollet and Ormsby

AN ACT Relating to privileged communication between employees and the unions that represent them; reenacting and amending RCW 5.60.060; adding a new section to chapter 28B.52 RCW; adding a new section to chapter 41.56 RCW; adding a new section to chapter 41.59 RCW; adding a new section to chapter 41.76 RCW; adding a new section to chapter 41.80 RCW; adding a new section to chapter 47.64 RCW; adding a new section to chapter 49.36 RCW; adding a new section to chapter 53.18 RCW; and creating a new section.

Referred to Committee on Labor & Workplace Standards.

HB 1188 by Representatives Senn, Taylor, Reed, Leavitt, Callan, Macri, Simmons, Timmons, Chopp, Lekanoff, Couture, Gregerson, Thai, Wylie, Stonier, Schmick, Santos, Pollet, Kloba, Eslick and Ormsby

AN ACT Relating to individuals with developmental disabilities that have also received child welfare services; and amending RCW 43.88C.010, 43.88.058, 71A.24.005, 71A.24.010, and 71A.12.370.

Referred to Committee on Human Services, Youth, & Early Learning.

HB 1189 by Representatives Hackney, Reed, Simmons, Wylie, Santos and Ormsby

AN ACT Relating to the release of incarcerated individuals from total confinement prior to the expiration of a sentence; amending RCW 9.94A.501, 9.94A.565, 9.94A.633, and 9.94A.880; reenacting and amending RCW 9.94A.728 and 9.94A.885; and adding a new section to chapter 9.94A RCW.

Referred to Committee on Community Safety, Justice, & Reentry.

HB 1190 by Representatives Dye, Sandlin, Abbarno, Goehner and Barnard

AN ACT Relating to environmental leadership through outdoor recreation and climate adaptation investments; amending RCW 70A.65.250 and 70A.65.305; reenacting and amending RCW 70A.65.030, 70A.65.040, and 70A.65.230; adding a new section to chapter 70A.65 RCW; creating a new section; and repealing RCW 70A.65.260 and 70A.65.270.

Referred to Committee on Environment & Energy.

HB 1191 by Representatives Springer, Kretz, Dent, Santos, Walsh, Ramel, McEntire, Goodman, Barnard, Leavitt, Doglio, Lekanoff and Duerr

AN ACT Relating to reauthorizing the business and occupation tax deduction for cooperative finance organizations; adding a new section to chapter 82.04 RCW; creating a new section; providing an effective date; providing an expiration date; and declaring an emergency.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

HB 1192 by Representatives Duerr, Doglio, Berry, Ramel, Fitzgibbon, Lekanoff and Pollet

AN ACT Relating to electric power system transmission planning; amending RCW 19.280.030, 80.50.060, and 80.50.045; adding a new section to chapter 19.280 RCW; and creating a new section.

Referred to Committee on Environment & Energy.

HJR 4200 by Representative Walsh

Setting the taxable value of owner-occupied property.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

HCR 4400 by Representatives Fitzgibbon and Kretz

Calling a Joint Session of the Legislature for the purposes of receiving the State of the State address.

HCR 4401 by Representatives Fitzgibbon and Kretz

Adopting joint rules.

#### MOTION

With the consent of the House, the rules were suspended and HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 4400 and HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 4401 were placed on the second reading calendar.

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

#### SECOND READING

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 4401, by Representatives Fitzgibbon and Kretz**

**Adopting joint rules.**

The concurrent resolution was read the second time.

Representative Fitzgibbon moved adoption of HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 4401.

Representative Fitzgibbon spoke in favor of the adoption of the concurrent resolution.

The Speaker stated the question before the House to be the adoption of House Concurrent Resolution No. 4401.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 4401 was adopted.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 4400, by Representatives Fitzgibbon and Kretz**

**Calling a Joint Session of the Legislature for the purposes of receiving the State of the State address.**

The concurrent resolution was read the second time.

Representative Fitzgibbon moved adoption of HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 4400.

Representative Fitzgibbon spoke in favor of the adoption of the concurrent resolution.

The Speaker stated the question before the House to be the adoption of House Concurrent Resolution No. 4400.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 4400 was adopted.

With the consent of the House, HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 4400 and HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 4401 were immediately transmitted to the Senate.

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

#### MOTION

There being no objection, the bills and resolution listed on the day's introduction sheet under the fourth order of business were referred to the committees so designated, with the exception of HOUSE BILL NO. 1049 which was referred to the Committee on Local Government and HOUSE BILL NO. 1187 which was referred to the Committee on Civil Rights & Judiciary.

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

#### COMMITTEE APPOINTMENT(S)

**Agriculture and Natural Resources (11) -- Chapman, Chair (D); Morgan, Vice Chair (D); Reeves, Vice Chair (D); \*Dent; \*\*Chandler; Kloba; Kretz; Lekanoff; Orcutt; Schmick; Springer**

**Appropriations (31) -- Ormsby, Chair (D); Bergquist, Vice Chair (D); Gregerson, Vice Chair (D); Macri, Vice Chair (D); \*Stokesbary; \*\*Chambers; \*\*Corry; Berg; Chandler; Chopp; Connors; Couture; Davis; Dye; Fitzgibbon; Hansen; Harris; Lekanoff; Pollet; Riccelli; Rude; Ryu; Sandlin; Schmick; Senn; Simmons; Slatter; Springer; Steele; Stonier; Tharinger**

**Capital Budget (29) -- Tharinger, Chair (D); Callan, Vice Chair (D); Hackney, Vice Chair (D); \*Steele; \*\*Abbarno; \*\*Sandlin; Alvarado; Bateman; Cheney; Christian; Couture; Dye; Eslick; Farivar; Fosse; Kloba; Leavitt; Maycumber; McClintock; McEntire; Morgan; Mosbrucker; Orwall; Peterson; Reed; Rule; Shavers; Stearns; Waters**

**Civil Rights & Judiciary (11) -- Hansen, Chair (D); Farivar, Vice Chair (D); \*Walsh; \*\*Graham; Cheney; Entenman; Goodman; Peterson; Rude; Thai; Walen**

**Community Safety, Justice, & Reentry (9) -- Goodman, Chair (D); Simmons, Vice Chair (D); \*Mosbrucker; \*\*Griffey; Davis; Farivar; Fosse; Graham; Ramos**

**Consumer Protection & Business (13) -- Walen, Chair (D); Reeves, Vice Chair (D); \*Corry; \*\*McClintock; Chapman; Cheney; Connors; Donaghy; Hackney; Ryu; Sandlin; Santos; Volz**

**Education (15) -- Santos, Chair (D); Shavers, Vice Chair (D); \*Rude; \*\*McEntire; Bergquist; Callan; Eslick; Harris; McClintock; Ortiz-Self; Pollet; Sandlin; Steele; Stonier; Timmons**

**Environment & Energy (15) -- Doglio, Chair (D); Mena, Vice Chair (D); \*Dye; \*\*Ybarra; Abbarno; Barnard; Berry; Couture; Duerr; Fey; Goehner; Lekanoff; Ramel; Slatter; Street**

**Finance (13) -- Berg, Chair (D); Street, Vice Chair (D); \*Orcutt; \*\*Jacobsen; Barnard; Chopp; Ramel; Santos; Springer; Stokesbary; Thai; Walen; Wylie**

**Health Care & Wellness (17) -- Riccelli, Chair (D); Bateman, Vice Chair (D); \*Schmick; \*\*Hutchins; Barnard; Bronoske; Davis; Graham; Harris; Macri; Maycumber; Mosbrucker; Orwall; Simmons; Stonier; Thai; Tharinger**

**Housing (13) -- Peterson, Chair (D); Alvarado, Vice Chair (D); Leavitt, Vice Chair (D); \*Klicker; \*\*Connors; Barkis; Bateman; Chopp; Entenman; Hutchins; Low; Reed; Taylor**

**Human Services, Youth, & Early Learning (10) -- Senn, Chair (D); Cortes, Vice Chair (D); Taylor, Vice Chair (D); \*Eslick; \*\*Couture; Callan; Dent; Goodman; Ortiz-Self; Rule**

**Innovation, Community & Economic Development, & Veterans (15) -- Ryu, Chair (D); Donaghy, Vice Chair (D);**

**Rule, Vice Chair (D);** \*Volz; \*\*Barnard; Chambers; Christian; Corry; Cortes; Paul; Senn; Shavers; Street; Waters; Ybarra

**Labor & Workplace Standards (9) -- Berry, Chair (D); Fosse, Vice Chair (D);** \*Robertson; \*\*Schmidt; Bronoske; Connors; Doglio; Ormsby; Ortiz-Self

**Local Government (7) -- Duerr, Chair (D); Alvarado, Vice Chair (D);** \*Goehner; \*\*Jacobsen; Berg; Griffey; Riccelli

**Postsecondary Education & Workforce (15) -- Slatter, Chair (D); Entenman, Vice Chair (D); Reed, Vice Chair (D);** \*Ybarra; \*\*Waters; Chandler; Hansen; Jacobsen; Klicker; Leavitt; McEntire; Paul; Pollet; Schmidt; Timmons

**Regulated Substances & Gaming (11) -- Kloba, Co-Chair (D); Wylie, Co-Chair (D);** \*Chambers; \*\*Robertson; Cheney; Morgan; Orwall; Reeves; Stearns; Walsh; Waters

**Rules (24) -- Jenkins, Chair (D);** Bergquist; Davis; Fitzgibbon; Goehner; Gregerson; Harris; Jacobsen; Kretz; Leavitt; Lekanoff; Low; Maycumber; Morgan; Ortiz-Self; Orwall; Pollet; Ramel; Schmidt; Simmons; Springer; Stonier; Walsh; Wilcox

**State Government & Tribal Relations (7) -- Ramos, Chair (D); Stearns, Vice Chair (D);** \*Abbarno; \*\*Christian; Gregerson; Low; Mena

**Transportation (29) -- Fey, Chair (D); Donaghy, Vice Chair (D); Paul, Vice Chair (D); Timmons, Vice Chair (D);** \*Barkis; \*\*Hutchins; \*\*Low; \*\*Robertson; Berry; Bronoske; Chapman; Cortes; Dent; Doglio; Duerr; Entenman; Goehner; Griffey; Hackney; Klicker; Mena; Orcutt; Ramel; Ramos; Schmidt; Taylor; Volz; Walsh; Wylie

\* Ranking Minority Member

\*\* Asst. Ranking Minority Member

The Sergeant at Arms announced that the House delegation to the Governor had returned. The delegation was escorted to the rostrum and Representatives Mena and Couture reported to the body.

On the motion of Representative Fitzgibbon, the House adjourned until 11:30 a.m., January 10th, 2023, the 2nd Day of the 2023 Regular Session.

LAURIE JINKINS, Speaker

BERNARD DEAN, Chief Clerk





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