



2025 Legislative Update

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2025 Legislative Session

Session runs from January 13 – April 27*

Two Ecology request bills:

HB 1789/ESSB 5175 – photovoltaic recycling

- Passed House and Senate

SB 5174 – wood burning appliances

- Did not advance past fiscal committee

ESSB 5303 (HB 1691)

Extends existing deadline to achieve new water storage milestone under RCW 90.38

Amendments:

- Senate substitute bill (committee)
- Senate floor amendment
- House striking amendment

Passed Senate 49-0

Passed House 94-1

SSB 5212

Authorizes submission of unregistered claims to WRIA 1 adjudication intake process

Amendments:

- Senate substitute bill
- House floor amendment

Passed Senate 49-0

Passed House 96-0

Inactive Water Bills

SB 5261 – *Foster* exception for micro-hydropower permitting

SB 5640 – Adequate water supply for energy facility permitting

Other Notable Bills

Active:

HB 1615 – Water system classifications

HB 1039/SSB 5301 – Extending governmental services to tribal lands

Inactive:

HB 1818/SB 5633 – Subdivision of land

HB 1345/SB 5470 – Rural ADUs

SSB 5117 – Protecting agriculture



Thank you

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