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MEMORANDUM

To: Kurt Triplett, City Manager
From: Lorrie McKay, Intergovernmental Relations Manager
Date: February 21, 2014
Subject: 2014 LEGISLATIVE UPDATE #3

RECOMMENDATION:

Council should receive its third update on the 2014 legislative session.

BACKGROUND DISCUSSION:

This is an update on the City's legislative interests as of February 21.

At the writing of this memo, the legislature had concluded its sixth week of the 2014 State Legislative Session. February 18, was the last day to consider bills in the house of origin. According to the cutoff calendar, February 28 is the last day to read in committee reports from the opposite house, except House fiscal committees and Senate Ways & Means and Transportation committees. March 3 is the last day to read in opposite house committee reports from House fiscal committees and Senate Ways & Means and Transportation committees. March 7 is the last day to consider opposite house bills (5 p.m.) (except initiatives and alternatives to initiatives, budgets and matters necessary to implement budgets, differences between the houses, and matters. March 13 is the last day of the regular 2014 session.

Status Summary of the City's 2014 legislative priorities (Attachment A)

Statewide Transportation Revenue: Since the last written update, Senator King released highlights of his proposed \$12 Billion Transportation Package on February 13.

- \$4.1 billion - Planned highway improvement and preservation construction;
- \$60.5 million - Concrete preservation on Interstate 5;
- \$200 million - In toll revenues to complete construction of the \$3.1 billion deep-bore tunnel to replace the Alaskan Way Viaduct;
- Fully funding the 2003 and 2005 commitments to special needs transportation (\$25m), rural mobility (\$17m) and regional mobility (\$40m) grant programs;
- Maintaining the 2012 commitment to provide \$26m in transit operating grants;
- Fully funding construction of the state's second 144-car Olympic-class ferry;
- \$22 million for conversion of the ferry "Hyak" to include installation of a power-management system and more efficient engines, with an expected fuel-consumption saving of up to 20 percent;
- \$6 million for snow and ice removal, roadway maintenance and field engineering equipment;
- \$5.3 million for ongoing costs of 21 new Washington State Patrol troopers hired in 2012; and
- \$16.4 million Payments associated with deployment of the State Patrol's mobile-office platform and narrow-band communication upgrade.

Senator King's transportation revenue proposal is tied to a number of reforms and reform bills.

- (SB 6102) Sales/Use Tax on Transportation Construction
- (SB 6099) Stormwater Funded via the Environmental Legacy Stewardship Account
- (SB 6186) Labor Reform
- (SB 6165) Environmental Permitting
- (SB 6100) Congestion Relief Added to List of Transportation Goals
- (SB 6051) Omnibus Transportation Reforms
- (SB 6224) Improving Project Delivery Methods
- (PSSB 5858) Ferry Capital Program Reform

In a cover letter to Senator King's proposal he communicated that he "feels strongly that if all sides are willing to compromise - consistent with common sense and good policy - the legislature can produce a package this session that will be supported by both chambers, and supported by the people."

In exploring Senator King's proposal for specific transportation revenue priorities for which the City is advocating, staff finds the following:

- ✓ Finishes current projects before starting new ones.
- ✓ Provides \$331.5 million is used to help complete the SR 520 west end project. *(Increases the amount available from sales tax reform in order to help complete the SR 520 west-end project)*
- ✓ Funding to complete the widening of I-405 from Renton to Lynnwood
- ✓ \$5 million for the design phase of the I-405/132nd St Interchange project
- ✓ Funding for Local Options
 - \$40 (from \$20) Councilmanic TBD authority
 - 1.5% MVET for King County only (split 60% transit - 40% local roads)
 - Extends King County's \$20 Congestion Relief Charge to 2018 (after 2014, it is split 50/50 between transit & local roads)

The House proposed statewide transportation revenue package that was passed in June of 2013 remains in the House Rules Committee. The House proposal also includes funding for the I-405 / NE 132nd Project as well as the same funding for local options.

King County Transportation Revenue: While King County continues to advocate for a statewide revenue package, the County has also created a Transportation District which is poised to run a ballot question, asking the voters for funding support in an April 2014 Special Election.

Continued state financial assistance and other tools that further the development of the CKC: There is no update on Community Project Application requesting \$200,000 in funding for the multimodal span project between the South Kirkland Park and Ride Garage and the Cross Kirkland Corridor.

Restoring funding to the Public Works Assistance Account: HB 2244 - Restoring resources to the capital budget. This is the legislative proposal that seeks to return the Public Works Assistance Account's revenue streams back to the account beginning July 1, 2015.. SHB 2244 passed the House on February 18 with a bi-partisan vote of 87 to 11, showing strong support for what has been the most important local infrastructure funding program in our state. SHB 2244 was referred to the Senate's Ways & Means committee where the City and other stakeholders are requesting that Senator Hill hear the bill and move it through his committee.

Restoring local liquor revenue sharing formulas: The legislative proposal most closely identified with this priority is SB 6361/HB 2314 - concerning incrementally increasing the distribution percentage of liquor revolving fund revenues under RCW 66.08.190 to cities and counties. These bills are in Senate Ways & Means and House Appropriations respectively. There is no update to report.

Sharing marijuana revenue: – SSSB 5887: Merging the medical marijuana system with the recreational marijuana system - has both revenue sharing components as well as provisions for reconciling medical and recreational marijuana regulations. SSSB 5887 was heard in Senate Ways & Means on Wednesday, February 19th where, on behalf of the City, Mayor Walen testified in support of the bill. HB 2144 - Concerning the establishment of a dedicated local jurisdiction marijuana fund and the distribution of a specified percentage of marijuana excise tax revenues to local jurisdictions “died” in committee.

Harmonize medical marijuana regulations to reflect recreational marijuana regulations: As mentioned above, SSSB 5887: Merging the medical marijuana system with the recreational marijuana system - has both revenue sharing components as well as provisions for reconciling medical and recreational marijuana regulations. This bill was heard in Senate Ways & Means on Wednesday, February 19th. The other legislative proposal associated with this priority is SHB 2149 - Concerning medical marijuana. SHB 2149 passed the House on February 17 and is scheduled for hearing in Senate Health Care on February 27th.

NOTE: At its February 18th meeting, Council requested for its March 4 meeting, a focused update on the status of the two dozen marijuana related bills which the City has been tracking. The table in Attachment C shows bills/rows shaded in gray that represent bills that “died” (or did not move) by the legislature’s February 18th cutoff. {Note: nothing every really dies in Olympia.} Of these marijuana related bills, only four of them moved passed the February 18th cutoff and remain in play.

1. [HB 1597](#): Making marijuana law technical corrections.
2. [ESSHB 2149](#): Concerning medical marijuana.
3. [SHB 2706](#): Ensuring safe, responsible, and legal acquisition of marijuana by adults.
4. [SSSB 5887](#): Merging the medical marijuana system with the recreational marijuana system.

Oppose legislation that proposes lending products or practices that adversely impact the middle class and the poor: The proposed legislation (HB 2670) associated with this priority “died” in committee which the Legislative Committee considers a success in achieving this priority. Staff will continue to monitor.

February 11 is the “last day to read in committee reports from House fiscal committees and Senate Ways & Means and Transportation committees in house of origin.” Also, February 18 is the “last day to consider bills in house of origin.”

COUNCIL LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE:

The Council’s Legislative Committee (Mayor Walen, Councilmember Asher and Councilmember Marchione) meets weekly on Friday’s at 3:30pm.

The Council’s Legislative Committee met on February 14 to discuss the status of the city’s 2014 legislative priorities and other bills of interest to the City (Attachment B). However, due to the Council’s retreat, it did not meet on February 21.

Week 5 (2/8 – 2/14)

The primary focus in week 5

1. Status of City’s legislative priorities
2. Summary tracking list of the City’s positions on bills analyzed by staff
3. HB 2244; HB 2144; SB 6313/HB 2368; HB 1654; and SB 6008

Week 6 (2/15 – 2/21)

The primary focus in week 6

1. Status of City’s legislative priorities
2. Summary tracking list of the City’s positions on bills analyzed by staff
3. Hearing on SSSB 5887 in Senate Ways & Means (Mayor Walen)
4. Fire Chief schedule meeting with Ambulance Association re: ESHB 1654
5. Prepare for 2/24 hearing on ESSB 6008
6. District Town Halls (45th and 48th)
7. Confirmed in-district meeting with Senator Tom

HEARINGS AND CORRESPONDENCE:

| Bill | Cmte | Dt/Time | City Rep. | SME |
|--|------|------------|-------------|-------------------|
| SSSB 5887: Merge medical & recreational marijuana | SWM | 2/19 3:30p | Mayor Walen | AWC/Dunlap/Shield |
| ESSB 6008: Modifying water-sewer district provisions | HLG | 2/24 1:30p | CM Kloba | Dunlap |

Cmte (Committee) Legend

- SWM = Senate Ways & Means Committee
- HLG = House Local Government Committee

Correspondence

- February 24, 2014 Mayor’s correspondence urging support to add \$1 million to the Emergency Food Assistance Program to provide food banks in our community with the support they need.

BILL TRACKING:

Staff and Waypoint Consulting continue to monitor bills associated with the City’s priorities and other bills of interest to the City. Staff and the Council’s Legislative Committee continuously measure bills against the 2014 legislative agenda. The City’s position on bills is tracked on the summary tracking list referenced and attached to this memorandum.

The following bills are associated with the City’s 2014 Support Agenda and are ones that the City has been tracking and, in some cases providing testimony in support:

ESHB 2368: Concerning a surcharge for local homeless housing and assistance.

ESHB 2368 is a priority bill of the Eastside Human Services Forum. This bill would continue – rather than reduce – the \$40 recording fee on certain real estate documents. It has been nine years since the recording fee was first enacted and according to data from the Department of Commerce, the fee revenue has helped produce a 29 percent decrease in homelessness, and a 74 percent decrease in unsheltered families. Department of Commerce data also show that sun-setting the recording fee could result in putting 32,000 people out on the streets again. This tool has had a dramatic impact on homelessness and continuing the fee is critical to help people find the basic human need of shelter. Councilmember Marchione testified in support of the senate version of the bill before the Senate Committee on Financial Institutions and Insurance on January 30. The senate version was referred to Ways & Means where it “died” in committee. Its companion bill (ESHB 2368) was passed by the House 62 yeas; 36 nays; 0 absent; and 0 excused and was referred back to the Senate Committee on Financial Institutions and Insurance. ESHB 2368 is scheduled for a hearing on February 25.

ESHB 1654: Establishing a regional fire protection service authority within the boundaries of a single city.

ESHB 1654 is a priority bill of the Washington Fire Chief’s Association and is also supported by the Washington Council of Firefighters. If passed the bill would establish a regional fire protection service authority formation process for cities. The City of Kirkland has placed the study of

developing a Regional Fire Authority on the 2014 Council Work Plan in an effort to provide the best service to the community, which also has the added benefit of reducing property insurance premiums to residences and businesses in our community as a direct corollary. Regional economies of scale do exist between Kirkland and our neighboring cities and will continue were the fire department governance to transition from the City to a Regional Fire Authority upon voter approval. Chief Nalder testified in support of the senate version of this bill on January 30th before the Senate Operations Committee. Two attempts were made to pull the senate bill from the Senate Rules Committee, but the bill pull was blocked and ultimately the senate version "died" in Rules. Its companion bill (ESHB 1654) was passed by the House 71 yeas; 25 nays; 0 absent; and 2 excused. Rather than being referred to the Senate Operations Committee, ESHB 1654 was referred to the Senate Commerce & Labor Committee on February 17th, where it has yet to be scheduled for a hearing.

ESHB 2246: Regarding financing for stewardship of mercury-containing lights.

ESHB 2246 is a priority bill of the Environmental Priorities Coalition. The bill would require all producers of mercury-containing lights sold in the state must participate in a stewardship program operated by a stewardship organization. A stewardship program must accept up to ten lights per day from household generators or others who make retail purchases of lights. Producers must ensure that the stewardship organization submits a stewardship plan by June 1 of the year prior to implementation. The plans must include a description of collection opportunities, waste prevention, and recycling; as well as information on the environmental handling charge. The senate version of this bill "died" in Rules while its House companion (ESHB 2246) was narrowly passed by the House 56 yeas; 41 nays; 0 absent; and 1 excused. ESHB 2246 was referred to the Senate Energy, Environment & Telecommunications Committee on February 17th, where it has yet to be scheduled for a hearing.

ESHB 2414: Concerning water conservation appliances.

ESHB 2414 is a priority bill of the Cascade Water Alliance. The bill directs the State Building Code Council to adopt water conservation performance standards consistent with legislative direction and to adopt rules for implementation of those standards. It amends water conservation standards for plumbing fixtures, fittings, and toilets. Finally, the bill phases in amended water conservation standards beginning July 1, 2015, and ending July 1, 2019. ESHB 2414 was narrowly passed by the House 57 yeas; 41 nays; 0 absent; and 0 excused and was referred to the Senate Energy, Environment & Telecommunications Committee on February 19th, where it has yet to be scheduled for a hearing.

The following legislative proposals run contrary to the City's general principles of legislation that promotes the City Council's goals and protect the City's ability to provide basic municipal services to its citizens. Staff are tracking and, in some cases providing testimony in opposition:

ESSB 6008: Modifying water-sewer district provisions.

The City opposes ESSB 6008, which would add a new section to RCW 35.13A governing the assumption of utility districts by cities. Current law provides for assumption of water and sewer districts by cities when the city, either through incorporation or annexation, represents sixty percent or more of the assessed value of the utility district. When the valuation is less than 60%, the city can assume the portion of the district in its boundaries or the district can vote to have the city assume the entire district. This bill would require a vote of the entire district for any assumption initiated by a city. The bill (as amended) impacts only cities in King County, which has 19 special purpose districts that cover all or parts of 29 of the 39 cities. All voters in the district are eligible to vote regardless of whether they reside in the area to be assumed. It also provides for a referendum process to undo an assumption that was mutually agreed to by the governing bodies of the city and the district. Although the bill as currently amended only applies to King County, this is a significant first incursion into cities' responsibilities under the Growth Management Act (GMA). One of the fundamental principles of the GMA is that cities are the preferred providers of urban services. Incorporations and annexations that encouraged the

elimination of unincorporated islands assumed that the number of special and overlapping districts could be reduced. ESSB 6008 is inconsistent with the goals of the GMA and imposes burdensome requirements on cities. ESSB 6008 was passed by the Senate on February 18, with all three of the City's Senate delegation voting in support of it. The bill will be heard in House Committee on Local Government on Monday, February 24 where Councilmember Kloba will testify in opposition.

SHB 2428: Authorizations of proposals for emergency medical care and service levies.

While the City supported the underlying principle of SHB 2428 (to make it easier to continue an EMS levy by specifying that any levy being continued - at a lower rate than initially voted in - would require just 50% +1, not a 60% vote) there was a proposed change that was unacceptable. The provision would have replaced the requirement that a county must obtain approval of all legislative authorities of cities with populations exceeding 50,000 prior to placing a countywide EMS levy proposal on the ballot with a requirement that a county must obtain the prior approval of 60 percent of the legislative authorities of taxing districts, or entities comprised solely of taxing districts that have populations exceeding 50,000 and would receive funds from the levy. Even though SHB 2428 appears to have "died", there is good reason to discuss this proposal with all parties during the interim.

Matrices updated February 28, for both Kirkland's legislative priorities and an updated bill position tracker will be emailed to Council in advance of the meeting on March 4.

Attachments: A. Status of City's 2014 legislative priorities (February 21)
B. Summary tracking list of the City's positions on bills analyzed by staff (February 21)
C. Feb. 21 Status of marijuana related bills the City has identified

2014 Legislative Priorities and Status – City of Kirkland

Updated: February 21, 2014

Attachment A

| | Legislative Priority | Bill # | Prime Sponsor | Status |
|---|---|-------------------------------|--|---|
| 1 | State & local transportation revenue | HB 1954 | Rep. Clibborn Sen. King | 6/29/13 – Returned to House Rules 2/13 – MCC presented an updated \$12 billion transportation package |
| 2 | \$5M for the next phase of the I-405 / NE 132nd Interchange ramp design | | Rep. Moscoso | Project & \$5M is included in House package HB 1954 |
| 3 | Continued state financial assistance and other tools that further the development of the CKC | HB 2224 | Rep. Dunshee | 2/6 – City's Community Projected Application submitted by Rep. Habib \$200,000 to amount awarded in 2013-15 Capital Budget |
| 4 | Restoration of funding to the Public Works Assistance Account that was swept in 2013 | HB 2244 SB 6546 | Rep. Stanford Sen. Rivers | 2/18 – Passed House; 87 yeas, 11 nays 2/20 – Referred to Senate Ways & Means 2/4 – Referred to Ways & Means |
| 5 | Restoration of local liquor revenue sharing formulas to adequately fund public safety & other local impacts of liquor consumption | HB 2067 HB 2314 SB 6361 | Rep. Tharinger Rep. Tharinger Sen. Angel | 1/13 – Retained in Appropriations 1/15 – Referred to Appropriations 1/22 – Referred to Ways & Means |
| 6 | Support sharing marijuana revenue to address public safety needs and other local impacts | SB 5887 | Sen. Rivers | 2/19 – Heard in Ways and Means (considered NTIB) |
| 7 | Harmonize medical marijuana regulations to reflect recreational marijuana regulations | SHB 2149 SB 5887 | Rep. Cody Sen. Rivers | 2/17 – Passed House; 67 yeas, 29 nays 2/27 – Hearing scheduled in Senate Health Care 2/19 – Heard in Ways and Means (considered NTIB) |
| 8 | Oppose legislation that proposes lending products or practices that adversely impact the middle class and the poor | HB 2670 | Rep. Kirby | 1/28 – Heard in Business & Financial Services. |

| Bill | Title | Position | Status |
|-------------------------|--|---|---|
| Support | | | |
| HB 1654 | Regional fire protection service authority within the boundaries of a single city | Support | 2/13 - PASSED 71yeas; 25nays; & 2xcsd 2/17 - Referred to Senate Commerce & Labor |
| HB 2070 | Concerning Washington state department of transportation projects. | Support | 2/11 - Passed to Rules for 2nd reading |
| HB 2105 | Promoting transparency by requiring public agencies post their agendas online in advance of meetings | Support | 2/12 - PASSED 85yeas; 13nays 2/24 - Hearing sched in Senate Gov. Ops |
| HB 2121 | Training pub officials & employees re: public records, records mngmnt, & open public mtgs | Support | 2/12 - PASSED 64yeas; 34nays 2/25 - Hearing sched in Senate Gov. Ops |
| HB 2149 | Concerning medical marijuana. | Support - pending clarification of effect on local gov auth to regulate | 2/17 - PASSED 67yeas; 29nays; 2excscd 2/27 - Hearing sched in Senate Health Care |
| HB 2150 | Encouraging rec. access to private property. | support | 2/17 - PASSED 97yeas; 1excscd 2/25 - Hearing sched in Natural Rsrchs & Parks |
| HB 2192 | Promoting economic development through enhancing transparency and predictability of state agency permitting and review processes. | Support | 2/14 - PASSED 96yeas; 2excscd 2/27 - Hearing sched in Trade & Econ Dev |
| HB 2219 | Concerning golf cart zones established by cities or counties. | Support? | 2/18 - PASSED 97yeas; 1excscd 2/20 - Referred to Transportation |
| HB 2224 | 2013-2015 supplemental capital budget. | Support | 1/21 - Heard in Capital Budget |
| HB 2244 | Restoring resources to the capital budget. | Support | 2/18 - PASSED 87yeas; 11nays 2/20 - Referred to Ways & Means |
| HB 2246 | Regarding financing for stewardship of mercury-containing lights. | Support | 2/13 - PASSED 56yeas; 41nays; & 1xcscd 2/17 - Referred to Energy, Enviro & Telecomm |
| HB 2296 | Addressing duplicate signatures on petitions in cities, towns, and code cities. | Support | 2/12 - PASSED 98yeas 2/27 - Hearing in Senate Gov Ops |
| HB 2314 | Incrementally increasing the distribution percentage of liquor revolving fund revenues under RCW 66.08.190 to cities and counties. | Support | 1/15 - Referred to Appropriations |
| HB 2368 | Concerning a surcharge for local homeless housing and assistance. | Support | 2/13 - PASSED 62yeas; 36nays 2/25 - Hearing in Finan Inst. and Housing & Ins |
| HB 2414 | Concerning water conservation appliances | Support | 2/17 - PASSED 57yeas; 41nays 2/19 - Referred to Energy, Enviro & Telecomm |
| HB 2515 | Concerning the treatment of population enumeration data, including exempting it from public inspection and copying. | Support | 2/14 - PASSED 96yeas; 2excscd 2/24 - Hearing in Sen. Gov Ops |
| Neutral | | | |
| Oppose | | | |
| HB 1287 | Subjecting federally recognized Indian tribes to the same conditions as state and local governments for property owned exclusively by the tribe. | Oppose | 2/14 - PASSED 63yeas; 34nay; 1excscd 2/18 - Referred to Ways & Means |
| HB 2151 | Concerning recreational trails. | Oppose | 2/12 - PASSED 97yeas; 1nay 2/20 - Hearing in Natural Resources & Parks |
| HB 2178 | Concerning unmanned aircraft. | Oppose | 2/17 - PASSED 92yeas; 6nays 2/19 - Referred to Law & Justice |

| Bill | Title | Position | Status |
|-------------------------|---|----------------------|--|
| Support | | | |
| SB 5887 | Concerning the medical use of cannabis. | Support | 2/19 - Heard in Ways & Means |
| SB 5964 | Training pub officials & employees re: public records, records mngmnt, & open public mtgs | Support | 2/7 - Passed Sen: 45yeas; 2nays; 2xcsd 2/25 - Hearing in House Gov Ops |
| SB 6001 | Making 2013-2015 supplemental transportation appropriations. | Support (or neutral) | 1/13 – Referred to Tranportation |
| SB 6002 | Making 2014 supplemental operating appropriations. | Support (or Neutral) | 1/15 - Heard in Ways & Means |
| SB 6020 | 2013-2015 supplemental capital budget. | Support | 1/14 - Referred to Ways & Means |
| SB 6546 | Restoring resources to the capital budget. | Support | 2/4 - Referred to Ways & Means |
| Neutral | | | |
| Oppose | | | |
| SB 6008 | Modifying water-sewer district provisions. | Oppose | 2/18 - Passed Sen: 37yeas; 10nays; 2xcsd 2/24 - Hearing in House Local Gov |

| Bill # | Bill Short Title | Position | Companion | Status |
|----------------------------|---|--|-------------------------|--|
| HB 1597 | Making marijuana law technical corrections. | | | 2/11- Passed House 98 yeas 2/21-Heard in Senate Commerce & Labor |
| HB 2065 | Relating to an integrated high quality continuum of early learning; and adding a new section to chapter 43.215 RCW. | | | Bill was never heard in Approps - "died" |
| HB 2144 | Concerning the establishment of a dedicated local jurisdiction marijuana fund and the distribution of a specified percentage of marijuana excise tax revenues to local jurisdictions. | Support | | 2/7 - Heard in Appropriations. "Died" |
| ESSHB 2149 | Concerning medical marijuana. | Support, pending better understanding of the effect on local gov. authority to regulate. | | 2/17- Passed House 67 yeas; 29 nays; 0 abs; 2 excsd 2/27-Hearing in Senate Health Care |
| HB 2198 | Providing tax relief to qualifying patients for purchases of marijuana for medical use. | Oppose? | | Did not move out of Rules - "Died" |
| HB 2206 | Concerning the possession or use of alcohol, cannabis products, and controlled substances in sentencing provisions. | Support / Neutral | | 1/21 - Heard in Public Safety. "Died" |
| HB 2233 | Concerning the medical use of cannabis. | Oppose | | Bill was never heard in Health Care & Wellness - "died" |
| HB 2303 | Encouraging safe and responsible sales of marijuana by authorizing the use of minors in compliance checks and addressing identification and manufacturing. | Support | SB 6158 | HB 2303 - Heard in Gov Accountability & Oversight - "died" SB 6158 - Did not move out of Rules - "died" |
| HB 2304 | Concerning marijuana processing and retail licenses. | Support | SB 6160 | HB 2304 - Did not move out of Rules - "died" SB 6160 - Did not move out of Rules - "died" |
| HB 2322 | Prohibiting local governments from taking actions preventing or impeding the creation or operation of commercial marijuana businesses licensed by the liquor control board. | Oppose | | 1/30 - Heard in Gov Accountability & Oversight - "died" |
| HB 2409 | Delaying the use of existing tax preferences by the marijuana industry to ensure a regulated and safe transition to the controlled and legal marijuana market in Washington. | Support | | Did not move out of Rules - "Died" |
| HB 2411 | Creating a tax stamp system for the sale of recreational marijuana. | Support | | 1/23 - Heard in Gov Accountability & Oversight - "died" |
| HB 2506 | Making felony driving under the influence of intoxicating liquor, marijuana, or any drug a class B felony. | Support | | 2/4 - Heard in Public Safety. "Died" |

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| HB 2509 | Authorizing municipalities to prohibit the possession of marijuana and marijuana-based products within their jurisdictional boundaries. | Oppose | | | Bill was never heard in Gov Accountability & Oversight - "died" |
| HB 2510 | Authorizing municipalities to prohibit the operation of commercial marijuana production, processing, and retail facilities within their jurisdictional boundaries. | Support | | | Bill was never heard in Gov Accountability & Oversight - "died" |
| HB 2511 | Requiring qualifying patients or designated providers to obtain permits to grow or provide medical marijuana. | Neutral | | | Bill was never heard in Health Care & Wellness - "died" |
| HB 2566 | Concerning the establishment of a dedicated local jurisdiction marijuana fund and the distribution of a specified percentage of marijuana excise tax revenues to cities and counties. | Support? | | | Bill was never heard in Gov Accountability & Oversight - "died" |
| HB 2638 | Concerning the establishment of state preemption of laws and ordinances of local governments regarding provisions of the controlled substances act, chapter 69.50 RCW. | Oppose | | | Bill never heard in Comm Dev Housing & Tribal Affairs - "died" |
| HB 2706 | Ensuring safe, responsible, and legal acquisition of marijuana by adults. | | | | 2/17 - Passed House 97 yeas; 0 nays; 0 absent; 1 excsd 2/19 - Referred to Commerce & Labor |
| HB 2732 | Concerning the distribution of marijuana tax revenues for local law enforcement officers. | Support | | | Bill was never heard in Gov Accountability & Oversight - "died" |
| SSSB 5887 | Revised 2nd Substitute: Merging the medical marijuana system with the recreational marijuana system. | Support | | | 2/19 - Heard in Senate Ways & Means |
| SB 5955 | Establishing the Washington publicly owned trust in order to create a financing infrastructure to implement Initiative Measure No. 502 that complies with the United States attorney general's guidance letter of August 29, 2013, thereby providing resources for public infrastructure and other public purposes. | Support | | | 1/16 - Heard in Financial Institutions and Housing & Insurance - "died" |
| SB 6178 | Aligning the medical marijuana system with the recreational marijuana system. | Support all but Section 2 | | | 2/7 - Referred to Ways & Means. Appears to have "died" |
| SB 6505 | Delaying the use of existing tax preferences by the marijuana industry to ensure a regulated and safe transition to the controlled and legal marijuana market in Washington. | Neutral or Support | | This appears to be similar to HB 2409? | Was never heard in Ways & Means - "died" |