

# WA Fire Chiefs Bill Status Report

## High Priority Bills

Bill #	Abbrev. Title	Short Description	Status	Sponsor	Position
<a href="#">HB 1251</a>	Emergency med services levy	Providing for increased funding for emergency medical services by adjusting the emergency medical services' levy cap.	H Finance	Van De Wege	Support
<a href="#">HB 1605</a>	Fire protection/benefit chrg	Modifying certain provisions governing benefit charges of fire protection districts and regional fire protection service authorities.	H LGDPS	Peterson	Concerns
<a href="#">HB 2303</a>	Wildland urban interface	Adopting the international wildland urban interface code by reference for purposes of the state building code.	H LGDPS	Van De Wege	Support
<a href="#">HB 2321</a>	Fire authority formation	Removing disincentives to the voluntary formation of regional fire protection service authorities by equalizing certain provisions with existing laws governing fire protection districts and by clarifying the formation process.	H LGDP	Stokesbary	Support
<a href="#">HB 2348</a>	Local fireworks ordinances	Providing local governments with flexibility regarding local fireworks ordinances.	H Local Govt	Hawkins	Support
<a href="#">HB 2575</a>	Oil transportation safety	Continuing state efforts to increase oil transportation safety.	H Environment	Farrell	Support
<a href="#">HB 2579</a>	Prefire mitigation	Concerning prefire mitigation.	H Ag & Nat Res	Griffey	Support
<a href="#">HB 2708</a> (SB 6387)	Fire district formation	Providing for fire protection district formation by the legislative authority of a city or town subject to voter approval.	H Local Govt	Appleton	Support
<a href="#">SB 6204</a>	Fire authority formation	Removing disincentives to the voluntary formation of regional fire protection service authorities by equalizing certain provisions with existing laws governing fire protection districts and by clarifying the formation process.	S GovtOp&Sec	Roach	Support
<a href="#">SB 6387</a> (HB 2708)	Fire district formation	Providing for fire protection district formation by the legislative authority of a city or town subject to voter approval.	S GovtOp&Sec	Roach	Support

## Medium Priority Bills

Bill #	Abbrev. Title	Short Description	Status	Sponsor	Position
<a href="#">HB 1009</a> (SB 5000)	Rural amphitheater surcharge	Allowing rural counties providing emergency medical services to locations with a rural amphitheater to impose an additional admissions surcharge.	H Rules C	Manweller	Support
<a href="#">HB 2310</a>	Fire prevention/2016	Concerning fire prevention in 2016.	H Ag & Nat Res	Van De Wege	Concerns

<a href="#">HB 2543</a> (SB 6319)	Civil service qualifications	Addressing civil service qualifications.	H Labor & Workpl	Stokesbary	Neutral
<a href="#">HB 2545</a> (SB 6440)	Flame retardant chemicals	Reducing public health threats that particularly impact highly exposed populations, including children and firefighters, by establishing a process for the department of health to restrict the use of toxic flame retardant chemicals in certain types of consumer products.	H HC/Wellness	Van De Wege	Support
<a href="#">HB 2569</a>	Police & fire in HOV lanes	Authorizing the use of high occupancy vehicle lanes by law enforcement and fire department vehicles.	H Trans	Sells	Neutral
<a href="#">HB 2576</a>	Local agency public records	Concerning public records act requests to local agencies.	H Local Govt	McBride	Support
<a href="#">HB 2596</a>	Local wildland fire suppress.	Reducing the occurrences of small wildland fires escalating into catastrophic fires through the creation of a mechanism to better equip local wildland fire suppression entities in their immediate, local suppression activities.	H Ag & Nat Res	Dye	Concerns
<a href="#">HB 2625</a> (SB 6385)	Fire contractor license fund	Limiting the uses of the fire protection contractor license fund.	H Labor & Workpla	Appleton	Support
<a href="#">HB 2676</a>	Building code exemptions	Authorizing cities and counties to exempt certain housing from the state building code.	H Judiciary	Blake	Concerns
<a href="#">HB 2709</a> (SB 6416)	Firefighter license plates	Creating firefighter memorial special license plates.	H Trans	Riccelli	Support
<a href="#">HB 2732</a> (SB 6451)	Fire district annexations	Modifying certain voter approval requirements for fire protection district annexations.	H State Governme	Peterson	Support
<a href="#">HB 2805</a>	Firefighter hazard. exposure	Requiring mandatory reporting of hazardous exposures for firefighters.	H Labor & Workpl	Reykdal	Neutral
<a href="#">HB 2806</a>	Occup. disease presumptions	Addressing the presumption of occupational diseases for purposes of industrial insurance.	H Labor & Workpl	Kuderer	Neutral
<a href="#">HB 2841</a>	State building code council	Concerning the state building code council.	H Local Govt	Senn	Neutral
<a href="#">SB 5000</a> (HB 1009)	Rural amphitheater surcharge	Allowing rural counties providing emergency medical services to locations with a rural amphitheater to impose an additional admissions surcharge.	S Rules X	Parlette	Support
<a href="#">SB 6250</a>	Fire department employees	Providing public fire department employees the right to volunteer for or obtain employment with another fire department.	S Commerce and La	Braun	Neutral
<a href="#">SB 6319</a> (HB 2543)	Civil service qualifications	Addressing civil service qualifications.	S Commerce and L	Jayapal	Neutral
<a href="#">SB 6347</a>	Forest fire prevention	Concerning forest fire prevention and suppression.	S Natural Resour	Hobbs	Neutral
<a href="#">SB 6385</a> (HB 2625)	Fire contractor license fund	Limiting the uses of the fire protection contractor license fund.	S Commerce and La	McCoy	Support

<a href="#">SB 6416</a> (HB 2709)	Firefighter license plates	Creating firefighter memorial special license plates.	S Transportation	Liias	Support
<a href="#">SB 6418</a>	Oil transportation safety	Concerning oil transportation safety.	S Energy, Enviro	Ranker	Support
<a href="#">SB 6439</a>	Multiregional state emerg.	Addressing volunteer firefighters and reserve officers assisting with multiregional state emergencies.	S Ways & Means	Bailey	Support
<a href="#">SB 6440</a> (HB 2545)	Flame retardant chemicals	Reducing public health threats that particularly impact highly exposed populations, including children and firefighters, by establishing a process for the department of health to restrict the use of toxic flame retardant chemicals in certain types of consumer products.	S Health Care	Parlette	Support
<a href="#">SB 6451</a> (HB 2732)	Fire district annexations	Modifying certain voter approval requirements for fire protection district annexations.	S GovtOp&Sec	Roach	Support
<a href="#">SB 6489</a>	Fire suppression volunteers	Concerning fire suppression volunteers.	S Natural Resourc	Becker	Concerns
<a href="#">SB 6490</a>	Fire suppression methodology	Concerning fire suppression methodologies.	S Natural Resourc	Becker	Concerns
<a href="#">SB 6502</a>	Forest fire prevention	Concerning forest fire prevention and suppression.	S Natural Resour	Hargrove	Neutral

## Low Priority Bills

No bills.

## Monitoring Bills

Bill #	Abbrev. Title	Short Description	Status	Sponsor	Position
<a href="#">ESHB 1745</a> (SB 5668)	Voting rights	Enacting the Washington voting rights act.	H SGDP2S	Moscoco	Neutral
<a href="#">HB 2287</a>	Disability/emergency scene	Concerning notice to first responders that a person with a disability may be present at the scene of an emergency.	H Judiciary	McCabe	Neutral
<a href="#">HB 2290</a>	Public record request limits	Limiting out-of-state requests for public records.	H State Governme	MacEwen	Neutral
<a href="#">HB 2376</a> (SB 6246)	Operating sup budget 2016	Making 2016 supplemental operating appropriations.	H Approps	Dunshee	Neutral
<a href="#">HB 2380</a> (SB 6201)	Supplemental capital budget	Concerning the supplemental capital budget.	H Cap Budget	Tharinger	Neutral
<a href="#">HB 2387</a>	Flamethrowing devices	Concerning flamethrowing devices.	H Public Safety	Hunt	Neutral
<a href="#">HB 2438</a> (SB 6425)	Excess liquor revenue dist.	Concerning gradually increasing the local government share of excess liquor revenues until the percentage-based method for distributions is restored.	H Commerce & Gam	Nealey	Neutral
<a href="#">HB 2460</a>	Firearms/public	Providing local authorities with	H Judiciary	Walkinshaw	Neutral

(SB 6351)	places	the authority to regulate firearms in certain public places.			
<a href="#">HB 2487</a> (SB 6264)	LEOFF 2 retirees/annuities	Allowing certain law enforcement officers' and firefighters' plan 2 retirees to purchase annuities.	H Approps	Van De Wege	Neutral
<a href="#">HB 2503</a> (SB 6284)	Fire sprinkler systems	Preventing water-sewer districts from prohibiting multipurpose fire sprinkler systems.	H Local Govt	Buys	Neutral
<a href="#">HB 2508</a>	International Plumbing Code	Concerning adoption of the International Plumbing Code as an alternative recognized building code.	H Local Govt	Buys	Neutral
<a href="#">HB 2524</a> (SB 6307)	Trans sup budget 2015-2017	Making 2015-2017 supplemental transportation appropriations.	H Trans	Clibborn	Neutral
<a href="#">HB 2551</a>	Disaster area financing	Concerning state-shared taxes for the purpose of designated disaster area financing.	H Finance	Condotta	Neutral
<a href="#">HB 2589</a>	Gender-segregated facilities	Allowing the use of gender-segregated facilities.	H Judiciary	Hunt	Neutral
<a href="#">HB 2592</a> (SB 6263)	Emergency mgmt. benefits	Providing benefits for certain retirement system members who die or become disabled in the course of providing emergency management services.	H Approps	Holy	Neutral
<a href="#">HB 2652</a>	Health care declarations	Concerning the maintenance and disclosure of health care declarations.	H Trans	Cody	Neutral
<a href="#">HB 2785</a>	Solid fuel burning devices	Ensuring that restrictions on the use of solid fuel burning devices do not prohibit the installation or replacement of solid fuel burning devices or the use of these devices during temporary outages of other sources of heat.	H Environment	Shea	Concerns
<a href="#">SB 6201</a> (HB 2380)	Supplemental capital budget	Concerning the supplemental capital budget.	S Ways & Means	Honeyford	Neutral
<a href="#">SB 6226</a>	International Plumbing Code	Concerning adoption of the International Plumbing Code as an alternative recognized building code.	S Commerce and L	Warnick	Neutral
<a href="#">SB 6246</a> (HB 2376)	Operating sup budget 2016	Making 2016 supplemental operating appropriations.	S Ways & Means	Hill	Neutral
<a href="#">SB 6263</a> (HB 2592)	Emergency mgmt. benefits	Providing benefits for certain retirement system members who die or become disabled in the course of providing emergency management services.	S Ways & Means	Warnick	Neutral
<a href="#">SB 6264</a> (HB 2487)	LEOFF 2 retirees/annuities	Allowing certain law enforcement officers' and firefighters' plan 2 retirees to purchase annuities.	S Ways & Means	Dammeier	Neutral
<a href="#">SB 6284</a> (HB 2503)	Fire sprinkler systems	Preventing water-sewer districts from prohibiting multipurpose	S GovtOp&Sec	Takko	Neutral

		fire sprinkler systems.			
<a href="#">SB 6312</a>	Hospital district comm'rs	Regulating the core legislative powers of elected commissioners of a public hospital district.	S GovtOp&Sec	Keiser	Neutral
<a href="#">SB 6315</a>	Local gov. modernization	Concerning local government modernization.	S GovtOp&Sec	Roach	Neutral
<a href="#">SB 6316</a>	Disaster area financing	Concerning designated disaster area financing.	S GovtOp&Sec	Parlette	Neutral
<a href="#">SB 6351</a> (HB 2460)	Firearms/public places	Providing local authorities with the authority to regulate firearms in certain public places.	S Law & Justice	Habib	Neutral
<a href="#">SB 6425</a> (HB 2438)	Excess liquor revenue dist.	Concerning gradually increasing the local government share of excess liquor revenues until the percentage-based method for distributions is restored.	S Ways & Means	Hewitt	Support
<a href="#">SB 6465</a>	Dev. disability address reg.	Concerning an alert program that allows residents to provide information to first responders pertaining to persons with developmental disabilities living at a registered address.	S HumSer/MenHlth	Hobbs	Neutral
<a href="#">SB 6510</a>	Smoke management plan	Concerning the smoke management plan.	S Natural Resour	Parlette	Neutral
<a href="#">SB 6511</a>	Wildfire prevention	Concerning forest health through prudent wildfire prevention.	S Natural Resour	Parlette	Neutral
<a href="#">SB 6523</a>	Emergency employees/pension	Providing service credit for pension purposes for certain emergency medical services employees.		Pearson	Neutral
<a href="#">SB 6525</a>	State building code council	Concerning the state building code council.		Angel	Neutral
<a href="#">SB 6530</a>	Language of public notices	Providing public notices of public health, safety, and welfare in a language other than English.		Hasegawa	Neutral

## Other Bills

No bills.