Fire Chiefs Association Bill Status & Upcoming Events Report

Upcoming Events

Appropriations (House) - HHR A, JLOB - 2/11 @ 9:00am

- SHB 1888 Exec Session Protecting employee information from public disclosure. (Support)
- HB 2228 Exec Session Permitting early deployment of state fire service resources. (Support)

Ways & Means (Senate) - SHR 4, JACB - 2/11 @ 10:00am

- SSB 6534 Exec Session Creating an ambulance transport quality assurance fee.
- SSB 6570 Exec Session Concerning law enforcement officer mental health and wellness.

Transportation (House) - HHR B, JLOB - 2/11 @ 12:00pm

• HB 2923 - Exec Session - Concerning railroad grade crossings.

A) Priority Bills

Bill#	Abbrev. Title	Short Description	Status	Sponsor	Position
EHB 1912 (SSB 5829)	Vol. firefighter pensions	Concerning pension benefits and contributions in the volunteer firefighters' and reserve officers' relief and pension system.	H Approps	Blake	Support
HB 2228	State fire service deploy.	Permitting early deployment of state fire service resources.	H Approps	Springer	Support
HB 2413	Wildfire activity funding	Concerning funding for wildfire prevention and preparedness activities.	H Approps	Fitzgibbon	Support
SB 6078	Fire juris. reimbursement	Clarifying reimbursement for certain clean-up or removal actions by fire protection jurisdictions.	S Rules 2	Mullet	Support
SSB 6415	Perm. fire district charge	Allowing a permanent fire protection district benefit charge with voter approval.	S Rules 2	Das	Support

B) Operations

Bill#	Abbrev. Title	Short Description	Status	Sponsor	Position
SHB 1888	Employee info. disclosure	Protecting employee information from public disclosure.	H Approps	Hudgins	Support
SHB 2265 (SB 6360)	Firefighting foam	Eliminating exemptions from	H Rules R	Doglio	

		restrictions on the use of perfluoroalkyl and			
		polyfluoroalkyl substances in			
SHB 2287	Rail safety governance	firefighting foam. Addressing the assessment of rail safety governance in Washington state.	H 2nd Reading	Leavitt	
SHB 2335 (SSB 6086)	Opioid use/medications	Increasing access to medications for opioid use disorder.	H Rules R	Davis	
HB 2755	Air ambulance cost transp.	Concerning transparency regarding the cost of air ambulance services.	H Rules R	Schmick	
HB 2781	Emergency comm. sales tax	Concerning sales and use tax for emergency communication systems and facilities.	H Finance	Riccelli	
HB 2846 (SSB 6534)	Ambulance quality assur. fee	Creating an ambulance transport quality assurance fee.	H Approps	Tharinger	
HB 2911	Charitable solicitation/road	Concerning charitable solicitation near public roadways.	H Local Govt	Entenman	
HB 2923 (SB 6675)	Railroad grade crossings	Concerning railroad grade crossings.	H Trans	Peterson	
ESB 5165	Discrimination/immigration	Concerning discrimination based on citizenship or immigration status.	H Civil R & Judi	Salda?a	
SB 5249 (SHB 1357)	Unincorp. island annexation	Eliminating certain requirements for the annexation of an unincorporated island of territory.	S Rules 2	Hunt	
SSB 6058	Fire district health clinics	Concerning fire district health clinic services.	S Rules 2	Randall	Support
SSB 6086 (SHB 2335)	Opioid use/medications	Increasing access to medications for opioid use disorder.	S Rules 2	Hasegawa	
SSB 6216	Paid leave/application	Concerning the application of the	S Rules 2	Keiser	Support

		family and medical leave program in Title 50A RCW to specific classes of individuals.			
SSB 6534 (HB 2846)	Ambulance quality assur. fee	Creating an ambulance transport quality assurance fee.	S Ways & Means	Cleveland	
SB 6582 (HB 2908)	Fire district comm'r, number	Concerning the number of fire protection district commissioners.	S Rules 2	Hobbs	Support
SB 6675 (HB 2923)	Railroad grade crossings	Concerning railroad grade crossings.	S Transportation	Stanford	

C) WSAFM

Bill#	Abbrev. Title	Short Description	Status	Sponsor	Position
HB 2307	Fireworks prohibitions	Concerning fireworks prohibitions adopted by cities or counties.	H Rules R	Fitzgibbon	
SHB 2405 (SB 6222)	Comm. property/clean energy	Concerning commercial property assessed clean energy and resilience.	H Approps	Duerr	
SHB 2520	Landlord damage claims	Addressing documentation and processes governing landlords' claims for damage to residential premises.	H Rules R	Thai	
SHB 2595	Smoke detection devices	Concerning smoke detection devices.	H Rules R	Boehnke	
HB 2701	Fire & smoke control systems	Concerning inspection and testing of fire and smoke control systems and dampers.	H Rules R	Ormsby	
SHB 2783	On-demand gasoline providers	Standardizing fire safety requirements for mobile ondemand gasoline providers.	H Rules R	Griffey	
<u>SB 6090</u>	Detection device liability	Limiting fire protection service agency liability for the installation of detection devices.	H Civil R & Judi	Warnick	
SSB 6302	Home occupant load limits	Prohibiting local governments from limiting the number of unrelated persons occupying a home.	S Rules 2	Rolfes	
SSB 6464	Building code membership	Concerning state building code council membership.	S Rules 2	Wilson	
SSB 6482	DCYF licensing	Concerning licensing by the department of children, youth, and families.	S Ways & Means	Wilson	

D) Wildland/Disaster/DNR/SFMO

Bill#	Abbrev. Title	Short Description	Status	Sponsor	Position
ESHB 1622 (SB 5675)	Drought preparedness	Concerning drought preparedness and response.	S Ag/Water/Natura	Blake	
SHB 1946 (2SSB 5873)	Community forests	Concerning community forests.	H Cap Budget	Chapman	
<u>SB 6195</u>	Forest health activity bonds	Funding forest health activities for the protection of people, homes, and the environment through issuance of state bonds.	S Ways & Means	Braun	

E) Labor Bills

Bill#	Abbrev. Title	Short Description	Status	Sponsor	Position
HB 2051 (SB 5920)	Pension & disability boards	Concerning firefighters and law enforcement officers pension and disability boards.	S Ways & Means	Lovick	
HB 2450	EMS personnel license fees	Concerning license fees for emergency medical services personnel under Title 77 RCW.	H Approps	Schmick	
SHB 2758	911 dispatch personnel/PTSD	Recognizing posttraumatic stress disorders of 911 emergency dispatch personnel.	H Approps	Corry	
SB 5920 (HB 2051)	Pension & disability boards	Concerning firefighters and law enforcement officers pension and disability boards.	S 2nd Reading	Conway	
SSB 6570	Law enforce. mental health	Concerning law enforcement officer mental health and wellness.	S Ways & Means	King	
SB 6616	EMS employees/retirement	Concerning retirement benefits for certain employees that provided emergency medical services prior to July 27, 2003.	S Ways & Means	Liias	

F) Budget Bills

Bill#	Abbrev. Title	Short Description	Status	Sponsor	Position
HB 2324 (SB 6248)	Capital budget, supplemental	Concerning the capital budget.	H Cap Budget	Tharinger	
HB 2325 (SB 6168)	Operating budget, supplement	Making 2019-2021 fiscal biennium supplemental operating appropriations.	H Approps	Ormsby	
SB 6168 (HB 2325)	Operating budget, supplement	Making 2019-2021 fiscal biennium supplemental operating appropriations.	S Ways & Means	Rolfes	
SB 6248 (HB 2324)	Capital budget, supplemental	Concerning the capital budget.	S Ways & Means	Frockt	