

2025 State Legislative Preview

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Today's Topics

- 2024 year in review
- 2025 session overview
- Policy watchlist



Information only today – no decisions by the Board

2024 Year in Review

New laws:

- Solar consumer protection
- Greenhouse gas reporting

Initiatives of interest:

- I-2066: To prevent restrictions on natural gas - **Passed**
- I-2117: To repeal the Climate Commitment Act - **Failed**

Existing laws implementation & rulemaking:

- Climate Commitment Act
- Clean Energy Transformation Act

2025 Session Overview

- 105-day session begins January 13
- First year of the legislative biennium
 - New operating, capital, transportation budgets
 - \$10-12 billion budget shortfall expected
- New leaders, new priorities
 - New governor
 - New agency directors
 - New slate of policymakers
 - New legislative district for Chelan PUD

Policy Watchlist

Track → Analyze → Influence

- Resource adequacy
- Transmission
- Wildfire liability & insurance
- Low-income energy assistance
- Transportation electrification



Other Issues to Watch

- Generation & storage funding
- Day-ahead market development
- Community solar



Happy Holidays!

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