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Weekly Summary

Day 84 of the 105 day Regular Session

The House released and passed their version of the 2017-2019 Operating Budget on a 50-48 party-line vote. Now that the House and the Senate have each passed a budget, it is time for budget negotiators from each caucus to gather and attempt to hammer out a compromise budget before the end of the Regular Session on April 23rd.

Wednesday was the last day for bills to pass out of their policy committee in the opposite house. Bills that failed to meet this deadline are technically dead, unless they are necessary to implement the budget. The next cutoff date is April 4th for bills to pass out of their fiscal committee in the opposite house.

Activity on Priority Bills / Issues of Interest

ESSB 5048 2017-2019 proposed Operating Budget. (Support)

Update; The House released their version of the 2017-2019 Operating Budget last week. Their budget also restored funding to the 911 Account and required the State Patrol to use the (Fingerprint Identification Account-State) Additional Funding is provided in the Senate Operating Budget for Next Gen 911 funding in smaller counties. Also, the House Budget contains \$951,000 in grants from the Disaster Response Accounts (State) to address 911 dispatch infrastructure deficiencies in Okanogan and Ferry counties.

SB 5573 Increasing membership of the State Interoperability Executive Committee. (Support)

Update; SSB 5573 was pulled out of House Rules on Friday and is now on the Floor of the House. It has until April 22nd. to pass out of the House.

SHB 1258 Travis Alert (Monitor)

The bill passed out of Senate Law and Justice on March 29th. It is now in the Senate Rules Committee. It has until April 12th. to pass out of the Senate.

Upcoming Activity on Priority Bills / Issues of Interest

Appropriations (House) - HHR A, JLOB - 4/3 @ 1:30pm

- SSB 5046 - Public Hearing - Providing public notices of public health, safety, and welfare in a language other than English.

Details on All Priority Bills / Issues of Interest

| Bill # | Abbrev. Title | Title | Short Description | Status | Sponsor | Priority | Position | Dead |
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| SHB 1019 | Fire services mobilization | Concerning state fire services mobilization. | Fire Service Mobilization | H Approps | Dent | Monitoring | Neutral | No |
| SHB 1067 (ESS B 5048) | Operating budget | Making operating appropriations for the 2015-2017 and 2017-2019 fiscal biennia. | \$221,000 appropriated from E911 State Account for WSP Fingerprint ID Software upgrade. Need to preserve 911 dollars for 911 purposes. Could impact federal grant ability. | H Rules R | Ormsby | Monitoring | Concerns | No |
| SHB 1160 (SB 5418) | Sunshine committee | Enacting recommendations of the sunshine committee. | Enacting recommendations of the sunshine committee. | S State Governmen | Springer | Monitoring | | No |
| HB 1167 (SB 5122) | Fire commissioner comp. | Concerning fire commissioner compensation. | Fire Commissioner Compensation | S Rules 2 | Griffey | Monitoring | Neutral | No |
| SHB 1258 | First responders/disability | Concerning persons with a disability present at the scene of an accident. | First Responders Disabled Person Concerned about funding source for the 911 portion of this bill. Fiscal note has E911 Account paying \$43,227 for the report in SFY2018. | S Rules 2 | McCabe | Monitoring | Concerns | No |
| HB 1284 | School emerg. panic button | Requiring creation of a statewide school emergency panic button program. | School Emergency Panic Button. Concerned about the impact of the software on 911 operations. | H Education | Lovick | Monitoring | Concerns | Yes |
| SHB 1418 | Cybersecurity panel | Establishing a blue ribbon panel on cybersecurity. | Establishing a blue ribbon panel on cybersecurity. | H Approps | Hudgins | Monitoring | Neutral | No |
| ESHB 1594 | Public records admin. | Improving public records administration. | Public Records | S Ways & Means | McBride | Monitoring | Neutral | No |

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| SHB 1736 | Premobilization assistance | Concerning the establishment of a premobilization assistance program to assist local fire suppression entities on the initial attack of a wildland fire. | | H Approps | Dye | Monitoring | Neutral | No |
| HB 1769 | Deadly force task force recs | Supporting law enforcement's efforts to implement the recommendations of the joint legislative task force on the use of deadly force in community policing. | | H Public Safety | Goodman | Monitoring | Neutral | Yes |
| HB 1786 (SSB 5573) | Interoperability exec. comm. | Increasing membership of the state interoperability executive committee in order to foster interoperability. | Increasing membership of the state interoperability executive committee in order to foster interoperability. | H Rules R | Appleton | High | Support | No |
| HB 1921 (SB 5711) | Telecommunications services | Concerning telecommunications services. | Concerning telecommunications services. | H Tech & Econ D | Morris | Monitoring | Oppose | Yes |
| HB 1951 (SSB 5545) | Public emp. bargaining/OPMA | Requiring public employee collective bargaining sessions to be open meetings. | Requiring public employee collective bargaining sessions to be open meetings. | H Labor & Workpl | Manwell er | Monitoring | Oppose | Yes |
| HB 2086 | Cybersecurity coordination | Establishing a task force to address state interagency coordination in cybersecurity. | | H State Govt, El | Hudgins | Monitoring | Neutral | Yes |
| SB 5000 (HB 1000) | Law enforcement deadly force | Concerning the use of deadly force by law enforcement and corrections officers. | Use of Deadly Force | S Law & Justice | McCoy | Monitoring | Neutral | Yes |

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| SSB 5046 (2SHB 1540) | Language of public notices | Providing public notices of public health, safety, and welfare in a language other than English. | Providing public notices of public health, safety, and welfare in a language other than English. Concerned about the costs. | H Approps | Hasegawa | Monitoring | Concerns | No |
| ESSB 5048 (SHB 1067) | Operating budget | Making operating appropriations for the 2015-2017 and 2017-2019 fiscal biennia. | E911 Account spending in WSP budget. | H Passed 3rd | Braun | Monitoring | Concerns | No |
| SSB 5073 (HB 1529) | Use of deadly force | Concerning recommendations from the joint legislative task force on the use of deadly force in community policing. | Use of Deadly Force | S Ways & Means | Frockett | Monitoring | Neutral | No |
| SSB 5104 | Property tax/line of duty | Concerning the creation of a property tax exemption for spouses of military members or first responders killed in the line of duty. | Tax Exemption for First Responders Who Die in the Line of Duty | H Finance | O'Ban | Monitoring | Neutral | No |
| SB 5122 (HB 1167) | Fire commissioner comp. | Concerning fire commissioner compensation. | Fire Commissioner Compensation | H Rules R | Takko | Monitoring | Neutral | No |
| SB 5418 (SHB 1160) | Sunshine committee | Enacting recommendations of the sunshine committee. | Enacting recommendations of the sunshine committee. | S State Governmen | Chase | Monitoring | Neutral | Yes |
| SSB 5545 (HB 1951) | Public emp. bargaining/PRA | Requiring public employee collective bargaining proposals, fiscal impact analyses, and agreements to be made public. | Requiring public employee collective bargaining sessions to be open meetings. | S Rules X | Wilson | Monitoring | Oppose | No |

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| SSB 5573 (HB 1786) | Interoperability | Increasing membership of the state interoperability executive committee and foster radio system interoperability. | SIEC -- additional members and scope | H 2nd Reading | McCoy | Medium | Support | No |
| SB 5711 (HB 1921) | Telecommunications services | Concerning telecommunications services. | Concerning telecommunications services. | S Rules | Ericksen | Monitoring | Neutral | No |