



Port of Port Townsend
Legislative Update
December 13, 2023

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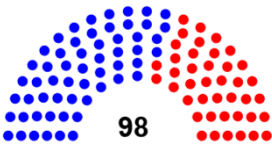
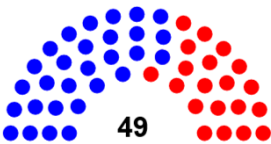


Introductions

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Legislature Overview

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2024 Makeup

	
98	49
House of Representatives 58 D / 40 R	Senate 29 D / 20 R
	

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2024 Legislative Session Outlook

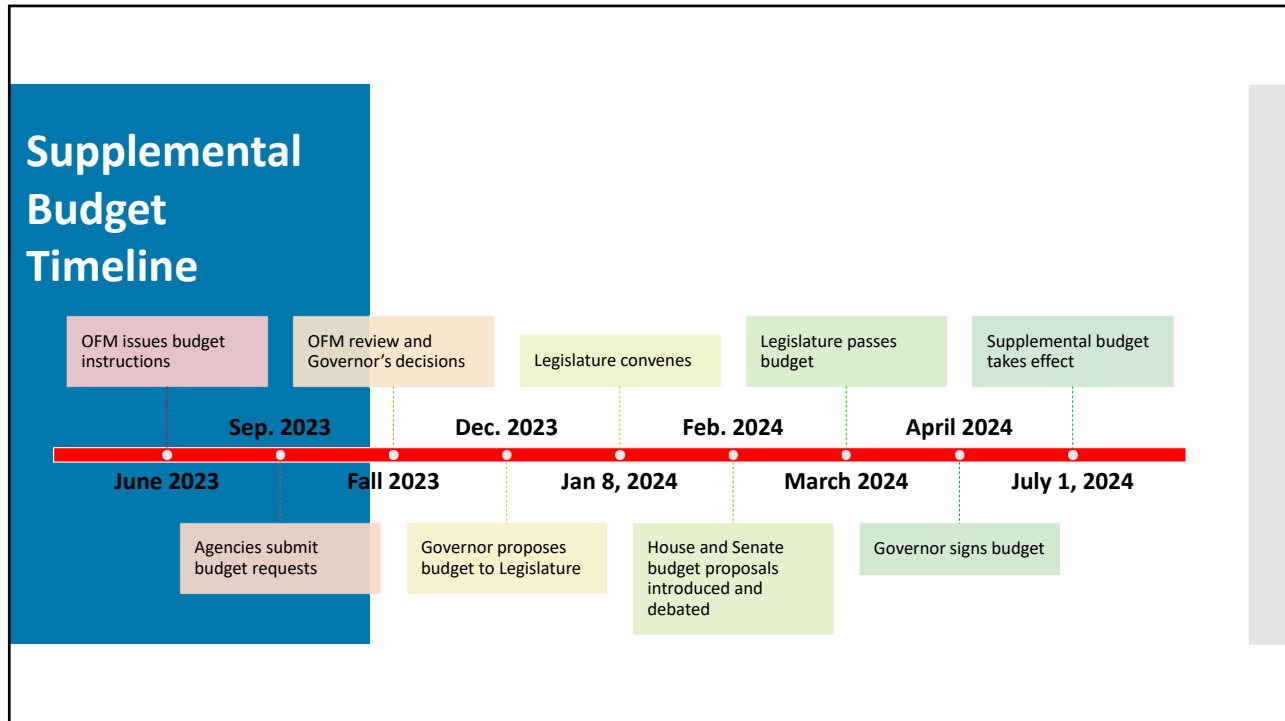
- Homelessness & Housing
- Climate Commitment Act (CCA)
- Artificial Intelligence
- Healthcare
- Transportation Budget Challenges
- Initiatives to the Legislature
 - WA Parents Bill of Rights
 - Repeal Capital Gains Tax
 - Prohibit Collection of Income Taxes
 - Restore Police Pursuits
 - Repeal Cap & Trade Tax/CCA
 - Long Term Care Opt Out

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Session Timeline

First Day of Session	House of Origin Fiscal Cutoff	Opposite House Policy Cutoff	Opposite House Cutoff
8 Jan.	5 Feb.	21 Feb.	1 Mar.
31 Jan.	13 Feb.	26 Feb.	7 Mar.
House of Origin Policy Cutoff	House of Origin Cutoff	Opposite House Fiscal Cutoff	Sine Die

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Port of Port Townsend Legislative Agenda

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2024 Priorities

- **Capital Budget Requests**
 - Gardiner Boat Launch
 - Possibly Others
- **Support Expanded Opportunities for Port Acquisition of Farmland**
- **Support Electrification Efforts at Ports**
- **Support Funding for Aviation Fuel Tank Removal & Replacement**
- **Support Funding for Model Toxics Control Act**
- **Support Full Ferry Service**
- **Support Funding for Derelict Vessel Removal Program**

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Questions?

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