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Report Date: June 8, 2025

Alliance of Western Energy Consumers

Bill Number	Position	Priority	Last Three Actions	Next Hearing Date
HB 3179	Oppose	1	06/07/25 - Assigned to Subcommittee On Natural Resources. 05/23/25 - Referred to Ways and Means by order of Speaker. 05/23/25 - Recommendation: Do pass with amendments, be printed A-Engrossed, and be referred to Ways and Means.	

Relating to public utilities; declaring an emergency.

Directs the Public Utility Commission to consider the cumulative economic impact of Directs the Public Utility Commission to consider the cumulative economic impact of [*<i>a*>a proposed rate or schedule of rates on a public utility's ratepayers if the proposed rate or schedule of rates will result in an increase of the public utility's revenue in this state by 2.

Bill Sponsor: Rep Andersen; Rep Chaichi; Rep Chotzen; Rep Fragala; Rep Gamba; Rep Gomberg; Rep Grayber; Rep Hartman; Rep Hudson; Rep Lively; Rep Marsh; Rep McDonald; Rep Munoz; Rep Neron; Rep Nguyen D; Rep Nguyen H; Rep Sosa; Rep Walters; Sen Golden; Sen Patterson; Sen Pham; Sen Sollman; Sen Taylor (Presession filed) (at the request of Citizens' Utility Board)

HB 3539	Support	1	04/14/25 - Referred to Ways and Means by prior reference. 04/14/25 - Recommendation: Do pass and be referred to Ways and Means by prior reference. 04/08/25 - Work Session held.	
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Relating to greenhouse gas emissions reporting; declaring an emergency.

Requires the Environmental Quality Commission to contract with a third party to study and determine a greenhouse gas reporting emissions factor for electricity purchased from unspecified sources.

Bill Sponsor: Rep Levy B

HB 3540	Support	1	04/03/25 - Public Hearing held. 02/12/25 - Referred to Climate, Energy, and Environment. 02/11/25 - First reading. Referred to Speaker's desk.	
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Relating to the costs of compliance with electric energy standards for electric utilities.

Provides for a single limit on the cost of compliance for an electric utility that is required to comply with a renewable portfolio standard and the statutory clean energy targets.

Bill Sponsor: Rep Boice; Rep Levy B

4/10/2025 - Ashlynn Wilson - Dead

HB 3917	Oppose	1	03/11/25 - Referred to Judiciary with subsequent referral to Ways and Means. 03/11/25 - First reading. Referred to Speaker's desk.	
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Relating to a catastrophic wildfire fund; declaring an emergency.

Creates the Catastrophic Wildfire Fund to pay for property damage claims arising from catastrophic wildfires that are ignited by the facilities of a public utility.

Bill Sponsor: Rep Mannix; Rep Marsh

4/10/2025 - Ashlynn Wilson - Dead

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HB 3927	Oppose	1	03/27/25 - Public Hearing held. 03/18/25 - Referred to Climate, Energy, and Environment with subsequent referral to Ways and Means. 03/17/25 - First reading. Referred to Speaker's desk.	

Relating to electric transmission infrastructure.

Requires the State Department of Energy to study the need to expand electric transmission infrastructure in this state.

Bill Sponsor: Rep Edwards; Rep Levy B

4/3/2025 - Alicia Givens - Dead

SB 26	Not Reviewed	1	01/17/25 - Referred to Energy and Environment. 01/13/25 - Introduction and first reading. Referred to President's desk.
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Relating to environmental health.

Requires the Department of Environmental Quality to study environmental health.

Bill Sponsor: Sen Patterson (Presession filed)

3/24/2025 - Alicia Givens - Dead

SB 81	Not Reviewed	1	01/17/25 - Referred to Natural Resources and Wildfire. 01/13/25 - Introduction and first reading. Referred to President's desk.
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Relating to natural climate solutions.

Requires the Oregon Climate Action Commission to study natural climate solutions.

Bill Sponsor: Presession filed (at the request of Senate Interim Committee on Natural Resources and Wildfire)

3/24/2025 - Alicia Givens - Dead

SB 128	Not Reviewed	1	01/17/25 - Referred to Energy and Environment. 01/13/25 - Introduction and first reading. Referred to President's desk.
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Relating to the transmission of electric power.

Requires the Public Utility Commission to study electric power.

Bill Sponsor: Sen Golden (Presession filed)

3/24/2025 - Alicia Givens - Dead

SB 330	Oppose	1	01/17/25 - Referred to Energy and Environment, then Ways and Means. 01/13/25 - Introduction and first reading. Referred to President's desk.
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Relating to the placement of utility lines.

Directs the Public Utility Commission to adopt standards requiring the underground placement of electric power lines.

Bill Sponsor: Rep Gamba; Sen Golden (Presession filed)

4/7/2025 - Alicia Givens - Dead

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SB 510	Not Reviewed	1	01/17/25 - Referred to Energy and Environment. 01/13/25 - Introduction and first reading. Referred to President's desk.	
Relating to utility rate impacts. Requires the Public Utility Commission to study the rate impacts associated with implementing the reduction of greenhouse gas emissions required by House Bill 2021 (2021). Bill Sponsor: Sen Smith DB (Presession filed) 3/24/2025 - Alicia Givens - Dead				
SB 553	Not Reviewed	1	01/17/25 - Referred to Energy and Environment. 01/13/25 - Introduction and first reading. Referred to President's desk.	
Relating to data center power usage. Requires the State Department of Energy to study data center power usage. Bill Sponsor: Sen Sollman (Presession filed) 3/24/2025 - Alicia Givens - Dead				
SB 577	Watch	1	05/15/25 - Public Hearing held. 04/23/25 - Referred to Climate, Energy, and Environment. 04/17/25 - First reading. Referred to Speaker's desk.	
Relating to energy generation; prescribing an effective date. Requires an electric utility to recover costs for storing the waste produced by an energy facility in generating electricity. Bill Sponsor: Sen Frederick (Presession filed) 5/20/2025 - Alicia Givens - Dead				
SB 679	Oppose	1	01/17/25 - Referred to Energy and Environment, then Judiciary. 01/13/25 - Introduction and first reading. Referred to President's desk.	
Relating to harms associated with climate change; declaring an emergency. Provides that parties that have caused a certain amount of greenhouse gas emissions are strictly liable to harmed parties for damages incurred as a result of extreme weather attributable to climate change or a climate disaster. Bill Sponsor: Sen Golden (Presession filed) 3/24/2025 - Alicia Givens - Dead				
SB 682	Oppose	1	01/17/25 - Referred to Energy and Environment, then Ways and Means. 01/13/25 - Introduction and first reading. Referred to President's desk.	
Relating to greenhouse gas emissions; prescribing an effective date. Establishes the Climate Superfund Cost Recovery Program within the Department of Environmental Quality. Bill Sponsor: Rep Andersen; Rep Chaichi; Rep Fragala; Rep Gamba; Rep Helm; Rep Hudson; Rep Nelson; Sen Campos; Sen Frederick; Sen Golden; Sen Manning Jr; Sen Meek; Sen Pham; Sen Taylor (Presession filed) 3/24/2025 - Alicia Givens - Dead				

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SB 688	Oppose	1	05/23/25 - Assigned to Subcommittee On Natural Resources. 03/27/25 - Referred to Ways and Means by prior reference. 03/27/25 - Recommendation: Do pass with amendments and be referred to Ways and Means by prior reference. (Printed A-Eng.)	

Relating to performance-based regulation of electric utilities.

Allows the Public Utility Commission to adopt a framework for carrying out performance-based regulation of electric companies and use incentives and penalties to induce electric companies to bring electric utility operations in line with the public interest and certain objectives.

Bill Sponsor: Rep Gamba; Rep Sosa; Sen Golden; Sen Manning Jr; Sen Meek; Sen Neron Misslin; Sen Pham; Sen Sollman (Presession filed)

SB 1187	Oppose	1	04/09/25 - Public Hearing held. 04/07/25 - Public Hearing held. 03/17/25 - Referred to Energy and Environment.	
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Relating to greenhouse gas emissions; prescribing an effective date.

Establishes the Climate Superfund Cost Recovery Program as an interagency response to the effects of climate change.

Bill Sponsor: Rep Andersen; Rep Fragala; Rep Gamba; Rep Hudson; Rep Nelson; Sen Campos; Sen Frederick; Sen Golden; Sen Manning Jr; Sen Meek; Sen Pham; Sen Taylor

4/10/2025 - Alicia Givens - Dead

SJR 28	Not Reviewed	1	03/26/25 - Public Hearing held. 01/17/25 - Referred to Rules. 01/13/25 - Introduction and first reading. Referred to President's desk.	
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Proposing an amendment to the Oregon Constitution relating to a clean, safe and healthy environment.

Proposes an amendment to the Oregon Constitution to establish a fundamental right to a clean, safe and healthy environment. Refers the proposed amendment to the people for their approval or rejection at the next regular general election held throughout this state.

Bill Sponsor: Rep Andersen; Rep Chaichi; Rep Fragala; Rep Gamba; Rep Hartman; Rep Helm; Rep Hudson; Rep Marsh; Rep Nelson; Rep Nosse; Rep Tran; Sen Broadman; Sen Campos; Sen Frederick; Sen Golden; Sen Gorsek; Sen Jama; Sen Manning Jr; Sen Meek; Sen Patterson; Sen Pham; Sen Prozanski; Sen Reynolds; Sen Taylor (Presession filed)

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HB 2038	Not Reviewed	2	04/14/25 - Referred to Ways and Means by prior reference. 04/14/25 - Recommendation: Do pass with amendments, be printed A-Engrossed, and be referred to Ways and Means by prior reference. 04/08/25 - Work Session held.	

Relating to nuclear energy.

Requires the State Department of Energy to study nuclear energy, including legal pathways for the disposal of nuclear waste produced from nuclear energy.

Bill Sponsor: Rep Boice; Rep Diehl; Rep Evans; Rep Levy B; Rep Osborne; Rep Owens; Rep Scharf; Rep Wright; Rep Yunker (Presession filed)

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HB 2064	Watch	2	02/06/25 - Public Hearing held. 01/17/25 - Referred to Climate, Energy, and Environment. 01/13/25 - First reading. Referred to Speaker's desk.	

Relating to microgrids; prescribing an effective date.

Requires the Public Utility Commission to take certain actions to support the operations of microgrids and community microgrids.

Bill Sponsor: Presession filed (at the request of House Interim Committee on Climate, Energy, and Environment for Representative John Lively)

4/7/2025 - Alicia Givens - Dead

HB 2065	Watch	2	04/15/25 - Referred to Ways and Means by order of Speaker. 04/15/25 - Recommendation: Do pass with amendments, be printed A-Engrossed, and be referred to Ways and Means. 04/08/25 - Work Session held.	
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Relating to the interconnection process; prescribing an effective date.

Allows a person to contract with a third-party consultant to conduct a study or engineering evaluation that a public utility requires for an application to interconnect a microgrid or community microgrid.

Bill Sponsor: Presession filed (at the request of House Interim Committee on Climate, Energy, and Environment for Representative John Lively)

HB 2066	Watch	2	04/15/25 - Referred to Ways and Means by order of Speaker. 04/15/25 - Recommendation: Do pass with amendments, be printed A-Engrossed, and be referred to Ways and Means. 04/08/25 - Work Session held.	
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Relating to microgrids; prescribing an effective date.

Directs the Public Utility Commission to establish a regulatory framework to allow the ownership, deployment and use of microgrids and community microgrids within the service territories of electric companies.

Bill Sponsor: Presession filed (at the request of House Interim Committee on Climate, Energy, and Environment for Representative John Lively)

HB 2279	Not Reviewed	2	01/17/25 - Referred to Economic Development, Small Business, and Trade. 01/13/25 - First reading. Referred to Speaker's desk.	
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Relating to utilities.

Requires the Oregon Business Development Department to study utilities.

Bill Sponsor: Presession filed (at the request of House Interim Committee on Economic Development, Small Business, and Trade for Representative Daniel Nguyen)

3/24/2025 - Alicia Givens - Dead

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HB 2288	Not Reviewed	2	01/17/25 - Referred to Economic Development, Small Business, and Trade. 01/13/25 - First reading. Referred to Speaker's desk.	

Relating to clean technology.

Requires the Department of Environmental Quality to study clean technology.

Bill Sponsor: Presession filed (at the request of House Interim Committee on Economic Development, Small Business, and Trade for Representative Daniel Nguyen)

3/24/2025 - Alicia Givens - Dead

HB 2370	Support	2	06/05/25 - Third reading. Carried by Nguyen D. Passed. Ayes, 33; Nays, 17--Boice, Boshart Davis, Breese-Iverson, Cate, Drazan, Elmer, Hartman, Hudson, Levy E, Lewis, McIntire, Munoz, Osborne, Reschke, Scharf, Wright, Yunker; Excused, 5--Chaichi, Levy B, Nelson, Nguyen H, Wallan; Excused for Business of the House, 4--Diehl, Harbick, Helfrich, Skarlatos. 06/04/25 - Second reading. 06/03/25 - Recommendation: Do pass.	
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Relating to fees imposed by the Public Utility Commission; declaring an emergency.

Increases the annual fee amount that the Public Utility Commission may impose on public utilities for the purpose of defraying costs of the commission.

Bill Sponsor: Presession filed (at the request of Governor Tina Kotek for Public Utility Commission of Oregon)

HB 2375	Not Reviewed	2	06/06/25 - Chapter 74, (2025 Laws): Effective date January 1, 2026. 05/14/25 - Governor signed. 05/08/25 - President signed.	
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Relating to wind energy facilities.

Requires a person who is developing or repowering a wind energy facility to apply to the Federal Aviation Administration and, if applicable, the Federal Communications Commission, for approval for the installation and use of light-mitigating technology systems and, if approved, install the systems within 24 months or as soon as reasonably practicable thereafter.

Bill Sponsor: Rep Levy B; Rep Osborne; Rep Scharf; Rep Smith G; Sen Smith DB (Presession filed)

HB 2656	Oppose	2	02/18/25 - Public Hearing held. 02/13/25 - Public Hearing cancelled. 01/17/25 - Referred to Climate, Energy, and Environment.	
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Relating to net metering.

Prohibits the Public Utility Commission, municipal electric utilities, electric cooperatives and people's utility districts from setting a maximum amount of cumulative generating capacity for solar net metering systems that is allowed to be interconnected.

Bill Sponsor: Rep Evans; Rep Gamba (Presession filed)

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HB 2985	Watch	2	04/15/25 - Referred to Ways and Means by order of Speaker. 04/15/25 - Recommendation: Do pass with amendments, be printed A-Engrossed, and be referred to Ways and Means. 04/08/25 - Work Session held.	
Relating to the Public Utility Commission. Modifies provisions relating to the administrative proceedings of the Public Utility Commission. Bill Sponsor: Rep Gamba; Rep Gomberg; Rep Helm (Presession filed)				
HB 3087	Watch	2	03/04/25 - Public Hearing held. 01/17/25 - Referred to Climate, Energy, and Environment with subsequent referral to Revenue. 01/13/25 - First reading. Referred to Speaker's desk.	
Relating to renewable energy; prescribing an effective date. Creates an income or corporate excise tax credit for the amount paid by an owner of an eligible generation facility for transmission services. Bill Sponsor: Rep Hudson; Rep Levy E (Presession filed) 3/24/2025 - Alicia Givens - Dead				
HB 3156	Not Reviewed	2	05/19/25 - Governor signed. 05/12/25 - President signed. 05/09/25 - Speaker signed.	
Relating to utilities. Requires each public utility to include with each utility bill the phone numbers for the Public Utility Commission's consumer services and website address for the commission's online consumer complaint form. Bill Sponsor: Rep Cate; Rep Chaichi; Rep Gamba; Rep Osborne; Rep Reschke; Sen Pham; Sen Sollman (Presession filed)				
HB 3159	Not Reviewed	2	01/17/25 - Referred to Commerce and Consumer Protection. 01/13/25 - First reading. Referred to Speaker's desk.	
Relating to public utility rates. Limits the maximum percentage by which a public utility may increase a rate or schedule of rates in a calendar year to the average percentage change of the Consumer Price Index. Bill Sponsor: Rep Cate (Presession filed) 3/24/2025 - Alicia Givens - Dead				
HB 3161	Not Reviewed	2	01/17/25 - Referred to Judiciary. 01/13/25 - First reading. Referred to Speaker's desk.	
Relating to public utility liabilities arising out of wildfire litigation; prescribing an effective date. Prohibits a public utility from increasing the public utility's rates or schedules of rates if the public utility has, for a period of three or more years, outstanding or contingent liabilities arising out of wildfire-related litigation. Bill Sponsor: Rep Cate; Rep Chotzen; Rep Diehl; Rep Gomberg; Rep Lively; Rep Nelson; Rep Nguyen D; Rep Osborne (Presession filed) 3/24/2025 - Alicia Givens - Dead				

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HB 3412	Not Reviewed	2	01/30/25 - Referred to Rules. 01/28/25 - First reading. Referred to Speaker's desk.	
Relating to the climate. Requires the Department of Environmental Quality to study the climate. Bill Sponsor: Rules (H)				
HB 3477	Oppose	2	03/11/25 - Public Hearing held. 02/06/25 - Referred to Climate, Energy, and Environment. 02/04/25 - First reading. Referred to Speaker's desk.	
Relating to climate change; declaring an emergency. Modifies state greenhouse gas emissions reduction goals. Bill Sponsor: Rep Chaichi; Rep Gamba; Rep Hudson; Rep Neron; Sen Frederick; Sen Golden; Sen Patterson; Sen Pham; Sen Taylor 3/24/2025 - Alicia Givens - Dead				
HB 3546	Watch	2	06/05/25 - House concurred in Senate amendments and repassed bill. Ayes, 37; Nays, 17--Boice, Boshart Davis, Breese-Iverson, Cate, Drazan, Edwards, Elmer, Harbick, Helfrich, Lewis, McIntire, Osborne, Reschke, Scharf, Skarlatos, Wright, Yunker; Excused, 5--Chaichi, Levy B, Nelson, Nguyen H, Wallan. 06/03/25 - Third reading. Carried by Sollman. Passed. Ayes, 18; Nays, 12--Anderson, Bonham, Girod, Hayden, Linthicum, McLane, Nash, Robinson, Smith DB, Starr, Thatcher, Weber. 06/02/25 - Carried over to 06-03 by unanimous consent.	
Relating to large energy use facilities; and declaring an emergency. Directs the Public Utility Commission to provide for a classification of service for large energy use facilities. Bill Sponsor: Rep Andersen; Rep Bowman; Rep Chotzen; Rep Dobson; Rep Fragala; Rep Grayber; Rep Hudson; Rep Javadi; Rep Kropf; Rep Marsh; Rep McDonald; Rep McLain; Rep Nguyen H; Rep Owens; Rep Sosa; Rep Speaker Fahey; Rep Tran; Rep Walters; Rep Watanabe; Sen Campos; Sen Gelser Blouin; Sen Golden; Sen Gorsek; Sen Jama; Sen Manning Jr; Sen Meek; Sen Neron Misslin; Sen Patterson; Sen Pham; Sen Sollman				
HB 3548	Watch	2	02/12/25 - Referred to Climate, Energy, and Environment. 02/11/25 - First reading. Referred to Speaker's desk.	
Relating to nuclear-fueled thermal power plants; providing that this Act shall be referred to the people for their approval or rejection. Repeals the requirement that there be a licensed repository for the disposal of high-level radioactive waste before a site certificate for a nuclear-fueled thermal power plant may be issued. Bill Sponsor: Rep Boshart Davis; Rep Diehl; Rep Drazan; Rep Javadi; Rep Levy B; Rep Osborne; Rep Owens; Rep Scharf; Rep Yunker; Sen Smith DB 4/7/2025 - Alicia Givens - Dead				

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HB 3565	Not Reviewed	2	02/20/25 - Referred to Climate, Energy, and Environment. 02/18/25 - First reading. Referred to Speaker's desk.	
Relating to small modular reactor energy facilities. Allows the siting and operation of a small modular reactor energy facility without requiring that there be a licensed repository for the disposal of high-level radioactive waste or that the proposed site certificate for the small modular reactor energy facility be submitted to the electors of this state for their approval or rejection. Bill Sponsor: Rep Edwards 3/24/2025 - Alicia Givens - Dead				
HB 3609	Oppose	2	04/14/25 - Referred to Ways and Means by order of Speaker. 04/14/25 - Recommendation: Do pass and be referred to Ways and Means. 04/08/25 - Work Session held.	
Relating to distributed power plants; prescribing an effective date. Requires each electric company to develop a distributed power plant program for the procurement of grid services to be provided by distributed energy resources. Bill Sponsor: Rep Gamba; Rep Helm				
HB 3620	Watch	2	02/20/25 - Referred to Climate, Energy, and Environment. 02/18/25 - First reading. Referred to Speaker's desk.	
Relating to the public purpose charge. Repeals the public purpose charge and public purpose expenditure standard for electric companies and Oregon Community Power. Bill Sponsor: Rep Reschke 3/24/2025 - Alicia Givens - Dead				
HB 3628	Watch	2	02/25/25 - Public Hearing held. 02/21/25 - Referred to Climate, Energy, and Environment with subsequent referral to Ways and Means. 02/20/25 - First reading. Referred to Speaker's desk.	
Relating to the Oregon Electric Transmission Authority; prescribing an effective date. Establishes the Oregon Electric Transmission Authority as an independent public corporation. Bill Sponsor: Rep Andersen; Rep Gamba; Rep Neron; Sen Golden; Sen Pham; Sen Sollman 4/10/2025 - Ashlynn Wilson - Dead				
HB 3661	Watch	2	02/27/25 - Referred to Climate, Energy, and Environment. 02/25/25 - First reading. Referred to Speaker's desk.	
Relating to electrical transmission. Requires the State Department of Energy to study electrical transmission. Bill Sponsor: Rep Gamba 3/24/2025 - Alicia Givens - Dead				

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HB 3662	Watch	2	02/27/25 - Referred to Climate, Energy, and Environment. 02/25/25 - First reading. Referred to Speaker's desk.	
Relating to clean energy project requests for proposals. Requires the State Department of Energy to study clean energy. Bill Sponsor: Rep Gamba 3/24/2025 - Alicia Givens - Dead				
HB 3666	Watch	2	04/11/25 - Referred to Rules by order of Speaker. 04/11/25 - Without recommendation as to passage and be referred to Rules. 04/07/25 - Work Session held.	
Relating to utility wildfire safety practices. Requires an electric public utility to apply for a wildfire safety certification. Bill Sponsor: Rep Kropf; Rep Levy B; Rep Mannix; Rep Marsh				
HB 3698	Watch	2	02/27/25 - Referred to Climate, Energy, and Environment. 02/25/25 - First reading. Referred to Speaker's desk.	
Relating to data centers. Directs data centers to report water and electricity used to the Water Resources Department and the State Department of Energy. Bill Sponsor: Rep Scharf 3/24/2025 - Alicia Givens - Dead				
HB 3716	Watch	2	02/27/25 - Referred to Climate, Energy, and Environment. 02/25/25 - First reading. Referred to Speaker's desk.	
Relating to electric vehicle rebates. Modifies the provisions of the zero-emission and electric vehicle rebate programs. Bill Sponsor: Rep Andersen 4/7/2025 - Alicia Givens - Dead				
HB 3749	Oppose	2	03/04/25 - Referred to Climate, Energy, and Environment. 02/27/25 - First reading. Referred to Speaker's desk.	
Relating to community solar projects. Allows a community solar project to participate in the community solar program irrespective of the project's nameplate capacity or location within this state. Bill Sponsor: Rep Nguyen D 3/24/2025 - Alicia Givens - Dead				

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HB 3782	Watch	2	03/04/25 - Referred to Climate, Energy, and Environment. 02/27/25 - First reading. Referred to Speaker's desk.	
Relating to the climate. Requires the Department of Environmental Quality to study the climate. Bill Sponsor: Climate, Energy, and Environment (H) 3/24/2025 - Alicia Givens - Dead				
HB 3783	Watch	2	03/04/25 - Referred to Climate, Energy, and Environment. 02/27/25 - First reading. Referred to Speaker's desk.	
Relating to energy. Requires the State Department of Energy to study energy. Bill Sponsor: Climate, Energy, and Environment (H) 3/24/2025 - Alicia Givens - Dead				
HB 3784	Watch	2	03/04/25 - Referred to Climate, Energy, and Environment. 02/27/25 - First reading. Referred to Speaker's desk.	
Relating to the environment. Requires the Department of Environmental Quality to study the environment. Bill Sponsor: Climate, Energy, and Environment (H) 3/24/2025 - Alicia Givens - Dead				
HB 3792	Watch	2	04/15/25 - Referred to Ways and Means by order of Speaker. 04/15/25 - Recommendation: Do pass with amendments, be printed A-Engrossed, and be referred to Ways and Means. 04/08/25 - Work Session held.	
Relating to consumer protection for utility ratepayers. Increases from \$20 million to \$40 million the minimum amount to be collected from the customers of electric companies for low-income electric bill payment and crisis assistance. Bill Sponsor: Rep Andersen; Rep Gamba; Rep Gomberg; Sen Meek; Sen Reynolds				
HB 3820	Watch	2	03/04/25 - Referred to Climate, Energy, and Environment. 02/27/25 - First reading. Referred to Speaker's desk.	
Relating to the Climate Protection Program. Requires the Department of Environmental Quality to study the Climate Protection Program. Bill Sponsor: Rep Levy E 3/24/2025 - Alicia Givens - Dead				

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HB 3854	Watch	2	03/04/25 - Referred to Judiciary. 02/27/25 - First reading. Referred to Speaker's desk.	
Relating to liability. Prohibits the recovery from customers of certain costs and expenses that a public utility incurs as a result of negligence or a higher degree of fault on the part of the public utility. Bill Sponsor: Rep Ruiz 3/24/2025 - Alicia Givens - Dead				
HB 3863	Oppose	2	05/22/25 - Governor signed. 05/15/25 - President signed. 05/14/25 - Speaker signed.	
Relating to qualifying facilities under the Public Utility Regulatory Policies Act of 1978; and prescribing an effective date. Requires the Public Utility Commission to establish an eligibility cap at no less than 10 megawatts for the use of standard avoided costs rates and contracts for the purchase of energy or energy and capacity from qualifying facilities under the Public Utility Regulatory Policies Act of 1978. Bill Sponsor: Rep Gamba; Rep Helm				
HB 3864	Watch	2	03/04/25 - Referred to Climate, Energy, and Environment. 02/27/25 - First reading. Referred to Speaker's desk.	
Relating to electrical infrastructure. Requires the Public Utility Commission to study electrical infrastructure. Bill Sponsor: Rep Smith G 3/24/2025 - Alicia Givens - Dead				
HB 3868	Watch	2	04/14/25 - Referred to Ways and Means by prior reference. 04/14/25 - Recommendation: Do pass and be referred to Ways and Means by prior reference. 04/08/25 - Work Session held.	
Relating to costs for acquiring renewable energy. Requires the State Department of Energy to study avoided costs paid to qualifying facilities under the federal Public Utility Regulatory Policies Act compared with the costs incurred by investor-owned utilities to acquire or maintain renewable energy generation facilities. Bill Sponsor: Rep Gamba; Rep Helm; Rep Owens				
HB 3869	Watch	2	03/04/25 - Referred to Climate, Energy, and Environment. 02/27/25 - First reading. Referred to Speaker's desk.	
Relating to energy procurement. Requires the State Department of Energy, in collaboration with the Public Utility Commission, to study the benefits of a central energy procurement policy. Bill Sponsor: Rep Levy E 4/7/2025 - Alicia Givens - Dead				

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HB 3880	Watch	2	03/04/25 - Referred to Climate, Energy, and Environment. 02/27/25 - First reading. Referred to Speaker's desk.	
Relating to utility infrastructure. Requires the Public Utility Commission to study utility infrastructure. Bill Sponsor: Rep Smith G 3/24/2025 - Alicia Givens - Dead				
HB 3895	Watch	2	03/04/25 - Referred to Climate, Energy, and Environment. 02/27/25 - First reading. Referred to Speaker's desk.	
Relating to utilities. Requires the Public Utility Commission to study utilities. Bill Sponsor: Rep Ruiz 3/24/2025 - Alicia Givens - Dead				
SB 88	Not Reviewed	2	05/05/25 - Public Hearing held. 03/28/25 - Referred to Rules by order of the President. 03/28/25 - Subsequent referral rescinded by order of the President.	
Relating to expenditures nonrecoverable from ratepayers; declaring an emergency. Prohibits an electric or gas company from recovering from ratepayers costs or expenses associated with advertising, political influence activity, litigation, penalties or fines and certain compensation. Bill Sponsor: Presession filed (at the request of Senate Interim Committee on Energy and Environment)				
SB 92	Oppose	2	04/09/25 - Work Session held. 04/07/25 - Work Session held. 02/26/25 - Public Hearing held.	
Relating to community solar projects. Allows a community solar project with a nameplate capacity of five megawatts or less to participate in the community solar program. Bill Sponsor: Presession filed (at the request of Senate Interim Committee on Energy and Environment) 4/10/2025 - Ashlynn Wilson - Dead				
SB 217	Watch	2	01/17/25 - Referred to Energy and Environment. 01/13/25 - Introduction and first reading. Referred to President's desk.	
Relating to the paying of net metering customer-generators for the excess kilowatt-hours generated during a billing period. Requires an electric utility to pay a net metering customer-generator for the excess kilowatt-hours generated during a billing period. Bill Sponsor: Sen Smith DB (Presession filed) 3/24/2025 - Alicia Givens - Dead				

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SB 219	Watch	2	01/17/25 - Referred to Energy and Environment. 01/13/25 - Introduction and first reading. Referred to President's desk.	

Relating to the Public Utility Commission.

Modifies the general powers of the Public Utility Commission by removing the commission's general power to balance the interests of the utility investor and the consumer in establishing fair and reasonable rates.

Bill Sponsor: Sen Smith DB (Presession filed)

3/24/2025 - Alicia Givens - Dead

SB 369	Not Reviewed	2	01/17/25 - Referred to Energy and Environment. 01/13/25 - Introduction and first reading. Referred to President's desk.	
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Relating to greenhouse gas regulation; prescribing an effective date.

Prohibits the Governor and specified state agencies from taking measures to reduce greenhouse gas emissions in Oregon unless authorized by the Legislative Assembly by law enacted on or after the effective date of the Act.

Bill Sponsor: Sen Smith DB (Presession filed)

3/24/2025 - Alicia Givens - Dead

SB 409	Not Reviewed	2	01/17/25 - Referred to Energy and Environment. 01/13/25 - Introduction and first reading. Referred to President's desk.	
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Relating to carbon sequestration.

Declares that the policy of this state is to include atmospheric carbon sequestered by the lands and waters of this state in any calculation to determine progress toward the greenhouse gas emissions reduction goals.

Bill Sponsor: Sen Girod (Presession filed)

3/24/2025 - Alicia Givens - Dead

SB 843	Watch	2	06/06/25 - Effective date, January 1, 2026. 06/06/25 - Chapter 232, 2025 Laws. 05/28/25 - Governor signed.	
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Relating to reports by the Public Utility Commission.

Removes the requirement that the Public Utility Commission provide a biennial report to the Legislative Assembly on the volumetric incentive rates pilot program.

Bill Sponsor: Presession filed (at the request of Governor Tina Kotek for Public Utility Commission)

SB 888	Not Reviewed	2	01/21/25 - Referred to Energy and Environment. 01/21/25 - Introduction and first reading. Referred to President's desk.	
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Relating to the use of natural gas as an energy source.

Prohibits local governments from prohibiting or limiting the residential use of natural gas as an energy source.

Bill Sponsor: Sen Smith DB

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SB 926	Oppose	2	05/29/25 - Referred to Ways and Means by order of Speaker. 05/29/25 - Recommendation: Do pass with amendments, be printed B-Engrossed, and be referred to Ways and Means. 05/22/25 - Work Session held.	
Relating to wildfires resulting from the fault of an electric company; declaring an emergency. Prohibits the recovery from customers of certain costs and expenses that an electric company incurs if a court or jury finds that a wildfire resulted from the negligence or a higher degree of fault on the part of the electric company. Bill Sponsor: Rep Andersen; Rep Cate; Rep Diehl; Rep Gomberg; Rep Javadi; Rep Sosa; Sen Golden; Sen Gorsek; Sen Manning Jr; Sen Meek; Sen Smith DB				
SB 994	Not Reviewed	2	02/10/25 - Referred to Energy and Environment. 02/06/25 - Introduction and first reading. Referred to President's desk.	
Relating to small modular reactor energy facilities. Allows the siting and operation of a small modular reactor energy facility without requiring that the proposed site certificate for the small modular reactor energy facility be submitted to the electors of this state for their approval or rejection. Bill Sponsor: Sen Smith DB 3/24/2025 - Alicia Givens - Dead				
SB 995	Not Reviewed	2	02/10/25 - Referred to Energy and Environment. 02/06/25 - Introduction and first reading. Referred to President's desk.	
Relating to small modular reactor energy facilities; providing that this Act shall be referred to the people for their approval or rejection. Allows the siting and operation of a small modular reactor energy facility without requiring that the proposed site certificate for the small modular reactor energy facility be submitted to the electors of this state for their approval or rejection. Bill Sponsor: Sen Smith DB 3/24/2025 - Alicia Givens - Dead				
SB 996	Not Reviewed	2	02/10/25 - Referred to Energy and Environment. 02/06/25 - Introduction and first reading. Referred to President's desk.	
Relating to small modular reactor energy facilities. Allows the siting and operation of a small modular reactor energy facility without requiring that there be a licensed repository for the disposal of high-level radioactive waste. Bill Sponsor: Sen Smith DB 3/24/2025 - Alicia Givens - Dead				
SB 997	Not Reviewed	2	02/10/25 - Referred to Energy and Environment. 02/06/25 - Introduction and first reading. Referred to President's desk.	
Relating to small modular reactor energy facilities; providing that this Act shall be referred to the people for their approval or rejection. Allows the siting and operation of a small modular reactor energy facility without requiring that there be a licensed repository for the disposal of high-level radioactive waste. Bill Sponsor: Sen Smith DB 3/24/2025 - Alicia Givens - Dead				

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SB 1055	Not Reviewed	2	02/18/25 - Referred to Energy and Environment. 02/18/25 - Introduction and first reading. Referred to President's desk.	

Relating to community solar projects.

Allows a community solar project to participate in the community solar program irrespective of the project's nameplate capacity or location within this state.

Bill Sponsor: Sen Smith DB

3/24/2025 - Alicia Givens - Dead

SB 1062	Not Reviewed	2	06/06/25 - Effective date, January 1, 2026. 06/06/25 - Chapter 240, 2025 Laws. 05/28/25 - Governor signed.
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Relating to local authority over regulated utilities.

Provides that each of the cities of Bandon, North Bend and Reedsport may set charges for water and wastewater services provided by the city by a majority vote of its governing body.

Bill Sponsor: Rep Wright; Sen Anderson

SB 1102	Watch	2	04/02/25 - Public Hearing held. 03/03/25 - Referred to Energy and Environment. 02/27/25 - Introduction and first reading. Referred to President's desk.
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Relating to energy.

Requires the State Department of Energy to study energy.

Bill Sponsor: Sen Broadman; Sen Golden; Sen Pham

4/10/2025 - Alicia Givens - Dead

SB 1143	Watch	2	04/14/25 - Referred to Ways and Means by prior reference. 04/14/25 - Recommendation: Do pass with amendments and be referred to Ways and Means by prior reference. (Printed A-Eng.) 04/07/25 - Work Session held.
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Relating to thermal energy networks; prescribing an effective date.

Directs the Public Utility Commission to establish a pilot program that allows each natural gas company to develop a utility-scale thermal energy network pilot project to provide heating and cooling services to customers.

Bill Sponsor: Rep Andersen; Rep Helm; Rep Levy B; Rep Lively; Rep Marsh; Sen Lieber; Sen Pham; Sen Smith DB; Sen Sollman

SB 1145	Watch	2	03/03/25 - Referred to Energy and Environment. 02/27/25 - Introduction and first reading. Referred to President's desk.
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Relating to energy.

Requires the State Department of Energy to study energy.

Bill Sponsor: Sen Smith DB

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SB 1149	Watch	2	03/03/25 - Referred to Judiciary. 02/27/25 - Introduction and first reading. Referred to President's desk.	
Relating to insurance for rural electric cooperatives. Requires the Department of Consumer and Business Services to study insurance for rural electric cooperatives. Bill Sponsor: Sen Prozanski 4/10/2025 - Ashlynn Wilson - Dead				
SB 1151	Watch	2	03/03/25 - Referred to Judiciary. 02/27/25 - Introduction and first reading. Referred to President's desk.	
Relating to investor-owned utilities. Requires the Public Utility Commission to study investor-owned utilities. Bill Sponsor: Sen Prozanski 4/10/2025 - Ashlynn Wilson - Dead				
SB 1152	Watch	2	03/03/25 - Referred to Judiciary. 02/27/25 - Introduction and first reading. Referred to President's desk.	
Relating to the Public Utility Commission. Requires the Public Utility Commission to study energy. Bill Sponsor: Sen Prozanski 3/24/2025 - Alicia Givens - Dead				
SB 1160	Watch	2	04/08/25 - Referred to Ways and Means by order of the President. 04/08/25 - Recommendation: Do pass with amendments and be referred to Ways and Means. (Printed A-Eng.) 04/02/25 - Public Hearing and Work Session held.	
Relating to the deployment of renewable energy projects; prescribing an effective date. Requires the State Department of Energy to study developing certain renewable energy projects in this state. Bill Sponsor: Rep Helm; Rep Owens; Sen Nash; Sen Smith DB				
SB 1178	Oppose	2	03/24/25 - Public Hearing held. 03/03/25 - Referred to Energy and Environment. 02/27/25 - Introduction and first reading. Referred to President's desk.	
Relating to small-scale renewable energy; prescribing an effective date. Requires 10 percent of the electricity sold in this state by each electric company that makes sales to 25,000 or more retail electricity consumers to be generated by small-scale renewable energy facilities or certain biomass facilities. Bill Sponsor: Rep Gamba; Rep Helm; Rep Owens; Sen Smith DB 4/10/2025 - Alicia Givens - Dead				
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HB 2200	Not Reviewed	3	04/08/25 - Work Session held. 03/13/25 - Public Hearing held. 01/28/25 - Public Hearing held.	

Relating to sustainable investing.

Directs the Oregon Investment Council and the State Treasurer to take certain actions to reduce the carbon intensity of state investments and address certain investment risks relating to climate change.

Bill Sponsor: Presession filed (at the request of State Treasurer Tobias Read)

HB 2410	Not Reviewed	3	04/14/25 - Referred to Ways and Means by prior reference. 04/14/25 - Recommendation: Do pass with amendments, be printed A-Engrossed, and be referred to Ways and Means by prior reference. 04/08/25 - Work Session held.
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Relating to a small modular reactor energy facility demonstration project; providing that this Act shall be referred to the people for their approval or rejection.

Allows the Energy Facility Siting Council to issue a site certificate for a small modular reactor energy facility demonstration project in Umatilla County.

Bill Sponsor: Rep Boice; Rep Diehl; Rep Drazan; Rep Edwards; Rep Helm; Rep Levy B; Rep Levy E; Rep Osborne; Rep Owens; Rep Reschke; Rep Smith G; Rep Wright; Sen Bonham; Sen Meek; Sen Smith DB (Presession filed)

HB 2425	Not Reviewed	3	06/02/25 - Referred to Ways and Means by order of the President. 06/02/25 - Recommendation: Do pass the A-Eng. bill, refer to Ways and Means. Refer to <<CName>> by order of the President. 05/22/25 - Work Session held.
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Relating to ensuring that forced labor is not used for electric products that public bodies procure; declaring an emergency.

Establishes the Task Force on Ethical Procurement with 11 members appointed by the President of the Senate, the Speaker of the House of Representatives and the Governor.

Bill Sponsor: Rep Boshart Davis; Rep Diehl; Rep Elmer; Rep Javadi; Rep Reschke; Rep Wright; Sen Bonham; Sen Smith DB (Presession filed)

HB 2426	Not Reviewed	3	01/17/25 - Referred to Climate, Energy, and Environment. 01/13/25 - First reading. Referred to Speaker's desk.
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Relating to nuclear-fueled thermal power plants; providing that this Act shall be referred to the people for their approval or rejection.

Repeals the requirement that there be a licensed repository for the disposal of high-level radioactive waste before a site certificate for a nuclear-fueled thermal power plant may be issued.

Bill Sponsor: Rep Diehl; Rep Levy B; Sen Smith DB (Presession filed)

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HB 2566	Not Reviewed	3	03/26/25 - Referred to Ways and Means by order of Speaker. 03/26/25 - Recommendation: Do pass with amendments, be printed A-Engrossed, and be referred to Ways and Means. 03/20/25 - Work Session held.	
Relating to the State Department of Energy's community renewable and resilient energy grant program. Adds stand-alone energy resilience projects to the categories of projects eligible for a grant under the State Department of Energy's community renewable energy grant program. Bill Sponsor: Presession filed (at the request of Governor Tina Kotek for State Department of Energy)				
HB 2567	Not Reviewed	3	06/06/25 - Chapter 76, (2025 Laws): Effective date January 1, 2026. 05/14/25 - Governor signed. 05/08/25 - President signed.	
Relating to heat pump programs. Requires an eligible entity that receives a grant under the Heat Pump Deployment Program to agree to use best practices to maintain the security and confidentiality of personal information of individuals who apply for or receive financial assistance under the program from the eligible entity. Bill Sponsor: Presession filed (at the request of Governor Tina Kotek for State Department of Energy)				
HB 2775	Not Reviewed	3	01/17/25 - Referred to Commerce and Consumer Protection with subsequent referral to Ways and Means. 01/13/25 - First reading. Referred to Speaker's desk.	
Relating to discounted mortgage loans for installation of energy generation improvements. Requires the Department of Consumer and Business Services to study the feasibility of providing discounted mortgage loans to home buyers who install energy generation improvements capable of providing electricity to a local utility. Bill Sponsor: Rep Evans (Presession filed) 3/24/2025 - Alicia Givens - Dead				
HB 2878	Not Reviewed	3	01/17/25 - Referred to Climate, Energy, and Environment with subsequent referral to Ways and Means. 01/13/25 - First reading. Referred to Speaker's desk.	
Relating to carbon sequestration. Authorizes the State Treasurer to issue general obligation bonds under Article XI-E of the Oregon Constitution in an amount that produces \$500 million in net proceeds for a Strategic Carbon Sequestration and Forestry Sustainability Program. Bill Sponsor: Rep Evans (Presession filed) 3/24/2025 - Alicia Givens - Dead				

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HB 2887	Not Reviewed	3	01/17/25 - Referred to Climate, Energy, and Environment with subsequent referral to Ways and Means. 01/13/25 - First reading. Referred to Speaker's desk.	
Relating to carbon sequestration; declaring an emergency. Requires the State Forestry Department to establish the Western Oregon Regional Carbon Sink as a geographical area and take certain actions regarding the area on or before January 1, 2037. Bill Sponsor: Rep Evans (Presession filed) 3/24/2025 - Alicia Givens - Dead				
HB 2910	Not Reviewed	3	01/17/25 - Referred to Climate, Energy, and Environment. 01/13/25 - First reading. Referred to Speaker's desk.	
Relating to energy-related improvements; prescribing an effective date. Authorizes local governments to adopt additional criteria to encourage energy efficiency and energy generation on property granted certain exemptions from ad valorem property taxation. Bill Sponsor: Rep Evans (Presession filed) 3/24/2025 - Alicia Givens - Dead				
HB 2914	Not Reviewed	3	01/17/25 - Referred to Emergency Management, General Government, and Veterans with subsequent referral to Ways and Means. 01/13/25 - First reading. Referred to Speaker's desk.	
Relating to pipeline security; declaring an emergency. Establishes the Task Force on Secure Pipelines and Associated Storage Units and Terminals. Bill Sponsor: Rep Evans (Presession filed) 3/24/2025 - Alicia Givens - Dead				
HB 2945	Not Reviewed	3	04/15/25 - Public Hearing held. 01/17/25 - Referred to Transportation with subsequent referral to Ways and Means. 01/13/25 - First reading. Referred to Speaker's desk.	
Relating to zero-emission school buses; prescribing an effective date. Establishes the state policy on the purchase of new zero-emission school buses. Bill Sponsor: Rep Chaichi; Rep Gamba; Rep Hudson; Rep Neron; Rep Walters; Sen Anderson; Sen Golden; Sen Patterson (Presession filed)				

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HB 2961	Not Reviewed	3	04/21/25 - Motion to refer to Rules carried. Referred. 04/17/25 - Rules suspended. Carried over to April 21, 2025 Calendar. 04/16/25 - Rules suspended. Carried over to April 17, 2025 Calendar.	

Relating to the capacity for electric vehicle charging required in certain newly constructed buildings.

Specifies, for newly constructed buildings within a metropolitan jurisdiction, the percentage of electrical service capacity for charging electric vehicles or electric vehicle charging stations that must be installed at vehicle parking spaces in the garages or parking areas of commercial buildings, multifamily buildings with 10 or more units and mixed-use buildings consisting of privately owned commercial space and 10 or more residential dwelling units.

Bill Sponsor: Rep Andersen; Rep Gamba; Rep Helm; Rep Nguyen H; Rep Walters; Sen Gorsek; Sen Pham (Presession filed)

HB 3047	Not Reviewed	3	01/17/25 - Referred to Economic Development, Small Business, and Trade. 01/13/25 - First reading. Referred to Speaker's desk.
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Relating to economic development.

Requires the Oregon Business Development Department to study the clean technology sector in Oregon.

Bill Sponsor: Presession filed (at the request of Governor Tina Kotek for Oregon Business Development Department)

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HB 3081	Not Reviewed	3	04/14/25 - Referred to Ways and Means by prior reference. 04/14/25 - Recommendation: Do pass with amendments, be printed A-Engrossed, and be referred to Ways and Means by prior reference. 04/08/25 - Work Session held.
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Relating to energy.

Requires the State Department of Energy to coordinate with other organizations, conduct outreach, establish a statewide navigation and support system, identify and address gaps and overlaps between programs and provide information in multiple languages, as part of the department's single resource for providing information and assistance related to available energy efficiency incentives and programs.

Bill Sponsor: Rep Andersen; Rep Dobson; Rep Gamba; Rep Levy E; Rep Walters; Sen Broadman; Sen Campos; Sen Patterson (Presession filed)

HB 3158	Not Reviewed	3	01/17/25 - Referred to Agriculture, Land Use, Natural Resources, and Water. 01/13/25 - First reading. Referred to Speaker's desk.
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Relating to photovoltaic solar power generation facilities on lands zoned for exclusive farm use.

Allows certain photovoltaic solar power generation facilities on lands zoned for exclusive farm use to operate alongside farm or allowed nonfarm uses on a tract.

Bill Sponsor: Rep Cate (Presession filed)

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HB 3171	Watch	3	02/24/25 - Referred to Ways and Means by order of Speaker. 02/24/25 - Recommendation: Do pass and be referred to Ways and Means. 02/20/25 - Work Session held.	
Relating to county energy resilience plans; declaring an emergency. Changes the requirements for an energy resilience plan that a county develops under the Act. Bill Sponsor: Rep Andersen; Rep Levy B; Rep Marsh; Rep Owens (Presession filed)				
HB 3247	Not Reviewed	3	03/06/25 - Public Hearing held. 01/24/25 - Referred to Climate, Energy, and Environment. 01/21/25 - First reading. Referred to Speaker's desk.	
Relating to the supply of electricity in this state; prescribing an effective date. Requires an electric company to first acquire a replacement resource of reliable or dispatchable electricity prior to retiring an electric power generating facility that provides reliable or dispatchable electricity. Bill Sponsor: Rep Boice; Rep Diehl; Rep Harbick; Rep Levy B; Rep McIntire; Rep Osborne; Rep Reschke; Rep Wright; Rep Yunker; Sen Smith DB 3/24/2025 - Alicia Givens - Dead				
HB 3263	Watch	3	01/24/25 - Referred to Climate, Energy, and Environment. 01/21/25 - First reading. Referred to Speaker's desk.	
Relating to carbon sequestration; declaring an emergency. Requires the State Forestry Department to establish the Western Oregon Regional Carbon Sink as a geographical area and take certain actions regarding the area on or before January 1, 2035. Bill Sponsor: Rep Evans 3/24/2025 - Alicia Givens - Dead				
HB 3271	Watch	3	01/24/25 - Referred to Climate, Energy, and Environment. 01/21/25 - First reading. Referred to Speaker's desk.	
Relating to the State Department of Energy; prescribing an effective date. Directs the State Department of Energy to study laws related to energy incentives and provide the results to the interim committees of the Legislative Assembly no later than September 15, 2026. Bill Sponsor: Rep Evans 3/24/2025 - Alicia Givens - Dead				

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HB 3313	Watch	3	01/24/25 - Referred to Climate, Energy, and Environment. 01/21/25 - First reading. Referred to Speaker's desk.	

Relating to the eligibility to use electricity generated from waste for renewable energy certificates.

Establishes the eligibility for renewable energy certificates for facilities that generate electricity from the direct combustion of municipal solid waste and became operational before January 1, 1995, if such facilities register with the Western Renewable Energy Generation Information System at any time, and for up to 11 average megawatts of electricity generated, per calendar year, from the combustion of biogenic material.

Bill Sponsor: Rep Diehl; Rep Mannix

3/24/2025 - Alicia Givens - Dead

HB 3335	Watch	3	01/24/25 - Referred to Agriculture, Land Use, Natural Resources, and Water. 01/21/25 - First reading. Referred to Speaker's desk.	
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Relating to land use siting of renewable energy facilities that are solar photovoltaic power generating facilities.

Requires the Department of Land Conservation and Development to study land use siting of renewable energy facilities that are solar photovoltaic power generating facilities and submit findings to the interim committees of the Legislative Assembly related to land use no later than September 15, 2026.

Bill Sponsor: Rep Helm

3/24/2025 - Alicia Givens - Dead

HB 3336	Watch	3	06/05/25 - Carried over to 06-09 by unanimous consent. 06/04/25 - Carried over to 06-05 by unanimous consent. 06/03/25 - Carried over to 06-04 by unanimous consent.	6/9/2025 10:45:00 AM
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Relating to electric transmission systems; prescribing an effective date.

Declares a state policy regarding the electric transmission system.

Bill Sponsor: Rep Andersen; Rep Diehl; Rep Gamba; Rep Helm; Rep Neron; Rep Wright; Sen Golden; Sen Sollman

HB 3346	Watch	3	04/02/25 - Referred to Ways and Means by order of Speaker. 04/02/25 - Recommendation: Do pass with amendments, be printed A-Engrossed, and be referred to Ways and Means. 03/26/25 - Work Session held.	
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Relating to siting of energy facilities in designated critical ground water areas.

Requires the Department of Land Conservation and Development, in consultation with the Department of Revenue, State Department of Energy and Water Resources Department, to study siting of energy facilities in designated critical ground water areas east of the Cascade Range.

Bill Sponsor: Rep Boice; Rep Owens

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HB 3422	Watch	3	03/25/25 - Public Hearing held. 01/30/25 - Referred to Climate, Energy, and Environment. 01/28/25 - First reading. Referred to Speaker's desk.	

Relating to energy facility compliance with statewide planning goals; prescribing an effective date.

Adds a criterion to the standards that the Energy Facility Siting Council must find for the council to take an exception to an applicable statewide planning goal for a proposed energy facility.

Bill Sponsor: Rep Boshart Davis; Rep Elmer; Rep Levy B; Rep McLain; Rep Osborne

4/3/2025 - Alicia Givens - Dead

HB 3450	Watch	3	04/11/25 - Referred to Ways and Means by order of Speaker. 04/11/25 - Recommendation: Do pass with amendments, be printed A-Engrossed, and be referred to Ways and Means. 04/08/25 - Work Session held.	
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Relating to energy storage transition planning; prescribing an effective date.

Directs the State Department of Energy to develop an energy storage transition plan for the critical energy infrastructure hub.

Bill Sponsor: Rep Chotzen; Rep Gamba; Rep Gomberg; Rep Hudson; Rep Isadore; Rep Nathanson; Rep Nelson; Rep Nosse; Rep Tran; Sen Frederick; Sen Pham

HB 3469	Watch	3	02/06/25 - Referred to Climate, Energy, and Environment. 02/04/25 - First reading. Referred to Speaker's desk.	
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Relating to energy; declaring an emergency.

Specifies that electricity generated by a hydroelectric facility or other equipment that generates electricity through use of hydroelectric energy may be used to comply with a renewable portfolio standard.

Bill Sponsor: Rep Boshart Davis; Rep Drazen; Rep Levy B; Rep Smith G; Sen Smith DB

3/24/2025 - Alicia Givens - Dead

HB 3520	Watch	3	02/07/25 - Referred to Emergency Management, General Government, and Veterans. 02/06/25 - First reading. Referred to Speaker's desk.	
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Relating to notification requirements for structures located within 1,000 feet of an interstate pipeline; prescribing an effective date.

Requires a person that proposes to construct a building or structure located within 1,000 feet of an interstate pipeline to notify the Oregon Utility Notification Center.

Bill Sponsor: Rep Levy B; Rep Levy E; Rep Lively; Sen Nash

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HB 3597	Not Reviewed	3	04/15/25 - Referred to Transportation then to Ways and Means by order of the Speaker. 04/15/25 - Without recommendation as to passage, with amendments, be printed A-Engrossed, and be referred to Transportation, then Ways and Means. 04/08/25 - Public Hearing and Work Session held.	

Relating to electric vehicles; declaring an emergency.

Authorizes the Department of Environmental Quality to reduce the amount of rebates available under zero-emission vehicle rebate programs, subject to certain conditions.

Bill Sponsor: Rep Andersen

HB 3598	Not Reviewed	3	02/20/25 - Referred to Climate, Energy, and Environment. 02/18/25 - First reading. Referred to Speaker's desk.	
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Relating to electric vehicles.

Requires the Department of Environmental Quality to study electric vehicles.

Bill Sponsor: Rep Andersen

4/10/2025 - Ashlynn Wilson - Dead

HB 3653	Not Reviewed	3	05/27/25 - Governor signed. 05/20/25 - President signed. 05/20/25 - Speaker signed.	
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Relating to energy performance contracts; and prescribing an effective date.

Defines "energy performance contract" and allows authorized state agencies to enter into energy performance contracts without requiring a competitive procurement if the authorized state agency follows rules that the Attorney General adopts, negotiates a performance guarantee and enters into the contract with a qualified energy service company that the State Department of Energy prequalifies and approves.

Bill Sponsor: Rep Levy B; Rep Levy E; Sen Smith DB; Sen Weber

HB 3747	Watch	3	04/07/25 - Referred to Revenue by prior reference. 04/07/25 - Recommendation: Do pass and be referred to Revenue by prior reference. 04/03/25 - Work Session held.	
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Relating to an income tax credit for solar energy systems; prescribing an effective date.

Establishes a refundable income tax credit for the purchase of battery energy storage systems and solar photovoltaic electric systems.

Bill Sponsor: Rep Gamba; Rep Hudson; Rep Lively

HB 3874	Watch	3	05/27/25 - Governor signed. 05/20/25 - President signed. 05/20/25 - Speaker signed.	
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Relating to the jurisdiction of the Energy Facility Siting Council over wind energy facilities.

Increases from 50 megawatts to 100 megawatts the minimum size that a wind energy facility needs to be before a wind energy facility is required to obtain a site certificate from the Energy Facility Siting Council.

Bill Sponsor: Rep Gamba; Rep Helm; Rep Owens

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HB 3888	Watch	3	03/04/25 - Referred to Climate, Energy, and Environment. 02/27/25 - First reading. Referred to Speaker's desk.	
Relating to solar power generation facilities; prescribing an effective date. Requires the Land Conservation and Development Commission to, on or before June 30, 2026, adopt rules allowing temporary housing for the construction of solar power generation facilities. Bill Sponsor: Rep Smith G 3/24/2025 - Alicia Givens - Dead				
HB 3894	Watch	3	03/04/25 - Referred to Climate, Energy, and Environment. 02/27/25 - First reading. Referred to Speaker's desk.	
Relating to wind energy; prescribing an effective date. Allows the State Forester to lease forestlands for the purpose of siting energy facilities that use wind energy. Bill Sponsor: Rep Gamba; Sen Golden; Sen Pham 3/24/2025 - Alicia Givens - Dead				
HB 5034	Not Reviewed	3	06/05/25 - Third reading. Carried by Nguyen D. Passed. Ayes, 34; Nays, 16--Boice, Boshart Davis, Breese-Iverson, Cate, Drazan, Edwards, Evans, Helfrich, Javadi, Lewis, McIntire, Osborne, Owens, Skarlatos, Wright, Yunker; Excused, 5--Chaichi, Levy B, Nelson, Nguyen H, Wallan; Excused for Business of the House, 4--Diehl, Harbick, Reschke, Scharf. 06/04/25 - Second reading. 06/03/25 - Recommendation: Do pass with amendments and be printed A-Engrossed.	
Relating to the financial administration of the Public Utility Commission of Oregon; declaring an emergency. Limits certain biennial expenditures from fees, moneys or other revenues, including Miscellaneous Receipts, but excluding lottery funds and federal funds, collected or received by the Public Utility Commission of Oregon. Bill Sponsor: Presession filed (at the request of Oregon Department of Administrative Services)				
SB 17	Watch	3	01/17/25 - Referred to Energy and Environment. 01/13/25 - Introduction and first reading. Referred to President's desk.	
Relating to the eligibility to use electricity generated from waste for renewable energy certificates. Establishes the eligibility for renewable energy certificates for facilities that generate electricity from the direct combustion of municipal solid waste and became operational before January 1, 1995, if such facilities register with the Western Renewable Energy Generation Information System at any time, and for up to 11 average megawatts of electricity generated, per calendar year, from the combustion of biogenic material. Bill Sponsor: Rep Diehl; Rep Levy B; Sen Thatcher; Sen Weber (Presession filed) (at the request of Marion County Commissioners) 3/24/2025 - Alicia Givens - Dead				

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SB 89	Not Reviewed	3	01/17/25 - Referred to Energy and Environment, then Ways and Means. 01/13/25 - Introduction and first reading. Referred to President's desk.	
Relating to energy. Requires the State Department of Energy to coordinate with other organizations, conduct outreach, establish a statewide navigation and support system and provide information in multiple languages, as part of the department's single resource for providing information and assistance related to available energy efficiency incentives and programs. Bill Sponsor: Presession filed (at the request of Senate Interim Committee on Energy and Environment) 3/24/2025 - Alicia Givens - Dead				
SB 214	Not Reviewed	3	01/17/25 - Referred to Energy and Environment. 01/13/25 - Introduction and first reading. Referred to President's desk.	
Relating to the status of renewable energy projects in Oregon. Requires the Public Utility Commission to investigate the status of renewable energy projects in Oregon, including any project failures. Bill Sponsor: Sen Smith DB (Presession filed) 3/24/2025 - Alicia Givens - Dead				
SB 215	Not Reviewed	3	03/10/25 - Public Hearing held. 03/05/25 - Public Hearing held. 01/17/25 - Referred to Energy and Environment.	
Relating to nuclear-fueled thermal power plants; providing that this Act shall be referred to the people for their approval or rejection. Repeals the requirement that there be a licensed repository for the disposal of high-level radioactive waste before a site certificate for a nuclear-fueled thermal power plant may be issued. Bill Sponsor: Rep Diehl; Sen Smith DB; Sen Starr (Presession filed) 4/10/2025 - Ashlynn Wilson - Dead				
SB 216	Not Reviewed	3	03/10/25 - Public Hearing held. 03/05/25 - Public Hearing held. 01/17/25 - Referred to Energy and Environment.	
Relating to nuclear-fueled thermal power plants. Repeals the requirement that there be a licensed repository for the disposal of high-level radioactive waste before a site certificate for a nuclear-fueled thermal power plant may be issued. Bill Sponsor: Rep Diehl; Sen Smith DB; Sen Starr (Presession filed) 4/10/2025 - Ashlynn Wilson - Dead				
SB 218	Not Reviewed	3	02/26/25 - Public Hearing held. 01/17/25 - Referred to Energy and Environment. 01/13/25 - Introduction and first reading. Referred to President's desk.	
Relating to renewable energy facility waste. Requires the Department of Environmental Quality to study the impacts of waste from solar or wind renewable energy facilities. Bill Sponsor: Sen Smith DB (Presession filed) 3/24/2025 - Alicia Givens - Dead				

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SB 298	Not Reviewed	3	01/17/25 - Referred to Finance and Revenue, then Ways and Means. 01/13/25 - Introduction and first reading. Referred to President's desk.	
Relating to tax incentives for energy development; prescribing an effective date. Requires the Legislative Revenue Officer to study tax incentives for energy development, storage and transmission in Oregon. Bill Sponsor: Sen Meek (Presession filed)				
SB 395	Not Reviewed	3	01/17/25 - Referred to Energy and Environment, then Ways and Means. 01/13/25 - Introduction and first reading. Referred to President's desk.	
Relating to hydrogen. Directs the Oregon Business Development Department to prepare and submit a report on promoting hydrogen fuels in this state to the interim committees of the Legislative Assembly related to energy not later than September 15, 2026. Bill Sponsor: Sen Girod (Presession filed) 3/24/2025 - Alicia Givens - Dead				
SB 398	Not Reviewed	3	01/17/25 - Referred to Finance and Revenue. 01/13/25 - Introduction and first reading. Referred to President's desk.	
Relating to greenhouse gas emissions; declaring an emergency. Requires state agencies that administer programs to reduce greenhouse gas emissions to deposit fees, assessments or other charges imposed pursuant to the program in the State Highway Fund. Bill Sponsor: Sen Girod (Presession filed)				
SB 415	Not Reviewed	3	01/17/25 - Referred to Transportation. 01/13/25 - Introduction and first reading. Referred to President's desk.	
Relating to zero-emission vehicle incentives. Requires the Department of Environmental Quality to study zero-emission vehicle incentives. Bill Sponsor: Rep McLain; Sen Woods (Presession filed) (at the request of Forth)				
SB 509	Not Reviewed	3	01/17/25 - Referred to Energy and Environment. 01/13/25 - Introduction and first reading. Referred to President's desk.	
Relating to motor vehicle emission standards. Prohibits the Environmental Quality Commission from adopting motor vehicle emission standards to implement California standards requiring that some or all medium- or heavy-duty vehicles sold in the state be zero-emission vehicles. Bill Sponsor: Sen Smith DB (Presession filed) 3/24/2025 - Alicia Givens - Dead				
SB 634	Not Reviewed	3	03/17/25 - Public Hearing held. 01/17/25 - Referred to Energy and Environment. 01/13/25 - Introduction and first reading. Referred to President's desk.	
Relating to the use of hydroelectric energy to comply with a renewable portfolio standard; declaring an emergency. Specifies that electricity generated by a hydroelectric facility or other equipment that generates electricity through use of hydroelectric energy may be used to comply with a renewable portfolio standard. Bill Sponsor: Sen Bonham; Sen Smith DB (Presession filed)				

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SB 635	Not Reviewed	3	03/10/25 - Public Hearing held. 03/05/25 - Public Hearing held. 01/17/25 - Referred to Energy and Environment.	
Relating to a study on the feasibility of developing nuclear energy generation in this state; declaring an emergency. Directs Oregon State University to conduct a feasibility study on nuclear energy generation in this state. Bill Sponsor: Sen Bonham; Sen Smith DB; Sen Starr (Presession filed)				
3/24/2025 - Alicia Givens - Dead				
SB 637	Not Reviewed	3	01/17/25 - Referred to Transportation. 01/13/25 - Introduction and first reading. Referred to President's desk.	
Relating to the transfer to the State Highway Fund of charges imposed to reduce greenhouse gas emissions from the use of motor vehicle fuel. Requires state agencies that administer programs to reduce greenhouse gas emissions from the combustion of motor vehicle fuel to deposit fees, assessments or other charges imposed pursuant to the program in the State Highway Fund. Bill Sponsor: Sen Bonham (Presession filed)				
SB 656	Not Reviewed	3	01/17/25 - Referred to Finance and Revenue, then Tax Expenditures. 01/13/25 - Introduction and first reading. Referred to President's desk.	
Relating to energy; prescribing an effective date. Creates an income tax credit for energy production in Oregon. Bill Sponsor: Sen Bonham; Sen Robinson (Presession filed) (at the request of Senator Noah Robinson)				
SB 685	Not Reviewed	3	06/05/25 - President signed. 06/03/25 - Third reading. Carried by Gamba. Passed. Ayes, 32; Nays, 22--Boice, Boshart Davis, Breese-Iverson, Cate, Diehl, Drazan, Edwards, Elmer, Helm, Javadi, Levy B, Lewis, Mannix, McIntire, Osborne, Owens, Reschke, Scharf, Skarlatos, Smith G, Wright, Yunker; Excused, 4--Hartman, Helfrich, Nguyen H, Wallan; Excused for Business of the House, 1--Harbick. 06/02/25 - Rules suspended. Carried over to June 3, 2025 Calendar.	
Relating to hydrogen; and declaring an emergency. Requires a natural gas utility to provide notice to each customer of the utility and the Public Utility Commission if the utility plans to increase the amount of hydrogen that the utility blends with natural gas and the ratio of the volume of hydrogen to the volume of natural gas will, for the first time, be greater than 2. Bill Sponsor: Rep Chotzen; Rep Gamba; Rep Nosse; Rep Tran; Rep Walters; Sen Campos; Sen Golden; Sen Gorsek; Sen Manning Jr; Sen Pham; Sen Taylor (Presession filed)				

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SB 825	Not Reviewed	3	05/20/25 - Effective date, January 1, 2026. 05/20/25 - Chapter 91, 2025 Laws. 05/14/25 - Governor signed.	

Relating to reporting requirements for energy programs.

Requires the program for state agency facility energy design to minimize costs of reports to state agencies and minimize duplication of reporting requirements under the energy performance program for covered commercial buildings.

Bill Sponsor: Presession filed (at the request of Governor Tina Kotek for State Department of Energy)

SB 827	Not Reviewed	3	06/06/25 - Effective date, January 1, 2026. 06/06/25 - Chapter 230, 2025 Laws. 05/28/25 - Governor signed.	
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Relating to the Oregon Solar and Storage Rebate Program.

Expands the Oregon Solar and Storage Rebate Program to offer rebates for energy storage systems that will be paired at the time of installation with previously purchased and installed solar electric systems.

Bill Sponsor: Presession filed (at the request of Governor Tina Kotek for State Department of Energy)

SB 828	Not Reviewed	3	02/21/25 - Referred to Ways and Means by prior reference. 02/21/25 - Recommendation: Do pass and be referred to Ways and Means by prior reference. 02/17/25 - Work Session held.	
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Relating to grid resilience.

Establishes the Grid Resilience Matching Fund.

Bill Sponsor: Presession filed (at the request of Governor Tina Kotek for State Department of Energy)

SB 886	Watch	3	01/21/25 - Referred to Transportation, then Ways and Means. 01/21/25 - Introduction and first reading. Referred to President's desk.	
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Relating to renewable energy facilities in highway right of way.

Directs the Department of Transportation or county authorities to prioritize applications for renewable energy facilities and lines, facilities or systems for transmitting electricity from renewable energy facilities when reviewing or granting applications to place, build or construct on the right of way of a state highway or county road.

Bill Sponsor: Sen Gorsek

SB 927	Watch	3	06/02/25 - Referred to Tax Expenditures by order of the President. 06/02/25 - Recommendation: Do pass with amendments and be referred to Tax Expenditures. (Printed A-Eng.) 05/28/25 - Work Session held.	
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Relating to renewable energy.

Creates an income or corporate excise tax credit for the amount paid by an owner of an eligible generation facility for transmission services.

Bill Sponsor: Sen Meek; Sen Smith DB

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SB 969	Watch	3	02/26/25 - Public Hearing held. 02/04/25 - Referred to Energy and Environment. 02/04/25 - Introduction and first reading. Referred to President's desk.	
Relating to the permitting of energy facilities. Prohibits the Energy Facility Siting Council from exercising jurisdiction over an energy facility that is a renewable energy facility or transmission line, is sited wholly within federal lands and is subject to review under the National Environmental Policy Act. Bill Sponsor: Sen Broadman; Sen McLane; Sen Meek; Sen Smith DB; Sen Starr 3/24/2025 - Alicia Givens - Dead				
SB 998	Watch	3	02/10/25 - Referred to Rules. 02/06/25 - Introduction and first reading. Referred to President's desk.	
Relating to the Director of the Department of Environmental Quality. Removes authority to appoint the Director of the Department of Environmental Quality from the Environmental Quality Commission and provides appointment authority to the Governor. Bill Sponsor: Sen Bonham				
SB 1034	Watch	3	06/05/25 - Public Hearing held. 04/14/25 - Referred to Rules by order of the President. 04/14/25 - Recommendation: Without recommendation as to passage and be referred to Rules.	
Relating to the process to determine energy facility compliance with statewide planning goals. Removes provisions that allow the Energy Facility Siting Council to find that an energy facility is in compliance with statewide planning goals even when the council determines that the facility does not comply with applicable substantive criteria from the affected local government's land use plan and regulations that the facility must be evaluated against if the council determines that the facility otherwise complies with applicable statewide planning goals. Bill Sponsor: Sen Nash; Sen Smith DB				
SB 1080	Watch	3	02/25/25 - Referred to Energy and Environment. 02/25/25 - Introduction and first reading. Referred to President's desk.	
Relating to regulation of energy use in buildings. Prevents local governments or state agencies from prohibiting natural gas use or other energy options in or availability for new or existing residential or commercial buildings. Bill Sponsor: Sen Anderson 3/24/2025 - Alicia Givens - Dead				
SB 5518	Not Reviewed	3	06/05/25 - Rules suspended. Carried over to June 9, 2025 Calendar. 06/04/25 - Second reading. 06/04/25 - Recommendation: Do pass.	6/9/2025 10:30:00 AM
Relating to the financial administration of the State Department of Energy; declaring an emergency. Appropriates moneys from the General Fund to the State Department of Energy for certain biennial expenses. Bill Sponsor: Presession filed (at the request of Oregon Department of Administrative Services)				

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SB 5520	Not Reviewed	3	06/05/25 - Third reading. Carried by Frederick. Passed. Ayes, 17; Nays, 11--Anderson, Bonham, Girod, Hayden, Linthicum, McLane, Nash, Robinson, Smith DB, Thatcher, Weber; Excused, 2--Patterson, Starr. 06/04/25 - Second reading. 06/03/25 - Recommendation: Do pass with amendments. (Printed A-Eng.)	

Relating to the financial administration of the Department of Environmental Quality; declaring an emergency.

Appropriates moneys from the General Fund to the Department of Environmental Quality for certain biennial expenses.

Bill Sponsor: Presession filed (at the request of Oregon Department of Administrative Services)

SJR 32	Watch	3	01/21/25 - Referred to Rules. 01/21/25 - Introduction and first reading. Referred to President's desk.
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Proposing an amendment to the Oregon Constitution relating to natural gas.

Proposes an amendment to the Oregon Constitution to provide that every person in Oregon shall have a right to access and use natural gas as an energy source. Refers the proposed amendment to the people for their approval or rejection at the next regular general election.

Bill Sponsor: Sen Bonham