

Safe Washington:

*A Republican plan for increasing public safety, reducing crime,
and putting victims first!*



List of bills updated as of 1/13/2022





*Sen. Mike Padden, ranking member on the Senate Law and Justice Committee
Rep. Gina Mosbrucker, ranking member on the House Public Safety Committee*

#1 Public Safety/Policing/Crime

Addressing HB 1310 and HB 1054

- **HB 1588** - Restoring the authority of a peace officer to engage in a vehicular pursuit when there is reasonable suspicion a person has violated the law and the officer follows appropriate standards (Walsh)
- **HB 1589** – Concerning the authority of peace officers to use physical force (Walsh)
- **HB 1634** – Clarifying the authority of law enforcement officers to acquire, possess, and use certain firearms and ammunition (Klippert)
- **HB 1787** – Appropriations legislation authorizing hiring and retention bonuses for local and select state law enforcement agencies (Stokesbary)
- **HB 1788** – Allows vehicle pursuits where there is reasonable suspicion to believe a person in the vehicle has committed or is committing a criminal offense (Robertson)
- **HB 1845** – Establishes a body worn camera grant program to be administered by WASPC (Mosbrucker)
- **SB 5569/HB 1737** – Concerning public safety (fixes to 1310, 1054) (Padden/Mosbrucker)
- **SB 5675** - Straight Repeal of 1310 (Braun)
- **SB 5841** – Incentivizing cities and counties to increase employment of commissioned law enforcement officers (Holy)

Policing/Crime



Rep. Jesse Young, R-Gig Harbor, is the sponsor of a measure that would give additional protections to our first responders by increasing the penalties for those who would cause them harm or get in the way of them performing their duties.

- **SB 5054** - Felony DUI lookback (Padden)
- **SB 5522** – Increasing the penalty for assaulting a law enforcement officer (Padden)
- **SB 5779** - Requiring transparency and oversight for WA bail relief fund programs (Padden)
- **SB 5509** - Exempting fentanyl testing equipment from the definition of drug paraphernalia (Honeyford)
- **SB 5524** - Imposing a sentence of life in prison for controlled substances homicide for fentanyl-laced drugs (Honeyford)
- **SB 5407**– Increasing the penalties for theft of a firearm (Wilson, L)
- **HB 1937** – Concerning fentanyl (Mosbrucker)
- **HB 1826** – Increasing the penalties for interfering with or causing harm to first responders (Young)

Policing/Other

- **SB 5710** – Establishing third party audits/WA Toxicology Lab (Padden)

#2 Putting victims and community safety first



Sen. Lynda Wilson, R-Vancouver stands with the family of Tiffany Hill, who was shot and killed by her estranged husband. Wilson sponsored the Tiffany Hill Act, which was passed and enacted in 2020. Wilson is the sponsor of two measures in the Republican Safe Washington plan that would build on the Tiffany Hill Act to save more victims of domestic violence.

Human Trafficking:

- **HB 1571** – MMIP (Missing and Murdered Indigenous Persons) “Bring them home bill” (Mosbrucker)
- **HB 1844** – Creating the offense of unlawful branding of another person (Mosbrucker)

Domestic Violence:

- **HB 1449** – Amendment relating to coercive control and civil protection orders (Mosbrucker)
- **HB 1678** – Creating a domestic violence offender registry (Klippert)
- **SB 5612** – Allowing a victim to be present at all DV sentencing hearings; statutory amendment to statewide court rules (L. Wilson)
- **SJR 8209** - Amending the WA Constitution to allow courts to withhold bail in felony DV cases (L. Wilson)

Other:

- **HB 1584** – Creating a crime victim and family’s scholarship (Graham)

#3 Fixing Department of Corrections



- **SB 5674** – Graduated reentry repeal (Braun)
- **SB 5780** - Graduated reentry eligibility (fix SB 5121) (Padden)
- **SB 5646** – Body scanners/dry cell (Wagoner)
- **SB 5711** – Private prisons (Repeal of HB 1090) (Padden)
- **SB 5686** – Reference primary mission of DOC as public safety/corrections, prioritize community custody warrants, relocate DOC ombuds office (McCune)
- **SB 5684** - Creating a new extraordinary medical placement for terminally ill offenders (McCune)
- **SB 5692** – Study on DOC programming relating to recidivism (Gildon)
- **SB 5437** - Replacing OMNI system and implementing electronic health records at DOC (**Dozier**)
- **SB 5245** - Adding certain crimes to DOC victim notification procedures (Brown)
- **SB 5827** – Concerning offender management network information and electronic health records systems
- **Senate/House Budget Proviso** – Refunding prison operations (Wagoner)

#4 Property Crimes:



Sen. Jeff Wilson, R-Longview, has a bill aimed at putting catalytic converter thieves out of business
(Photo: Brad Ford)

- **HB 1656** – Changing the definition of theft/organized retail theft (Griffey)
- **HB 1873** – Concerning catalytic converter thefts (Klippert)
- **SB 5495** – Concerning catalytic converters (J. Wilson)
- **SB 5781** – Amending the retail theft statute (Padden)

#5 State v. Blake



House Bill 1561, Sponsored by Rep. Jenny Graham, R-Spokane, would put teeth back in the state's anti-drug laws.

- **HB 1558** – Promote recovery and improve public safety by providing behavioral health system responses to individuals with substance abuse disorder and providing training to law enforcement personnel (Griffey)
- **HB 1559** – Provide a behavioral health response to juveniles consuming controlled substances (Mosbrucker)
- **HB 1560** – Consider the mental health state element of a person's intention to knowingly commit a crime (mens rea) involving offenses related to possession of substances (Young)
- **HB 1561** – Expand offenses and penalties for manufacture, sale, distribution, and other conduct involving controlled substances and counterfeit substances (Graham)
- **HB 1562** – Allow local governments to enact laws and ordinances relating to possession of controlled substances and counterfeit substances (Klippert)
- **SB 5521** – Concerning the good faith exception to the exclusionary evidence rule (Padden)
- **SB 5709** - Concerning the attenuation exception to the exclusionary evidence rule (Padden)
- **SB 5523** – Concerning possession of controlled substances (Padden)