

WEEK OF MARCH 31, 2025



for the  
**Washington State**  
House of Representatives

**Please note:** Over the last few weeks, Washington Conservation Action has had technical issues that may have impacted the formatting and timing of Hot List emails. We apologize for any confusion this has caused. We are working to resolve these issues and are committed to delivering accurate information in a timely manner.

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## House Committee Action



### SUPPORT

*House Committee on  
Appropriations: Public  
Hearing, Thursday, 4/3*

#### **SB 5033: Concerning biosolids**

- Establishes a monitoring program for PFAS (i.e., the forever chemicals) in biosolids from wastewater treatment facilities.
- Biosolids are spread in forests and on farms, and this bill helps understand the potential concentrations of these bioaccumulating toxic chemicals.



### SUPPORT

*House Committee on  
Environment & Energy:  
Executive Session,  
Monday, 3/31*

#### **SB 5284: The Recycling Reform Act: Improving Washington's solid waste management outcomes.**

- [One of the 4 environmental priorities for 2025.](#)
- Modernizes Washington's recycling system, making recycling accessible for all
- Reduces excess packaging (including plastic), increases recycling, refill and reuse, creates a uniform recycling list, and reduces costs for local governments and residents across the state



### SUPPORT

#### **SSB 5360: Concerning environmental crimes**

*House Committee on  
Environment & Energy:  
Executive Session,  
Monday, 3/31*

- Clarifies accountability for certain harmful pollution violations under the Water Pollution Control Act, the Clean Air Act, and Hazardous Waste Management Act. Conduct in compliance with these laws is not penalized.



**SUPPORT**

*House Committee on  
Consumer Protection &  
Business: Executive  
Session, Wednesday 4/2*

**SB 5680: Establishing a right to repair for mobility equipment for persons with physical disabilities**

- Requires manufacturers of powered wheelchairs and similar devices to make repair information, parts and tools available to independent repair businesses and owners.
- There is a lack of options for repair across the state and the wait time for repairs can be up to several months!

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*about the coalition*

The Environmental Priorities Coalition is a network of over twenty-five leading environmental groups in Washington state that influence policy at the state level. For over a decade, the Coalition has selected joint priority issues to work on during legislative session to help focus environmental community resources and best achieve our shared goals.

