



Legislative Agenda September 24, 2025

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Agenda

- **Overview**
- **Policies vs. Agenda**
- **Proposed Federal Agenda**
- **Proposed State Agenda**
- **Next Steps**



Policies vs. Agenda

Legislative Policies

- Codifies PUB direction on a variety of issues
- Internal-facing
- No major changes proposed

Legislative Agenda

- Includes legislative outcomes TPU staff will pursue
- External-facing



Proposed Federal Agenda

TPU-Wide

- Infrastructure Financing Tools
- Low-Income Assistance
- Supply Chain Issues

Tacoma Power

- BPA's Competitiveness
- Carbon Reduction
- Zero Emission Transportation Infrastructure
- Maintain Pole Attachment Authority
- Reform Hydropower Relicensing Policies



Proposed Federal Agenda

Tacoma Water

- Howard Hanson Dam
- Water Infrastructure Finance and Innovation Act
Drinking Water State Fund
- PFAS Liability

Tacoma Rail

- Explore Infrastructure Funding Opportunities



Proposed State Agenda

TPU-Wide

- Statewide Low-Income Assistance

Tacoma Power

- Carbon Reduction
- Building Decarbonization
- Clean Energy Infrastructure



Proposed State Agenda

Tacoma Water

- Water Infrastructure Funding

Tacoma Rail

- Rail Infrastructure Investments



Next Steps

Schedule for policymaker review & adoption

- **September 24** – Presentation of Legislative Policies and Legislative Agenda to the Public Utility Board Study Session
- **October 21** – Joint Study Session with Mayor, City Council and Public Utility Board to present proposed Legislative Agenda
- **November 5** – PUB scheduled adoption of Legislative Policies and Legislative Agenda
- **November 18** – Mayor & Council scheduled adoption of City-wide legislative agendas



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