

# Washington State Labor Council, AFL-CIO

## 2005 Legislative Voting Record

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### HOUSE VOTE DESCRIPTIONS

● = Voted Right ○ = Voted Wrong E = Excused A = Absent

**1** HB 1069 (final passage)—**Requiring performance audits for tax preferences.** “Right” vote: YES. (Passed 63-32, Feb. 7.)

**2** HB 1515 (final passage)—**Civil rights bill** barring employment and housing discrimination based on sexual orientation. “Right” vote: YES. (Passed 61-37, Feb. 11.)

**3** SSB 5097 (final passage)—Requiring 15% **apprenticeship utilization** at major public works projects. “Right” vote: YES. (Passed 58-40, Feb. 16.)

**4** HB 1557 (final passage)—Expanding the **Electrical Board** to include an outside lineman. “Right” vote: YES. (Passed 66-32, March 8.)

**5** HB 1096 (final passage)—Requiring a **tax expenditure report** as part of biennial budget documents. “Right” vote: YES. (Passed 64-34, March 8.)

**6** HB 1636 (final passage)—Establishing a **childcare career and wage ladder.** “Right” vote: YES. (Passed 59-34, March 11.)

**7** HB 2257 (final passage)—**Requiring state contracts to be in the state’s best interest.** “Right” vote: YES. (Passed 61-35, March 16.)

**8** HB 2255 (final passage)—Restoring two-quarter averaging and liberal construction to **Unemployment Insurance.** “Right” vote: YES. (Passed 56-41 on April 1.)

**9** SSB 5471 (final passage)—Expanding the state’s **prescription drug purchasing consortium.** “Right” vote: YES. (Passed 56-42, April 6.)

**10** SJM 8014 (final passage)—**Opposing Social Security privatization.** “Right” vote: YES. (Passed 56-41, April 12.)

**11** ESSB 5034 (final passage)—Restoring the **“affiliation rule”** on campaign contribution limits. “Right” vote: YES. (Passed 56-40, April 13.)

**12** SSB 5720 (final passage)—**Barring employee non-compete agreements** in the broadcasting industry. “Right” vote: YES. (Passed 56-40, April 13.)

**13** SSB 5850 (final passage)—**Expanding family care coverage.** “Right” vote: YES. (Passed 58-38, April 14.)

**14** SSB 6103 (final passage)—**Transportation funding.** “Right” vote: YES. (Passed 54-43, April 24.)

**15** ESSB 6090 (final passage)—**2005-07 operating budget.** “Right” vote: YES. (Passed 56-42, April 24.)



# SENATE

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## SENATE VOTE DESCRIPTIONS

- 1** SSB 5097 (final passage)—Requiring **apprenticeship utilization** at major public works projects. "Right" vote: YES. (Passed 27-19, Feb. 2.)
- 2** SSB 5471 (final passage)—Establishing the **prescription drug purchasing consortium**. "Right" vote: YES. (Passed 25-24, March 10.)
- 3** SJM 8014 (final passage)—A resolution **opposing Social Security privatization**. "Right" vote: YES. (Passed 25-23, March 14.)
- 4** E2SSB 5069 (final passage)—Establishing **family leave insurance**, paid leave to care for new children or care for sick family members. "Right" vote: YES. (Passed 26-21, March 15.)
- 5** SB 5720 (final passage)—**Barring employee non-compete agreements** in broadcasting. "Right" vote: YES. (Passed 26-22, March 16.)
- 6** HB 1636 (final passage)—Establishing a **childcare career and wage ladder**. "Right" vote: YES. (Passed 27-22, April 7.)
- 7** HB 1557 (final passage)—**Expanding the Electrical Board** to add an outside lineman. "Right" vote: YES. (Passed 30-16, April 15.)
- 8** HB 2255 (Parlette striker) — An amendment to kill the **Unemployment Insurance** bill. "Right" vote: NO. (Failed 23-25, April 15.)
- 9** HB 2255 (final passage)—Restoring two-quarter averaging and liberal construction to **Unemployment Insurance**. "Right" vote: YES. (Passed 25-20, April 15.)
- 10** ESSB 5034 (final passage)—Restoring the "**affiliation rule**" for campaign contribution limits. "Right" vote: YES. (Passed 26-20, April 20.)
- 11** SSB 6103 (final passage)—**Transportation funding** for some \$8.5 billion in projects. "Right" vote: YES. (Passed 26-22, April 20.)
- 12** HB 1515 (final passage)—**Civil rights bill** barring employment and housing discrimination based on sexual orientation. "Right" vote: YES. (Failed 24-25, April 21.)
- 13** SSB 5850 (final passage)—**Expanding family care coverage**. "Right" vote: YES. (Passed 38-4, April 22.)
- 14** ESCR 8407 (final passage)—Establishing a task force to study **offshore outsourcing**. "Right" vote: YES. (Passed 45-1, April 23.)
- 15** ESSB 6090 (final passage)—The 2005-07 state **operating budget**. "Right" vote: YES. (Passed 25-22, April 24.)

Senator	Dis.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	2005 %	LIFE-TIME
Benson	6	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	13	11
Benton	17	E	○	○	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	29	17
<b>Berkey</b>	<b>38</b>	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	<b>100</b>	<b>91</b>
Brandland	42	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	13	12
<b>Brown</b>	<b>3</b>	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	A	●	●	●	<b>100</b>	<b>96</b>
Carrell	28	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	13	18
Deccio	14	○	○	○	E	E	○	○	○	E	○	○	○	E	○	○	18	8
Delvin	8	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	13	11
<b>Doumit</b>	<b>19</b>	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	<b>100</b>	<b>85</b>
<b>Eide</b>	<b>30</b>	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	○	○	○	○	<b>93</b>	<b>90</b>
Esser	48	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	13	15
<b>Fairley</b>	<b>32</b>	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	<b>100</b>	<b>96</b>
Finkbeiner	45	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	E	○	○	○	○	○	○	21	22
<b>Franklin</b>	<b>29</b>	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	<b>93</b>	<b>94</b>
<b>Fraser</b>	<b>22</b>	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	A	●	●	●	<b>100</b>	<b>96</b>
<b>Hargrove</b>	<b>24</b>	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	<b>87</b>	<b>69</b>
<b>Haugen</b>	<b>10</b>	●	●	○	○	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	A	●	●	●	<b>93</b>	<b>61</b>
Hewitt	16	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	E	○	○	○	○	○	○	14	7
Honeyford	15	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	7	4
<b>Jacobsen</b>	<b>46</b>	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	E	●	●	<b>100</b>	<b>92</b>
Johnson	47	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	A	○	○	○	7	8
<b>Kastama</b>	<b>25</b>	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	○	A	●	●	●	<b>93</b>	<b>84</b>
<b>Keiser</b>	<b>33</b>	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	<b>100</b>	<b>98</b>
<b>Kline</b>	<b>37</b>	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	A	●	●	●	<b>100</b>	<b>96</b>
<b>Kohl-Welles</b>	<b>36</b>	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	<b>100</b>	<b>93</b>
<b>McAuliffe</b>	<b>1</b>	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	<b>93</b>	<b>89</b>
McCaslin	4	○	○	○	E	○	○	○	A	○	E	○	○	E	○	○	9	6
Morton	7	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	13	5
Mulliken	13	○	○	○	○	○	○	E	○	E	○	○	○	E	○	○	17	8
Oke	26	●	○	○	○	○	○	E	E	E	○	○	○	○	○	○	33	13
Parlette	12	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	13	9
Pflug	5	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	13	18
<b>Poulsen</b>	<b>34</b>	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	<b>100</b>	<b>92</b>
<b>Prentice</b>	<b>11</b>	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	<b>100</b>	<b>91</b>
<b>Pridemore</b>	<b>49</b>	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>
<b>Rasmussen</b>	<b>2</b>	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	<b>100</b>	<b>77</b>
<b>Regala</b>	<b>27</b>	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	<b>93</b>	<b>97</b>
Roach	31	●	○	○	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	40	33
<b>Rockefeller</b>	<b>23</b>	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	<b>100</b>	<b>88</b>
Schmidt	44	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	27	12
Schoesler	9	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	7	9
<b>Sheldon</b>	<b>35</b>	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	<b>20</b>	<b>27</b>
<b>Shin</b>	<b>21</b>	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	<b>100</b>	<b>87</b>
<b>Spanel</b>	<b>40</b>	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	<b>100</b>	<b>94</b>
Stevens	39	E	○	E	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	15	5
Swecker	20	○	○	○	○	○	○	A	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	21	16
<b>Thibault</b>	<b>43</b>	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	<b>100</b>	<b>97</b>
<b>Weinstein</b>	<b>41</b>	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>
Zarelli	18	E	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	E	○	○	○	○	○	23	10