

# PSRC 2026 Recommendations to the Washington State Legislature

Executive Board

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Puget Sound Regional Council



*We are leaders in the region to realize equity for all. Diversity, racial equity and inclusion are integrated into how we carry out all our work.*

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# Process 2026 Recommendations to Legislature



**July 2025**

EAC Background

**September 2025**

Review Recommendations with Economic Development District & Executive Board

**October 2025**

Review Recommendations with Growth Management Policy Board, Equity Advisory Committee & Transportation Policy Board

**November 2025**

Review & Recommendation by Executive Committee

**December 2025**

Proposed Executive Board Adoption



# Recommendations to the 2025 State Legislature

- Keep the Region Moving
- Increase Housing Choices and Affordability
- Significantly Reduce Greenhouse Gas Emissions
- Sustain a Strong Economy



# Keep the Region Moving



- Prioritize Safety
- Transportation investments
  - Stable revenue
  - Build projects of regional significance
  - Adequately fund maintenance and preservation
- Road Usage Charge
- Ferry funding



# Increase Housing Choices and Affordability

- Supply
- Stability
- Subsidy
- Housing Futures Center



# Significantly Reduce Greenhouse Gas Emissions



- Reduce Emissions
- Prepare for Climate Impacts



# Sustain a Strong Economy

- Workforce development
- Critical infrastructure
- Clean energy industry technology



The background of the image is an aerial photograph of a coastal city, likely Seattle, Washington. It shows a large body of water on the left, a bridge spanning a river in the center, and a dense urban area with residential buildings, industrial facilities, and a marina filled with boats on the right. In the far distance, snow-capped mountains are visible under a clear blue sky.

# Thank You!

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