

WVCA Legislative Tracking

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Bill	Title	SA(Same As)/ SI(Similar To)	Last Action	Committee Reference	Notes
SB 15	Strengthening protections for certain natural resource interests affected by carbon capture and underground carbon storage projects		01/27/26 - To House House Energy and Public Works	House Reference 1 - Energy and Public Works Senate Reference 1 - Energy, Industry and Mining	
SB 19	Relating to purchase or acquisition of real property by foreign entities		01/14/26 - To Senate Judiciary	Senate Reference 1 - Judiciary	
SB 20	Stable Energy Rates Protection Act		01/30/26 - To Senate Government Organization	Senate Reference 1 - Energy, Industry and Mining Senate Reference 2 - Government Organization	
SB 23	Relating to taxation of wind power projects	SI SB82	01/14/26 - To Senate Energy, Industry, and Mining	Senate Reference 1 - Energy, Industry and Mining Senate Reference 2 - Finance	
SB 24	Creating WV Intrastate Energy Use Act		01/14/26 - To Senate Judiciary	Senate Reference 1 - Judiciary	
SB 25	Establishing WV Coal Marketing Program		01/30/26 - To Senate Finance	Senate Reference 1 - Energy, Industry and Mining Senate Reference 2 - Finance	
SB 48	Relating to powers and duties of PSC		01/14/26 - To Senate Energy, Industry, and Mining	Senate Reference 1 - Energy, Industry and Mining Senate Reference 2 - Finance	
SB 50	Providing all coal severance tax be provided to county that produced coal		01/14/26 - To Senate Energy, Industry, and Mining	Senate Reference 1 - Energy, Industry and Mining Senate Reference 2 - Finance	
SB 73	Clarifying non-agricultural status of solar farms		01/14/26 - To Senate Agriculture	Senate Reference 1 - Agriculture Senate Reference 2 - Finance	
SB 76	Providing exemption from state severance tax for coal sold to coal-fired power plants located in WV		01/20/26 - To Senate Finance	Senate Reference 1 - Energy, Industry and Mining Senate Reference 2 - Finance	
SB 79	Establishing road or highway infrastructure improvement projects or coal production and processing facilities tax credit		01/14/26 - To Senate Transportation and Infrastructure	Senate Reference 1 - Transportation and Infrastructure Senate Reference 2 - Finance	
SB 82	Establishing tax on production of electricity from wind and solar sources	SI SB23	01/14/26 - To Senate Energy, Industry, and Mining	Senate Reference 1 - Energy, Industry and Mining Senate Reference 2 - Finance	
SB 97	Equipment Right to Repair Act		01/14/26 - To Senate Agriculture	Senate Reference 1 - Agriculture Senate Reference 2 - Judiciary	
SB 104	Providing certain state mine inspectors with raise		01/20/26 - To Senate Finance	Senate Reference 1 - Energy, Industry and Mining Senate Reference 2 - Finance	
SB 110	Creating WV Black Lung Program		01/14/26 - To Senate Judiciary	Senate Reference 1 - Judiciary Senate Reference 2 - Finance	
SB 118	Establishing Forest Carbon Registry		01/20/26 - To Senate Finance	Senate Reference 1 - Energy, Industry and Mining Senate Reference 2 - Finance	
SB 119	Eliminating appointment process for PSC members		01/14/26 - To Senate Government Organization	Senate Reference 1 - Government Organization Senate Reference 2 - Finance	
SB 128	Creating WV Workplace Security Act		01/14/26 - To Senate Judiciary	Senate Reference 1 - Judiciary Senate Reference 2 - Finance	

SB 131	Creating credit against severance tax for certain infrastructure improvements		01/30/26 - To Senate Finance	Senate Reference 1 - Energy, Industry and Mining Senate Reference 2 - Finance	
SB 163	Requiring economic impact statements for certain legislative rules		01/14/26 - To Senate Economic Development	Senate Reference 1 - Economic Development Senate Reference 2 - Government Organization	
SB 211	Relating to authority of PSC		01/14/26 - To Senate Government Organization	Senate Reference 1 - Government Organization Senate Reference 2 - Finance	
SB 220	Relating to jurisdiction of PSC		01/14/26 - To Senate Government Organization	Senate Reference 1 - Government Organization	
SB 221	Relating to King Coal Highway Economic Advisory Board Act		01/14/26 - To Senate Economic Development	Senate Reference 1 - Economic Development Senate Reference 2 - Finance	
SB 229	Establishing Fueling Modern Life Act		01/14/26 - To Senate Natural Resources	Senate Reference 1 - Natural Resources Senate Reference 2 - Finance	
SB 251	Department of Administration rule relating to One-Stop Shop Permitting Program	SI HB4200	01/15/26 - To Senate Judiciary	Senate Reference 1 - Judiciary	
SB 253	Board of Risk and Insurance Management rule relating to mine subsidence insurance	SI HB4202	01/15/26 - To Senate Judiciary	Senate Reference 1 - Judiciary	
SB 256	Authorizing DEP to promulgate legislative rules	SI HB4205	02/02/26 - To Senate On 2nd reading 2nd Reading	Senate Reference 1 - Judiciary	
SB 257	DEP rule relating to ambient air quality standards	SI HB4206	01/29/26 - To House Reported in Com. Sub. for S. B. 256	Senate Reference 1 - Judiciary	
SB 258	DEP rule relating to standards of performance for new stationary sources	SI HB4207	01/29/26 - To House Reported in Com. Sub. for S. B. 256	Senate Reference 1 - Judiciary	
SB 259	DEP rule relating to control of air pollution from combustion of solid waste	SI HB4208	01/29/26 - To House Reported in Com. Sub. for S. B. 256	Senate Reference 1 - Judiciary	
SB 260	DEP rule relating to control of air pollution from hazardous waste treatment, storage, and disposal facilities	SI HB4209	01/29/26 - To House Reported in Com. Sub. for S. B. 256	Senate Reference 1 - Judiciary	
SB 261	DEP rule relating to emission standards for hazardous air pollutants	SI HB4210	01/29/26 - To House Reported in Com. Sub. for S. B. 256	Senate Reference 1 - Judiciary	
SB 262	DEP rule relating to cross-state air pollution to control annual nitrogen oxides emissions, annual sulfur dioxide emissions, and ozone season nitrogen oxides emissions	SI HB4211	01/29/26 - To House Reported in Com. Sub. for S. B. 256	Senate Reference 1 - Judiciary	
SB 263	Division of Water and Waste Management rule relating to hazardous waste management system	SI HB4212	01/29/26 - To House Reported in Com. Sub. for S. B. 256	Senate Reference 1 - Judiciary	
SB 264	DEP rule relating to requirements governing water quality standards	SI HB4213	01/29/26 - To House Reported in Com. Sub. for S. B. 256	Senate Reference 1 - Judiciary	
SB 265	DEP rule relating to carbon dioxide sequestration fee schedule	SI HB4214	01/29/26 - To House Reported in Com. Sub. for S. B. 256	Senate Reference 1 - Judiciary	
SB 266	Department of Health rule relating to water well regulations	SI HB4215	01/15/26 - To Senate Judiciary	Senate Reference 1 - Judiciary	
SB 282	Fire Commission rule relating to fire code	SI HB4231	01/22/26 - To House Reported in Com. Sub. for S. B. 281	Senate Reference 1 - Judiciary	
SB 283	State Emergency Response Commission rule relating to emergency planning and community right-to-know	SI HB4232	01/22/26 - To House Reported in Com. Sub. for S. B. 281	Senate Reference 1 - Judiciary	
SB 377	Office of Miners' Health, Safety, and Training rule relating to submission and approval of comprehensive Mine Safety Program for coal mining operations in WV	SI HB4326	01/28/26 - To House Reported in Com. Sub. for S. B. 374	Senate Reference 1 - Judiciary	

SB 420	West Virginia First Energy Act	SI HB4991	01/15/26 - To Senate Energy, Industry, and Mining	Senate Reference 1 - Energy, Industry and Mining Senate Reference 2 - Finance	
SB 423	Creating Public Electrical Savings Act		01/15/26 - To Senate Judiciary	Senate Reference 1 - Judiciary	
SB 424	Establishing Affordable Electricity and Economic Growth Act of 2026		01/30/26 - To Senate Finance	Senate Reference 1 - Energy, Industry and Mining Senate Reference 2 - Finance	
SB 426	Relating to underground facilities damage prevention	SI HB4464 SI SB480	01/15/26 - To Senate Energy, Industry, and Mining	Senate Reference 1 - Energy, Industry and Mining Senate Reference 2 - Government Organization	
SB 447	Relating to Industrial Access Road Grant Program		01/16/26 - To Senate Transportation and Infrastructure	Senate Reference 1 - Transportation and Infrastructure Senate Reference 2 - Finance	
SB 461	Requiring any PSC rate increase to have legislative approval		01/16/26 - To Senate Judiciary	Senate Reference 1 - Judiciary	
SB 469	Requiring dredging of flood prone waterways		01/16/26 - To Senate Natural Resources	Senate Reference 1 - Natural Resources Senate Reference 2 - Finance	
SB 475	Relating to legislative rules regarding chemicals of emerging concern	SI HB4949	01/19/26 - To Senate Energy, Industry, and Mining	Senate Reference 1 - Energy, Industry and Mining Senate Reference 2 - Judiciary	
SB 508	Permitting businesses to receive tax credit for using WV manufactured products		01/19/26 - To Senate Finance	Senate Reference 1 - Finance	
SB 514	Prohibiting geoengineering activities		01/20/26 - To Senate Natural Resources	Senate Reference 1 - Natural Resources Senate Reference 2 - Finance	
SB 522	Creating WV Jobs Protection Act		01/20/26 - To Senate Government Organization	Senate Reference 1 - Government Organization Senate Reference 2 - Finance	
SB 535	Imposing one-year moratorium on approval of certain public utility rate increases		01/20/26 - To Senate Energy, Industry, and Mining	Senate Reference 1 - Energy, Industry and Mining Senate Reference 2 - Finance	
SB 569	Transparency In Financial Services Act		01/21/26 - To Senate Judiciary	Senate Reference 1 - Judiciary Senate Reference 2 - Finance	
SB 577	Relating to electric and natural gas utility rate increases		01/22/26 - To Senate Energy, Industry, and Mining	Senate Reference 1 - Energy, Industry and Mining Senate Reference 2 - Finance	
SB 592	WV Short Line Railroad Modernization Act		01/23/26 - To Senate Finance	Senate Reference 1 - Finance	
SB 622	Extending mine safety technology tax credit		01/27/26 - To Senate Finance	Senate Reference 1 - Finance	
SB 623	Establishing economic incentives for data centers to locate within WV		01/27/26 - To Senate Economic Development	Senate Reference 1 - Economic Development Senate Reference 2 - Finance	
SB 627	Relating to Build WV Act		01/30/26 - To Senate Finance	Senate Reference 1 - Economic Development Senate Reference 2 - Finance	
SB 631	Relating to controlling interests in flood control dams and similar structures		01/27/26 - To Senate Natural Resources	Senate Reference 1 - Natural Resources	
SB 632	Creating Atmospheric Intervention Oversight and Public Safety Act		01/27/26 - To Senate Natural Resources	Senate Reference 1 - Natural Resources Senate Reference 2 - Finance	
SB 636	Allowing intergovernmental agreements with Land Stewardship Corporation		01/28/26 - To Senate Judiciary	Senate Reference 1 - Judiciary	
	Altering definition of "aboveground		01/28/26 - To Senate Energy, Industry,	Senate Reference 1 - Energy, Industry	

SB 641	storage tank"		and Mining	and Mining	
SB 648	Relating to strategic and critical resources	SI HB4985	01/28/26 - To Senate Judiciary	Senate Reference 1 - Judiciary	
SB 651	Relating to sale of certain properties subject to delinquent tax liens		01/28/26 - To Senate Government Organization	Senate Reference 1 - Government Organization	
SB 656	Relating to ethics reforms at PSC		01/29/26 - To Senate Judiciary	Senate Reference 1 - Judiciary	
SB 658	Relating to certified microgrid district projects and certified high impact data center projects		01/29/26 - To Senate Economic Development	Senate Reference 1 - Economic Development	
SB 669	Relating to general powers of PSC		01/29/26 - To Senate Economic Development	Senate Reference 1 - Economic Development Senate Reference 2 - Judiciary	
SB 678	Relating to Board of Coal Mine Health and Safety quorum		01/30/26 - To Senate Energy, Industry, and Mining	Senate Reference 1 - Energy, Industry and Mining	
SB 685	Creating Natural Resources Anti-Commandeering Act		01/30/26 - To Senate Energy, Industry, and Mining	Senate Reference 1 - Energy, Industry and Mining Senate Reference 2 - Judiciary	
SB 686	Providing exception to waste and trespass for certain coal estates		01/30/26 - To Senate Energy, Industry, and Mining	Senate Reference 1 - Energy, Industry and Mining Senate Reference 2 - Judiciary	
SB 691	Relating to utility lines on DOH rights-of-way	SI HB4994	01/30/26 - To Senate Transportation and Infrastructure	Senate Reference 1 - Transportation and Infrastructure	
HB 4004	Relating to the creation of the Recharge West Virginia Program		02/02/26 - To House On 1st reading, Special Calendar 1st Reading, Special Calendar	House Reference 1 - Finance House Reference 1 - Finance	
HB 4007	Relating to industrial access roads		01/27/26 - To Senate Economic Development	Senate Reference 1 - Economic Development Senate Reference 2 - Finance	
HB 4012	Relating to reducing the regulatory burden on utility companies when constructing and maintaining electric power generation and transmission facilities within this state		01/27/26 - To House Markup Discussion	House Reference 1 - Energy and Public Works	
HB 4110	Creating the WV Energy Efficiency Jobs Creation Act		01/14/26 - To House House Energy and Public Works	House Reference 1 - Energy and Public Works	
HB 4111	Establishing a community solar program for subscribers to gain credits against their utility bills		01/14/26 - To House House Energy and Public Works	House Reference 1 - Energy and Public Works House Reference 2 - Finance	
HB 4120	Productive Energy Site Reclamation Waiver		01/15/26 - To House House Energy and Manufacturing	House Reference 1 - Energy and Public Works House Reference 2 - Energy and Manufacturing	
HB 4194	Community Air Monitoring		01/14/26 - To House House Energy and Public Works	House Reference 1 - Energy and Public Works	
HB 4195	Placing a two year a cap on electrical utility rates		01/14/26 - To House House Energy and Public Works	House Reference 1 - Energy and Public Works House Reference 2 - Finance	
HB 4200	Relating to authorizing the Department of Administration to promulgate a legislative rule relating to the One-Stop Shop Permitting Program.	SI SB251	01/14/26 - To House House Government Organization	House Reference 1 - Government Organization	
HB 4202	Relating to authorizing the Board of Risk and Insurance Management to promulgate a legislative rule relating to mine subsidence insurance.	SI SB253	01/14/26 - To House House Government Organization	House Reference 1 - Government Organization	
HB 4205	Relating to authorizing the Department of Environmental Protection to promulgate a legislative rule relating to alternative emission limitations during startup and shutdown operations.	SI SB256	01/14/26 - To House House Energy and Public Works	House Reference 1 - Energy and Public Works	
	Relating to authorizing the Department of Environmental Protection to promulgate a legislative rule relating to ambient air		01/14/26 - To House House Energy and	House Reference 1 - Energy and Public	

HB 4206	quality standards.	SI SB257	Public Works	Works	
HB 4207	Relating to authorizing the Department of Environmental Protection to promulgate a legislative rule relating to standards of performance for new stationary sources.	SI SB258	01/14/26 - To House House Energy and Public Works	House Reference 1 - Energy and Public Works	
HB 4208	Relating to authorizing the Department of Environmental Protection to promulgate a legislative rule relating to control of air pollution from combustion of solid waste.	SI SB259	01/14/26 - To House House Energy and Public Works	House Reference 1 - Energy and Public Works	
HB 4209	Relating to authorizing the Department of Environmental Protection to promulgate a legislative rule relating to control of air pollution from hazardous waste treatment, storage, and disposal facilities.	SI SB260	01/14/26 - To House House Energy and Public Works	House Reference 1 - Energy and Public Works	
HB 4210	Relating to authorizing the Department of Environmental Protection to promulgate a legislative rule relating to emission standards for hazardous air pollutants	SI SB261	01/14/26 - To House House Energy and Public Works	House Reference 1 - Energy and Public Works	
HB 4211	Relating to authorizing the Department of Environmental Protection to promulgate a promulgate a legislative rule relating to cross-state air pollution to control annual nitrogen oxides emissions, annual sulfur dioxide emissions, and ozone season nitrogen oxides emissions.	SI SB262	01/14/26 - To House House Energy and Public Works	House Reference 1 - Energy and Public Works	
HB 4213	Relating to authorizing the Department of Environmental Protection to promulgate a legislative rule relating to requirements governing water quality standards.	SI SB264	01/14/26 - To House House Energy and Public Works	House Reference 1 - Energy and Public Works	
HB 4214	Relating to authorizing the Department of Environmental Protection to promulgate a legislative rule relating to carbon dioxide sequestration fee schedule.	SI SB265	01/14/26 - To House House Energy and Public Works	House Reference 1 - Energy and Public Works	
HB 4215	Department of Health Rules Bundle	SI SB266	01/30/26 - To Senate Judiciary	House Reference 1 - Health and Human Resources Senate Reference 1 - Judiciary	
HB 4231	Relating to authorizing the Fire Commission to promulgate a legislative rule relating to the fire code.	SI SB282	01/14/26 - To House House Judiciary	House Reference 1 - Judiciary	
HB 4232	Relating to authorizing the State Emergency Response Commission to promulgate a legislative rule relating to emergency planning and community right-to-know.	SI SB283	01/14/26 - To House House Judiciary	House Reference 1 - Judiciary	
HB 4326	Relating to authorizing the Office of Miners' Health, Safety, and Training to promulgate a legislative rule relating to the submission and approval of a comprehensive Mine Safety Program for coal mining operations in the state of West Virginia.	SI SB377	01/14/26 - To House House Energy and Public Works	House Reference 1 - Energy and Public Works	
HB 4338	Relating to Eminent Domain		01/15/26 - To House House Judiciary	House Reference 1 - Judiciary	
HB 4379	To enable the Public Service Commission to authorize accelerated rate recovery for advanced transmission technology projects		01/15/26 - To House House Energy and Public Works	House Reference 1 - Energy and Public Works	
HB 4380	B&O Tax Reform		01/15/26 - To House House Finance	House Reference 1 - Finance	
HB 4481	WV Load Forecast Accountability Act		01/22/26 - To House Markup Discussion	House Reference 1 - Energy and Public Works	

HB 4488	To reduce West Virginia sales tax on gasoline and diesel to zero, and make up difference with increase in sales tax equivalent to rate of tax		01/19/26 - To House House Finance	House Reference 1 - Finance	
HB 4516	Enacting Water Quality Improvement Programs In Counties By Conservation Districts		01/20/26 - To House House Local Governments	House Reference 1 - Government Organization House Reference 2 - Local Government	
HB 4550	To require the state and/or its agents to provide their appraisal to landowners involved in eminent domain		01/20/26 - To House House Government Administration	House Reference 1 - Government Organization House Reference 2 - Government Administration	
HB 4551	West Virginia Safe Trucking Act 2026		01/20/26 - To House House Government Administration	House Reference 1 - Government Organization House Reference 2 - Government Administration	
HB 4556	Eliminate net metering in WV		01/20/26 - To House House Energy and Public Works	House Reference 1 - Energy and Public Works	
HB 4589	Clarifying that the time limitations provided for filing occupational pneumoconiosis claims do not apply or otherwise limit the ability of a claimant to obtain an evaluation from the Occupational Pneumoconiosis Board		01/22/26 - To House Markup Discussion	House Reference 1 - Health and Human Resources House Reference 2 - Judiciary	
HB 4594	Reorganization of the Executive branch		01/20/26 - To House House Government Organization	House Reference 1 - Government Organization House Reference 2 - Finance	
HB 4615	Public water supply changes regarding above ground tanks		01/20/26 - To House House Environment, Infrastructure, and Technology	House Reference 1 - Energy and Public Works House Reference 2 - Environment, Infrastructure, and Technology	
HB 4635	To require Public Service Commission to hear requests for rate adjustments from public electrical utilities and issue a recommendation to legislature		01/21/26 - To House House Energy and Public Works	House Reference 1 - Energy and Public Works	
HB 4642	Relating to establishing the West Virginia Clean Water Act of 2025		01/21/26 - To House House Energy and Public Works	House Reference 1 - Energy and Public Works House Reference 2 - Finance	
HB 4684	Eliminate all state and county subsidies or tax breaks for solar compounds or wind compounds or other renewable energy corporations		01/21/26 - To House House Energy and Public Works	House Reference 1 - Energy and Public Works House Reference 2 - Finance	
HB 4745	Relating to electric rates		01/22/26 - To House House Energy and Public Works	House Reference 1 - Energy and Public Works	
HB 4752	Relating to entry upon or recovery of lands		01/22/26 - To House House Judiciary	House Reference 1 - Judiciary	
HB 4753	Prohibit public utilities from making political or charitable contributions		01/22/26 - To House House Judiciary	House Reference 1 - Judiciary	
HB 4824	Relating to utility rate increases		01/26/26 - To House House Energy and Public Works	House Reference 1 - Energy and Public Works House Reference 2 - Finance	
HB 4832	Relating to the use of state water resources		01/26/26 - To House House Energy and Public Works	House Reference 1 - Energy and Public Works	
HB 4891	To require all utility companies to absorb the costs of maintenance, upgrades, and repairs for their pipes, cables, utility poles, electrical lines, and other necessities without increasing rates or costs to consumers/customers.		01/28/26 - To House House Energy and Public Works	House Reference 1 - Energy and Public Works	
HB 4896	Requiring the three Commissioners of the State Public Service Commission to be elected positions		01/28/26 - To House House Judiciary	House Reference 1 - Judiciary	
	Modifying the Occupational Pneumoconiosis award categories for				

HB 4901	Workerâ€™s Compensation		01/28/26 - To House House Judiciary	House Reference 1 - Judiciary	
HB 4910	To oppose the use of eminent domain in West Virginia for private corporation benefit		01/29/26 - To House House Judiciary	House Reference 1 - Judiciary	
HB 4949	Relating to Legislative Rules regarding chemicals of emerging concern	SL SB475	01/29/26 - To House House Energy and Public Works	House Reference 1 - Energy and Public Works	
HB 4971	Relating to requiring electric substations near industrial parks for certain high voltage transmission lines		01/29/26 - To House House Energy and Public Works	House Reference 1 - Energy and Public Works	
HB 5002	In cases of mine rescues, designate miners as first responders		01/30/26 - To House House Energy and Public Works	House Reference 1 - Energy and Public Works	
HB 5008	Relating to a State Water Resources Management Plan		01/30/26 - To House House Energy and Public Works	House Reference 1 - Energy and Public Works	