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TO: Mayor Robinson and City Councilmembers

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SUBJECT: Intergovernmental Affairs Monthly Update as of June 30, 2024

### **DISCUSSION/ACTION ITEMS**

Included in this packet is a selected group of reports from the City's work with other levels of government on City business. They include updates from the state, federal, and regional levels. Staff are always available to follow up to discuss any matters in greater detail.

### **LEGISLATIVE STATUS REPORTS**

**State Legislative Update:** Staff have provided a written summary of recent state legislative work. This includes interim legislative activities, an update on state revenue forecasts and initiatives coming to the November ballot, and a preview of some of the emerging issues being discussed at the Association of Washington Cities.

**Federal Legislative Update:** Also included in this report is a written summary of recent activities of the Congress and the Biden Administration. The report includes a synopsis of the completed Fiscal Year 2024 appropriations bills to fund government programs, including how Bellevue's requests for congressionally directed spending fared. It also includes updates on key federal issues such as tax policy and immigration, as well as newly announced grant awards.

### **STAFF REPORTS / INFORMATION ITEMS**

**Monthly Council Summary Background Briefings:** Included are updated summary background briefings on the King County Regional Committees and those of the Puget Sound Regional Council (PSRC).