WASHINGTON ASSOCIATION OF SHERIFFS & POLICE CHIEFS

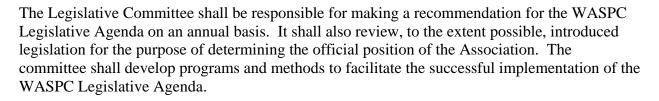
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Serving the Law Enforcement Community and the Citizens of Washington

Committee Charter

Committee Name: Legislative

Purpose:



Authority:

The Legislative Committee shall have the authority to recommend the WASPC Legislative Agenda to the Board for approval. The Legislative Committee may adopt positions on legislation pending the ratification by the Executive Board in keeping with the WASPC policy regarding the development of legislative positions.

Membership:

Every member (Active, Life, and Associate) of WASPC who attends a meeting of the Legislative Committee shall be considered a voting member.

Chairperson:

The Committee shall be co-chaired by a sheriff and a police chief appointed by the President.

Duties:

- The Committee shall annually develop a Legislative Agenda for review and adoption by the Executive Board.
- The Committee shall review legislation submitted that affects or influences law enforcement. The committee shall make recommendations as to the WASPC position on legislative initiatives.
- The Committee shall serve as advisors to the Executive Director, the Policy Director, and the Lobbyist during the legislative session.
- The Committee shall develop and implement an "Adopt and Issue" program for the purpose of facilitating member involvement in the legislative process.
- The Committee shall hold a legislative "Law and Justice Day" during each session of the Legislature.

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