
After action report for Region 3 Legislative Committee

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Region 3 - Legislative District Committee**By: Rossella Pogue (Meeting with Committee since March 20, 2025 at time of this report)**

Previous: I had heard Keith Markley (Adams County) present the idea of a Legislative rating organization, started now in Latah County, being able to grow to include representatives from every county in Idaho. The purpose would be to watch bills going into committee, the amendment process, and the negotiation process and have a Republican rating organization that was rating on the US Constitution, the Idaho Constitution and the Republican Platform of Idaho. The most important part of this rating group would be that it would be in the moment and made available to the legislative body for aid as it goes forward in the process. I asked Mr. Markley if I could volunteer for the committee at the GOP Winter Meeting. And then saw that the position was open through Vincent Hartog through the Idaho County Republican Central Committee, and volunteered.

March 20, 2025 - April 1, 2025 : I started in their weekly Zoom meetings and learned quickly that the people involved were very passionately following various bills. Many calls to action, emails, the survey that they have developed for Republicans throughout Idaho, and regular phone calls were all discussed for many different bills in all stages of the legislative process. I was able to do two other Zoom meetings and took part in the text thread and many email threads with the committee before the session ended. Following the Medical Freedom Bill was very intense due to all the political maneuvers during those 2 days.

In a conversation after the session, Rebecca Loomis of Latah County, head of the Region 3 Legislative Committee explained to me that after doing a diligent job of organizing and maintaining a committee for Region 3, it would be looked at to include a similar model for all of the Legislative Districts. Volunteers are welcome to join from the counties that make up Region 3. Also she stated that the Legislators from Region 3 worked very hard with the Legislative Committee to be aware of bills and what work needed to be done with them through the process.

Please find attached final letter for the 2025 session from Rebecca Loomis and a list of bills the team was tracking during the session.

Thank you,
Rossella Pogue
State Committee Woman

 **Region 3 list of Bills.pdf**
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Secretary <icrcc.information@gmail.com>
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Thank you Rose! Happy Easter to you and your family 😊

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Dear Members of the LCRW,

April 14, 2025

I would like to thank several of you who assisted in our efforts to get legislation passed that were important to Latah County Republicans and Region 3 GOP.

This year, our legislators stood out by sponsoring legislation that Latah County citizens deemed high on our priority list. They also fought hard to get the legislation across the finish line.

With the efforts of many we were able to move legislation out of various committees, onto the full chamber floor so our elected legislators could vote.

The Region 3 Legislative Evaluation Team consists of members from Latah, Nez Perce, Lewis, Clearwater, Idaho and Adam counties. We worked with our legislators and various chamber committees by corresponding and testifying in support of or against bills in both the Senate and the House.

We are excited to share with you the success of our legislature for year 2025. The list attached does not include all Bills that have been signed by the Governor into law. The list is comprised of the bills that the team was tracking this past session.

It was a great year for personal rights, medical rights, reducing spending, property and grocery tax reductions, protecting our children and property, and election integrity. Our legislators worked hard, collaborating with the team and was dedicated to representing Latah County and District 6.

When you see Representatives please thank them for all their hard work.

Thank you for your support,

Respectfully

Becky Loomis

Region 3 Legislative Committee Chair

Latah County

District 6

Region 3

Committee Members:

Kim Pospychall	Nez Perce
Dave Dalby	Latah County
Lori Warner	Latah County
Claire Schumacher	Clearwater County
John Smith	Clearwater County
Claudia Dalby	Latah County
Keith Markley	Adam County
Kathy Cassin	Latah County
Rose Pogue	Idaho County
Annie Broux	Latah County

Medical Freedom

HB 32 Mask Mandates is prohibited

S1038 The state of Idaho shall not be compelled to engage in the enforcement of requirements or mandates issued by the World Health Organization.

S1031aa Ensures that district Health boards focus only on necessary and reasonable health laws and regulation. It removes their broad authority to take sweeping actions for public health, including preventative measures.

S211 Ivermectin – can buy without a Prescription- over the counter. May be sold or purchased without a prescription or consultation with a health care professional.

S1210a Idaho medical Freedom Act. Revised provisions regarding prohibited medical mandates. A school operating in the state or a business subject to chapter 11, title 39, Idaho Code operating in the state shall not mandate a medical intervention for any person to attend, enter campus or buildings, or be employed, subject to the requirements of the Idaho parental rights act,

S1171aa Fetal Heart beat Preborn Protection Act- Established provisions regarding a civil cause of action when an abortion has been attempted or performed

Education/Parental Rights/Protecting children

H093 School Choice tax credit- voluntary program provides families up to \$5000 credit.

H23039aaS Human Sexuality instruction requires parental opt in.

H0331 Raises cap for charter schools to apply for lower interest rates on bonds. No impact on funding.

H0240 Campus Free Speech- protects speech on college campuses

H0352 Parental rights- schools must adopt policies and procedures that prohibit classroom education on sexual orientation or gender identity from kindergarten -12th grade.

H270 Indecent Exposure- clarifies definition of indecent exposure and provides a guilty of a felony with up to 5 years in prison.

Immigration

H0083aaS Illegal entry- Law enforcement Officers may enforce this section when a person is detained or investigated for suspected commission of an independent crime; authorizes removal of person who violate prohibitions.

Individual/Property Rights

H0264aaS Title IX Rights- requires universities presidents to be responsible for oversight.

H0097 Provides voluntary noncompliance and acceptance of risks.

H0172 Open meetings law- regarding adding agenda items

H0158 establishes provisions regarding medic source confidentiality.

S1027aa,aa Institutions prohibited from using social credit scores or nay non financial criteria (ESG)

H0321 Property Title protections and Squatters- Provides remedy to remove unauthorized person from residential real property; provide for the crime of false statements and provide crime of fraudulent sale or lease of residential real property.

Taxes

H0231 Food tax credit- increase it to \$155.year

H0040 Reduces income tax rate from 5.695% to 5.3%; exempts military benefits and removes capital gain and losses for precious metal bullion and monetized bullion from the calculation of state income tax from capital gains.

H0304 Property Tax relief provided through the School Facilities Fund \$50 million and \$50 million from the property Tax Relief account.

H0354 Requires all Idaho counties and State Tax Commission to implement the homeowners' exemption in a uniform manner by including the new formula value of the home with or without the homeowner's exemption, by the days of ownership, divided by 365 days.

Election Integrity

H310 Antifraud Measures on ballots

H278 Standardizes dates and deadlines for county clerks- shortens primary election filing; limit early voting to max of 3 week before election; ensures adequate prep time.

S1117 Adds Initiative requirements to include an updated fiscal impact statement.

H0339 Intent only eligible citizens may vote in the USA. SOS must maintain accuracy and integrity of voter registration system; ensure only eligible Idaho voters are registered to vote in Idaho and cooperate with other government entities to prevent and fight voter fraud.

Medicaid Changes

H0345 Requires Legislature to approve amendments to plans and waivers.

H090 Modifies eligibility criteria- changes cannot be provided in rule, state plan, state plan amendment, agency guidance or other documents.

H0199 Refugees- Establish provisions regarding refugee medical assistance.

H0135 Amends existing law to remove certain benefits to illegal aliens; removes non-emergency health care and some social benefits.

Business

H0243 Seeks to make it easier to start a daycare operation

S1149 Prohibits foreign government or state controlled enterprise from owning agricultural land, forest land, water rights, mining claims or mineral rights in Idaho. This creates a framework for the divestiture of the foreign government's ownership- AG petitions Idaho court to seize and sell property.

H0356 Revise who may own certain property, provide prohibition on lease or purchase of certain land or dwellings and provided prohibition on access to state assets (Foreign government ownership).