

Let's use it! Lobby Day January 25, 2024

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Quaker Lobby Day is January 25, 2024. Register here: https://actionnetwork.org/events/quaker-lobby-day-2024 Zoom links for all online sessions will be sent after you register. If you are interested in housing with Friends either the night before or the night after, send your request to info@quakervoicewa.org.

Quaker Lobby Day 2024 events

including events before and after January 25

Sunday morning, January 21, 9:30 – 10:30 am, online:

An optional **preview from the working groups about the priority bills**. After the Sunday morning session, this briefing will be posted online and a link provided to registered participants. Then everyone can prepare on their own schedules.

Tuesday evening, January 23, 6:30 pm, online:

An optional **orientation for new attenders**. This will include a rehearsal for a Quaker Voice lobby visit, question-and-answer on the priority bills, and an introduction to where Quaker Voice intervenes as our priority bills move through the legislature.

Thursday morning, January 25, 10 am to noon, both in person in Olympia and online:

First, a **full briefing** will provide an overview of the session by our lobbyists and a presentation of the priority bills by the working groups, including where each bill stands in the legislative process. The in-person gathering is at Olympia Friends Meeting, 3201 Boston Harbor Rd NE, Olympia, WA 98506. https://www.olympiafriends.org/

10:00-10:05	<i>Welcome</i> . Susan Cozzens, Quaker Voice Clerk.
10:05-10:30	Session highlights, Paul Benz and Jacob Squirrel, Quaker Voice Legislative Advocates.
10:30-11:00	Criminal Justice working group priorities.
11:00-11:30	Economic Justice working group priorities.
11:30-Noon	Environmental Stewardship working group priorities.
Noon-1 pm	Lunch provided by Olympia Meeting. Quaker Voice thanks Olympia Meeting!

<u>Thursday afternoon, January 25, 1 pm onwards</u> — Constituent meetings at the Capitol and online.

- Each district has a legislative lead who is making appointments. (Use Find Your District at leg.wa.gov if you need to find the number for your district. https://app.leg.wa.gov/DistrictFinder/)
- Your district lead's contact information will be provided after you register. They will send you information on the schedule of meetings for your district. Contact them with questions on the legislator meetings.
- Tools for getting from Olympia Meeting to legislator offices:
 - o Capitol campus map (pdf): https://www.des.wa.gov/sites/default/files/2022-06/campus-map.pdf
 - o Capitol campus parking information: https://leq.wa.gov/legislature/Pages/Parking.aspx
- General information about coming to the legislature: https://leg.wa.gov/legislature/Pages/ComingToTheLegislature.aspx

Friday, January 26, 3 pm, online:

Share What We Learned — a debrief and evaluation session. This is open to everyone. We hope that each district delegation will send at least one person.