

Dear Friend,

**The bill we've been aiming for all session is here.**

After receiving tens of thousands of phone calls and emails and seeing 6,000 activists in person at the rally, **members of the legislature responded to your demands for a balanced approach to the budget.**

**On Monday, four members of the House introduced HB 3204 that would prevent deep cuts to health care, schools, environmental protections, and other critical programs.** The bill would generate \$1.4 billion by closing tax loopholes and raising new revenue from sin taxes and big polluters.

**Now we must build political momentum for this bill by showing that it has strong popular support.** The final seven days of the legislative session will determine whether legislators choose this revenue proposal or a weaker one. **Will you take 2 minutes to email your legislators and urge them to support HB 3204?**

<http://www.fusewashington.org/page/speakout/3204>

After months of hard work, legislators got the message that our communities can't afford deeper cuts to health care, education, and environmental protections. HB 3204, introduced by Reps. Eileen Cody, Eric Pettigrew, Phyllis Gutierrez Kenney, and Sam Hunt, **would protect \$600-700 million more in critical state programs than the current House or Senate budget proposals.**

Anti-government crusaders and their right-wing allies are certain to attack legislators for supporting this bill. **Our pro-revenue rally on President's Day had twice as many people as the Teabaggers, and we need to double them again now. Will you take 2 minutes to tell your legislators to support HB 3204?**

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Thanks for all that you do,

Jim and the entire team at Fuse