Meet Your Legislators
District 11 Lawmaker Information

Located in King County
This district includes parts of Seattle (Beacon Hill neighborhood), Skyway, Renton, Tukwila, and Kent.

Senator Bob Hasegawa (D)
Supports early learning but not deeply involved. Would like to see early learning become something every child is entitled to by the constitution, similar to the formal public school system. Concerned about racial equity. Longtime union organizer. Grandfather of 2.

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District 1 Lawmaker Information

Representative David Hackney (D)

Works on issues of housing, the environment and economic recovery. Interested in early learning but not active. Assistant Attorney for the U.S. department of Justice. Professor at UW law school.

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Representative Steve Bergquist (D)

One of the key people on Appropriations shaping the state budget. Has been a champion on raising the reimbursement rates for Working Connections Child Care, and getting more funding for subsidies. Understands early learning pretty well. An elementary school teacher, with two elementary age kids who are in FFN care with their grandfather.

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