

Andy Billig (D)

District: 3 Senator

Office seeking?	WA Legislative District 3 - Senator
Campaign website, include campaign office contact information, e.g., phone number, address, et al	Elect Andy Billig P.O. Box 145 Spokane, WA 99210 andy@andybillig.com
Social media accounts, if any, include handle	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • https://www.facebook.com/Andy-Billig-162588175839/ • https://twitter.com/andybillig?lang=en @andybillig
Links to any news articles from 2019 to date	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • https://www.spokesman.com/stories/2019/feb/08/sen-andy-billig-we-need-to-make-it-easier-to-access/ op-ed re: democracy • https://www.inlander.com/spokane/washington-is-going-to-try-supervising-thieves/Content?oid=17540427 re: passage of property crime bill • https://www.spokesman.com/stories/2019/may/15/shawn-vestal-new-safety-standards-for-oil-trains-a/ supporting new safety standards for oil trains • https://www.spokesman.com/stories/2020/mar/15/sfcc-nature-preserve-among-30-million-in-spokane-a/ re: what Billig and other D3 leaders have delivered to Spokane re: funding • https://www.andybillig.com/BilligKickoffLetter.pdf announcing re-election • https://www.spokesman.com/stories/2020/jul/22/billig-safer-spokane/?fbclid=IwAR3LORaahpc7-rOeru61MCv5tZRZ-TkmVDzlx_DatXORVVuXA2Rn8q7ya8 - LTE in support of Billig • https://www.spokesman.com/stories/2020/aug/03/billig-delivers-spokane/ LTE in support of Billig • https://mailchi.mp/andybillig/primary-results?e=5d2212a006 announcing primary results
Information re: upcoming events candidate is hosting	No scheduled events as of 09-14-2020
Candidate priority issues	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Economic Prosperity - support small businesses and create living wage jobs, support programs and policies that provide opportunities for start-ups and small businesses to thrive • Educational Success - fully fund basic education, focus on the whole child, continued attention to special education and support staff, e.g., counselors, etc. • Equity - consider all legislation through an equity lens • Protecting Our Environment - sponsor and support legislation that removes and prevents pollution in our environment and addresses the causes and impacts of our changing climate • Responsible Budgets - improve efficiency in state government, reform tax system, grow state and local economy • Healthcare and Seniors - supports affordable, accessible, effective healthcare system with a focus on

	<p>wellness, support investments in public health, defends women’s reproductive health rights, promotes policies and programs that help seniors successfully age in place</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Transportation - advocate for projects that value all modes of transportation and provide accessibility for everyone ● Criminal Justice - work on legislation that supports the implementation of Smart Justice programs, championed funding to support for various Spokane organizations ● Campaign Finance and Voter Access - continue to propose and fight for legislation that will make our elections more fair and transparent, helped pass voter access legislation
<p>Candidate views on policing. To learn more, check out this ACLU link Policing</p>	<p>http://sdc.wastateleg.org/blog/2020/06/05/an-open-letter-to-the-people-of-washington-state/ https://www.spokesman.com/stories/2020/jul/01/as-city-leaders-eye-police-reform-state-legislator/</p>
<p>Candidate views on criminal justice reform. To learn more, check out this ACLU link Criminal Justice Reform</p>	<p>See info in priority issues above</p>
<p>Other candidate details, to include: tenure in office, committees they’ve sat on or chaired, voting record on issues related to policing and/or criminal justice reform (i.e., gun control, etc.), other political offices they’ve held</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● In office since January 2013 ● Member (former and current), Rules Committee ● Member, Environment, Energy & Technology Committee ● Member (former and current, Ways & Means Committee ● Former Member, Early Learning & K-12 Education Committee ● Voted yes for regulations on facial recognition technology ● Voted yes for background checks system for firearms transfers ● Voted yes to repeal the death penalty (sponsor) ● Voted yes to prohibit all untraceable 3D printed “ghost guns” ● Voted yes to restrict firearms in daycares and child care facilities ● Voted yes to prohibit discrimination based on citizenship or immigration status ● In 2018 voted yes to amend various police use of force laws See Bill Text Here ● In 2018 voted yes to prohibit bump stocks (sponsor)
<p>Miscellaneous info</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● No donations from law enforcement