

SafeRide Bills

There are two bills that have been introduced in the State Legislature that would help the TLW to promote our SafeRide program and increase utilization of our award winning program. [Assembly Bill 138](#), authored by Rep. Pronschinske is before the Assembly Committee on State Affairs, and [Senate Bill 98](#), authored by Senator Testin, is before the Senate Committee on Transportation and Veterans Affairs.

AB 138 and SB 98 allow SafeRide grant recipients to use grant money to advertise the programs they operate. No state tax money is used on the program, it is funded by surcharges on OWI offenders and a match by the TLW. **These are important pieces of legislation that will allow the TLW to increase awareness and utilization of this valuable program.**

Assembly Bill 138 is currently slated to be voted on by the State Affairs Committee Wednesday, April 19th. We anticipate the Senate Committee to hold a public hearing on the bill in the near future. Below is a list of the Committee members, the Counties they represent, and their contact information. **If you reside in one of these counties, please contact your legislator today and urge them to support AB 138 and SB 98.**

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