

MEET YOUR LEGISLATORS



43rd Legislative District



**State Senator
Jamie Pederson
(D)**

Senator Pederson serves on the Legislative Ethics Board and the Office of Public Defense Oversight Committee and is a commissioner in the National Conference of Commissioners of Uniform State Laws. He chaired the board of the national civil rights organization Lambda Legal, and served as Lambda's lead volunteer lawyer on the state's marriage equality case. He also provides free legal services to a variety of nonprofits and has helped to establish a nonprofit to run a community lunch program that feeds hundreds of people each week.

He is the Majority Floor Leader. His committees include Early Learning & K-12 Education, Law & Justice, Rules, and Ways & Means.



**State Representative
Frank Chopp
(D - position 1)**

Representative Chopp focuses on the issues of affordable housing, economic and social justice, and health care for all including for those with mental illness and substance use disorders. Over the course of 20 years when he was Speaker, he committed himself to policies that reflect his community-organizer values – a strong public education system, health care for every child, good-paying jobs, and protecting the social safety net. He was the Executive Director of the Fremont Public Association (FPA), which offers 30 different programs and services that help more than 60,000 households each year.

His committees include Appropriations, Finance, and Housing.



**State Representative
Nicole Macri
(D - position 2)**

Representative Macri has 20 years of experience championing progressive causes on issues around affordable housing, homelessness, human services, behavioral health, and health care, including reproductive and abortion care. She has been at the forefront of the Housing First movement nationally, and is a recognized leader in practical and effective strategies that end the homelessness of people living with serious disabilities. She is the Deputy Director for the Downtown Emergency Service Center (DESC) in Seattle and co-chairs the Washington State LGBTQ Caucus.

Her committees include Appropriations (Vice Chair), and Health Care & Wellness.



Champion of a Bill for TMS



Transforming foster care & Ending youth homelessness