



TOWING & RECOVERY ASSOCIATION OF WASHINGTON (TRAW) 2022 VIRTUAL OLYMPIA DAY INFORMATION

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 3, 2022
11:30 A.M. TO 1:30 P.M.

TRAW Virtual Legislative Day Luncheon Event Schedule (on Zoom)

11:30 – 12:00pm - Pre-meeting Discussions with TRAW members
12:00 – 1:00pm - Lawmakers joining for TRAW conversations
1:00 – 1:30pm - TRAW wrap-up

TRAW LEGISLATIVE ZOOM MEETING INFORMATION

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87002559668?pwd=Si9COWdaeitqaGkwSW1LU2g2UnRDZz09>

Meeting ID: 870 0255 9668

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TRAW VIRTUAL LEGISLATIVE DAY LUNCHEON EVENT

The WA State Legislature has made the decision that they will be operating in a **mostly virtual environment** again for the **2022 legislative session** due to ongoing concerns with COVID. As many of you know, the 2021 legislative session was entirely virtual with all of the Legislature's work done over Zoom. While there are certainly challenges with a virtual legislative session, the virtual nature also provides opportunities for our members to be engaged in Olympia in ways that are often not possible.

In normal years everyone is required to drive to Olympia, find parking, and make their way onto the Capitol campus in order to meet with lawmakers or testify on bills. But with the virtual session members are now able to testify in hearings and meet with lawmakers from the comfort of their own homes or offices; you can now join these legislative meetings from anywhere that you have an Internet connection with your phone or laptop.

What does this mean for TRAW and our Legislative Day in Olympia?

This means that we will still be holding our **TRAW Legislative Day** in Olympia **virtually via Zoom** this year. We will be holding our **2022 TRAW Virtual Legislative Day** on **Thursday, February 3** from **11:30 am to 1:30 pm**.

Please **make plans to join us via Zoom**.

We also encourage our members to **contact your lawmakers to schedule a meeting** with your [one Senator](#) and [two House Members](#) sometime during the day, as well as, invite them to join our luncheon event. If you do not know who your lawmakers are you can find them [here](#).

Below is a draft email that you can send to your lawmakers to make the requests.

SAMPLE INVITATION FOR TRAW MEMBERS

Dear Rep./Sen. _____:

I am a constituent living in your District and a member of the **Towing-Recovery Association of Washington** (TRAW) and we are hosting our **2022 Virtual Legislative Day** on **Thursday, February 3** and I would like to schedule a time to meet with you virtually that day.

Additionally, we have a **Virtual Legislative Day Luncheon from noon to 1:00pm on Zoom**. If your schedule allows it, we would like to invite you to join us for a few minutes to welcome our membership to Olympia.

Zoom Meeting Information

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I hope that you can stop in for a few minutes to meet our TRAW members and provide us with an update on the 2022 Legislative Session. Please let me know if you are able to join us.

Please let me know when you are available to schedule a zoom meeting or join us during the lunch hour.

We look forward to meeting with you.

Thank you in advance.

Sincerely