

Appropriations Vetoes Reconsidered by the Alaska Legislature, 1959-2025

Legislature	Bill	Short Title	Date Vetoes	Date Re-considered	Sustained or Overridden	Days Between Veto and Recons.
8th (1973-1974)	HB 125	Approp: Alaska State Museum	01/31/74	02/19/74	S	19
10th (1977-1978)	HB 48	Special Approp: DOT/PF (Ch. 2 SLA 1978)	06/18/77	01/13/78	O*	209
12th (1981-1982)	HB 50	Approp: General (Ch. 82 SLA 1981)	07/22/81	01/15/82	O*	177
	SB 174	Approp: Alaska Power Authority (Ch. 7 SLA 1981)	04/16/81	06/08/81	S	53
	SB 321	Approp: Various (Ch. 16 SLA 1981)	05/28/81	06/08/81	S	11
13th (1983-1984)	SB 364	Approp: Special (Ch. 18 SLA 1984)	03/27/84	03/30/84	S	3
	SB 403	Approp: Special (Ch. 19 SLA 1984)	03/27/84	03/30/84	S	3
	SB 420	Approp: Special (Ch. 20 SLA 1984)	03/27/84	03/30/84	S	3
15th (1987-1988)	HB 75	Approp: General (Ch. 95 SLA 1987)	07/01/87	07/01/87	S,O**	0
	HB 127	Approp: Supplemental (Ch. 90 SLA 1987)	06/30/87	07/01/87	S	1
	SB 330	Approp: Education Funding (Ch. 12 SLA 1988)	03/28/88	03/29/88	S	1
24th (2005-2006)	SB 231	Approp: Capital supplemental reappropriations (Ch. 82 SLA 2006)	07/10/06	7/13/06	S	3
26th (2009-2010)	HB 199	Approp: Non-Transportation Stimulus (Ch. 17 SLA 2009)	05/21/09	08/10/09	O*	81
	SB 75	Approp: Capital (Ch. 15 SLA 2009)	05/21/09	08/10/09	S*	81
31st (2019-2020)	HB 39	Approp: Operating Budget/Loans/Funds (Ch. 1 FSSLA 2019)	06/28/19	07/10/19	S	12
	HB 40	Approp: Mental Health Budget (Ch. 2 FSSLA 2019)	06/28/19	07/10/19	S	12
	HB 2001	Approp: ERA/Operating/Funds/Other (Ch. 2 SSSLA 2019)	08/19/19	01/24/20	S	158
33rd (2023-2024)	HB 39	Approp: Operating Budget/Capital/Supplemental (Ch. 1 FSSLA 2023)	10/16/23	01/18/24	S	94
34th (2025-2026)	HB 53	Approp: Operating Budget/Loans/Funds/ Supplemental (Ch. 10 SLA 2025)	06/12/25	08/02/25	O	51
	SB 113	[Revenue] Apportion Taxable Income: Digital Business	09/27/25	01/22/26	S	117

Notes: This table shows appropriations bills that have been reconsidered by the Alaska Legislature following a veto by the Governor. Pursuant to Article II, Sections 15 and 16, of the Alaska Constitution, the Governor may veto bills and veto, strike, or reduce items in appropriations bills and the Legislature may meet in joint session to reconsider the vetoed bill or item. Overriding vetoes of appropriation items requires a concurrence by three-fourths of members. Legislation vetoed after the end of the first regular session of a Legislature must be reconsidered no later than the fifth day of the next regular or special session. Legislation vetoed after the end of the second regular session must be reconsidered in special session.

1) Highlighted fields in the date columns indicate vetoes that were reconsidered in special session.

2) "O" indicates that the veto was overridden; "S" means the veto was sustained. Items marked with a single asterisk means vetoes were partially overridden or sustained, as indicated. "Partially" sustained or overridden means simply that although one or more vetoed line items within a bill were reconsidered, other vetoes within the bill were not. In the bill marked with a double asterisk-HB in the 15th Legislature-the vetoed items were partially overridden and partially sustained.

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