

SB 32

Relating to natural gas

SB 32 requires the Public Utility Commission to form a work group to conduct a study into ways that public utilities furnishing natural gas may expand their service into areas that do not have access to natural gas. Work group members are to include public utilities that furnish natural gas, other energy suppliers, local governments, elected officials, stakeholders with an interest in the outcome of the study, and individuals who understand the subject matter of the study. The Public Utility Commission is to report back to the Legislature by September 15, 2016.

The Transportation and Economic Development Subcommittee recommends SB 32 be reported out do pass.