


# Policy Brief

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**44** **BILLS INTRODUCED**

Renewable energy growth, opposition, and legislation have continued to be prominent topics of discussion in Oklahoma’s news sources. In 2025, 44 bills have been introduced around siting, setback, transmission infrastructure, and tax credits.

## ◀◀◀ Legislative Highlights ▶▶▶

Bill Number	QR Code	Description
<a href="#"><u>SB1012</u></a>		SB1012 establishes a waiver process for wind energy facility operators to pursue in constructing facilities that do not follow the setback requirements.
<a href="#"><u>SB618</u></a>		SB618 mandates that public utilities create an energy alert system to communicate with county and municipal governments in the event of outages.
<a href="#"><u>HB2157</u></a>		HB2157 establishes that it is the intent of the legislature to develop a strategy designed to encourage renewable energy development "in a way that works in harmony with farming and ranching."
<a href="#"><u>SB612</u></a>		SB612 requires public entities to develop energy security plans, which will include preparations for service disruptions and public notice procedures.

### UPCOMING:

On Monday, February 3rd, Oklahoma’s Governor, Kevin Stitt, will deliver his State of the State address. On Thursday, February 6th, Senate Energy Committee Meeting - 9am, Room 230.



# Legislative Summary



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## KEY THEMES

Upon review of the proposed legislation, five main topics emerged: wind, solar, siting and setback, transmission and utilities, and renewables generally. Other topics included carbon capture, oil and gas, tax credits, nuclear energy, and administrative procedures.

Number of Bills	Topic	Bills
13	Wind	<a href="#">HB1989</a>   <a href="#">HB1156</a>   <a href="#">HB1263</a>   <a href="#">SB1026</a>   <a href="#">HB1451</a>   <a href="#">SB1012</a>   <a href="#">SB713</a>   <a href="#">HB1044</a>   <a href="#">HJR1003</a>   <a href="#">HB1093</a>   <a href="#">SB2</a>   <a href="#">HB1450</a>   <a href="#">SB429</a>
5	Solar	<a href="#">HB1451</a>   <a href="#">SB915</a>   <a href="#">HB1450</a>   <a href="#">HB1373</a>   <a href="#">HB2156</a>
5	General Renewables	<a href="#">HB2074</a>   <a href="#">SB994</a>   <a href="#">HB2157</a>   <a href="#">SB352</a>   <a href="#">HB1452</a>
12	Siting and Setback	<a href="#">HB1989</a>   <a href="#">HB1263</a>   <a href="#">SB1026</a>   <a href="#">HB1451</a>   <a href="#">SB915</a>   <a href="#">SB1012</a>   <a href="#">SB994</a>   <a href="#">HJR1003</a>   <a href="#">SB2</a>   <a href="#">SB352</a>   <a href="#">SB429</a>   <a href="#">HB2156</a>
12	Transmission and Utilities	<a href="#">SB93</a>   <a href="#">HB1227</a>   <a href="#">SB335</a>   <a href="#">SB279</a>   <a href="#">SB1003</a>   <a href="#">HB2155</a>   <a href="#">SB1018</a>   <a href="#">SB618</a>   <a href="#">HJR1003</a>   <a href="#">HB2752</a>   <a href="#">SB352</a>   <a href="#">SB619</a>
16	Other	<b>Tax Credits:</b> <a href="#">SB239</a>   <a href="#">HB1452</a> <b>Oil and Gas:</b> <a href="#">SB480</a>   <a href="#">SB460</a>   <a href="#">HB1044</a>   <a href="#">SB998</a>   <a href="#">HB2747</a> <b>Nuclear Energy:</b> <a href="#">HB1375</a>   <a href="#">SB131</a> <b>Carbon Capture:</b> <a href="#">SB269</a>   <a href="#">SB1018</a> <b>Administrative Procedures:</b> <a href="#">HB2043</a>   <a href="#">HB1375</a>   <a href="#">HB2073</a>   <a href="#">SB714</a>   <a href="#">SB612</a>

Note: Many bills contain more than one topic.

