



April 1, 2019

To: Members, California Fire Chiefs Association
Members, Fire Districts Association of California

From: Russell Noack, Public Policy Advocates

Re: FIRE Legislative Report – Week Ending March 29, 2019

Legislation

Friday, 03/29/2019, was a Legislative Holiday and, therefore, we are publishing our weekly report today.

[Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 1 \(Aguiar-Curry\)](#) would authorize a city, county, or special district to levy an ad valorem tax to service bonded indebtedness incurred to fund public infrastructure, affordable housing or lease of real property for those purposes if the measure is approved by 55% of the voters. ACA 1 was amended to add special districts and passed the Assembly Local Government Committee. It has been referred to the Assembly Appropriations Committee for consideration. *FIRE POSITION: SUPPORT.*

[Assembly Bill 19 \(Waldron\)](#) has been amended to establish a CalFIRE grant program to provide funds to local fire districts and county road maintenance departments to manage vegetation along roads to prevent wildfires in very high fire severity zones. The bill has been referred to the Assembly Natural Resources Committee. *FIRE POSITION: UNDER REVIEW.*

[Assembly Bill 68 \(Ting\)](#) has been amended to shorten the ministerial review period for the creation of an accessory dwelling unit from 120 days to 60 days of receiving the application. *FIRE POSITION: WATCH.*

[Assembly Bill 69 \(Ting\)](#) has been amended to require the Department of Housing and Community Development to propose building standards governing accessory dwelling units smaller than 800 square feet by January 1, 2021. *FIRE POSITION: OPPOSE.*

[Assembly Bill 291 \(Chu\)](#) has been amended to create a Local Emergency Preparedness and Hazard Mitigation Fund to assist local government meet emergency management goals. *FIRE POSITION: UNDER REVIEW.*

[Assembly Bill 394 \(Oberholte\)](#) would provide a CEQA exemption, after a noticed hearing in situations where CalFIRE is seeking to improve fire safety for a particular area. AB 394 passed the Assembly Natural Resources Committee and has been referred to the Assembly Appropriations Committee. *FIRE POSITION: SUPPORT.*

[Assembly Bill 911 \(Rodriguez\)](#) has been amended to require OES by January 1, 2022, to establish a system that would allow the public to provide vital health and safety information about their disabilities to enable first responders to better assist them during an emergency. *FIRE POSITION: SUPPORT.*

[Assembly Bill 1299 \(Flores\)](#) has been amended to provide for a fire department that has voluntary firefighters and receives reimbursement through a mutual aid request, and the reimbursement is intended to reimburse for personnel cost for work participated in by voluntary firefighters, the department would be required to pass through the requisite reimbursements to these voluntary firefighters. *FIRE POSITION: UNDER REVIEW.*

[Senate Bill 13 \(Wieckowski\)](#) has been amended to limit restrictions on accessory dwelling units in areas zoned to allow for single-family or multi-family dwelling use. *FIRE POSITION: OPPOSE.*

[Senate Bill 45 \(Allen\)](#) would enact the Wildfire, Drought and Flood Protection Bond Act, which if approved by the voters, would authorize the issuance of bonds in the amount of \$4.3 Billion to restore fire damaged areas, reduce wildfire risk and create healthy forests and watersheds. The bill passed the Senate Natural Resources and Water Committee and has been referred to the Senate Environmental Quality Committee. *FIRE POSITION: WATCH.*

[Senate Bill 209 \(Dodd\)](#) would establish the California Wildfire Warning Center to observe and assess fire-threat weather conditions. The bill passed the Senate Governmental Organization Committee and has been referred to the Senate Energy, Utilities and Communications Committee. *FIRE POSITION: SUPPORT.*

[Senate Bill 438 \(Hertzberg\)](#) has been amended to prohibit a public agency from outsourcing its local emergency dispatch services to a private entity. Further, the bill clarifies that under the ERISA Act, a public safety agency maintains the authority to determine the appropriate deployment of emergency resources within their jurisdiction to provide the highest and best level of emergency response for the community it serves. *FIRE POSITION: WATCH.*

Upcoming Informational & Budget Hearings

- **Wednesday, April 3, 2019, at 9:30 a.m.**
Assembly Budget Subcommittee #3 (Resources)
Item Description
3900 Air Resources Board
8660 Public Utilities Commission
3360 Energy Resources Conservation and Development Commission
Cap and Trade Program
- **Monday, April 8, 2019, at 2:30 p.m.**
Assembly Budget Subcommittee #5 (Public Safety)
Item Description
0690 Office of Emergency Services
Budget Change Proposals
- **Monday, April 22, 2019, at 2:30 p.m.**
Assembly Budget Subcommittee #1 (Health)
Item Description
4120 Emergency Medical Services Authority
- **Wednesday, April 24, 2019, at 9:30 a.m.**
Assembly Budget Subcommittee #3 (Resources)
APRIL FINANCE LETTERS
- **Thursday, April 25, 2019, at 9:30 a.m. or Upon Adjournment of Session**
Senate Budget Sub #2 (Resources)
SPRING FINANCE LETTERS – ALL DEPARTMENTS
- **Wednesday, May 1, 2019, at 9:30 a.m.**
Assembly Budget Sub #3 (Resources)
OPEN ISSUES
- **Thursday, May 2, 2019, at 9:30 a.m. or Upon Adjournment of Session**
Senate Budget Sub #2 (Resources)
ALL DEPARTMENTS – OPEN ISSUES
- **Wednesday, May 8, 2019, at 9:30 a.m.**
Assembly Budget Sub#3 (Resources)
OPEN ISSUES

- **Wednesday, May 8, 2019, at 10:00 a.m.**
Senate Insurance Committee Information Hearing: Update on Wildfires and Homeowner's Insurance: Access and Affordability
- **Wednesday, May 8, 2019, at 1:30 p.m.**
Joint Hearing Assembly Local Government, Governmental Organization and Housing and Community Development Committees
Informational Hearing: The Age of Wildfires: Pre and Post-Wildfire Planning and Housing Delivery at the Local Level.
- **Thursday, May 9, 2019, at 9:30 a.m. or Upon Adjournment of Session**
Senate Budget Sub #2 (Resources)
ALL DEPARTMENTS – OPEN ISSUES
- **Wednesday, May 15, 2019, at 9:30 a.m.**
Assembly Budget Sub#3 (Resources)
MAY REVISE PROPOSALS
- **Thursday, May 16, 2019, at 9:30 a.m. or Upon Adjournment of Session**
Senate Budget Subcommittee #2 (Resources)
May Revise Proposals – All Departments
- **Wednesday, May 22, 2019, at 9:30 a.m.**
Assembly Budget Sub#3 (Resources)
MAY REVISE PROPOSALS II
- **Thursday, May 23, 2019, at 9:30 a.m. or Upon Adjournment of Session**
Senate Budget Subcommittee #2 (Resources)
May Revise Proposals – All Departments

FIRE Legislative Status Report
Report Date: 4/1/2019



Building Permits/Standards

[AB 38](#)

(Wood D) Fire safety: State Wildfire Preparedness Board: Fire Hardened Homes Revolving Loan Fund.

Current Text: Amended: 3/21/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 12/3/2018

Last Amend: 3/21/2019

Status: 3/25/2019-Re-referred to Com. on G.O.

Location: 1/24/2019-A. G.O.

Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Conf. Conc.	Enrolled	Vetoed	Chaptered	
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Calendar: 4/3/2019 1:30 p.m. - State Capitol, Room 4202 ASSEMBLY GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATION, GRAY, Chair

Summary: Current law, the California Building Standards Law, requires the State Fire Marshal to develop, and the California Building Standards Commission to review, building standards to implement the state's fire and life safety policy. This bill would, on or after July 1, 2025, require a seller of a building in a very high fire hazard severity zone to provide to the buyer a certificate certifying that the low-cost retrofits developed by the State Fire Marshal have been undertaken on the building.

Position	Priority	Subject
Watch		Building Permits/Standards

Notes: 3/21/19: FPOs: AB38 Wood Watch; Transfer of properties requires hardening; Authorizes a Billion in loans from general fund.

3/9/19-SA: accessory dwelling units will result in increased populations and demands for service without increasing tax revenue to provide the services.

[AB 68](#)

(Ting D) Land use: accessory dwelling units.

Current Text: Amended: 3/27/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 12/3/2018

Last Amend: 3/27/2019

Status: 3/28/2019-Re-referred to Com. on H. & C.D.

Location: 1/17/2019-A. H. & C.D.

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Calendar: 4/3/2019 9:15 a.m. - State Capitol, Room 127 ASSEMBLY HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT, CHIU, Chair

Summary: Current law requires a local agency to ministerially approve or deny a permit application for the creation of an accessory dwelling unit within 120 days of receiving the application. This bill would instead require a local agency to ministerially approve or deny a permit application for the creation of an accessory dwelling unit permit within 60 days of receipt.

Position	Priority	Subject
Watch		Building Permits/Standards

Attachments:

[AB 68 \(Ting\) Fact SheetV2](#)

Notes: 3/21/2019-FPOs: AB68 Ting - Watch (What is the intent?); Increased ministerial review for ADU; Reduced setbacks (reduced fire access, 5 feet down to 4).

3/9/2019-SA: accessory dwelling units will result in increased populations and demands for service without increasing tax revenue to provide the services.

[AB 69](#)

(Ting D) Land use: accessory dwelling units.

Current Text: Amended: 3/27/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 12/3/2018

Last Amend: 3/27/2019

Status: 3/28/2019-Re-referred to Com. on H. & C.D.

Location: 1/17/2019-A. H. & C.D.

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Calendar: 4/3/2019 9:15 a.m. - State Capitol, Room 127 ASSEMBLY HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT, CHIU, Chair

Summary: Current law requires the Department of Housing and Community Development to propose building standards to the California Building Standards Commission, and to adopt, amend, or repeal rules and regulations governing, among other things, apartment houses and dwellings, as specified. This bill would require the department to propose small home building standards governing accessory dwelling units and homes smaller than 800 square feet. The bill would require the small home building standards to be submitted to the California Building Standards Commission for adoption on or before January 1, 2021.

Position	Priority	Subject
Oppose		Building Permits/Standards

Attachments:

[AB 69 \(Ting\) Fact SheetV1](#)

Notes: 3/21/2019-FPOs: AB69 Ting - Oppose; ADU Ministerial Review.
3/9/2019-SA: accessory dwelling units will result in increased populations and demands for service without increasing tax revenue to provide the services.

[AB 178](#)

(Dahle R) Energy: building standards: photovoltaic requirements.

Current Text: Introduced: 1/9/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 1/9/2019

Status: 3/25/2019-VOTE: Do pass as amended.

Location: 1/24/2019-A. NAT. RES.

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Summary: Would specify that residential construction intended to repair, restore, or replace a residential building damaged or destroyed as a result of a disaster in an area in which a state of emergency has been proclaimed by the Governor is required to comply with the photovoltaic requirements, if any, that were in effect at the time the damaged or destroyed residential building was originally constructed and is not required to comply with any additional or conflicting photovoltaic requirements in effect at the time of repair, restoration, or replacement.

Position	Priority	Subject
Watch		Building Permits/Standards

Attachments:

[AB 178 \(Dahle\) Fact Sheet](#)

Notes: 3/21/2019-FPOs: AB178 Dahle - Watch; PV exemption/compliance not required in rebuilds after disaster.

3/9/2019-SA: accessory dwelling units will result in increased populations and demands for service without increasing tax revenue to provide the services.

[AB 191](#)

(Patterson R) Building standards: exemptions: rebuilding after disasters.

Current Text: Amended: 3/28/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 1/10/2019

Last Amend: 3/28/2019

Status: 3/28/2019-From committee chair, with author's amendments: Amend, and re-refer to Com. on H. & C.D. Read second time and amended.

Location: 2/4/2019-A. H. & C.D.

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Summary: Current law, the State Housing Law, establishes statewide construction and occupancy standards for buildings used for human habitation, including energy conservation and fire prevention requirements relating to energy efficiency and the installation of interior sprinklers. This bill would, until January 1, 2030, exempt homes that meet specified requirements and are being rebuilt after wildfires or specified emergency events that occurred on or after January 1, 2017, from meeting certain current building standards.

Position	Priority	Subject
Oppose		Building Permits/Standards

Notes: 3/21/2019-FPOs: AB191 Patterson - Oppose; Regardless whether it had AS or not, restrict Sprinklers in rebuild after a wildfire.

3/9/2019-SA: accessory dwelling units will result in increased populations and demands for service without increasing tax revenue to provide the services.

[AB 264](#)

(Melendez R) Income taxes: credits: development impact fees.

Current Text: Introduced: 1/24/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 1/24/2019

Status: 3/25/2019-In committee: Set, second hearing. Hearing canceled at the request of author.

Location: 2/7/2019-A. REV. & TAX

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Summary: The Personal Income Tax Law and the Corporation Tax Law allow various credits against the taxes imposed by those laws. This bill would establish credits against the taxes imposed by those laws for taxable years beginning on or after January 1, 2020, in an amount equal to the total amount paid or incurred during the taxable year by a qualified taxpayer, as defined, for the payment of development impact fees and connection fees applied to newly constructed single-family and multifamily homes.

Position	Priority	Subject
Watch		Building Permits/Standards

Attachments:

[AB 264 \(Melendez\) Fact Sheet Final](#)

Notes: 3/21/2019-FPOs: AB264 Melendez - Watch; Income Tax write-offs for developers complying with impact fees; Reduced tax revenue.

3/9/2019-SA: accessory dwelling units will result in increased populations and demands for service without increasing tax revenue to provide the services.

AB 338 (Chu D) Manufactured housing: smoke alarms: emergency preparedness.

Current Text: Amended: 3/28/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 1/31/2019

Last Amend: 3/28/2019

Status: 3/28/2019-Read second time and amended.

Location: 3/27/2019-A. APPR.

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Summary: Would require all used manufactured homes, used mobilehomes, and used multifamily manufactured homes that are sold on or after January 1, 2020, or rented pursuant to a rental agreement entered into on or after January 1, 2020, to have installed in each room designed for sleeping a smoke alarm that is operable on the date of rental or transfer of title and that complies with the federal National Manufactured Housing Construction and Safety Standards Act of 1974 and has been approved and listed by the Office of the State Fire Marshal on or after January 1, 2014.

Position	Priority	Subject
Support		Building Permits/Standards

Attachments:

[AB 338 \(Chu\) - Factsheet 1.31.2019 Bill Version](#)

Notes: 3/21/2019-FPOs: AB338 Chu - Support.

Author Support Letter

AB 349 (Choi R) Building standards: garage doors.

Current Text: Introduced: 2/4/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/4/2019

Status: 2/11/2019-Referred to Com. on H. & C.D.

Location: 2/11/2019-A. H. & C.D.

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Calendar: 4/24/2019 9:15 a.m. - State Capitol, Room 126 ASSEMBLY HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT, CHIU, Chair

Summary: The California Building Standards Law provides for the adoption of building standards by state agencies by requiring all state agencies that adopt or propose adoption of any building standard to submit the building standard to the California Building Standards Commission (commission) for approval and adoption. This bill would require the commission to require a secondary door that provides ingress and egress to the garage bay for all new single family home construction to be included in the next triennial edition of the California Building Standards Code, as specified

Position	Priority	Subject
Watch		Building Permits/Standards

Attachments:

[AB 349 \(Choi\)Fact Sheet](#)

Notes: 3/21/2019-FPOs: AB 349 Choi - Watch; What is the intent? Extra door for SFR Garages; Difficult with zero lot lines and townhomes.
3/9/2019-Need to ensure that the responsibility gets placed on the SFM to adopt the requirement - regulation through code adoption and not a statute.

AB 393 (Nazarian D) Building codes: earthquake safety: functional recovery standard.

Current Text: Amended: 3/21/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/6/2019

Last Amend: 3/21/2019

Status: 3/25/2019-Re-referred to Com. on H. & C.D.

Location: 3/21/2019-A. H. & C.D.

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Calendar: 4/10/2019 9:15 a.m. - State Capitol, Room 126 ASSEMBLY HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT, CHIU, Chair

Summary: Would require the California Building Standards Commission, by June 30, 2020, to assemble a functional recovery working group comprised of certain state entities and members of the construction and insurance industries, as specified. The bill would require the working group, by June 30, 2021, to consider whether a "functional recovery" standard is warranted for all or some building occupancy classifications, using specified criteria, and to investigate the practical means of implementing that standard, as specified. The bill would require the working group to advise the appropriate state agencies to propose the building standards, as specified.

Position	Priority	Subject
Watch		Building Permits/Standards

Attachments:

[AB 393 \(Nazarian\) Fact Sheet](#)

Notes: 3/21/2019-FPOs: AB393 Nazarian - Watch; Questioning Life Safety - Why?

AB 429 (Nazarian D) Seismically vulnerable buildings: inventory.

Current Text: Amended: 3/20/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/7/2019

Last Amend: 3/20/2019

Status: 3/21/2019-Re-referred to Com. on G.O.

Location: 3/18/2019-A. G.O.

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Calendar: 4/3/2019 1:30 p.m. - State Capitol, Room 4202 ASSEMBLY GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATION, GRAY, Chair

Summary: Current law establishes a program within all cities and all counties and portions thereof located within seismic zone 4, as defined, to identify all potentially hazardous buildings and to establish a mitigation program for these buildings. This bill would require the Alfred E. Alquist Seismic Safety Commission, by specified deadlines, to identify funding and develop a bidding process for hiring a third-party contractor to create an inventory of potentially vulnerable buildings, as defined. The bill would require the third-party contractor, in conjunction with the commission, by July 1, 2022, to develop a statewide inventory of potentially seismically vulnerable buildings in 29 specified counties in California using information developed by local jurisdictions pursuant to the above-described provisions.

Position	Priority	Subject
Oppose/Watch?		Building Permits/Standards

Attachments:

[AB 429 \(Nazarian\) Fact Sheet](#)

Notes: 3/21/2019-FPOs: AB429 Nazarian - Oppose (Watch?); 3rd party identify bad seismic; No obligation to fix anything; Maybe better for CALBO to weigh in.

AB 430 (Gallagher R) Housing development: Camp Fire Housing Assistance Act of 2019.

Current Text: Amended: 3/19/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/7/2019

Last Amend: 3/19/2019

Status: 3/20/2019-Re-referred to Com. on NAT. RES.

Location: 2/15/2019-A. NAT. RES.

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Calendar: 4/8/2019 2:30 p.m. - State Capitol, Room 447 ASSEMBLY NATURAL RESOURCES, FRIEDMAN, Chair

Summary: Current law authorizes a development proponent to submit an application for a development permit that is subject to a streamlined, ministerial approval process and not subject to a conditional use permit if the development satisfies specified objective planning standards, including that the development is a multifamily housing development that contains 2 or more residential units. This bill would authorize a development proponent to submit an application for a residential development, or mixed use development that includes residential units, in the County of Butte that is subject to a similar streamlined, ministerial approval process and not subject to a conditional use permit if the development satisfies specified objective planning standards.

Position	Priority	Subject
		Building Permits/Standards

[AB 431](#) ([Gallagher R](#)) California Environmental Quality Act: exemptions: projects in Town of Paradise and Butte County.

Current Text: Amended: 3/19/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/7/2019

Last Amend: 3/19/2019

Status: 3/20/2019-Re-referred to Com. on NAT. RES.

Location: 2/15/2019-A. NAT. RES.

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Calendar: 4/8/2019 2:30 p.m. - State Capitol, Room 447 ASSEMBLY NATURAL RESOURCES, FRIEDMAN, Chair

Summary: Would exempt from CEQA projects or activities related to the provision of sewer treatment or water service to the Town of Paradise or related to the improvement of evacuation routes in the Town of Paradise. The bill would also exempt from CEQA projects or activities undertaken by the Paradise Irrigation District related to the provision of water service.

Position	Priority	Subject
		Building Permits/Standards

[AB 587](#) ([Friedman D](#)) Accessory dwelling units: sale or separate conveyance.

Current Text: Introduced: 2/14/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/14/2019

Status: 3/27/2019-Coauthors revised. From committee: Do pass and re-refer to Com. on L. GOV. (Ayes 8. Noes 0.) (March 27). Re-referred to Com. on L. GOV.

Location: 2/14/2019-A. L. GOV.

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Calendar: 4/10/2019 1:30 p.m. - State Capitol, Room 447 ASSEMBLY LOCAL GOVERNMENT, AGUIAR-CURRY, Chair

Summary: Current property tax law establishes a welfare exemption under which property is exempt from taxation if the property is owned and operated by a nonprofit corporation that is organized and operated for the purpose of building and rehabilitating single-family or multifamily residences for sale, as provided, at cost to low-income families. This bill would authorize an accessory dwelling unit that was ministerially approved pursuant to the process described above to be sold or conveyed separately from the primary residence to a qualified buyer if certain conditions are met.

Position	Priority	Subject
Oppose		Building Permits/Standards

Attachments:

[AB 587 \(Friedman\) Habitat ADU Fact Sheet](#)

Notes: 3/21/2019-FPOs: AB587 Friedman - Oppose; ADU; Permits ADU split and sell from main structure; Messes with existing sprinklered and water; Messes with Fire Apparatus Access.

[AB 670](#) ([Friedman D](#)) Common interest developments: accessory dwelling units.

Current Text: Amended: 3/28/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/15/2019

Last Amend: 3/28/2019

Status: 3/28/2019-Referred to Coms. on H. & C.D. and JUD. From committee chair, with author's amendments: Amend, and re-refer to Com. on H. & C.D. Read second time and amended.

Location: 3/28/2019-A. H. & C.D.

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Summary: The Davis-Stirling Common Interest Development Act, governs the management and operation of common interest developments. Current law prohibits the governing document of a common interest development from prohibiting the rental or leasing of any separate interest in the common interest development, unless that governing document was effective prior to the date the owner acquired title to their separate interest. This bill would make a provision in a common interest development's governing document void and unenforceable if it prohibits the construction of accessory dwelling units or junior accessory dwelling units, as specified. The bill would apply only to a governing document or amendment to a governing document that becomes effective on or after January 1, 2020.

Position **Priority** **Subject**
 Building
 Permits/Standards

[AB 671](#) **(Friedman D) Accessory dwelling units: incentives.**

Current Text: Amended: 3/26/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/15/2019

Last Amend: 3/26/2019

Status: 3/27/2019-Re-referred to Com. on H. & C.D.

Location: 3/25/2019-A. H. & C.D.

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Calendar: 4/10/2019 9:15 a.m. - State Capitol, Room 126 ASSEMBLY HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT, CHIU, Chair

Summary: Would require a local agency to include a plan that incentivizes and promotes the creation of accessory dwelling units that can be offered at affordable rent for very low, low-, and moderate-income households in its housing element. The bill would require the Department of Housing and Community Development to develop a list of existing state grants and financial incentives for operating, administrative, and other expenses in connection with the planning, construction, and operation of accessory dwelling units with affordable rent, as specified.

Position **Priority** **Subject**
 Building
 Permits/Standards

Attachments:

[AB 671 \(Friedman\) ADU Incentives Fact Sheet](#)

Notes: FS REQUESTED.

[AB 881](#) **(Bloom D) Accessory dwelling units.**

Current Text: Introduced: 2/20/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/20/2019

Status: 3/26/2019-In committee: Hearing postponed by committee.

Location: 3/4/2019-A. H. & C.D.

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Calendar: 4/3/2019 9:15 a.m. - State Capitol, Room 127 ASSEMBLY HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT, CHIU, Chair

Summary: The Planning and Zoning Law provides for the creation of accessory dwelling units by local ordinance, or, if a local agency has not adopted an ordinance, by ministerial approval, in accordance with specified standards and conditions. Current law requires the ordinance to designate areas where accessory dwelling units may be permitted and authorizes the designated areas to be based on criteria that includes, but is not limited to, the adequacy of water and sewer services and the impact of accessory dwelling units on traffic flow and public safety. This bill would instead require a local agency to designate these areas based on the adequacy of water and sewer services and the impact of accessory dwelling units on traffic flow and public safety.

Position **Priority** **Subject**
 Watch
 Building
 Permits/Standards

Attachments:

[AB 881 \(Bloom\) Fact Sheet](#)

Notes: 3/21/2019-FPOs: AB881 Bloom - Watch; what is the intent?; ADU ministerial review; Needs to clarify fire apparatus access.

[AB 1006](#) **(Grayson D) Manufactured or prefabricated housing units: statewide standards.**

Current Text: Introduced: 2/21/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/21/2019

Status: 3/7/2019-Referred to Com. on H. & C.D.

Location: 3/7/2019-A. H. & C.D.

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Summary: Current law, the Planning and Zoning Law, authorizes a local agency to provide, by ordinance, for the creation of manufactured homes in single-family and multifamily residential zones and sets forth required ordinance standards, including, among others, maximum unit size, parking, and roof overhang standards. This bill would prohibit a local agency from imposing additional building standards for projects that are constructed using prefabricated and manufactured units, beyond those set forth in the California Building Standards Code.

Position
Oppose

Priority

Subject
Building
Permits/Standards

Notes: 3/21/2019-FPOs: AB1006 Grayson - Oppose; Severely limits local control to regulate; Limits locals ability to address tactical issues.

[AB 1074](#) (Diep R) Accessory Dwelling Unit Construction Bond Act of 2020.

Current Text: Introduced: 2/21/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/21/2019

Status: 3/7/2019-Referred to Coms. on H. & C.D. and L. GOV.

Location: 3/7/2019-A. H. & C.D.

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Summary: Would enact the Accessory Dwelling Unit Construction Bond Act of 2020 (bond act), which, if adopted, would authorize the issuance of bonds in the amount of \$500,000,000 pursuant to the State General Obligation Bond Law to finance the Accessory Dwelling Unit Construction Program, established as part of the bond act. The bill would authorize the Department of Housing and Community Development to enter into a contract under that program with a homeowner to provide financing to pay for the eligible costs incurred by the homeowner in constructing an accessory dwelling unit on the homeowner's property, subject to specified terms and conditions.

Position
Watch

Priority

Subject
Building
Permits/Standards

Notes: 3/21/2019-FPOs: AB1074 Diep - Watch; ADU Loan program.

[AB 1177](#) (Frazier D) Planning and zoning: housing development: streamlined approval.

Current Text: Introduced: 2/21/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/21/2019

Status: 3/25/2019-From committee: Be re-referred to Coms. on H. & C.D. and L. GOV. (Ayes 12. Noes 0.) (March 25). Re-referred to Com. on H. & C.D.

Location: 3/25/2019-A. H. & C.D.

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Summary: Current law, until January 1, 2026, authorizes a development proponent to submit an application for a multifamily housing development, which satisfies specified objective planning standards, that is subject to a streamlined, ministerial approval process, as provided, and not subject to a conditional use permit. Under current law, those objective planning standards include that the development proponent must certify both (1) that the development is either a public work, for purposes of specified law, or that all construction workers employed in the execution of the development will be paid at least the general prevailing rate of per diem wages for the type of work and geographic area and (2) that if the development meets certain conditions, a skilled and trained workforce, as defined, will be used to complete the development if the application is approved, as provided. Existing law exempts from any requirement to pay prevailing wages or use a skilled and trained workforce a project that includes 10 or fewer units and is not a public work. This bill would delete the requirement that a skilled and trained workforce be employed on any project subject to these provisions.

Position
Oppose

Priority

Subject
Building
Permits/Standards

Notes: 3/21/2019-FPOs: AB1177 Frazier - Oppose; Doesn't do much for us but supports ministerial review.

[AB 1239](#) (Cunningham R) Planning and zoning: housing element.

Current Text: Amended: 3/21/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/21/2019

Last Amend: 3/21/2019

Status: 3/25/2019-Re-referred to Com. on H. & C.D.

Location: 3/21/2019-A. H. & C.D.

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Summary: The Planning and Zoning Law law requires that the housing element, among other things, sets forth a schedule of actions during the planning period that the local government is undertaking or intends to undertake to implement the policies and achieve the goals of the housing element, as provided. Current law authorizes the Department of Housing and Community Development to allow a city or county to substitute the provision of units for up to 25% of the community's obligation to identify adequate sites for any income category in its housing element pursuant to a schedule of actions. This bill would additionally authorize the department to allow a city or county to substitute the provision of units for up to 25% of the community's obligation to identify adequate sites for any income category under the above-described schedule of actions if the governing body of the city or county has adopted both (1) an ordinance that implements requirements under state law, as well as any applicable requirements of the city or county, relating to accessory dwelling units and meets certain requirements and (2) an ordinance establishing a permitting process and appropriate standards to regulate short-term rentals of single-family dwellings in order to accomplish specified objectives. The bill would also make various nonsubstantive changes.

Position

Priority

Subject

Building
Permits/Standards

AB 1367 (**Brough R**) **Housing: live-work units.**

Current Text: Introduced: 2/22/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/22/2019

Status: 2/25/2019-Read first time.

Location: 2/22/2019-A. PRINT

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Summary: Would state the Legislature's intent to enact legislation that would encourage the development of live-work units.

Position

Priority

Subject

Watch

Building
Permits/Standards

Notes: 3/21/2019-FPOs: AB1367 Brough - Watch; Live/Work Units.

AB 1585 (**Boerner Horvath D**) **Accessory dwelling units.**

Current Text: Introduced: 2/22/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/22/2019

Status: 2/25/2019-Read first time.

Location: 2/22/2019-A. PRINT

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Summary: The Planning and Zoning Law authorizes a local agency to provide by ordinance for the creation of accessory dwelling units in single-family and multifamily residential zones and sets forth standards the ordinance is required to impose, including, among others, maximum unit size, parking, and height standards. This bill would make nonsubstantive changes to these provisions.

Position

Priority

Subject

Watch

Building
Permits/Standards

Notes: 3/21/2019-FPOs: AB1585 Boerner-Harvah - Watch.

AB 1745 (**Kalra D**) **Shelter crisis: homeless shelters: County of Alameda: City of San Jose.**

Current Text: Amended: 3/28/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/22/2019

Last Amend: 3/28/2019

Status: 3/28/2019-Referred to Com. on H. & C.D. From committee chair, with author's amendments: Amend, and re-refer to Com. on H. & C.D. Read second time and amended.

Location: 3/28/2019-A. H. & C.D.

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Summary: Current law, upon a declaration of a shelter crisis by the City of Berkeley, Emeryville, Los Angeles, Oakland, or San Diego, the County of Santa Clara, or the City and County of San Francisco, specifies additional provisions applicable to a shelter crisis declared by one of those jurisdictions. Among other things, existing law exempts from the California Environmental Quality Act specified actions by a state agency or a city, county, or city and county relating to land owned by a local government to be used for, or to provide financial assistance to, a homeless shelter constructed pursuant to these provisions. Current law requires a city, county, or city and county that declares a shelter crisis pursuant to these provisions to develop a plan to address the shelter crisis on or before July 1, 2019, and to annually report to specified committees of the Legislature on or before January 1, 2019, and annually thereafter until January 1, 2021. Current law repeals these additional provisions as of January 1, 2021. This bill would apply these additional provisions to a shelter crisis declared by the County of Alameda or the City of San Jose, if those jurisdictions meet specified requirements, and extend the repeal date of these provisions to January 1, 2023.

Position Watch
Priority
Subject Building Permits/Standards

Notes: 3/21/2019-FPOs: AB1745 Kaira - Watch.

AB 1769 (Frazier D) Fire County of Solano: mental health facilities.

Current Text: Amended: 3/28/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/22/2019

Last Amend: 3/28/2019

Status: 3/28/2019-Referred to Com. on HEALTH. From committee chair, with author's amendments: Amend, and re-refer to Com. on HEALTH. Read second time and amended.

Location: 3/28/2019-A. HEALTH

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Summary: Would appropriate \$14,000,000 to the County of Solano from the General Fund in the 2019–20 fiscal year for the planning, construction, and operation of two integrated mental health residential facilities, as specified. The bill would require the county to report specified information to the Governor and the Legislature annually, on or before January 1, of each year, commencing in 2022, and ending, upon repeal of the provision, in 2025.

Position Watch
Priority
Subject Building Permits/Standards

Notes: 3/21/2019-FPOs: AB1769 Frazier - Watch.

AB 1783 (Rivas, Robert D) H-2A worker housing: state funding: streamlined approval process for agricultural employee housing development.

Current Text: Amended: 3/28/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/22/2019

Last Amend: 3/28/2019

Status: 3/28/2019-From committee chair, with author's amendments: Amend, and re-refer to Com. on H. & C.D. Read second time and amended.

Location: 3/18/2019-A. H. & C.D.

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Calendar: 4/3/2019 9:15 a.m. - State Capitol, Room 127 ASSEMBLY HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT, CHIU, Chair

Summary: The California Community Services Block Grant Program requires the Department of Community Services and Development to administer the federal Community Services Block Grant funds to provide financial assistance for activities designed to have a measurable and potentially major impact on causes of poverty in a community or areas of a community where poverty is a particularly acute problem. Current law authorizes this funding to assist programs that, among other things, meet the needs of migrant and seasonal farmworkers and their families, such as improved housing and sanitation, including the provision and maintenance of emergency and temporary housing and sanitation facilities. This bill would prohibit the provision of state funding, as defined, for the purposes of planning, developing, or operating any housing used to comply with the federal law requirement to furnish housing to H-2A workers and would require an employer, as defined, or other recipient of state funding who utilizes state funding for these purposes to reimburse the state or state agency that provided the funding in an amount equal to the amount of that state funding expended for those purposes

Position
Priority
Subject Building Permits/Standards

SB 4**(McGuire D) Housing.****Current Text:** Amended: 2/28/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)**Introduced:** 12/3/2018**Last Amend:** 2/28/2019**Status:** 3/26/2019-Set for hearing April 2.**Location:** 3/7/2019-S. HOUSING

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Calendar: 4/2/2019 1:30 p.m. - John L. Burton Hearing Room (4203) SENATE HOUSING SPECIAL ORDER, WIENER, Chair

Summary: Would authorize a development proponent of a neighborhood multifamily project or eligible TOD project located on an eligible parcel to submit an application for a streamlined, ministerial approval process that is not subject to a conditional use permit. The bill would define a "neighborhood multifamily project" to mean a project to construct a multifamily unit of up to 2 residential dwelling units in a nonurban community, as defined, or up to 4 residential dwelling units in an urban community, as defined, that meets local height, setback, and lot coverage zoning requirements as they existed on July 1, 2019. The bill would define an "eligible TOD project" as a project located in an urban community, as defined, that meets specified height requirements, is located within 1/2 mile of an existing or planned transit station parcel or entrance, and meets other floor area ratio, density, parking, and zoning requirements.

Position	Priority	Subject
Watch w/ Concerns		Building Permits/Standards

Attachments:[SB 4 \(McGuire\) Fact Sheet](#)

Notes: 3/21/2019-FPOs: SB4 McGuire - Watch (Need Clarification); Pg 17 Line #12... Government Code 65913.6(i) - He's looking our for fire but too ambiguous. I'll need others on our committee to weigh in on "specific, adverse impact" to life safety.

3/9/2019-Impact Fee Concerns.

SB 6**(Beall D) Residential development: available land.****Current Text:** Amended: 2/27/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)**Introduced:** 12/3/2018**Last Amend:** 2/27/2019**Status:** 3/15/2019-Set for hearing April 2.**Location:** 3/7/2019-S. HOUSING

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Calendar: 4/2/2019 1:30 p.m. - John L. Burton Hearing Room (4203) SENATE HOUSING, WIENER, Chair

Summary: Would require the Department of Housing and Community Development to furnish the Department of General Services with a list of local lands suitable and available for residential development as identified by a local government as part of the housing element of its general plan. The bill would require the Department of General Services to create a database of that information and information regarding state lands determined or declared excess and to make this database available and searchable by the public by means of a link on its internet website.

Position	Priority	Subject
Watch		Building Permits/Standards

Notes: 3/21/2019-FPOs: SB6 Beall - Watch.**SB 13****(Wieckowski D) Accessory dwelling units.****Current Text:** Amended: 3/11/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)**Introduced:** 12/3/2018**Last Amend:** 3/11/2019**Status:** 3/26/2019-Set for hearing April 2.**Location:** 3/20/2019-S. HOUSING

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Calendar: 4/2/2019 1:30 p.m. - John L. Burton Hearing Room (4203) SENATE HOUSING, WIENER, Chair

Summary: Current law requires accessory dwelling units to comply with specified standards, including that the accessory dwelling unit is either attached to, or located within, the proposed or existing primary dwelling or detached if located within the same lot, and that it does not exceed a specified

amount of total area of floor space. This bill would, instead, authorize the creation of accessory dwelling units in areas zoned to allow single-family or multifamily dwelling use.

Position	Priority	Subject
Oppose		Building Permits/Standards

Attachments:

[SB 13 \(Wieckowski\) Fact Sheet Draft 3.7.19](#)

Notes: 3/21/2019-FPOs: SB13 Wieckowski - Oppose; ADU ministerial review; 17980.12 Limits Local Enforcement Agencies and provides continued use until Cal Fire/SFM Evaluation on our enforcement measures.

[SB 50](#)

(Wiener D) Planning and zoning: housing development: incentives.

Current Text: Amended: 3/11/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 12/3/2018

Last Amend: 3/11/2019

Status: 3/26/2019-Set for hearing April 2.

Location: 3/11/2019-S. HOUSING

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Calendar: 4/2/2019 1:30 p.m. - John L. Burton Hearing Room (4203) SENATE HOUSING SPECIAL ORDER, WIENER, Chair

Summary: Would require a city, county, or city and county to grant upon request an equitable communities incentive when a development proponent seeks and agrees to construct a residential development, as defined, that satisfies specified criteria, including, among other things, that the residential development is either a job-rich housing project or a transit-rich housing project, as those terms are defined; the site does not contain, or has not contained, housing occupied by tenants or accommodations withdrawn from rent or lease in accordance with specified law within specified time periods; and the residential development complies with specified additional requirements under existing law.

Position	Priority	Subject
		Building Permits/Standards

[SB 190](#)

(Dodd D) Fire safety: building standards.

Current Text: Amended: 3/5/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 1/30/2019

Last Amend: 3/5/2019

Status: 3/14/2019-Set for hearing April 9.

Location: 3/12/2019-S. N.R. & W.

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Calendar: 4/9/2019 8:30 a.m. - Room 112 SENATE NATURAL RESOURCES AND WATER, STERN, Chair

Summary: Would require the Office of the State Fire Marshal to develop, in consultation with representatives from local, state, and federal fire services, local government, building officials, utility companies, the building industry, and the environmental community, a model defensible space program to be made available for use by a city, county, or city and county in the enforcement of the defensible space provisions. The bill would set forth required components of the program.

Position	Priority	Subject
Support		Building Permits/Standards

Notes: 3/21/2019-FPOs: SB190 Dodd - Support.

3/9/2019-Need to include Districts.

Sen. Natural Resources & Water Support Letter

[SB 659](#)

(Borgeas R) California Environmental Quality Act: attorney's fees: infill housing.

Current Text: Amended: 3/27/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/22/2019

Last Amend: 3/27/2019

Status: 3/27/2019-From committee with author's amendments. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Com. on RLS.

Location: 2/22/2019-S. RLS.

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Summary: Would require a court, in an action or proceeding brought under CEQA on a project

involving the development of housing at an infill site, to award reasonable attorney's fees to a prevailing respondent or real party in interest.

Position	Priority	Subject
Spot Bill		Building Permits/Standards

Notes: 3/21/2019-FPOs: SB659 Borgeas - Spot.

Communications

AB 183 (Wood D) Telecommunications service: natural disasters: reports.

Current Text: Introduced: 1/10/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 1/10/2019

Status: 1/24/2019-Referred to Com. on C. & C.

Location: 1/24/2019-A. C. & C.

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Calendar: 4/10/2019 1:30 p.m. - State Capitol, Room 437 ASSEMBLY COMMUNICATIONS AND CONVEYANCE, SANTIAGO, Chair

Summary: Would require the Public Utilities Commission to collect specified information from telecommunications service providers relating to the provider's efforts and resources used to restore telecommunications service outages caused by, and to repair or replace related network infrastructure or facilities that were damaged as a result of, certain emergencies or natural disasters.

Position	Priority	Subject
Watch		Communications

AB 511 (Nazarian D) Mobile telephony service: earthquake early warning.

Current Text: Amended: 3/25/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/13/2019

Last Amend: 3/25/2019

Status: 3/26/2019-Re-referred to Com. on C. & C.

Location: 3/25/2019-A. C. & C.

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Summary: Under current law, the Public Utilities Commission has regulatory authority over public utilities, including telephone corporations. Existing law establishes various service requirements applicable to mobile telephony service providers. This bill would require, on and after December 1, 2020, that any mobile telephony service communications device sold in California incorporate earthquake early warning technology to function as part of the wireless emergency alerts system and that this function be activated unless the purchaser expressly exercises the option to deactivate the function.

Position	Priority	Subject
		Communications

AB 911 (Rodriguez D) Office of Emergency Services: 911 Emergency Communication System.

Current Text: Amended: 3/21/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/20/2019

Last Amend: 3/21/2019

Status: 3/25/2019-Re-referred to Com. on C. & C.

Location: 3/21/2019-A. C. & C.

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Calendar: 4/10/2019 1:30 p.m. - State Capitol, Room 437 ASSEMBLY COMMUNICATIONS AND CONVEYANCE, SANTIAGO, Chair

Summary: Would require the Office of Emergency Services, by January 1, 2022, to establish a statewide 911 Emergency Communication System, as described. The bill would require the system to enable all Californians, including older adults, individuals with disabilities, and other at-risk persons, to voluntarily share specified information about themselves, via a secure internet website, to be transmitted to first responders during an emergency, as provided. The bill would require the office to assist participating local governments in the adoption of the appropriate technology to implement the system and in making specified determinations about the system.

Position	Priority	Subject
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Notes: 3/9/2019-Need to ensure there are mechanisms to keep information current when people move. Need to require licensed facilities (ALF, SNF, Foster, etc.) to participate.

[AB 956](#)**(Diep R) Telecommunications: automatic dialing-announcing devices: residential subscriber information: emergency alert notifications.**

Current Text: Introduced: 2/21/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/21/2019

Status: 3/4/2019-Referred to Coms. on C. & C. and P. & C.P.

Location: 3/4/2019-A. C. & C.

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Summary: Current law expressly provides that the use of automatic dialing-announcing devices by law enforcement agencies, fire protection agencies, public health agencies, public environmental health agencies, city or county emergency services planning agencies, or any private for-profit agency operating under contract with, and at the direction of, one or more of these agencies, for specified purposes relating to public safety and emergencies is not prohibited. This bill would expressly provide that the use of automatic dialing-announcing devices by those entities to test, not more than once per year, the enhanced 911 emergency telephone system for data accuracy and emergency alert notification system capabilities is also not prohibited.

Position**Priority****Subject**

Support

Communications

Attachments:

[AB 956 \(Diep\) Fact Sheet - e911](#)

[AB 1079](#)**(Santiago D) Telecommunications: privacy protections.**

Current Text: Introduced: 2/21/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/21/2019

Status: 3/7/2019-Referred to Com. on C. & C.

Location: 3/7/2019-A. C. & C.

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Summary: Current law prohibits a provider of mobile telephony services, as defined, or any affiliate or agent of the provider, when providing the name and dialing number of a subscriber for inclusion in a directory or directory database, from including the dialing number of any subscriber without first obtaining the express consent of that subscriber. Current law authorizes providing those telephone numbers without regard to consent to a law enforcement agency, fire protection agency, public health agency, public environmental health agency, city or county emergency services planning agency, or private for-profit agency operating under contract with, and at the direction of, one or more of these agencies, for the exclusive purpose of responding to a 911 call or communicating an imminent threat to life or property. This bill would additionally authorize providing those telephone numbers to those parties without consent for the purpose of testing the systems that respond to 911 calls or testing systems that communicate threats to life or property.

Position**Priority****Subject**

Support

Communications

[AB 1168](#)**(Mullin D) Emergency services: text to 911.**

Current Text: Introduced: 2/21/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/21/2019

Status: 3/11/2019-Referred to Com. on C. & C.

Location: 3/11/2019-A. C. & C.

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Summary: Current law, the Warren-911-Emergency Assistance Act, provides that each local public agency within its respective jurisdiction establish a basic system that automatically connects a person dialing 911 to an established public safety answering point through normal telephone service facilities, or to be part of such a system. This bill would require each public safety answering point to deploy a text to 911 service, no later than January 1, 2021, that is capable of accepting either Short Message Service messages or Real-Time Text messages.

Position**Priority****Subject**

Watch

Communications

Attachments:

[AB 1168 \(Mullin\) Fact Sheet](#)

[AB 1699](#)**(Levine D) Telecommunications: public safety customer accounts: states of emergency.**

Current Text: Introduced: 2/22/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/22/2019

Status: 3/18/2019-Referred to Coms. on C. & C. and P. & C.P.

Location: 3/18/2019-A. C. & C.

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Summary: Would prohibit a telecommunications service provider from throttling or otherwise failing to provide adequate or necessary telecommunications service to its public safety customer accounts during a state of emergency.

Position: Support
Priority:
Subject: Communications

Attachments:

[AB 1699 \(Levine\) Fact Sheet](#)

SB 670

(McGuire D) Telecommunications: outages affecting public safety.

Current Text: Introduced: 2/22/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/22/2019

Status: 3/21/2019-Set for hearing April 2.

Location: 3/14/2019-S. E. U., & C.

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Calendar: 4/2/2019 9 a.m. - Room 3191 SENATE ENERGY, UTILITIES AND COMMUNICATIONS, HUESO, Chair

Summary: Would require a provider of telecommunications services, as defined, that provides access to 911 service to provide responder outage notification by electronic mail to the Office of Emergency Services whenever an outage occurs limiting the provider's customers' ability to make 911 calls or receive emergency notifications, within 60 minutes of discovering the outage. The bill would make the Office of Emergency Services responsible for notifying any applicable county office of emergency services and the sheriff of any county affected by the outage. The bill would require the responder outage notification to the Office of Emergency Services to include the telecommunications provider's contact name, a calling number to be staffed as specified, and a description of the estimated area affected by the outage.

Position: Support
Priority:
Subject: Communications

Notes: Author Support Letter

Disaster Relief

AB 41

(Gallagher R) Disaster relief: Camp Fire.

Current Text: Introduced: 12/3/2018 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 12/3/2018

Status: 1/17/2019-Referred to Com. on G.O.

Location: 1/17/2019-A. G.O.

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Calendar: 4/3/2019 1:30 p.m. - State Capitol, Room 4202 ASSEMBLY GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATION, GRAY, Chair

Summary: The California Disaster Assistance Act provides that the state share for disaster project allocations to local agencies is no more than 75% of total state eligible costs, except for specified events for which the state share is up to 100% of state eligible costs. This bill would provide that the state share is up to 100% of total state eligible costs connected with the Camp Fire that started on November 8, 2018, in the County of Butte.

Position: Support
Priority:
Subject: Disaster Relief

Attachments:

[AB 41\(Gallagher\) Fact Sheet](#)

Notes: Assm. GO Support Letter

AB 42

(Gallagher R) Disaster relief: County of Butte: Camp Fire.

Current Text: Introduced: 12/3/2018 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 12/3/2018

Status: 12/4/2018-From printer. May be heard in committee January 3.

Location: 12/3/2018-A. PRINT

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Summary: Would state the intent of the Legislature to enact legislation that would provide for state allocations with respect to property tax revenue reductions resulting from reassessments for damages incurred within the County of Butte due to the 2018 Camp Fire.

Position Support
Priority
Subject Disaster Relief

[AB 247](#) **(Dahle R) Disaster relief: Carr and Klamathon fires.**

Current Text: Introduced: 1/22/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 1/22/2019

Status: 2/7/2019-Referred to Com. on G.O.

Location: 2/7/2019-A. G.O.

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Calendar: 4/3/2019 1:30 p.m. - State Capitol, Room 4202 ASSEMBLY GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATION, GRAY, Chair

Summary: The California Disaster Assistance Act provides that the state share for disaster project allocations to local agencies is no more than 75% of total state eligible costs, except for specified events for which the state share is up to 100% of state eligible costs. This bill would provide that the state share is up to 100% of total state eligible costs connected with the Klamathon fire that started on July 5, 2018, in the County of Siskiyou, and the Carr fire that started on July 23, 2018, in the County of Shasta.

Position Support
Priority
Subject Disaster Relief

Attachments:

[AB 247 \(Dahle\) Fact Sheet](#)

Notes: Assm. GO Support Letter

[AB 248](#) **(Dahle R) Disaster relief: Carr and Klamathon Fires.**

Current Text: Introduced: 1/22/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 1/22/2019

Status: 1/23/2019-From printer. May be heard in committee February 22.

Location: 1/22/2019-A. PRINT

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Summary: Would state the intent of the Legislature to enact legislation that would provide for state allocations with respect to property tax revenue reductions resulting from reassessments for damages incurred within the Counties of Shasta and Siskiyou due to the Carr and Klamathon Fires.

Position Support
Priority
Subject Disaster Relief

Attachments:

[AB 248 \(Dahle\) Fact Sheet](#)

[SB 763](#) **(Galgiani D) Personal income tax: gross income exclusion: discharge of qualified principal residence indebtedness: federal disaster areas.**

Current Text: Introduced: 2/22/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/22/2019

Status: 3/14/2019-Referred to Com. on GOV. & F.

Location: 3/14/2019-S. GOV. & F.

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Summary: Would provide that discharges of qualified principal residence indebtedness occurring on or after January 1, 2017, and before January 1, 2019, due to the loss of a principal residence within a federally declared disaster area, are also excluded from an individual's gross income. The bill would discharge indebtedness for related penalties and interest. The bill would also make other nonsubstantive changes.

Position Watch
Priority
Subject Disaster Relief

Drones/Unmanned Aircraft

[AB 1190](#) (Irwin D) Unmanned aircraft: state and local regulation: limitations.

Current Text: Introduced: 2/21/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/21/2019

Status: 3/11/2019-Referred to Coms. on P. & C.P. and JUD.

Location: 3/11/2019-A. P. & C.P.

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Summary: Would, among other things, prohibit a state or local agency from adopting any law or regulation that bans the operation of an unmanned aircraft system. The bill would include the operation of small unmanned aircraft systems within the definition of hazardous recreational activity for purposes of public entity liability. The bill would authorize a state or local agency to adopt regulations to enforce a requirement that a small unmanned aircraft system be properly registered under existing federal regulations.

Position

Watch

Priority

Subject

Drones/Unmanned Aircraft

Attachments:

[AB 1190 \(Irwin\) Drone Regulation - Fact Sheet](#)

Notes: 3/9/2019-concern about use during and around emergencies.

[SB 648](#) (Chang R) Unmanned aircraft systems: accident notification.

Current Text: Introduced: 2/22/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/22/2019

Status: 3/14/2019-Referred to Com. on TRANS.

Location: 3/14/2019-S. TRANS.

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Calendar: 4/9/2019 1:30 p.m. - John L. Burton Hearing Room (4203)
SENATE TRANSPORTATION, BEALL, Chair

Summary: Would require, except as specified, the operator of an unmanned aircraft system involved in an accident resulting in injury to an individual or damage to property to immediately land the unmanned aircraft at the nearest location that will not jeopardize the safety of others and to provide certain information to the injured individual or the owner or person in charge of the damaged property, or place that information in a conspicuous place on the damaged property.

Position

Watch

Priority

Subject

Drones/Unmanned Aircraft

Notes: 3/9/2019-ensure no mandates on public safety to report.

Emergency Medical Services

[AB 26](#) (Rodriguez D) Emergency ambulance employees.

Current Text: Introduced: 12/3/2018 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 12/3/2018

Status: 1/17/2019-Referred to Com. on L. & E.

Location: 1/17/2019-A. L. & E.

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Summary: Would require an emergency ambulance provider to provide each emergency ambulance employee, who drives or rides in the ambulance, with body armor and safety equipment to wear during the employee's work shift. The bill would also require the emergency ambulance employer to provide training to the emergency ambulance employee on the proper fitting and use of the body armor and safety equipment. The bill would not apply to the state or a political subdivision thereof.

Position

Watch

Priority

Subject

Emergency Medical Services

[AB 27](#) (Rodriguez D) Emergency Ambulance Employee Safety and Preparedness Act.

Current Text: Introduced: 12/3/2018 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 12/3/2018

Status: 1/17/2019-Referred to Com. on L. & E.

Location: 1/17/2019-A. L. & E.

Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Conf. Conc.	Enrolled	Vetoed	Chaptered
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Summary: Would require every current emergency ambulance employee, on or before July 1, 2020, and every new employee hired on or after January 1, 2020, within 6 months of being hired, to attend a 6-hour training on violence prevention that includes, among other things, understanding types of anger, proven and effective verbal deescalation skills, and hands-on demonstrations, workshops, and role-playing scenarios. The bill would require an emergency ambulance employee, following the completion of the 6-hour violence prevention training, to receive a one-hour refresher course each calendar year thereafter.

Position	Priority	Subject
Watch		Emergency Medical Services

Notes: 3/9/2019-Unfunded mandate. Does not include first responders or non-emergency ambulances. Concern about length and content of class.

[AB 453](#)

(Chau D) Emergency medical services: EMT-P training.

Current Text: Introduced: 2/11/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/11/2019

Status: 3/26/2019-In committee: Set, first hearing. Hearing canceled at the request of author.

Location: 2/21/2019-A. HEALTH

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Calendar: 4/2/2019 1:30 p.m. - State Capitol, Room 4202 ASSEMBLY HEALTH, WOOD, Chair

Summary: Under current law, the Emergency Medical Services System and the Prehospital Emergency Medical Care Personnel Act, the Emergency Medical Services Authority is responsible for establishing minimum standards and promulgating regulations for the training and scope of practice for emergency medical technician-paramedics (EMT-P). This bill would require EMT-P standards established pursuant to the above provision to include a training component that would require a minimum of 2 hours of dementia-specific training for EMT-P licensure and recertification.

Position	Priority	Subject
Watch		Emergency Medical Services

[AB 651](#)

(Grayson D) Air ambulance services.

Current Text: Introduced: 2/15/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/15/2019

Status: 2/25/2019-Referred to Com. on HEALTH.

Location: 2/25/2019-A. HEALTH

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Summary: Would require a health care service plan contract or a health insurance policy issued, amended, or renewed on or after January 1, 2020, to provide that if an enrollee, insured, or subscriber, as applicable, receives covered services from a noncontracting air ambulance provider, the enrollee, insured, or subscriber shall pay no more than the same cost sharing that the enrollee, insured, or subscriber would pay for the same covered services received from a contracting air ambulance provider, referred to as the in-network cost-sharing amount.

Position	Priority	Subject
Watch		Emergency Medical Services

Attachments:

[AB 651 \(Grayson\) Fact Sheet 2.27.19](#)

Notes: 3/9/2019-Purportedly, there have several federal cases in recent years that have determined that this is not permissible.

[AB 921](#)

(Arambula D) Emergency medical services: training standards.

Current Text: Introduced: 2/20/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/20/2019

Status: 2/21/2019-From printer. May be heard in committee March 23.

Location: 2/20/2019-A. PRINT

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Summary: Current law establishes the Emergency Medical Services Authority to oversee emergency medical services in the state and requires the authority to develop minimum training and scope of practice standards for EMT-I, EMT-II, and EMT-P personnel. Current law states that these requirements do not preclude the adoption of additional training standards for EMT-II and EMT-P personnel by local emergency medical services agencies. This bill would make technical, nonsubstantive changes to these provisions.

Position	Priority	Subject
Spot Bill		Emergency Medical Services

[AB 1437](#) (Chen R) Local government: redevelopment: revenues from property tax override rates.

Current Text: Amended: 3/26/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/22/2019

Last Amend: 3/26/2019

Status: 3/27/2019-Re-referred to Com. on H. & C.D.

Location: 3/25/2019-A. H. & C.D.

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Summary: Would require certain revenues attributable to a property tax rate approved by the voters of a city, county, city and county, or special district to make payments in support of a mobile intensive care program called "Paramedics" to be allocated to, and when collected to be paid into, the fund of that taxing entity instead of the Redevelopment Property Tax Fund of each successor agency, unless the revenues are pledged as security for the payment of any indebtedness, as provided. The bill would require all allocations of revenues derived from the imposition of that property tax rate made by any county auditor-controller prior to January 1, 2020, to be deemed correct, and would prohibit any city, county, county auditor-controller, successor agency, or affected taxing entity from being subject to any claim, as specified.

Position	Priority	Subject
Watch		Emergency Medical Services

Notes: FS REQUESTED.

[AB 1455](#) (Cooper D) Emergency medical services.

Current Text: Introduced: 2/22/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/22/2019

Status: 2/25/2019-Read first time.

Location: 2/22/2019-A. PRINT

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Summary: The Emergency Medical Services System and the Prehospital Emergency Medical Care Personnel Act establishes the Emergency Medical Services Authority. The act requires the authority, among other things, to develop planning and implementation guidelines for emergency medical services systems and to review plans for the implementation of emergency medical services and trauma care systems from local EMS agencies. This bill would make technical, nonsubstantive changes to the establishment of the Emergency Medical Services Authority.

Position	Priority	Subject
Sponsor/Support 1		Emergency Medical Services

[AB 1544](#) (Gipson D) Community Paramedicine or Triage to Alternate Destination Act.

Current Text: Introduced: 2/22/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/22/2019

Status: 3/14/2019-Referred to Com. on HEALTH.

Location: 3/14/2019-A. HEALTH

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Calendar: 4/9/2019 1:30 p.m. - State Capitol, Room 4202 ASSEMBLY HEALTH, WOOD, Chair

Summary: Would establish within the Emergency Medical Services System and the Prehospital Emergency Medical Care Personnel Act until January 1, 2030, the Community Paramedicine or Triage to Alternate Destination Act of 2019. The bill would authorize a local EMS agency to develop a community paramedicine or triage to alternate destination program, as defined, to provide specified community paramedicine services. The bill would require the authority to develop regulations to establish minimum standards for a program, and would further require the Commission on Emergency Medical Services to review and approve those regulations.

Position	Priority	Subject
Support		Emergency Medical Services

Attachments:

[AB 1544 \(Gipson\) Fact Sheet](#)

Notes: 3/9/2019-CPF Bill.

[AB 1705](#)

(Bonta D) Medi-Cal: emergency medical transportation services.

Current Text: Amended: 3/28/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/22/2019

Last Amend: 3/28/2019

Status: 3/28/2019-From committee chair, with author's amendments: Amend, and re-refer to Com. on HEALTH. Read second time and amended.

Location: 3/18/2019-A. HEALTH

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Calendar: 4/9/2019 1:30 p.m. - State Capitol, Room 4202 ASSEMBLY HEALTH, WOOD, Chair

Summary: Current law authorizes a Medi-Cal provider of ground emergency medical transportation services, that is owned or operated by the state, a city, county, city and county, fire protection district, special district, community services district, health care district, or a federally recognized Indian tribe, to receive supplemental Medi-Cal reimbursement in addition to the rate of payment the provider would otherwise receive for those services. Current law requires the department to develop a modified supplemental reimbursement program, with necessary federal approvals, that would seek to increase the reimbursement to an eligible provider. Current law requires the nonfederal share of any supplemental reimbursement provided under the modified program to be derived from voluntary intergovernmental transfers of local funds. This bill would exempt the above-described providers owned or operated by the specified governmental entities from the Medi-Cal Emergency Medical Transportation Reimbursement Act and the quality assurance fee requirements.

Position	Priority	Subject
Sponsor/Support 1		Emergency Medical Services

Notes: Assm. Health Support Letter

Emergency Planning

[AB 291](#)

(Chu D) Emergency preparedness.

Current Text: Amended: 3/25/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 1/28/2019

Last Amend: 3/25/2019

Status: 3/26/2019-Re-referred to Com. on G.O.

Location: 3/25/2019-A. G.O.

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Summary: Would establish a Local Emergency Preparedness and Hazard Mitigation Fund to support staffing, planning, and other emergency mitigation priorities to help local governments meet emergency management, preparedness, readiness, and resilience goals. The bill would require the Office of Emergency Services to distribute funds to lead agencies, as defined, throughout the state. The bill would require lead agencies to further distribute those funds to local governments pursuant to a specified schedule for specified purposes, and impose various requirements on local governments that receive funds pursuant to these provisions.

Position	Priority	Subject
Spot Bill		Emergency Planning

[AB 394](#)**(Obernolte R) California Environmental Quality Act: exemption: fire safety.****Current Text:** Introduced: 2/6/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)**Introduced:** 2/6/2019**Status:** 3/25/2019-VOTE: Do pass as amended and be re-referred to the Committee on [Appropriations]**Location:** 3/25/2019-A. APPR.

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Summary: Would exempt from CEQA projects or activities recommended by the State Board of Forestry and Fire Protection that improve the fire safety of an existing subdivision if certain conditions are met. The bill would require the lead agency to hold a noticed public meeting to hear and respond to public comments before determining that a project or activity is exempt. The bill would require the lead agency to file a notice of exemption with the Office of Planning and Research and with the clerk of the county in which the project or activity will be located. Because the bill would impose additional duties on a lead agency, this bill would impose a state-mandated local program.

Position	Priority	Subject
Support		Emergency Planning

Attachments:[AB 394 \(Obernolte\) Fact Sheet Fire Safety CEQA Exemption](#)[AB 394 \(Obernolte\) San Bernardino County Support Letter 03-01-2019](#)[AB 477](#)**(Cervantes D) Emergency preparedness: vulnerable populations.****Current Text:** Amended: 3/25/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)**Introduced:** 2/12/2019**Last Amend:** 3/25/2019**Status:** 3/26/2019-Re-referred to Com. on G.O.**Location:** 3/25/2019-A. G.O.

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Summary: Current law authorizes cities, cities and counties, and counties to create disaster councils, by ordinance, to develop plans for meeting any condition constituting a local emergency or state of emergency, including, but not limited to, earthquakes, natural or manmade disasters specific to that jurisdiction, or state of war emergency. This bill would require cities, cities and counties, and counties to include representatives from the access and functional needs population, as defined, in the next regular update to their emergency plan, as specified.

Position	Priority	Subject
Spot Bill		Emergency Planning

[AB 486](#)**(Limón D) Disaster preparedness: local government: animal wildfire evacuation plan.****Current Text:** Introduced: 2/12/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)**Introduced:** 2/12/2019**Status:** 3/21/2019-In committee: Set, first hearing. Hearing canceled at the request of author.**Location:** 2/25/2019-A. G.O.

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Summary: Would, if a city or county requires a permit to keep an animal within its jurisdiction, require an animal owner as a condition for obtaining the permit to create and submit to the city or county an animal wildfire evacuation plan for any animal covered by the permit. By imposing a new duty on local government, this bill would impose a state-mandated local program.

Position	Priority	Subject
Watch		Emergency Planning

Notes: 3/9/2019-Develops a state mandate.
FS REQUESTED.

[AB 557](#)**(Wood D) Atmospheric Rivers: Research, Mitigation, and Climate Forecasting Program.****Current Text:** Introduced: 2/13/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)**Introduced:** 2/13/2019**Status:** 3/26/2019-From committee: Do pass and re-refer to Com. on APPR. (Ayes 14. Noes 0.) (March 26). Re-referred to Com. on APPR.**Location:** 3/26/2019-A. APPR.

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Calendar: 4/3/2019 9 a.m. - State Capitol, Room 4202 ASSEMBLY APPROPRIATIONS, GONZALEZ, Chair

Summary: Would appropriate \$9,250,000 from the General Fund to the Department of Water Resources in the 2019–20 fiscal year to operate the Atmospheric Rivers: Research, Mitigation, and Climate Forecasting Program.

Position
Watch

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Subject
Emergency
Planning

Notes: 3/9/2019-could impact DRiSC and pre-position info/intelligence.

[AB 661](#)

(McCarty D) Wildfire Smoke Air Pollution Emergency Plan.

Current Text: Amended: 3/19/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/15/2019

Last Amend: 3/19/2019

Status: 3/20/2019-Re-referred to Com. on NAT. RES.

Location: 3/18/2019-A. NAT. RES.

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Calendar: 4/8/2019 2:30 p.m. - State Capitol, Room 447 ASSEMBLY NATURAL RESOURCES, FRIEDMAN, Chair

Summary: Would require air districts to prepare a wildfire smoke air pollution emergency plan as an informational source for local agencies and the public during a wildfire smoke air pollution emergency, as specified. The bill would authorize air districts to conduct public education, marketing, demonstration, monitoring, research, and evaluation programs or projects with respect to wildfire smoke impact control measures. By requiring air districts to develop a wildfire smoke air pollution emergency plan, the bill would impose a state-mandated local program.

Position

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[AB 868](#)

(Bigelow R) Electrical corporations, electrical cooperatives, local publicly owned electric utilities: wildfire mitigation plans.

Current Text: Amended: 3/25/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/20/2019

Last Amend: 3/25/2019

Status: 3/26/2019-Re-referred to Com. on U. & E.

Location: 3/4/2019-A. U. & E.

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Calendar: 4/3/2019 1:30 p.m. - State Capitol, Room 437 ASSEMBLY UTILITIES AND ENERGY, HOLDEN, Chair

Summary: Would require each electrical corporation, local publicly owned electric utility, and electrical cooperative that deenergizes portions of the electrical grid as a wildfire mitigation measure to adopt protocols for when deenergization will be undertaken, protocols for providing notice and other steps to be taken to minimize any adverse effects from deenergization, and protocols for restoring electrical service following a deenergization, as specified.

Position
Watch

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Emergency
Planning

Attachments:

[AB 868 \(Bigelow\) Fact Sheet 3.1.19](#)

[AB 905](#)

(Chen R) Department of Transportation: Highway Design Manual: fire prone areas.

Current Text: Introduced: 2/20/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/20/2019

Status: 3/4/2019-Referred to Com. on TRANS.

Location: 3/4/2019-A. TRANS.

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Summary: Current law provides that the Department of Transportation has full possession and control of the state highway system and associated property. Current law vests various powers in the department including, among others, the planning, designing, constructing, maintaining, and operating

of transportation systems under its jurisdiction. This bill would require the department to update the Highway Design Manual to incorporate the use of k-rails, weed mats, or other fire proofing devices in fire prone areas.

Position Spot Bill
Priority
Subject Emergency Planning

[AB 1034](#) (Friedman D) Health and care facilities: emergency and disaster plan.

Current Text: Introduced: 2/21/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)
Introduced: 2/21/2019
Status: 3/7/2019-Referred to Com. on HUM. S.
Location: 3/7/2019-A. HUM. S.

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Calendar: 4/9/2019 1:30 p.m. - State Capitol, Room 437 ASSEMBLY HUMAN SERVICES, REYES, Chair
Summary: Would require community care facilities, including a resource family, certified or licensed foster family home, or a small family home, residential care facilities for persons with a life-threatening illness, and child daycare facilities, to have an emergency and disaster plan that includes specified requirements, including plans for transportation needs and evacuation procedures.

Position Watch
Priority
Subject Emergency Planning

Notes: 3/9/2019-Need to connect this Bill with AB 911 (Rodriguez). May be driven, or have nexus to the CCLD waivers in Sacramento County.

[AB 1062](#) (Limón D) Pupil instruction: community emergency response training.

Current Text: Amended: 3/28/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)
Introduced: 2/21/2019
Last Amend: 3/28/2019
Status: 3/28/2019-Referred to Coms. on ED. and JUD. From committee chair, with author's amendments: Amend, and re-refer to Com. on ED. Read second time and amended.
Location: 3/28/2019-A. ED.

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Summary: Would require, commencing with the 2021-22 school year, the governing board of a school district or the governing body of a charter school to offer as an elective at each high school, a course in community emergency response team (CERT) basic training, as provided. The bill would require the State Department of Education to provide guidance on how to implement these provisions, including, but not limited to, who may provide instruction. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.

Position Watch
Priority
Subject Emergency Planning

Notes: FS REQUESTED.

[AB 1067](#) (Bigelow R) Public lands: Department of Parks and Recreation: wildfire management plan: wildland-urban interface.

Current Text: Introduced: 2/21/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)
Introduced: 2/21/2019
Status: 3/26/2019-From committee: Do pass and re-refer to Com. on NAT. RES. (Ayes 14. Noes 0.) (March 26). Re-referred to Com. on NAT. RES.
Location: 3/26/2019-A. NAT. RES.

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Summary: Would require the Director of Parks and Recreation, no later than January 1, 2023, to develop and implement a wildfire management plan for all property under the jurisdiction of the Department of Parks and Recreation that is in the wildland-urban interface, as defined.

Position Watch
Priority
Subject Emergency Planning

Attachments:
[AB 1067 \(Bigelow\) Fact Sheet 2.25.19](#)

[AB 1299](#) (Flora R) Mutual aid: reimbursements: volunteer firefighters.

Current Text: Amended: 3/21/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/22/2019

Last Amend: 3/21/2019

Status: 3/25/2019-Re-referred to Com. on L. & E.

Location: 3/21/2019-A. L. & E.

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Summary: Would require a nonprofit or public fire department that has volunteer firefighters and receives reimbursement from the federal, state, or local government through a mutual aid request, if the applicable fire agreement is intended to reimburse for personnel costs for work performed associated with firefighting in which the volunteer firefighters of the fire department have participated, to pass through to those volunteers specific reimbursement. The bill would require a fire department that utilizes the services of volunteer firefighters to maintain documentation of reimbursements and allow access to those records as prescribed.

Position
Spot Bill

Priority

Subject
Emergency
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AB 1432 (Dahle R) Water shortage emergencies: declarations: wildfires.

Current Text: Amended: 3/25/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/22/2019

Last Amend: 3/25/2019

Status: 3/26/2019-Re-referred to Com. on W., P., & W.

Location: 3/25/2019-A. W.,P. & W.

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Calendar: 4/9/2019 9 a.m. - State Capitol, Room 444 ASSEMBLY WATER, PARKS AND WILDLIFE, GARCIA, EDUARDO, Chair

Summary: Would authorize a public water supplier to declare a water shortage emergency condition without holding a public hearing in the event of a wildfire.

Position

Priority

Subject
Emergency
Planning

AB 1500 (Carrillo D) Hazardous substances.

Current Text: Amended: 3/28/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/22/2019

Last Amend: 3/28/2019

Status: 3/28/2019-Read second time and amended.

Location: 3/26/2019-A. APPR.

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Summary: Would repeal the provision authorizing a UPA to suspend or revoke a unified program facility permit, or an element of a unified program facility permit, for not paying the permit fee or a fine or penalty associated with the permit. The bill would authorize the UPA, if a permittee does not comply with a written notice from the UPA to make those payments by the specified date, in addition to suspending or revoking the permit or permit element, to withhold issuance of the permit or permit element.

Position

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Emergency
Planning

Notes: 03/18/2019-LA COUNTY IS CO-SPONSOR OF THIS BILL.

AB 1708 (Rodriguez D) Emergency response: trauma kits.

Current Text: Introduced: 2/22/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/22/2019

Status: 3/18/2019-Referred to Com. on JUD.

Location: 3/18/2019-A. JUD.

Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Conf. Conc.	Enrolled	Vetoed	Chaptered
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Calendar: 4/9/2019 9 a.m. - State Capitol, Room 437 ASSEMBLY JUDICIARY, STONE, MARK, Chair

Summary: Would define "trauma kit" to mean a first aid response kit that contains specified items, including, among other things, at least 2 tourniquets. The bill would require a person or entity that

supplies a trauma kit to provide the person or entity that acquires the trauma kit with all information governing the use, installation, operation, training, and maintenance of the trauma kit.

Position Watch
Priority
Subject Emergency Planning

[AB 1823](#) (Committee on Natural Resources) Fire protection: local fire planning.

Current Text: Introduced: 3/12/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 3/12/2019

Status: 3/28/2019-Referred to Com. on NAT. RES.

Location: 3/28/2019-A. NAT. RES.

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Summary: Current law requires the State Board of Forestry and Fire Protection, on or before July 1, 2022, to develop criteria and maintain a "Fire Risk Reduction Community" list of local agencies located in a state responsibility area or a very high fire hazard severity zone that meet best practices for local fire planning. Current law requires the board to consider certain things when developing the criteria for the list, including recently developed or updated community wildfire protection plans. This bill would also require the board, when considering developing criteria for the list, to also consider compliance with the board's regulations, including the minimum fire safety standards.

Position Watch
Priority
Subject Emergency Planning

[SB 130](#) (Galgiani D) Fire prevention grants: cities in very high fire hazard severity zones: emergency fire siren warning system.

Current Text: Amended: 3/25/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 1/10/2019

Last Amend: 3/25/2019

Status: 3/25/2019-From committee with author's amendments. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Com. on RLS.

Location: 1/10/2019-S. RLS.

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Summary: Would require the Department of Forestry and Fire Protection to establish a grant program to provide funding grants to applicant cities located in areas identified or designated as very high fire hazard severity zones, as specified, to be used for the installation and implementation of an emergency fire siren warning system. The bill would authorize the department, upon appropriation by the Legislature, to expend the sum of \$10,000,000 for grants provided pursuant to the grant program.

Position Watch
Priority
Subject Emergency Planning

[SB 133](#) (Galgiani D) Wildfires: detection.

Current Text: Introduced: 1/14/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 1/14/2019

Status: 1/24/2019-Referred to Com. on RLS.

Location: 1/14/2019-S. RLS.

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Summary: Current law establishes various programs for the prevention, detection, and mitigation of wildfires. This bill would state the intent of the Legislature to enact legislation to create and fund a program for installing remote infrared cameras that can help in detecting wildfires.

Position Watch
Priority
Subject Emergency Planning

[SB 167](#) (Dodd D) Electrical corporations: wildfire mitigation plans.

Current Text: Introduced: 1/28/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 1/28/2019

Status: 3/27/2019-Action From E. U., & C.: Do pass as amended.To APPR..

Location: 3/27/2019-S. APPR.

Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Conf. Conc.	Enrolled	Vetoed	Chaptered
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Summary: Current law requires wildfire mitigation plans to include specified information, including protocols for disabling reclosers and deenergizing portions of the electrical distribution system that consider the associated impacts on public safety, as well as protocols related to mitigating the public safety impacts of those protocols, including impacts on critical first responders and on health and communication infrastructure. This bill would require those protocols to additionally include impacts on customers enrolled in the California Alternative Rates for Energy (CARE) program, receiving medical baseline allowances of electricity or gas, and who the electrical corporation has identified as critical care customers relying on life-support equipment.

Position	Priority	Subject
Support		Emergency Planning

Notes: Author Support Letter

[SB 169](#) (Jackson D) Pipeline safety: records.

Current Text: Introduced: 1/28/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 1/28/2019

Status: 3/12/2019-From committee: Do pass and re-refer to Com. on APPR. (Ayes 13. Noes 1.) (March 12). Re-referred to Com. on APPR.

Location: 3/12/2019-S. APPR.

Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Conf. Conc.	Enrolled	Vetoed	Chaptered
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Summary: The Elder California Pipeline Safety Act of 1981 requires the State Fire Marshal to administer provisions regulating the inspection of intrastate pipelines that transport hazardous liquids. The act requires a pipeline operator to make available to the State Fire Marshal, or any officers or employees authorized by the State Fire Marshal, upon presentation of appropriate credentials, any records, maps, or written procedures that are required by the act to be kept by the pipeline operator and which concern accident reporting, design, construction, testing, or operation and maintenance. This bill would revise and recast specified provisions and would authorize the State Fire Marshal, for purposes of carrying out the requirements of state or federal law relating to hazardous liquid pipeline safety, to require the owner or operator of a pipeline to establish and maintain records, make reports, and provide any information that the State Fire Marshal reasonably requires, as provided.

Position	Priority	Subject
Watch		Emergency Planning

Attachments:

[SB 169 \(Jackson\) Fact Sheet 3.4.19](#)

[SB 182](#) (Jackson D) Local government: planning and zoning: wildfires.

Current Text: Amended: 3/28/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 1/29/2019

Last Amend: 3/28/2019

Status: 3/28/2019-From committee with author's amendments. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Com. on GOV. & F.

Location: 2/6/2019-S. GOV. & F.

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Summary: Would require the safety element, upon the next revision of the housing element or the hazard mitigation plan, on or after January 1, 2020, whichever occurs first, to be reviewed and updated as necessary to include a comprehensive retrofit strategy, as specified. The bill would also require the planning agency to review and, if necessary, revise the safety element upon each revision of the housing element or local hazard mitigation plan, but not less than once every 8 years, to identify new information relating to retrofit updates applicable to the city or county that was not available during the previous revision of the safety element.

Position	Priority	Subject
Watch		Emergency Planning

[SB 209](#) (Dodd D) Wildfire: California Wildfire Warning Center: weather monitoring.

Current Text: Introduced: 2/4/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/4/2019

Status: 3/26/2019-From committee: Do pass and re-refer to Com. on E., U. & C. (Ayes 13. Noes 1.) (March 26). Re-referred to Com. on E., U. & C.

Location: 3/26/2019-S. E. U., & C.

Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Conf.	Enrolled	Vetoed	Chaptered
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Summary: Would establish in the state government the California Wildfire Warning Center (center). The center would be comprised of representatives from the Public Utilities Commission, the Office of Emergency Services, and the Department of Forestry and Fire Protection, as provided. The center would have various responsibilities relating to fire-threat weather conditions, including overseeing the development and deployment of a statewide network of automated weather and environmental stations designed to observe mesoscale meteorological phenomena that contribute to increased wildfire risk, including a statewide fire weather forecasting, monitoring, and threat assessment system.

Position	Priority	Subject
Support		Emergency Planning

Notes: 3/9/2019-Vision is to create a data fusion center.
Author Support Letter

[SB 261](#) (Wilk R) Office of Emergency Services.

Current Text: Introduced: 2/12/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/12/2019

Status: 2/21/2019-Referred to Com. on RLS.

Location: 2/12/2019-S. RLS.

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Summary: The California Emergency Services Act, among other things, establishes the Office of Emergency Services for the purpose of mitigating the effects of natural, manmade, or war-caused emergencies and makes findings and declarations relating to ensuring that preparation within the state will be adequate to deal with those emergencies. This bill would make nonsubstantive changes to these provisions.

Position	Priority	Subject
Spot Bill		Emergency Planning

[SB 438](#) (Hertzberg D) Emergency medical services: dispatch.

Current Text: Amended: 3/25/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/21/2019

Last Amend: 3/25/2019

Status: 3/25/2019-From committee with author's amendments. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Com. on RLS.

Location: 2/21/2019-S. RLS.

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Summary: Would prohibit a public agency from delegating, assigning, or contracting for "911" emergency call processing or notification duties regarding the dispatch of emergency response resources unless the delegation or assignment is to, or the contract is with, another public agency or made pursuant to a joint powers agreement or cooperative agreement. The bill would state the Legislature's intent to affirm and clarify a public agency's duty and authority to develop emergency communication procedures and respond quickly to a person seeking emergency services through the "911" emergency telephone system.

Position	Priority	Subject
Watch		Emergency Planning

Attachments:

[SB 438 \(Hertzberg\) - Background Fact Sheet UPDATED 3.25.19](#)

Notes: 3/6/2019-CPF sponsored bill.

[SB 548](#) (Hill D) Electricity: transmission facilities: inspection.

Current Text: Introduced: 2/22/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/22/2019

Status: 3/21/2019-Set for hearing April 2.

Location: 3/7/2019-S. E. U., & C.

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Calendar: 4/2/2019 9 a.m. - Room 3191 SENATE ENERGY, UTILITIES AND COMMUNICATIONS, HUESO, Chair

Summary: Would require the Public Utilities Commission to adopt a new, or amend an existing,

general order to establish a schedule of inspection by electrical corporations of their transmission facilities.

Position	Priority	Subject
Spot Bill		Emergency Planning

Attachments:

[SB 548 \(Hill\) Fact Sheet transmission- 2-20-19 \(002\)](#)

[SB 668](#) (Rubio D) Fire hydrants: water suppliers: regulations.

Current Text: Introduced: 2/22/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/22/2019

Status: 3/15/2019-Set for hearing April 23.

Location: 3/14/2019-S. N.R. & W.

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Calendar: 4/23/2019 9:30 a.m. - Room 112 SENATE NATURAL RESOURCES AND WATER, STERN, Chair

Summary: Current law requires the State Fire Marshal to establish a statewide uniform color coding of fire hydrants that relates to flow testing. Each agency that maintains fire hydrants is required to comply with these requirements as part of its ongoing maintenance program. This bill would require the State Water Resources Control Board, by December 1, 2021, to develop and adopt regulations for reporting and inspections regarding public water suppliers. The bill would require that the regulations adopted by the board ensure water suppliers' compliance with local standards for fire safety.

Position	Priority	Subject
		Emergency Planning

[SB 761](#) (Jones R) Forestry: exemptions: emergency notices: reporting.

Current Text: Introduced: 2/22/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/22/2019

Status: 3/14/2019-Referred to Com. on RLS.

Location: 2/22/2019-S. RLS.

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Summary: Current law authorizes a registered professional forester in an emergency to file, on behalf of a timber owner or operator, a specified emergency notice with the department that allows for the immediate commencement of timber operations. Current law requires the Department of Forestry and Fire Protection and State Board of Forestry and Fire Protection, in consultation with the Department of Fish and Wildlife and the State Water Resources Control Board, commencing December 31, 2019, and annually thereafter, to review and submit a report to the Legislature on the trends in the use of, compliance with, and effectiveness of, these exemptions and emergency notice provisions, as specified. This bill would make nonsubstantive changes in that reporting requirement.

Position	Priority	Subject
Spot Bill		Emergency Planning

Emergency Services

[AB 1231](#) (Boerner Horvath D) Emergency services.

Current Text: Introduced: 2/21/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/21/2019

Status: 3/11/2019-Referred to Com. on HEALTH.

Location: 3/11/2019-A. HEALTH

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Summary: Would require response time requirements in any contract for ground emergency medical transportation entered into, amended, or renewed, by a state or local entity on and after January 1, 2020, to be consistent with performance standards established by the International Academies of Emergency Dispatch. By increasing the duties of local entities, this bill would create a state-mandated local program.

Position	Priority	Subject
Oppose		Emergency Services

Attachments:

[AB 1231 \(Boerner Horvath\) Fact Sheet 03.14.19](#)

Notes: 3/9/2019-Local control determines levels of service provided.

[AB 1601](#)

(Ramos D) Office of Emergency Services: behavioral health response.

Current Text: Introduced: 2/22/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/22/2019

Status: 3/14/2019-Referred to Coms. on G.O. and HEALTH.

Location: 3/14/2019-A. G.O.

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Calendar: 4/3/2019 1:30 p.m. - State Capitol, Room 4202 ASSEMBLY GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATION, GRAY, Chair

Summary: Would establish a behavioral health deputy director within the Office of Emergency Services to ensure individuals have access to necessary mental and behavioral health services and supports in the aftermath of a natural disaster or declaration of a state of emergency and would require the deputy director to collaborate with the Director of Health Care Services to coordinate the delivery of trauma-related support to individuals affected by a natural disaster or state of emergency.

Position	Priority	Subject
Spot Bill		Emergency Services

[SB 46](#)

(Jackson D) Emergency services: telecommunications.

Current Text: Amended: 3/5/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 12/3/2018

Last Amend: 3/5/2019

Status: 3/20/2019-Re-referred to Com. on E., U. & C.

Location: 3/20/2019-S. E. U., & C.

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Summary: Current law authorizes each county, including a city and county, to enter into an agreement to access the contact information of resident accountholders through the records of a public utility or other agency responsible for water service, waste and recycling services, or other property-related services for the sole purpose of enrolling county residents in a county-operated public emergency warning system. Current law requires any county that enters into such an agreement to include procedures to enable any resident to opt out of the warning system and a process to terminate the receiving agency's access to the resident's contact information. Current law prohibits the use of the information gathered for any purpose other than for emergency notification. This bill would expand these provisions to authorize a city to enter into an agreement to access the contact information of resident accountholders through the records of a public utility, as specified.

Position	Priority	Subject
Watch		Emergency Services

Notes: 3/9/2019-Request author to include Districts.

[SB 160](#)

(Jackson D) Emergency services: cultural competence.

Current Text: Introduced: 1/24/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 1/24/2019

Status: 3/22/2019-Set for hearing April 9.

Location: 2/6/2019-S. G.O.

Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Conf. Conc.	Enrolled	Vetoed	Chaptured
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Calendar: 4/9/2019 9:30 a.m. - John L. Burton Hearing Room (4203) SENATE GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATION, DODD, Chair

Summary: Current law defines the terms "political subdivision" and "emergency plans" for purposes of emergency services provided by local governments. Current law requires a county, upon the next update to its emergency plan, to integrate access and functional needs into its emergency plan, as specified. This bill would require a county to integrate cultural competence, as defined, into its emergency plan, upon the next update to its emergency plan, as specified. By increasing the duties of local officials, this bill would impose a state-mandated local program.

Position	Priority	Subject
Watch		Emergency Services

Attachments:

Notes: 3/9/2019-Emergency notification systems need to be in different languages. How would this be implemented and maintained?

Employment Issues

[AB 9](#)

(Reyes D) Employment discrimination: limitation of actions.

Current Text: Amended: 3/21/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 12/3/2018

Last Amend: 3/21/2019

Status: 3/25/2019-Re-referred to Com. on APPR.

Location: 1/17/2019-A. APPR.

Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Conf. Conc.	Enrolled	Vetoed	Chaptered
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Calendar: 4/3/2019 9 a.m. - State Capitol, Room 4202 ASSEMBLY APPROPRIATIONS, GONZALEZ, Chair

Summary: The California Fair Employment and Housing Act makes specified employment and housing practices unlawful, including discrimination against or harassment of employees and tenants, among others. Current law authorizes a person claiming to be aggrieved by an alleged unlawful practice to file a complaint with the Department of Fair Employment and Housing within one year from the date upon which the unlawful practice occurred, unless otherwise specified. This bill would extend the above-described period to 3 years for complaints alleging employment discrimination, as specified.

Position	Priority	Subject
Oppose		Employment Issues

Attachments:

[AB 9 \(Reyes\) Fact Sheet](#)

[AB 137](#)

(Cooper D) Public safety officers: investigations and interviews.

Current Text: Amended: 3/11/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 12/7/2018

Last Amend: 3/11/2019

Status: 3/28/2019-Read third time. Passed. Ordered to the Senate. In Senate. Read first time. To Com. on RLS. for assignment.

Location: 3/28/2019-S. DESK

Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Conf. Conc.	Enrolled	Vetoed	Chaptered
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Summary: Would specify that a public safety officer under investigation is required to be informed of, to the extent the information is reasonably known to the agency, the time, date, and location of any incident at issue, and the titles of any policies, orders, rules, procedures, or directives alleged to have been violated with a general characterization of the event giving rise to the allegation. The bill would prohibit these provisions from being construed to grant a right to full discovery of reports and witness statements or a detailed description of the events that are the basis of the allegation before an officer's interrogation. The bill would specify information an agency may provide if it is investigating voluminous complaints, as defined, regarding the violation of the same rule or policy.

Position	Priority	Subject
Spot Bill		Employment Issues

Attachments:

[AB 137 \(Cooper\) Fact Sheet](#)

[AB 170](#)

(Gonzalez D) Employment: sexual harassment: liability.

Current Text: Amended: 3/21/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 1/8/2019

Last Amend: 3/21/2019

Status: 3/28/2019-From committee: Amend, and do pass as amended. (Ayes 8. Noes 3.) (March 26).

Location: 3/26/2019-A. JUD.

Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Conf. Conc.	Enrolled	Vetoed	Chaptered
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Calendar: 4/1/2019 #11 ASSEMBLY SECOND READING FILE -- ASSEMBLY BILLS

Summary: Would require a client employer to share with a labor contractor all civil legal responsibility and civil liability for harassment for all workers supplied by that labor contractor.

Position	Priority	Subject
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Attachments:

[AB 170 \(Gonzalez\) Fact Sheet 02.11.2019 FINAL](#)

Notes: 3/9/2019-Coordinate with League of Cities.

[AB 171](#)

(Gonzalez D) Employment: sexual harassment.

Current Text: Amended: 3/21/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 1/8/2019

Last Amend: 3/21/2019

Status: 3/26/2019-From committee: Do pass and re-refer to Com. on APPR. (Ayes 9. Noes 2.) (March 26). Re-referred to Com. on APPR.

Location: 3/26/2019-A. APPR.

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Summary: Would also prohibit an employer from discharging or in any manner discriminating or retaliating against an employee because of the employee's status as a victim of sexual harassment, as defined by the California Fair Employment and Housing Act. The bill would establish a rebuttable presumption of unlawful retaliation based on the employee's status as a victim of domestic violence, sexual assault, sexual harassment, or stalking if an employer takes specific actions within 90 days following either the date when the victim provides notice to the employer or when the employer has actual knowledge of the status.

Position	Priority	Subject
Watch		Employment Issues

Attachments:

[AB 171 \(Gonzalez\) Fact Sheet 022619 FINAL \(002\)](#)

Notes: 3/9/2019-Coordinate with League of Cities.

[AB 196](#)

(Gonzalez D) Paid family leave.

Current Text: Amended: 3/26/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 1/10/2019

Last Amend: 3/26/2019

Status: 3/27/2019-Re-referred to Com. on INS.

Location: 3/25/2019-A. INS.

Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Conf. Conc.	Enrolled	Vetoed	Chaptered	
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Calendar: 4/24/2019 9 a.m. - State Capitol, Room 437 ASSEMBLY INSURANCE, DALY, Chair

Summary: Would revise the formula for determining benefits available pursuant to the family temporary disability insurance program, for periods of disability commencing after January 1, 2020, by redefining the weekly benefit amount to be equal to 100% of the wages paid to an individual for employment by employers during the quarter of the individual's disability base period in which these wages were highest, divided by 13, but not exceeding the maximum workers' compensation temporary disability indemnity weekly benefit amount established by the Department of Industrial Relations.

Position	Priority	Subject
Watch		Employment Issues

Attachments:

[AB 196 \(Gonzalez\) Fact Sheet](#)

Notes: 3/9/2019-Coordinate with League of Cities.

[AB 249](#)

(Choi R) Public employers: employee organizations.

Current Text: Introduced: 1/22/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 1/22/2019

Status: 2/7/2019-Referred to Com. on P.E. & R.

Location: 2/7/2019-A. P.E. & R.

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Calendar: 4/3/2019 9 a.m. - State Capitol, Room 444 ASSEMBLY PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT AND RETIREMENT, RODRIGUEZ, Chair

Summary: Would prohibit a public employer from deterring or discouraging a public employee or an applicant to be a public employee from opting out of becoming or remaining a member of an employee organization. The bill would prohibit a public employer from taking adverse action against a public employee or applicant to be a public employee who opts out of becoming or remaining a member of an

employee organization and would specify that adverse action includes reducing a public employee's current level of pay or benefits.

Position	Priority	Subject
Watch		Employment Issues

Attachments:

[AB 249 \(Choi\) Fact Sheet](#)

[AB 287](#)

(Voepel R) Public employees' retirement: annual audits.

Current Text: Introduced: 1/28/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 1/28/2019

Status: 2/7/2019-Referred to Com. on P.E. & R.

Location: 2/7/2019-A. P.E. & R.

Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Conf. Conc.	Enrolled	Vetoed	Chaptered
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Summary: Current law requires each state and local public pension or retirement system, on and after the 90th day following the completion of the annual audit of the system, to provide a concise annual report on the investments and earnings of the system, as specified, to any member who makes a request and pays a fee, if required, for the costs incurred in preparation and dissemination of that report. This bill would also require each state and local pension or retirement system to post a concise annual audit of the information described above on that system's internet website no later than the 90th day following the audit's completion.

Position	Priority	Subject
Watch		Employment Issues

[AB 314](#)

(Bonta D) Public employment: labor relations: release time.

Current Text: Introduced: 1/30/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 1/30/2019

Status: 3/18/2019-In committee: Hearing postponed by committee.

Location: 2/11/2019-A. P.E. & R.

Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Conf. Conc.	Enrolled	Vetoed	Chaptered
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Calendar: 4/3/2019 9 a.m. - State Capitol, Room 444 ASSEMBLY PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT AND RETIREMENT, RODRIGUEZ, Chair

Summary: Current law, including the Meyers-Milias-Brown Act, the Ralph C. Dills Act, the Trial Court Employment Protection and Governance Act, the Trial Court Interpreter Employment and Labor Relations Act, Judicial Council Employer-Employee Relations Act, and the Los Angeles County Metropolitan Transportation Authority Transit Employer-Employee Relations Act, as well as provisions commonly referred to as the Educational Employment Relations Act and the Higher Education Employer-Employee Relations Act, regulates the labor relations of the state, the courts, and specified local public agencies and their employees. These acts generally require the public entities in this context to grant employee representatives of recognized employee organizations reasonable time off without loss of compensation or benefits for certain purposes in connection with labor relations, commonly referred to as release time. This bill would prescribe requirements relating to release time that would apply to all of the public employers and employees subject to the acts described above and would generally repeal the provisions relating to release time in those acts.

Position	Priority	Subject
Watch		Employment Issues

Attachments:

[AB 314 \(Bonta\) Fact Sheet](#)

Notes: 3/9/2019-Already in existing law???

[AB 333](#)

(Eggman D) Whistleblower protection: state and local independent contractors.

Current Text: Introduced: 1/31/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 1/31/2019

Status: 3/20/2019-In committee: Set, first hearing. Referred to suspense file.

Location: 3/7/2019-A. APPR.

Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Conf. Conc.	Enrolled	Vetoed	Chaptered
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Summary: Current law prohibits an employer, as defined, or any person acting on behalf of the employer, as defined, from, among other things, preventing an employee from, or retaliating against an employee for, providing information to, or testifying before, any public body conducting an

investigation, hearing, or inquiry, if the employee has reasonable cause to believe that the information discloses a violation of a law, regardless of whether disclosing the information is part of the employee's job duties. A violation of these provisions is a crime. This bill would extend the protections afforded to employees under these provisions to independent contractors and contracted entities working for state and local government who are tasked with receiving and investigating complaints from facilities, services, and programs operated by state and local government.

Position	Priority	Subject
Watch		Employment Issues

Attachments:

[AB 333 \(Eggman\) Fact Sheet ver.1 1.29.19](#)

AB 403 (Kalra D) Division of Labor Standards Enforcement: complaint.

Current Text: Introduced: 2/6/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/6/2019

Status: 2/15/2019-Referred to Coms. on L. & E. and JUD.

Location: 2/15/2019-A. L. & E.

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Calendar: 4/3/2019 1:30 p.m. - State Capitol, Room 447 ASSEMBLY LABOR AND EMPLOYMENT, KALRA, Chair

Summary: Current law authorizes a person who believes they have been discharged or otherwise discriminated against in violation of any law under the jurisdiction of the Labor Commissioner to file a complaint with the Division of Labor Standards Enforcement within 6 months after the occurrence of the violation. This bill would extend the period to file a complaint to within 3 years after the occurrence of the violation.

Position	Priority	Subject
Watch		Employment Issues

Attachments:

[AB 403 \(Kalra\) Fact Sheet - Retaliation Claims Deadline 02.06.19 \(002\)](#)

AB 406 (Limón D) Disability compensation: paid family leave: application in non-English languages.

Current Text: Amended: 3/26/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/7/2019

Last Amend: 3/26/2019

Status: 3/27/2019-Re-referred to Com. on INS.

Location: 3/25/2019-A. INS.

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Calendar: 4/24/2019 9 a.m. - State Capitol, Room 437 ASSEMBLY INSURANCE, DALY, Chair

Summary: Current law establishes, within the state disability insurance program administered by the Employment Development Department, a family temporary disability insurance program, also known as the paid family leave program, for the provision of wage replacement benefits to workers who take time off work to care for a seriously ill family member or to bond with a minor child within one year of birth or placement, as specified. This bill would require the department to distribute the application for family temporary disability insurance benefits, in addition to the application in English, in all non-English languages spoken by a substantial number of non-English-speaking applicants.

Position	Priority	Subject
Spot Bill		Employment Issues

Notes: FS REQUESTED.

AB 418 (Kalra D) Evidentiary privileges: union agent-represented worker privilege.

Current Text: Introduced: 2/7/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/7/2019

Status: 3/13/2019-Read second time. Ordered to third reading.

Location: 3/13/2019-A. THIRD READING

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Calendar: 4/1/2019 #15 ASSEMBLY THIRD READING FILE - ASSEMBLY BILLS

Summary: Would establish a privilege between a union agent, as defined, and a represented employee or represented former employee to refuse to disclose any confidential communication between the employee or former employee and the union agent made while the union agent was

acting in the union agent's representative capacity, except as specified. The bill would permit a represented employee or represented former employee to prevent another person from disclosing a privileged communication, except as specified.

Position	Priority	Subject
Watch		Employment Issues

Attachments:

[AB 418 \(Kalra\) Fact Sheet - Union Privilege 02.07.19 \(002\)](#)

[AB 440](#)

(Fong R) The Labor Code Private Attorneys General Act of 2004.

Current Text: Introduced: 2/11/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/11/2019

Status: 2/12/2019-From printer. May be heard in committee March 14.

Location: 2/11/2019-A. PRINT

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Summary: Current law, the Labor Code Private Attorneys General Act of 2004, permits an aggrieved employee, on behalf of themselves and other current or former employees, to bring a civil action pursuant to specified procedures for a violation of a provision of the Labor Code that provides for a civil penalty to be assessed and collected by the Labor and Workforce Development Agency. This bill would make nonsubstantive changes to these provisions.

Position	Priority	Subject
Spot Bill		Employment Issues

[AB 462](#)

(Rodriguez D) Public retirement.

Current Text: Amended: 3/26/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/11/2019

Last Amend: 3/26/2019

Status: 3/27/2019-Re-referred to Com. on P.E. & R.

Location: 2/21/2019-A. P.E. & R.

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Calendar: 4/3/2019 9 a.m. - State Capitol, Room 444 ASSEMBLY PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT AND RETIREMENT, RODRIGUEZ, Chair

Summary: Would make nonsubstantive changes to the provisions defining a county peace officer and prescribing the disability allowance for a state miscellaneous member upon industrial disability retirement.

Position	Priority	Subject
		Employment Issues

[AB 628](#)

(Bonta D) Employment: victims of sexual harassment: protections.

Current Text: Introduced: 2/15/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/15/2019

Status: 2/25/2019-Referred to Coms. on L. & E. and JUD.

Location: 2/25/2019-A. L. & E.

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Calendar: 4/3/2019 1:30 p.m. - State Capitol, Room 447 ASSEMBLY LABOR AND EMPLOYMENT, KALRA, Chair

Summary: Current law prohibits an employer from discriminating or retaliating against an employee who is a victim of domestic violence, sexual assault, or stalking because of the employee's status as a victim, if the employer has notice or knowledge of that status. Current law additionally prohibits an employer with 25 or more employees from discharging, or discriminating or retaliating against an employee who is a victim, in this regard, who takes time off to obtain specified services or counseling. This bill would extend these employment protections to victims of sexual harassment, as defined. The bill would also extend these employment protections to family members, as defined, of the victims for taking time off from work to provide assistance to the victims when seeking relief or obtaining services and counseling, as specified.

Position	Priority	Subject
Watch		Employment Issues

Attachments:

AB 664 (Cooper D) County employees' retirement: permanent incapacity.

Current Text: Amended: 3/13/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/15/2019

Last Amend: 3/13/2019

Status: 3/14/2019-Re-referred to Com. on P.E. & R.

Location: 2/28/2019-A. P.E. & R.

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Calendar: 4/3/2019 9 a.m. - State Capitol, Room 444 ASSEMBLY PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT AND RETIREMENT, RODRIGUEZ, Chair

Summary: Would require, for purposes of determining permanent incapacity of certain members employed as peace officers in the County of Sacramento, that those members be evaluated by the retirement system to determine if they can perform all of the usual and customary duties of a peace officer, as specified. The bill would apply to members who file applications for disability on or after the effective date of the act, except for cases on appeal at that time. The bill would require the board of retirement to develop a method for tracking the costs of providing permanent disability retirement to the members who become eligible for disability retirement pursuant to the bill's provisions. The bill would repeal these provisions on December 31, 2024.

Position	Priority	Subject
Spot Bill		Employment Issues

AB 932 (Low D) Workers' compensation: off-duty firefighters.

Current Text: Introduced: 2/20/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/20/2019

Status: 3/4/2019-Referred to Com. on INS.

Location: 3/4/2019-A. INS.

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Calendar: 4/3/2019 9 a.m. - State Capitol, Room 437 ASSEMBLY INSURANCE, DALY, Chair

Summary: Current law grants workers' compensation benefits to a firefighter, or the firefighter's dependents, if the firefighter is injured, dies, or is disabled by proceeding to or engaging in a fire-suppression or rescue operation, or the protection of life or property, anywhere in California, but is not acting under the immediate supervision of the employer. This bill would expand the scope of this provision to apply when a firefighter engages in a fire-suppression or rescue operation, or the protection or preservation of life or property, outside of this state.

Position	Priority	Subject
Support		Employment Issues

Notes: 3/9/2019-CPF Bill.
Assm. Insurance Support Letter

AB 1107 (Chu D) Workers' compensation: medical treatment: exemption from utilization review.

Current Text: Amended: 3/26/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/21/2019

Last Amend: 3/26/2019

Status: 3/27/2019-Re-referred to Com. on INS.

Location: 3/25/2019-A. INS.

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Calendar: 4/24/2019 9 a.m. - State Capitol, Room 437 ASSEMBLY INSURANCE, DALY, Chair

Summary: Would exempt medical treatment requested by a primary or secondary treating physician from the utilization review process and from dispute on the grounds of medical necessity if either (1) the employee suffers from a serious chronic condition, as defined, the requested treatment has been previously authorized by the employer, and the employer fails to demonstrate a specified change in the employee's circumstances or condition, or (2) the employer has established a medical provider network and the requesting physician is a member of the medical provider network. The bill would require the appeals board to resolve disputes arising under this exemption.

Position	Priority	Subject
Spot Bill		Employment Issues

Notes: FS REQUESTED.

[AB 1116](#) (Grayson D) Firefighters: peer support.

Current Text: Amended: 3/18/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/21/2019

Last Amend: 3/18/2019

Status: 3/19/2019-Re-referred to Com. on HEALTH.

Location: 3/18/2019-A. HEALTH

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Calendar: 4/9/2019 1:30 p.m. - State Capitol, Room 4202 ASSEMBLY HEALTH, WOOD, Chair

Summary: Would, until January 1, 2025, create the Firefighter Peer Support and Crisis Referral Services Pilot Program. The bill would, for purposes of the act, define a "peer support team" as a team composed of emergency service personnel, as defined, hospital staff, clergy, and educators who have been appointed to the team by a Peer Support Labor-Management Committee, as defined, and who have completed a peer support training course developed and delivered by the California Firefighter Joint Apprenticeship Committee, as specified.

Position	Priority	Subject
Support		Employment Issues

Attachments:

[AB 1116 \(Grayson\) Fact Sheet 2.5.19.pdf](#)

Notes: 3/9/2019-CPF bill.

3/9/2019-***May be an opportunity for our FRF Bill***

[AB 1124](#) (Maienschein D) Employment safety: outdoor workers: wildfire smoke.

Current Text: Introduced: 2/21/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/21/2019

Status: 3/7/2019-Referred to Com. on L. & E.

Location: 3/7/2019-A. L. & E.

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Calendar: 4/3/2019 1:30 p.m. - State Capitol, Room 447 ASSEMBLY LABOR AND EMPLOYMENT, KALRA, Chair

Summary: Would require, by June 13, 2019, the Occupational Safety and Health Standards Board to adopt emergency regulations that require employers to make respirators available to outdoor workers on any day the outdoor worker could reasonably be expected to be exposed to harmful levels of smoke from wildfires, or burning structures due to a wildfire, while working. By expanding the scope of an existing crime, the bill would impose a state-mandated local program.

Position	Priority	Subject
Watch		Employment Issues

Attachments:

[AB 1124 \(Maienschein\) Wildfire Protection Fact Sheet](#)

[AB 1211](#) (Reyes D) Firefighters.

Current Text: Introduced: 2/21/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/21/2019

Status: 2/22/2019-From printer. May be heard in committee March 24.

Location: 2/21/2019-A. PRINT

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Summary: Would declare the intent of the Legislature to enact legislation that would provide a career pathway to individuals with previous criminal convictions who have demonstrated rehabilitation and desire to work as firefighters. The bill would provide Legislative findings in support of the measure.

Position	Priority	Subject
Spot Bill		Employment Issues

Notes: 3/9/2019-Coordinate with CPF.

[AB 1368](#) (Garcia, Eduardo D) Death benefits: tribal firefighters.

Current Text: Amended: 3/26/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/22/2019

Last Amend: 3/26/2019

Status: 3/27/2019-Re-referred to Com. on INS.

Location: 3/25/2019-A. INS.

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Summary: Current law provides for the payment of a scholarship to dependents of specified firefighters killed in the performance of duty. Current law also requires the employer of a firefighter who is killed in the performance of duty, or who dies as a result of specified accidents or injuries, to continue providing health benefits to the deceased firefighter's spouse unless the spouse elects to receive a lump-sum survivor's benefit in lieu of monthly benefits. This bill would extend those benefits to a firefighter employed by a tribal fire department.

Position
Support

Priority

Subject
Employment
Issues

Notes: FS REQUESTED.

AB 1400

(Kamlager-Dove D) Workers' compensation: fire service personnel.

Current Text: Introduced: 2/22/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/22/2019

Status: 3/14/2019-Referred to Com. on INS.

Location: 3/14/2019-A. INS.

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Calendar: 4/24/2019 9 a.m. - State Capitol, Room 437 ASSEMBLY INSURANCE, DALY, Chair

Summary: Current law provides that in the case of active firefighting members of certain fire departments, a compensable injury includes cancer that develops or manifests itself during the period when the firefighter demonstrates that the firefighter was exposed while in the service of the public agency to a known carcinogen, as defined. Existing law establishes a presumption that the cancer in these cases arose out of, and in the course of, employment, unless the presumption is controverted by evidence that the primary site of the cancer has been established and that the carcinogen to which the member has demonstrated exposure is not reasonably linked to the disabling cancer. This bill would make that presumption applicable to fire service personnel with exposure to active fires or health hazards resulting from firefighting operations, rather than active firefighting members.

Position
Support

Priority

Subject
Employment
Issues

AB 1631

(Gray D) Fire protection: volunteer firefighters: training.

Current Text: Introduced: 2/22/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/22/2019

Status: 3/18/2019-Referred to Com. on G.O.

Location: 3/18/2019-A. G.O.

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Summary: Would require the State Fire Marshal to employ at least 5 traveling training officers and any necessary equipment to provide weekend and evening training classes year-round, as specified, to volunteer fire departments and those fire departments consisting of a combination of volunteer, partly paid, or fully paid members. The bill would also authorize firefighters to receive 100% reimbursement of actual costs from the State Fire Marshal for attending training classes at a local community college if the State Fire Marshal is unable to provide training classes.

Position
Under Review

Priority

Subject
Employment
Issues

Notes: 3/9/2019-Concern about intent and scope.

AB 1804

(Committee on Labor and Employment) Occupational injuries and illnesses: reporting.

Current Text: Introduced: 2/28/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/28/2019

Status: 3/21/2019-Referred to Com. on L. & E.

Location: 3/21/2019-A. L. & E.

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Calendar: 4/3/2019 1:30 p.m. - State Capitol, Room 447 ASSEMBLY LABOR AND EMPLOYMENT, KALRA, Chair

Summary: Current law requires an employer to immediately report a serious occupational injury, illness, or death to the Division of Occupational Safety and Health by telephone or email, as specified.

This bill would remove the requirement that an employer report by email to the division a serious occupational injury, illness, or death and instead require the report to be made by telephone or through an online mechanism established by the division for that purpose.

Position Watch
Priority
Subject Employment Issues

Notes: 3/9/2019-first responder concerns.

AB 1805 (Committee on Labor and Employment) Occupational safety and health.

Current Text: Introduced: 2/28/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/28/2019

Status: 3/28/2019-In committee: Hearing postponed by committee.

Location: 3/21/2019-A. L. & E.

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Summary: Current law defines "serious injury or illness" and "serious exposure" for purposes of reporting serious occupational injury or illness to the Division of Occupational Safety and Health and for purposes of establishing the division's duty to investigate employment accidents and exposures. This bill would recast the definition of "serious injury or illness" by removing the 24-hour minimum time requirement for qualifying hospitalizations and explicitly including the loss of an eye as a qualifying injury.

Position Watch
Priority
Subject Employment Issues

Notes: 3/9/2019-first responder concerns.

SB 135 (Jackson D) Paid family leave.

Current Text: Amended: 3/25/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 1/15/2019

Last Amend: 3/25/2019

Status: 3/25/2019-From committee with author's amendments. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Com. on RLS.

Location: 1/15/2019-S. RLS.

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Summary: Current law prohibits an employer with 50 or more employees in a 75-mile radius to refuse to grant an employee a request to take up to 12 weeks of unpaid leave for family care and medical leave if the employee worked 1,250 hours in the prior 12 months. Current law includes within "family care and medical leave" the birth, adoption, or foster care placement of a child and the serious health condition of the employee's child, parent, or spouse. This bill would expand the scope of those provisions to instead prohibit an employer with 5 or more employees to refuse to grant an employee a request to take up to 12 weeks of unpaid leave for family care and medical leave if the employee had 180 days of service with the employer.

Position Watch
Priority
Subject Employment Issues

SB 266 (Leyva D) Public Employees' Retirement System: disallowed compensation: benefit adjustments.

Current Text: Introduced: 2/12/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/12/2019

Status: 3/27/2019-From committee: Do pass and re-refer to Com. on APPR. (Ayes 4. Noes 0.) (March 27). Re-referred to Com. on APPR.

Location: 3/27/2019-S. APPR.

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Calendar: 4/8/2019 10 a.m. - John L. Burton Hearing Room (4203)
SENATE APPROPRIATIONS, PORTANTINO, Chair

Summary: Would establish new procedures under PERL for cases in which PERS determines that the benefits of a member or annuitant are, or would be, based on compensation that conflicts with PEPR and other specified laws and thus impermissible under PERL. The bill would also apply these procedures retroactively to determinations made on or after January 1, 2017, if an appeal has been filed and the employee member, survivor, or beneficiary has not exhausted their administrative or legal remedies.

Position Watch
Priority
Subject Employment Issues

Attachments:

[SB 266 \(Leyva\) Pension Compensation Fact Sheet 2.12.19](#)

Notes: 3/9/2019-CPF Bill - Need more information.

[SB 537](#)

(Hill D) Workers' compensation: treatment and disability.

Current Text: Amended: 3/27/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/21/2019

Last Amend: 3/27/2019

Status: 3/27/2019-From committee with author's amendments. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Com. on RLS.

Location: 2/21/2019-S. RLS.

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Summary: Would require the Administrative Director of the Division of Workers' Compensation to issue a report to the Legislature, on or before January 1, 2023, comparing potential payment alternatives for providers to the official medical fee schedule. The bill would also require, on or before January 1, 2023, and annually thereafter, the administrative director to publish on the division's internet website provider utilization data for physicians, as defined above, who treated 10 or more injured workers during the 12 months before July 1 of the previous year, including the number of injured workers treated by the physician and the number of utilization review decisions that resulted in a modification or denial of a request for authorization of medical treatment.

Position	Priority	Subject
Spot Bill		Employment Issues

Attachments:

[SB 537 \(Hill\) Spot Fact Sheet](#)

[SB 542](#)

(Stern D) Workers' compensation.

Current Text: Introduced: 2/22/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/22/2019

Status: 3/7/2019-Referred to Com. on L., P.E. & R.

Location: 3/7/2019-S. L., P.E. & R.

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Summary: Would provide that in the case of certain state and local firefighting personnel and peace officers, the term "injury" also includes a mental health condition or mental disability that results in a diagnosis of post-traumatic stress or mental health disorder that develops or manifests itself during a period in which the firefighting member or peace officer is in the service of the department or unit. These provisions would apply to claims for benefits filed or pending on or after January 1, 2017.

Position	Priority	Subject
Support		Employment Issues

Attachments:

[SB 542 \(Stern\) Fact Sheet - Trauma Treatment Act](#)

Notes: 3/9/2019-CPF Bill.

[SB 769](#)

(Moorlach R) Public employees' retirement.

Current Text: Introduced: 2/22/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/22/2019

Status: 3/14/2019-Referred to Com. on RLS.

Location: 2/22/2019-S. RLS.

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Summary: The Public Employees' Retirement Law (PERL) establishes the Public Employees' Retirement System (PERS), which provides pension and other benefits to its members. Under PERL, membership in PERS is compulsory for specified public employees. Current law provides that those compulsory membership provisions do not apply to certain persons who are expressly excluded from PERS. This bill would make a nonsubstantive change to that provision.

Position	Priority	Subject
Spot Bill		Employment Issues

Fire Insurance

[SB 290](#) (Dodd D) Natural disasters: insurance and related alternative risk-transfer products.

Current Text: Introduced: 2/14/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/14/2019

Status: 3/27/2019-Withdrawn from committee. Re-referred to Com. on APPR.

Location: 3/27/2019-S. APPR.

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Summary: The California Emergency Services Act, among other things, vests the Governor with various powers and duties related to that act, including coordinating the State Emergency Plan and those programs necessary for the mitigation of the effects of an emergency in this state. Current law authorizes the Governor to expend any appropriation for support of the California Emergency Services Act to carry out its provisions. This bill, upon appropriation by the Legislature, would authorize the Governor to purchase insurance, reinsurance, insurance linked securities, or other related alternative risk-transfer products for the State of California to help mitigate against costs incurred by the state in response to a natural disaster, including, but not limited to, an earthquake, wildfire, or flood.

Position	Priority	Subject
Watch		Fire Insurance

Attachments:

[SB 290 \(Dodd\) Fact Sheet CA Disaster Insurance](#)

[SB 565](#) (Borgeas R) Fire insurance: indemnity.

Current Text: Introduced: 2/22/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/22/2019

Status: 3/7/2019-Referred to Com. on RLS.

Location: 2/22/2019-S. RLS.

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Summary: Current law defines the measure of indemnity for a loss under an open fire insurance policy and specifies time limits under which an insured must collect the full replacement cost of the loss. In the event of a total loss of an insured structure, existing law prohibits a fire insurance policy issued or delivered in this state from containing a provision that limits or denies payment of the building code upgrade cost or the replacement cost on the basis that the insured has decided to rebuild at a new location or to purchase a built home at a new location. This bill would make technical, nonsubstantive changes to those provisions.

Position	Priority	Subject
Spot Bill		Fire Insurance

Fire Prevention

[AB 19](#) (Waldron R) Forestry and fire protection: grant program: counties and local fire districts: street and road vegetation management.

Current Text: Amended: 3/21/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 12/3/2018

Last Amend: 3/21/2019

Status: 3/25/2019-Re-referred to Com. on NAT. RES.

Location: 3/21/2019-A. NAT. RES.

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Summary: Would require the Department of Forestry and Fire Protection to establish a grant program to provide grants to county road maintenance departments and local fire districts to enable those departments and districts to purchase vegetation management equipment to be used to manage vegetation along streets and roads to prevent the ignition of wildfires on those roads or streets maintained by a county road maintenance department or local fire district that are located in very high fire hazard severity zones, as specified.

Position	Priority	Subject
Spot Bill		Fire Prevention

Attachments:

[AB 19 - Fact Sheet \(3-1-19\)](#)

Notes: 3/9/2019-May be inline with 45-Day Report and vegetation management.

[AB 616](#) (Patterson R) California Forest Carbon Plan: report.

Current Text: Introduced: 2/14/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/14/2019

Status: 3/25/2019-VOTE: Do pass as amended and be re-referred to the Committee on [Appropriations]

Location: 3/25/2019-A. APPR.

Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Conf. Conc.	Enrolled	Vetoed	Chaptered
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Summary: Would require the Department of Forestry and Fire Protection, in collaboration with the Natural Resources Agency and the California Environmental Protection Agency, to prepare and submit to the Legislature and the appropriate legislative policy and budget committees, on or before January 1, 2021, and by January 1 of each year thereafter, until January 1, 2025, a report on the progress made and policies and resources needed to achieve specified wildland fire prevention goals for fuel treatment and vegetation management in the state, as prescribed.

Position Watch
Priority
Subject Fire Prevention

Attachments:

[AB 616 \(Patterson\) Fact Sheet](#)

[AB 1375](#) (Bigelow R) Disaster relief: dead and dying tree removal: allocation to local agencies.

Current Text: Introduced: 2/22/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/22/2019

Status: 3/14/2019-Referred to Com. on G.O.

Location: 3/14/2019-A. G.O.

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Calendar: 4/3/2019 1:30 p.m. - State Capitol, Room 4202 ASSEMBLY GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATION, GRAY, Chair

Summary: The California Disaster Assistance Act provides that the state share for disaster project allocations to local agencies is no more than 75% of total state eligible costs, except for specified events for which the state share is up to 100% of state eligible costs. This bill would provide that the state share for the removal of dead and dying trees in connection with the Governor's Proclamation of a State of Emergency issued on October 30, 2015, is no more than 90% of total state eligible costs.

Position Support
Priority
Subject Fire Prevention

Attachments:

[AB 1375 \(Bigelow\) Fact Sheet 2.25.19](#)

Notes: Assm. GO Support Letter

[AB 1516](#) (Friedman D) Fire prevention: defensible space and fuels reduction management.

Current Text: Amended: 3/28/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/22/2019

Last Amend: 3/28/2019

Status: 3/28/2019-From committee chair, with author's amendments: Amend, and re-refer to Com. on NAT. RES. Read second time and amended.

Location: 3/18/2019-A. NAT. RES.

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Calendar: 4/8/2019 2:30 p.m. - State Capitol, Room 447 ASSEMBLY NATURAL RESOURCES, FRIEDMAN, Chair

Summary: Current law requires that a person who owns, leases, controls, operates, or maintains an occupied dwelling or structure in, upon, or adjoining a mountainous area, forest-covered land, brush-covered land, grass-covered land, or land that is covered with flammable material that is within a very high fire hazard severity zone, as designated by a local agency, or a building or structure in, upon, or adjoining those areas or lands within a state responsibility area, to maintain a defensible space of 100 feet from each side and from the front and rear of the structure, as specified. A repeated violation within a specified timeframe of those requirements is a crime. This bill would require a person described above to utilize more intense fuel reductions between 5 and 30 feet around the structure, and to create a noncombustible zone within 5 feet of the structure.

Position Oppose
Priority
Subject Fire Prevention

Attachments:

[AB 1516 \(Friedman\) Fire Prevention Fact Sheet](#)

Notes: 3/21/2019-FPOs: AB1516 - Friedman - Oppose (Good intentions); CAL Fire oversight over locals; Local required to report inspections and compliance performance; Creates support for locals from Cal Fire.

3/9/2019-Refer to FPOs.

AB 1609 (Chen R) Public utilities: fireproofing programs.

Current Text: Introduced: 2/22/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/22/2019

Status: 3/20/2019-In committee: Set, first hearing. Hearing canceled at the request of author.

Location: 3/18/2019-A. U. & E.

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Summary: Would require the Public Utilities Commission to direct each electrical corporation and gas corporation to file an application for programs to provide financial assistance to owners of residential properties in fire-prone areas within their respective service territories to install improvements to reduce or eliminate wildfire impacts on those properties or to purchase emergency equipment or supplies for use in case of a deenergization event. The bill would require that the programs be funded through voluntary contributions from customers of the corporations.

Position	Priority	Subject
Watch		Fire Prevention

Notes: 2-year bill

AB 1668 (Carrillo D) California Conservation Corps: Education and Employment Reentry Program.

Current Text: Amended: 3/28/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/22/2019

Last Amend: 3/28/2019

Status: 3/28/2019-Referred to Com. on NAT. RES. From committee chair, with author's amendments: Amend, and re-refer to Com. on NAT. RES. Read second time and amended.

Location: 3/28/2019-A. NAT. RES.

Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Conf. Conc.	Enrolled	Vetoed	Chaptered
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Summary: Would require the director of the California Conservation Corps to establish, on or before July 1, 2020, the Education and Employment Reentry Program within the corps to employ formerly incarcerated individuals who successfully served on a California Conservation Camp program crew and were recommended for participation and hire as a program member by the Director of Forestry and Fire Protection and the Secretary of the Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation.

Position	Priority	Subject
Spot Bill		Fire Prevention

Notes: 3/9/2019-CPF Bill - Need more information.

SB 247 (Dodd D) Wildland fire prevention: vegetation: management.

Current Text: Amended: 3/14/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/11/2019

Last Amend: 3/14/2019

Status: 3/26/2019-Set for hearing April 10.

Location: 3/20/2019-S. E. U., & C.

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Calendar: 4/10/2019 9 a.m. - Room 3191 SENATE ENERGY, UTILITIES AND COMMUNICATIONS, HUESO, Chair

Summary: Would require the Public Utilities Commission to establish a two-way balancing account for each electrical corporation for all costs incurred by the electrical corporation for vegetation management, prohibit the electrical corporation from diverting any revenue from the account to any activity other than vegetation management, and prohibit the electrical corporation from earning any profit on any revenue from the account. The bill would require the commission to ensure that an electrical corporation fully recovers all costs incurred to comply with the trim list requirements that would be adopted pursuant to the bill and all other reasonable vegetation management activity.

Position	Priority	Subject
Spot Bill		Fire Prevention

SB 632 (Galgiani D) California Environmental Quality Act: exemption: Vegetation Treatment Program.

Current Text: Introduced: 2/22/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/22/2019

Status: 3/15/2019-Set for hearing April 10.

Location: 3/14/2019-S. E.Q.

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Calendar: 4/10/2019 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. - Room 113 SENATE ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY SPECIAL ORDER, ALLEN, Chair

Summary: Would, until a specified date, exempt from CEQA any activity or approval necessary for, or incidental to, actions that are consistent with the draft Program Environmental Impact Report for the Vegetation Treatment Program issued by the State Board of Forestry and Fire Protection in November of 2017.

Position

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Subject

Watch

Fire Prevention

Notes: 3/9/2019-need more information.

Local Government

[AB 213](#)

(Reyes D) Local government finance: property tax revenue allocations: vehicle license fee adjustments.

Current Text: Introduced: 1/15/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 1/15/2019

Status: 3/18/2019-In committee: Set, first hearing. Hearing canceled at the request of author.

Location: 2/4/2019-A. L. GOV.

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Calendar: 4/3/2019 1:30 p.m. - State Capitol, Room 127 ASSEMBLY LOCAL GOVERNMENT, AGUIAR-CURRY, Chair

Summary: Would, for the 2019–20 fiscal year, require the vehicle license fee adjustment amount to be the sum of the vehicle license fee adjustment amount in the 2018–19 fiscal year, the product of that sum and the percentage change in gross taxable assessed valuation within the jurisdiction of that entity between the 2018–19 fiscal year to the 2018–19 fiscal year, and the product of the amount of specified motor vehicle license fee revenues that the Controller allocated to the applicable city in July 2010 and 1.17.

Position

Priority

Subject

Watch

Local
Government

Attachments:

[AB 213 \(Reyes\) VLF Factsheet FINAL](#)

Notes: 3/9/2019-Does this apply to us?

[AB 400](#)

(Lackey R) State mandates.

Current Text: Introduced: 2/6/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/6/2019

Status: 2/28/2019-Referred to Com. on L. GOV.

Location: 2/28/2019-A. L. GOV.

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Summary: The California Constitution requires the state to provide a subvention of funds to reimburse local government for the costs of a new program or a higher level of service, with specified exceptions, when the Legislature or a state agency mandates a new program or higher level of service on any local government, including school districts. Current law authorizes a local agency or school district, by February 15, to file an annual reimbursement claim detailing these state-mandated costs, as specified. This bill would extend that date to March 1.

Position

Priority

Subject

Spot Bill

Local
Government

[AB 509](#)

(Lackey R) General plans.

Current Text: Introduced: 2/13/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/13/2019

Status: 2/14/2019-From printer. May be heard in committee March 16.

Location: 2/13/2019-A. PRINT

Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Conf. Conc.	Enrolled	Vetoed	Chaptered
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Summary: Current law, under the Planning and Zoning Law, requires if a general plan has been adopted, each county or city officer, department, board, or commission, and each governmental body, commission, or board within the jurisdiction of the city or county is required to submit a list of proposed public works for the ensuing fiscal year to a designated official agency. The agency receiving the list of proposed public works is required to prepare a coordinated program of proposed public works for the ensuing fiscal year. This bill would make nonsubstantive changes to these provisions.

Position
Spot Bill

Priority

Subject
Local
Government

AB 510 (Cooley D) Local government records: destruction of records.

Current Text: Introduced: 2/13/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/13/2019

Status: 2/21/2019-Referred to Com. on L. GOV.

Location: 2/21/2019-A. L. GOV.

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Summary: Current law authorizes the head of a department of a county or city, or the head of a special district to destroy recordings of telephone and radio communications maintained by that county, city, or special district after 100 days if that person receives approval from the legislative body and the written consent of the agency attorney. This bill would exempt the head of a department of a county or city, or the head of a special district from these recording retention requirements if the county, city, or special district adopts a records retention policy governing recordings of routine video monitoring and recordings of telephone and radio communications.

Position
Support

Priority

Subject
Local
Government

Attachments:

[AB 510 \(Cooley\) Fact Sheet](#)

Notes: 3/9/2019-Local Control. CSDA sponsored Bill.

AB 570 (Aguiar-Curry D) Local Government Investment Act.

Current Text: Amended: 3/25/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/14/2019

Last Amend: 3/25/2019

Status: 3/26/2019-Re-referred to Com. on L. GOV.

Location: 3/25/2019-A. L. GOV.

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Summary: Would define the term "affordable housing" for purposes of specified provisions of the California Constitution to include a first-time home buyer program offered by a local agency. The bill would also specify that a parcel tax imposed pursuant to a specified constitutional provision may include an exemption for persons who are 65 years of age or older, receiving Supplemental Security Income for a disability, or receiving Social Security Disability Insurance Benefits and whose yearly income does not exceed specified amounts.

Position
Spot Bill

Priority

Subject
Local
Government

AB 579 (Daly D) Development fees: definition.

Current Text: Amended: 3/21/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/14/2019

Last Amend: 3/21/2019

Status: 3/25/2019-Re-referred to Com. on L. GOV.

Location: 3/21/2019-A. L. GOV.

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Summary: The Mitigation Fee Act authorizes a local agency to establish, increase, or impose various fees as a condition of approval of a development project, if specified requirements are met. The act defines a "fee" for these purposes to mean a monetary exaction other than a tax or special assessment, as specified, that is charged by a local agency to the applicant in connection with approval of a development project for the purpose of defraying all or a portion of the cost of public

facilities related to the development project, and excludes from that definition certain fees, including, fees for processing applications for governmental regulatory actions or approvals, fees collected under development agreements, or fees collected pursuant to agreements with redevelopment agencies, as provided. This bill would expand the definition of a "fee" for these purposes by eliminating those exclusions.

Position	Priority	Subject
Spot Bill		Local Government

AB 608 (Petrie-Norris D) Property taxation: exemption: low-value properties.

Current Text: Amended: 3/11/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)
Introduced: 2/14/2019
Last Amend: 3/11/2019
Status: 3/18/2019-In committee: Hearing for testimony only.
Location: 2/28/2019-A. REV. & TAX

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Summary: Current property tax law implementing the authority to exempt from property taxation those properties having a full value too low to justify the costs of assessment and collection generally limits any exemption granted under this constitutional provision by a county board of supervisors to real property with a total base year value, or personal property with a full value, not exceeding \$10,000. Current property tax law increases this limit to \$50,000 in the case of a possessory interest, for a temporary and transitory use, in a publicly owned fairground, fairground facility, convention facility, or cultural facility. This bill would delete this requirement that the possessory interest be for a temporary and transitory use of a publicly owned fairground, fairground facility, convention facility, or cultural facility, thereby allowing the exemption from taxation under these provisions of any possessory interest valued at \$50,000 or less.

Position	Priority	Subject
Watch		Local Government

Attachments:
[AB 608 \(Petrie-Norris\) Fact Sheet](#)

AB 747 (Levine D) Planning and zoning: general plan: safety element.

Current Text: Introduced: 2/19/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)
Introduced: 2/19/2019
Status: 3/28/2019-From committee: Amend, and do pass as amended and re-refer to Com. on APPR. (Ayes 8. Noes 0.) (March 27).
Location: 3/27/2019-A. APPR.

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Calendar: 4/1/2019 #3 ASSEMBLY SECOND READING FILE -- ASSEMBLY BILLS
Summary: The Planning and Zoning Law requires a general plan to include certain mandatory elements, including a safety element for the protection of the community from unreasonable risks associated with the effects of various geologic hazards, flooding, wildland and urban fires, and climate adaptation and resilience strategies. That law requires the safety element to address, among other things, evacuation routes related to identified fire and geologic hazards. This bill would require the safety element's address of evacuation routes to include their capacity under a range of emergency scenarios.

Position	Priority	Subject
Support in Concept		Local Government

Attachments:
[AB 747 \(Levine\) Fact Sheet](#)

Notes: 3/9/2019-need more information.

AB 945 (McCarty D) Local government: financial affairs: surplus funds.

Current Text: Introduced: 2/20/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)
Introduced: 2/20/2019
Status: 3/4/2019-Referred to Coms. on L. GOV. and B. & F.
Location: 3/4/2019-A. L. GOV.

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Calendar: 4/10/2019 1:30 p.m. - State Capitol, Room 447 ASSEMBLY LOCAL GOVERNMENT, AGUIAR-

CURRY, Chair

Summary: Existing law prescribes the instruments and criteria by which a local agency, as defined, may invest and deposit its funds, including its surplus funds. This bill would, commencing January 1, 2020, authorize a local agency to invest and deposit the agency's surplus funds in deposits at specified types of financial institutions whether those investments are certificates of deposit or another form, and would increase the percentage of the local agency's funds that can be invested to 50%. The bill would make additional conforming changes.

Position **Priority** **Subject**
Watch Local
Government

[AB 992](#) (Mullin D) Open meetings: local agencies: social media.

Current Text: Introduced: 2/21/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/21/2019

Status: 3/7/2019-Referred to Com. on L. GOV.

Location: 3/7/2019-A. L. GOV.

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Summary: Would provide that the Ralph M. Brown Act does not apply to the posting, commenting, liking, interaction with, or participation in, internet-based social media platforms that are ephemeral, live, or static, by a majority of the members of a legislative body, provided that a majority of the members do not discuss among themselves business of a specific nature that is within the subject matter jurisdiction of the legislative body of the local agency.

Position **Priority** **Subject**
Watch Local
Government

Attachments:

[AB 992 \(Mullin\) Fact Sheet](#)

[AB 1023](#) (Frazier D) District Organization Law: formation.

Current Text: Introduced: 2/21/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/21/2019

Status: 2/22/2019-From printer. May be heard in committee March 24.

Location: 2/21/2019-A. PRINT

Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Conf. Conc.	Enrolled	Vetoed	Chaptered
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Summary: The District Organization Law requires a supervising authority, as defined, to fix the time and place for a final hearing on a petition of formation of a district and give notice of the hearing, as specified. This bill would make nonsubstantive changes to this provision.

Position **Priority** **Subject**
Spot Bill Local
Government

[AB 1049](#) (Grayson D) Sales and use taxes: exemption: on-call volunteer fire department: equipment.

Current Text: Introduced: 2/21/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/21/2019

Status: 3/25/2019-In committee: Hearing for testimony only.

Location: 3/7/2019-A. REV. & TAX

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Summary: Would provide an exemption from sales and use tax laws for the sale of, or the storage, use, or consumption of, equipment that is purchased for exclusive use by an on-call volunteer fire department.

Position **Priority** **Subject**
Support in Concept Local
Government

Attachments:

[AB 1049 \(Grayson\) Fact Sheet 3.18.19](#)

[AB 1151](#) (Daly D) Fire damages: civil actions: pecuniary damages and ecological and environmental damages.

Current Text: Amended: 3/28/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/21/2019

Last Amend: 3/28/2019

Status: 3/28/2019-Referred to Coms. on JUD. and NAT. RES. From committee chair, with author's amendments: Amend, and re-refer to Com. on JUD. Read second time and amended.

Location: 3/28/2019-A. JUD.

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Calendar: 4/9/2019 9 a.m. - State Capitol, Room 437 ASSEMBLY JUDICIARY, STONE, MARK, Chair

Summary: Would provide that in a civil action seeking damages caused by a fire, pecuniary damages must be quantifiable and not unreasonable in relation to the prefire fair market value of the damaged property or the prefire market value of similar property. The bill would require that recoverable pecuniary damages be calculated pursuant to specified categories that include property damages, as provided, and short-term costs, as provided, and would also authorize the award of environmental and ecological damages.

Position	Priority	Subject
Spot Bill		Local Government

AB 1253 (**Rivas, Robert D**) **Local agency formation commissions: grant program.**

Current Text: Introduced: 2/21/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/21/2019

Status: 3/28/2019-From committee: Do pass and re-refer to Com. on APPR. (Ayes 6. Noes 2.) (March 27). Re-referred to Com. on APPR.

Location: 3/27/2019-A. APPR.

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Calendar: 4/3/2019 9 a.m. - State Capitol, Room 4202 ASSEMBLY APPROPRIATIONS, GONZALEZ, Chair

Summary: This bill would require the Strategic Growth Council, until July 31, 2025, to establish and administer a local agency formation commissions grant program for the payment of costs associated with initiating and completing the dissolution of districts listed as inactive, the payment of costs associated with a study of the services provided within a county by a public agency to a disadvantaged community, as defined, and for other specified purposes, including the initiation of an action, as defined, that is limited to service providers serving a disadvantaged community and is based on determinations found in the study, as approved by the commission. The bill would specify application submission, reimbursement, and reporting requirements for a local agency formation commission to receive grants pursuant to the bill. The bill would require the council, after consulting with the California Association of Local Agency Formation Commissions, to develop and adopt guidelines, timelines, and application and reporting criteria for development and implementation of the program, as specified, and would exempt these guidelines, timelines, and criteria from the rulemaking provisions of the Administrative Procedure Act. The bill would make the grant program subject to an appropriation for the program in the annual Budget Act, and would repeal these provisions on January 1, 2026. This bill contains other existing laws.

Position	Priority	Subject
Watch		Local Government

Attachments:

[AB 1253 \(R. Rivas\) LAFCOs grant program](#)

Notes: 3/9/2019-Coordinate with CSDA.

AB 1332 (**Bonta D**) **Sanctuary State Contracting and Investment Act.**

Current Text: Amended: 3/28/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/22/2019

Last Amend: 3/28/2019

Status: 3/28/2019-From committee chair, with author's amendments: Amend, and re-refer to Com. on P.E. & R. Read second time and amended.

Location: 3/11/2019-A. P.E. & R.

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Calendar: 4/3/2019 9 a.m. - State Capitol, Room 444 ASSEMBLY PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT AND RETIREMENT, RODRIGUEZ, Chair

Summary: Would enact the Sanctuary State Contracting and Investment Act, which would, among other things, prohibit a state or local agency from entering into a new, amended, or extended contract or agreement with any person or entity that provides a federal immigration agency with any data broker, extreme vetting, or detention facilities services, as defined, unless the state or local agency has made a finding that no reasonable alternative exists, as specified. The bill would exempt contracts related to retirement or retirement obligations that would impact investments or pensions from these provisions.

Position **Priority**
Oppose/Coalition

Subject
Local
Government

[AB 1386](#) (Chen R) Residential fees and charges.

Current Text: Amended: 3/25/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/22/2019

Last Amend: 3/25/2019

Status: 3/26/2019-Re-referred to Com. on L. GOV.

Location: 3/25/2019-A. L. GOV.

Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Conf. Conc.	Enrolled	Vetoed	Chaptered
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Summary: The Mitigation Fee Act prohibits a local agency that imposes fees or charges on a residential development for the construction of public improvements or facilities from requiring the payment of those fees or charges until the date of the final inspection or the date the certificate of occupancy is issued, whichever occurs first, except that the payment may be required sooner when the fees or charges are to reimburse the local agency for previously made expenditures, or when the local agency determines that an account has been established, funds have been appropriated for the public improvements or facilities, and the local agency has adopted a proposed construction schedule or plan prior to final inspection or issuance of the certificate of occupancy. This bill would delete the above-described authorization for a local agency to require payment of fees or charges prior to the date of final inspection or issuance of the certificate of occupancy, whichever occurs first.

Position **Priority**

Subject
Local
Government

[AB 1388](#) (Flora R) Forestry: forest health: fire prevention: grants: funding.

Current Text: Amended: 3/28/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/22/2019

Last Amend: 3/28/2019

Status: 3/28/2019-Referred to Com. on NAT. RES. From committee chair, with author's amendments: Amend, and re-refer to Com. on NAT. RES. Read second time and amended.

Location: 3/28/2019-A. NAT. RES.

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Summary: Would, beginning in the 2020–21 fiscal year and until the 2030–31 fiscal year, continuously appropriate \$500,000,000 from the General Fund annually to the Natural Resources Agency for healthy forest programs that reduce greenhouse gas emissions caused by uncontrolled wildfires, as specified, including for healthy forest projects in or adjacent to state responsibility areas, or on federal lands pursuant to Good Neighbor Authority agreements entered into with the federal government.

Position **Priority**
Spot Bill

Subject
Local
Government

[AB 1389](#) (Eggman D) Special districts: change of organization: mitigation of revenue loss.

Current Text: Introduced: 2/22/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/22/2019

Status: 3/14/2019-Referred to Com. on L. GOV.

Location: 3/14/2019-A. L. GOV.

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Summary: Would authorize the commission to propose, as part of the review and approval of a proposal for the establishment of new or different functions or class of services, or the divestiture of the power to provide particular functions or class of services, within all or part of the jurisdictional boundaries of a special district, that the special district, to mitigate any loss of property taxes, franchise fees, and other revenues to any other affected local agency, provide payments to the affected local agency from the revenue derived from the proposed exercise of new or different functions or classes of service.

Position **Priority**
Watch

Subject
Local
Government

Attachments:

[AB 1389 \(Eggman\) Fact Sheet ver.1](#)

[AB 1568](#) (McCarty D) General plans: housing element: production report: withholding of transportation funds.

Current Text: Introduced: 2/22/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/22/2019

Status: 3/14/2019-Referred to Coms. on H. & C.D. and TRANS.

Location: 3/14/2019-A. H. & C.D.

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Summary: Would require the Department of Housing and Community Development, on or before June 30, 2022, and on or before June 30 every year thereafter and until June 30, 2051, to review each production report submitted by a city or county in accordance with the provisions described above to determine if that city or county has met the applicable minimum housing production goal for that reporting period. The bill would provide that, if the department determines that a city or county has met its applicable minimum housing production goal for that reporting period, the department shall, no later than June 30 of that year, submit a certification of that result to the Controller.

Position	Priority	Subject
Watch		Local Government

Attachments:

[AB 1568 \(McCarty\) Fact Sheet Local Housing Incentives](#)

[AB 1580](#) (Levine D) Major infrastructure construction projects: oversight committees.

Current Text: Amended: 3/28/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/22/2019

Last Amend: 3/28/2019

Status: 3/28/2019-Referred to Coms. on L. GOV. and TRANS. From committee chair, with author's amendments: Amend, and re-refer to Com. on L. GOV. Read second time and amended.

Location: 3/28/2019-A. L. GOV.

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Summary: Current law requires the Department of Transportation and the Bay Area Toll Authority to form the Toll Bridge Program Oversight Committee, as provided, to review and provide program direction for seismic retrofit and replacement projects on toll bridges within the geographic jurisdiction of the committee. This bill would similarly require a public agency undertaking a publicly funded major transportation infrastructure construction project that is estimated to cost \$1,000,000,000 or more to form an oversight committee, as provided, and to develop and use risk management plans throughout the course of the project.

Position	Priority	Subject
Spot Bill		Local Government

[AB 1640](#) (Boerner Horvath D) Local government finance: budget reserves.

Current Text: Introduced: 2/22/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/22/2019

Status: 3/18/2019-Referred to Com. on L. GOV.

Location: 3/18/2019-A. L. GOV.

Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Conf. Conc.	Enrolled	Vetoed	Chaptered
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Summary: Would require a local government by September 1, 2020, and annually thereafter, to submit a written report to the State Controller's office on how it plans to spend any of its budget reserves, as defined, on specified priorities over a 5-year fiscal period, including, among others, mental and behavioral health services and affordable housing. The bill would provide this reporting requirement only applies to a local government if the local government's budget reserve in the immediately preceding fiscal year was in excess of 30 percent of the total expenditures of the local government in that fiscal year.

Position	Priority	Subject
Spot Bill		Local Government

[AB 1706](#) (Quirk D) Housing development: incentives.

Current Text: Amended: 3/26/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/22/2019

Last Amend: 3/26/2019

Status: 3/27/2019-Re-referred to Com. on H. & C.D.

Location: 3/25/2019-A. H. & C.D.

Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Conf. Conc.	Enrolled	Vetoed	Chaptered
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Summary: Would, until January 1, 2035, provide specified financial incentives that ensure financial feasibility to a development proponent of a residential housing development in the 9-county San Francisco Bay area region that dedicates at least 20% of the development's housing units to households making no more than 150% of the area median income. The incentives provided to those developments include an exemption from the California Environmental Quality Act, a density bonus of 35%, a waiver of local parking requirements, and a waiver of physical building requirements imposed on development by the local agency, such as green building standards.

Position	Priority	Subject
Watch		Local Government

Notes: FS requested.

[AB 1730](#) ([Gonzalez D](#)) Regional transportation plans: San Diego Association of Governments: housing.

Current Text: Amended: 3/28/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/22/2019

Last Amend: 3/28/2019

Status: 3/28/2019-Referred to Coms. on H. & C.D. and L. GOV. From committee chair, with author's amendments: Amend, and re-refer to Com. on H. & C.D. Read second time and amended.

Location: 3/28/2019-A. H. & C.D.

Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Conf. Conc.	Enrolled	Vetoed	Chaptered
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Summary: Current law requires each transportation planning agency to adopt and submit to the California Transportation Commission and the Department of Transportation an updated regional transportation plan every four or five years, as specified. This bill would require the updated regional transportation plan, sustainable communities strategy, and environmental impact report adopted by SANDAG on October 9, 2015, to remain in effect for all purposes until SANDAG adopts its next update to its regional transportation plan, which the bill would require it to adopt and submit on or before December 31, 2021.

Position	Priority	Subject
Spot Bill		Local Government

[AB 1736](#) ([Daly D](#)) Internet posting requirements.

Current Text: Amended: 3/28/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/22/2019

Last Amend: 3/28/2019

Status: 3/28/2019-Referred to Com. on A. & A.R. From committee chair, with author's amendments: Amend, and re-refer to Com. on A. & A.R. Read second time and amended.

Location: 3/28/2019-A. A. & A.R.

Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Conf. Conc.	Enrolled	Vetoed	Chaptered
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Summary: Current law governing state contracts for services permits contracts to be awarded through a procedure that makes use of a request for proposal. State agencies using this procedure are required to include in the request for proposal a clear, precise description of the work to be performed or services to be provided and other specified information. This bill would require departments and state agencies with an internet website, to post within 24 hours of awarding a contract, the name of the successful bidder, the amount of the successful bidder's bid, and the name of listed subcontractors and their subcontract amounts.

Position	Priority	Subject
Spot Bill		Local Government

[AB 1775](#) ([Reyes D](#)) Development fees: definition.

Current Text: Introduced: 2/22/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/22/2019

Status: 3/18/2019-Referred to Com. on L. GOV.

Location: 3/18/2019-A. L. GOV.

Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Conf. Conc.	Enrolled	Vetoed	Chaptered
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Summary: The Mitigation Fee Act authorizes a local agency to establish, increase, or impose various fees as a condition of approval of a development project, if specified requirements are met. The act

defines a "fee" for these purposes to mean a monetary exaction other than a tax or special assessment, as specified, that is charged by a local agency to the applicant in connection with approval of a development project for the purpose of defraying all or a portion of the cost of public facilities related to the development project, and excludes from that definition certain fees, including, among others, fees for processing applications for governmental regulatory actions or approvals, fees collected under development agreements, or fees collected pursuant to agreements with redevelopment agencies, as provided. This bill would expand the definition of a "fee" for these provisions by eliminating those exclusions.

Position	Priority	Subject
Spot Bill		Local Government

ACA 1 (Aguiar-Curry D) Local government financing: affordable housing and public infrastructure: voter approval.

Current Text: Amended: 3/18/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 12/3/2018

Last Amend: 3/18/2019

Status: 3/28/2019-Coauthors revised. From committee: Be adopted, and re-refer to Com. on APPR. Re-referred. (Ayes 5. Noes 2.) (March 27). Re-referred to Com. on APPR.

Location: 3/27/2019-A. APPR.

Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Conf. Conc.	Enrolled	Vetoed	Chaptered
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Summary: The California Constitution prohibits the ad valorem tax rate on real property from exceeding 1% of the full cash value of the property, subject to certain exceptions. This measure would create an additional exception to the 1% limit that would authorize a city, county, city and county, or special district to levy an ad valorem tax to service bonded indebtedness incurred to fund the construction, reconstruction, rehabilitation, or replacement of public infrastructure, affordable housing, or permanent supportive housing, or the acquisition or lease of real property for those purposes, if the proposition proposing that tax is approved by 55% of the voters of the city, county, or city and county, as applicable, and the proposition includes specified accountability requirements.

Position	Priority	Subject
Support		Local Government

Attachments:

[ACA 1 \(Aguiar-Curry\) Fact Sheet](#)

Notes: 3/9/2019-CPF Bill - Need to add "Districts".
Assm. Health Support Letter

SB 128 (Beall D) Enhanced infrastructure financing districts: bonds: issuance.

Current Text: Amended: 3/21/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 1/10/2019

Last Amend: 3/21/2019

Status: 3/28/2019-Read third time. Passed. (Ayes 24. Noes 7.) Ordered to the Assembly. In Assembly. Read first time. Held at Desk.

Location: 3/28/2019-A. DESK

Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Conf. Conc.	Enrolled	Vetoed	Chaptered
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Summary: Current law authorizes the legislative body of a city or a county to establish an enhanced infrastructure financing district, with a governing body referred to as a public financing authority, to finance public capital facilities or other specified projects of communitywide significance. Current law requires a public financing authority to adopt an infrastructure financing plan and hold a public hearing on the plan, as specified. Current law authorizes the public financing authority to issue bonds for these purposes upon approval by 55% of the voters voting on a proposal to issue the bonds. Current law requires the proposal submitted to the voters by the public financing authority and the resolution for the issuance of bonds following approval by the voters to include specified information regarding the bond issuance. This bill would instead authorize the public financing authority to issue bonds for these purposes without submitting a proposal to the voters.

Position	Priority	Subject
Watch		Local Government

Attachments:

[SB 128 \(Beall\) FACT SHEET Enhanced Infrastructure Financing Districts](#)

SB 139 (Allen D) Independent redistricting commissions.

Current Text: Amended: 3/7/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 1/17/2019

Last Amend: 3/7/2019

Status: 3/13/2019-Set for hearing April 2.

Location: 1/31/2019-S. E. & C.A.

Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Conf. Conc.	Enrolled	Vetoed	Chaptered
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Calendar: 4/2/2019 9:30 a.m. - Room 112 SENATE ELECTIONS AND CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS, UMBERG, Chair

Summary: Would require a county with more than 250,000 residents on and after January 1, 2019, and on and after January 1 of every subsequent year ending in the number 9, to establish an independent redistricting commission to adopt the county's supervisorial districts after each federal decennial census. If a county subject to that requirement does not establish an independent redistricting commission on or before July 1, 2020, and July 1 of every subsequent year ending in the number 0, the bill would require a nine-member independent redistricting commission to be established pursuant to a specified procedure.

Position	Priority	Subject
Watch		Local Government

Attachments:

[SB 139 \(Allen\) Fact Sheet - Indep Redistricting](#)

Notes: 3/9/2019-Check with LA and AD County FDs.

[SB 241](#)

(Moorlach R) Public agencies: joint powers authorities: contracts.

Current Text: Introduced: 2/11/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/11/2019

Status: 2/21/2019-Referred to Coms. on GOV. & F. and L., P.E. & R.

Location: 2/21/2019-S. GOV. & F.

Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Conf. Conc.	Enrolled	Vetoed	Chaptered
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Summary: Would require the governing body of each member agency of an agency established pursuant to a joint powers agreement to approve and ratify each memorandum of understanding negotiated between the joint powers agency and its employees. This bill would further require each member agency to a joint powers agreement to approve and ratify each contract for municipal services or functions, as defined, negotiated between the joint powers agency and the entity providing the services or functions.

Position	Priority	Subject
Watch		Local Government

[SB 272](#)

(Morrell R) Fire Protection District Law of 1987.

Current Text: Introduced: 2/13/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/13/2019

Status: 2/21/2019-Referred to Com. on GOV. & F.

Location: 2/21/2019-S. GOV. & F.

Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Conf. Conc.	Enrolled	Vetoed	Chaptered
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Summary: The Fire Protection District Law of 1987 provides that whenever a district board determines that it is in the public interest to provide different services, to provide different levels of service, or to raise additional revenues within specific areas of the district, it may form one or more service zones by adopting a resolution that includes specified information, fixing the date, time, and place for public hearing on the formation of the zone, publishing notice, as specified, hearing and considering any protests to the formation of the zone at the hearing, and, at the conclusion of the hearing, adopting a resolution ordering the formation of the zone. If a resolution adopted after the public hearing would extend services outside of an existing service zone and the extension of service would result in those persons in the expanded area paying charges for the expansion of services, this bill would provide that the resolution does not become effective unless approved by a majority of the voters within the expanded service area.

Position	Priority	Subject
Watch		Local Government

Attachments:

[SB 272 \(Morrell\) Fact Sheet Fire Protection District Expansion](#)

Notes: 3/9/2019-Refer to FDAC for research.

SB 294

(Hill D) Property taxation: welfare exemption: low income housing.

Current Text: Introduced: 2/14/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/14/2019

Status: 3/27/2019-From committee: Do pass and re-refer to Com. on APPR. (Ayes 7. Noes 0.) (March 27). Re-referred to Com. on APPR.

Location: 3/27/2019-S. APPR.

Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Conf. Conc.	Enrolled	Vetoed	Chaptered
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Calendar: 4/8/2019 10 a.m. - John L. Burton Hearing Room (4203)
SENATE APPROPRIATIONS, PORTANTINO, Chair

Summary: Would require any outstanding qualified ad valorem property tax in excess of the \$20,000,000 limitation, and related interest or penalty, which was levied or imposed on and after January 1, 2019, and before January 1, 2020, with respect to qualified property for which a qualified claim was filed, to be canceled to the extent that the amount canceled does not result in a total assessed value exemption amount in excess of \$250,000,000 being allowed to a qualified taxpayer with respect to a single property or multiple properties for any fiscal year. The bill would, on and after January 1, 2020, prohibit an escape assessment from being levied on qualified property if that amount would be subject to cancellation pursuant to this bill.

Position	Priority	Subject
Watch		Local Government

Attachments:

[SB 294 \(Hill\) Fact Sheet for Welfare Exemption -Affordable Housing \(002\)](#)

SB 654

(Moorlach R) Local government: planning.

Current Text: Introduced: 2/22/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/22/2019

Status: 3/14/2019-Referred to Com. on RLS.

Location: 2/22/2019-S. RLS.

Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Conf. Conc.	Enrolled	Vetoed	Chaptered
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Summary: Current law, the Cortese-Knox-Hertzberg Local Government Reorganization Act of 2000, makes certain findings and declarations relating to local government organizations, including, among other things, the encouragement of orderly growth and development, and the logical formation and modification of the boundaries of local agencies, as specified. This bill would make nonsubstantive changes to these findings and declarations.

Position	Priority	Subject
Spot Bill		Local Government

Miscellaneous

AB 243

(Kamlager-Dove D) Implicit bias training: peace officers.

Current Text: Amended: 3/26/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 1/18/2019

Last Amend: 3/26/2019

Status: 3/27/2019-Re-referred to Com. on PUB. S.

Location: 3/25/2019-A. PUB. S.

Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Conf. Conc.	Enrolled	Vetoed	Chaptered
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Summary: Current law requires every peace officer to participate in expanded training prescribed by the Commission on Peace Officer Standards and Training that includes and examines evidence-based patterns, practices, and protocols that make up racial and identity profiling, including implicit bias. Once basic training is completed, current law requires specified peace officers to complete a refresher course on racial and identity profiling at least every 5 years. This bill would require those peace officers currently required to take the refresher course every five years, and additional peace officers, as specified, to instead take 8 hours of refresher training on racial and identity profiling at least every 2 years.

Position	Priority	Subject
Watch		Miscellaneous

Attachments:

[AB 243 \(Kamlager-Dove\) Fact Sheet Final.pdf](#)

[AB 298](#) (Mathis R) Housing: home purchase assistance program: first responders: Legislative Analyst: study and report.

Current Text: Introduced: 1/28/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 1/28/2019

Status: 2/15/2019-Referred to Com. on H. & C.D.

Location: 2/15/2019-A. H. & C.D.

Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Conf. Conc.	Enrolled	Vetoed	Chaptered
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Summary: Would require the Legislative Analyst to conduct a study, and present the findings thereof to the Legislature, to inform the creation of a low-interest loan program for first responders. The bill would require the report to be submitted on or before January 1, 2024. The bill would require the report to include a recommendation as to which state department is best suited to administer the program, an estimation of the amount of funding that would be necessary to conduct the program, and recommendations for qualifications for participation in the program.

Position Under Review
Priority
Subject Miscellaneous

Attachments:

[AB 298 \(Mathis\) Fact Sheet - First Responder Home Loan Study](#)

Notes: 3/9/2019-consider supporting.

[AB 345](#) (Muratsuchi D) Wildfires: investigations.

Current Text: Amended: 3/26/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/4/2019

Last Amend: 3/26/2019

Status: 3/27/2019-Re-referred to Com. on NAT. RES.

Location: 3/25/2019-A. NAT. RES.

Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Conf. Conc.	Enrolled	Vetoed	Chaptered
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Summary: Current law establishes in the Natural Resources Agency the Department of Forestry and Fire Protection. This bill would require the department to act as the lead agency for purposes of investigating any wildfire, including any wildfire that may have been caused by an electrical transmission.

Position
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Subject Miscellaneous

[AB 900](#) (Flora R) Department of Forestry and Fire Protection: electrical grid inspection unit.

Current Text: Amended: 3/26/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/20/2019

Last Amend: 3/26/2019

Status: 3/27/2019-Re-referred to Com. on NAT. RES.

Location: 3/25/2019-A. NAT. RES.

Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Conf. Conc.	Enrolled	Vetoed	Chaptered
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Summary: Would require the Department of Forestry and Fire Protection to establish an electrical grid inspection unit with a northern region and southern region, each region having 10 fire captain specialists and one battalion chief. The electrical grid inspection unit would be responsible for enforcing electrical corporation compliance with all statutes, regulations, and rules concerning safety, maintenance of firebreaks, and vegetation control in state responsibility areas and specified areas that are at high risk for catastrophic wildfires.

Position
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Subject Miscellaneous

[AB 1222](#) (Flora R) State Board of Forestry and Fire Protection.

Current Text: Introduced: 2/21/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/21/2019

Status: 3/11/2019-Referred to Com. on NAT. RES.

Location: 3/11/2019-A. NAT. RES.

Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Conf. Conc.	Enrolled	Vetoed	Chaptered
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Summary: Current law establishes the State Board of Forestry and Fire Protection consisting of 9 members appointed by the Governor, subject to confirmation by the Senate, and requires that all members of the board be appointed, selected, and approved for appointment on the basis of their educational and professional qualifications and general knowledge pertaining to watershed

would authorize a successor agency to use the remaining bond proceeds for the purposes of increasing, improving, and preserving affordable housing, as defined. The bill, if the remaining bond proceeds are used for these purposes, would require the Last and Final Recognized Obligation Payment Schedule to be adjusted to allow for the allocation of revenues from the Redevelopment Property Tax Trust Fund to the successor agency for purposes of paying the remaining principal and interest on the bonds.

Position **Priority** **Subject**
Redevelopment

Attachments:
[SB 532 \(Portantino\) Fact Sheet](#)

Safety

[AB 877](#) **(Gabriel D) Energy: solar energy and energy storage systems.**

Current Text: Amended: 3/26/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)
Introduced: 2/20/2019
Last Amend: 3/26/2019
Status: 3/27/2019-Re-referred to Com. on NAT. RES.
Location: 3/25/2019-A. NAT. RES.

Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Conf. Conc.	Enrolled	Vetoed	Chaptered
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Summary: Would authorize the Energy Commission, in consultation with specified entities, to establish minimum requirements and develop rating standards for the performance and safety of a solar energy system that is not receiving ratepayer funded incentives and that is interconnected to the electrical distribution system.

Position **Priority** **Subject**
Safety

Wildfire/Disaster Fund

[AB 235](#) **(Mayes R) Electrical corporations: local publicly owned electric utilities: California Wildfire Catastrophe Fund Act.**

Current Text: Introduced: 1/18/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)
Introduced: 1/18/2019
Status: 2/7/2019-Referred to Com. on U. & E.
Location: 2/7/2019-A. U. & E.

Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Conf. Conc.	Enrolled	Vetoed	Chaptered
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Summary: Would create the California Wildfire Catastrophe Fund Authority, which would be governed by a board of directors. The bill would authorize electrical corporations and local publicly owned electric utilities to participate in the authority. The bill would require each participating entity to make an initial contribution and annual contributions to the authority, and would require the board to deposit those contributions into an account dedicated to receiving contributions from that participating entity.

Position **Priority** **Subject**
Watch Wildfire/Disaster Fund

Attachments:
[AB 235 \(Mayes\) CA Wildfire Catastrophe Fund Fact Sheet](#)

[AB 740](#) **(Burke D) Wildfires: Wildfire Victim Restitution Fund.**

Current Text: Introduced: 2/19/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)
Introduced: 2/19/2019
Status: 3/28/2019-Referred to Com. on INS.
Location: 3/28/2019-A. INS.

Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Conf. Conc.	Enrolled	Vetoed	Chaptered
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Summary: Would provide that it is the intent of the legislature to enact future legislation to establish the Wildfire Victim Restitution Fund, the purpose of which will be to ensure that victims of wildfires are compensated in a timely manner, to provide reimbursements to insurers for a portion of their wildfire losses, and to avoid lengthy legal proceedings.

Position
Watch

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Subject
Wildfire/Disaster
Fund

AB 1363 (Stone, Mark D) Electrical corporations: financing wildfire expenses: executive compensation.

Current Text: Amended: 3/18/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/22/2019

Last Amend: 3/18/2019

Status: 3/19/2019-Re-referred to Com. on U. & E.

Location: 3/14/2019-A. U. & E.

Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Conf. Conc.	Enrolled	Vetoed	Chaptered
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Calendar: 4/10/2019 Upon adjournment of Communications and Conveyance Committee - State Capitol, Room 437 ASSEMBLY UTILITIES AND ENERGY, HOLDEN, Chair

Summary: Would establish the Electrical Corporation Recovery Fund as a special fund in the State Treasury. This bill would require an electrical corporation to pay excess compensation, as defined, that would otherwise be paid to an executive officer, as defined, to the fund. The bill would require the excess compensation to be set aside in a separate account within the fund and held in trust for the benefit of the named executive officer throughout a 5-year escrow period, as defined. If, during the escrow period, the commission issues a financing order to support the issuance of recovery bonds to finance costs related to wildfires, the bill would require the Treasurer to transfer any excess compensation escrowed by that electrical corporation to the electrical corporation, and would require the electrical corporation to apply that excess compensation solely to recover, finance, or refinance recovery costs and thereby reduce the amount of issuance of recovery bonds.

Position
Watch

Priority

Subject
Wildfire/Disaster
Fund

Attachments:

[AB 1363 \(Stone\) Fact Sheet - Electrical Corporation Executive Compensation](#)

SB 45 (Allen D) Wildfire, Drought, and Flood Protection Bond Act of 2020.

Current Text: Amended: 3/5/2019 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 12/3/2018

Last Amend: 3/5/2019

Status: 3/28/2019-Set for hearing April 3.

Location: 3/26/2019-S. E.Q.

Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Conf. Conc.	Enrolled	Vetoed	Chaptered
1st House				2nd House							

Calendar: 4/3/2019 9:30 a.m. - Room 3191 SENATE ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY, ALLEN, Chair

Summary: Would enact the Wildfire, Drought, and Flood Protection Bond Act of 2020, which, if approved by the voters, would authorize the issuance of bonds in an amount of \$4,300,000,000 pursuant to the State General Obligation Bond Law to finance projects to restore fire damaged areas, reduce wildfire risk, create healthy forest and watersheds, reduce climate impacts on urban areas and vulnerable populations, protect water supply and water quality, protect rivers, lakes, and streams, reduce flood risk, protect fish and wildlife from climate impacts, improve climate resilience of agricultural lands, and protect coastal lands and resources.

Position
Watch

Priority

Subject
Wildfire/Disaster
Fund

Attachments:

[SB 45 \(Allen\) Wildfire Drought and Flood Protection Bond Act Fact Sheet 120318](#)

Total Measures: 182

Total Tracking Forms: 182