CA AB 21 AUTHOR: Wood [D]

**TITLE:** Medical Marijuana: Cultivation Licenses

INTRODUCED: 12/01/2014
DISPOSITION: Enacted
LOCATION: Chaptered

**SUMMARY:** 

Amends the Compassionate Use Act of 1996 which authorizes the use of marijuana for medical purposes and provides that the State Department of Food and Agriculture is the sole licensing authority for medical marijuana cultivation applicants a city, county, or city and county to delete the provision that grants the Department the sole licensing authority under that Act. Provides a license exemption does not prevent a local government from exercising its police power authority under the State Constitution.

**STATUS:** 

02/03/2016 Signed by GOVERNOR.

02/03/2016 Chaptered by Secretary of State. Chapter No. 1

**Commentary:** Watching bill.

CA AB 1399 AUTHOR: Baker [R]

**TITLE:** Income Taxes: Contributions: Domestic Violence Fund

**INTRODUCED:** 02/27/2015 **DISPOSITION:** Pending

**COMMITTEE:** Senate Governance and Finance Committee

**HEARING:** 06/08/2016 11:15 am

**SUMMARY:** 

Allows an individual to designate on his or her tax return that a specified amount in excess of tax liability be transferred to the State Domestic Violence Fund created by this Act. Requires a portion of the moneys in the fund be distributed as funds to active grant recipients under the Comprehensive Statewide Domestic Violence Program within the Office of Emergency Services.

**STATUS:** 

06/08/2016 From SENATE Committee on GOVERNANCE AND

FINANCE: Do pass to Committee on APPROPRIATIONS.

**Commentary:** 

Sent support letter from Chair 01.04.16

**POSITION:** Support

CA AB 1554 AUTHOR: Irwin [D]

**TITLE:** Powdered Alcohol

INTRODUCED: 01/04/2016
DISPOSITION: Pending

**COMMITTEE:** Senate Governmental Organization Committee

**HEARING:** 06/14/2016 9:30 am

#### **SUMMARY:**

Prohibits the Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control from issuing a license to manufacture, distribute, or sell powdered alcohol, and requires the Department to revoke the license of any licensee who manufactures, distributes, or sells powdered alcohol. Prohibits the purchase, sale, offer for sale, distribution, manufacture, possession, or use of powdered alcohol. Makes a violation of these provisions punishable as an infraction.

**STATUS:** 

05/05/2016 To SENATE Committee on GOVERNMENTAL

ORGANIZATION.

**Commentary:** 

Companion bill to SB 819. Consistent with policy #98. Sent LOS 3/24 for 4/6

hearing.

**POSITION:** Support

CA AB 1568 AUTHOR: Bonta [D]

**TITLE:** Medi-Cal: Demonstration Project

**INTRODUCED:** 01/04/2016 **DISPOSITION:** Pending

**COMMITTEE:** Senate Health Committee **HEARING:** 06/08/2016 1:30 pm

**SUMMARY:** 

Establishes the Medi-Cal 2020 Demonstration Project Act. Requires the implementation of specified components of the subsequent demonstration project. Requires the establishment and operation of a Whole Person Care pilot program and related special fund. Requires the implementation of the Dental Transformation Initiative. Requires the conduction of a study, report, assessment, evaluation, or other similar demonstration project.

**STATUS:** 

06/08/2016 From SENATE Committee on HEALTH: Do pass to

Committee on APPROPRIATIONS.

**Commentary:** 

Dr. Walker forwarded. Sending LOS.

CA AB 1592 AUTHOR: Bonilla [D]

**TITLE:** Autonomous Vehicles: Pilot Project

**INTRODUCED:** 01/06/2016 **DISPOSITION:** Pending

**COMMITTEE:** Senate Transportation and Housing Committee

**HEARING:** 06/14/2016 1:30 pm

**SUMMARY:** 

Authorizes the Contra Costa Transportation Authority to conduct a pilot project for the testing of autonomous vehicles that are not equipped with a steering wheel, a brake pedal, an accelerator, or an operator inside the vehicle, if the testing is conducted only at specified locations and the autonomous vehicle operates at

specified speeds.

**STATUS:** 

06/06/2016 From SENATE Committee on TRANSPORTATION AND

HOUSING with author's amendments.

06/06/2016 In SENATE. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to

Committee on TRANSPORTATION AND HOUSING.

**Commentary:** 

BOS supported 3/8/16

**POSITION:** Support

CA AB 1642 AUTHOR: Obernolte [R]

**TITLE:** State Responsibility Areas: Fire Prevention Fees

**INTRODUCED:** 01/11/2016 **DISPOSITION:** Pending

**LOCATION:** Assembly Appropriations Committee

**SUMMARY:** 

Extends the time when the fire prevention fee is due and payable from the date of assessment by the State Board of Equalization, and authorizes the petition for redetermination to be filed within a specified number of days after service of the notice of determination.

**STATUS:** 

05/27/2016 In ASSEMBLY Committee on APPROPRIATIONS: Held in

committee.

**Commentary:** 

Letter of support requested from AM office. Similar to bill we supported last year.

CA AB 1665 AUTHOR: Bonilla [D]

**TITLE:** Transactions and Use taxes: Alameda/Contra Costa

**INTRODUCED:** 01/14/2016 **DISPOSITION:** Pending

**COMMITTEE:** Senate Transportation and Housing Committee

**HEARING:** 06/14/2016 1:30 pm

**SUMMARY:** 

Removes transaction and use taxing authority for the support of countywide transportation programs from the County of Alameda and the County of Contra Costa and to grant that authority to the Contra Costa Transportation Authority.

**STATUS:** 

05/26/2016 To SENATE Committees on TRANSPORTATION AND

HOUSING and GOVERNANCE AND FINANCE.

**Commentary:** 

BOS supports. John Cunningham handling

CA AB 1692 AUTHOR: Bonilla [D]

**TITLE:** County Employees Retirement: Contra Costa County

**INTRODUCED:** 01/21/2016

**DISPOSITION:** Pending

**COMMITTEE:** Senate Public Employment and Retirement Committee

**HEARING:** 06/13/2016 2:00 pm

**SUMMARY:** 

Authorizes the Board of Supervisors of Contra Costa County to apply certain terms and conditions to nonsafety officers and employees who are new members subject to the retirement formulas specified in the Public Employees' Pension Reform Act of 2013 and for whom the board is the governing body.

**STATUS:** 

05/19/2016 To SENATE Committee on PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT AND

RETIREMENT.

**Commentary:** 

This is our sponsored bill. **POSITION:** Support

CA AB 1697 AUTHOR: Bonilla [D]

**TITLE:** Alternative and Renewable Fuel and Vehicle Technology

INTRODUCED: 01/21/2016
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: SENATE

**SUMMARY:** 

Amends the Alternative and Renewable Fuel and Vehicle Technology Program. Adds a project's ability, under the Program, to provide a path for trained workers to transition to jobs in the clean technology and renewable fuels sections and a project's ability to promote employment of trained workers in those sectors as additional criteria on which preference under the Program shall be provided. Revises the eligibility criteria for workforce training programs.

**STATUS:** 

05/31/2016 In ASSEMBLY. Read third time. Passed ASSEMBLY.

\*\*\*\*\*To SENATE. (80-0)

**Commentary:** 

Stephen Baiter, WDB suggests a Support position.

**Position:** Support

CA AB 1707 AUTHOR: Linder [R]

**TITLE:** Public Records: Response to Request

**INTRODUCED:** 01/25/2016 **DISPOSITION:** Pending

**LOCATION:** Assembly Local Government Committee

**SUMMARY:** 

Requires a public records denial of a request to be in writing regardless of whether the request was in writing. Requires such response to include a list that contains the title or other identification of each record requested but withheld due to an exemption and the specific exemption that applies to that record.

**STATUS:** 

03/29/2016 From ASSEMBLY Committee on JUDICIARY: Do pass to

Committee on LOCAL GOVERNMENT. (10-0)

**Commentary001:** 

3/14/16 Leg Com recommends OPPOSE to BOS

CA AB 1713 AUTHOR: Eggman [D]

**TITLE:** Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta: Peripheral Canal

**INTRODUCED:** 01/26/2016 **DISPOSITION:** Pending

**LOCATION:** Assembly Appropriations Committee

**SUMMARY:** 

Prohibits the construction of a peripheral canal in the Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta unless expressly authorized by an initiative voted on by the voters of California, and requires the Legislative Analyst's Office to complete a prescribed economic

feasibility analysis prior to a vote authorizing the construction of a peripheral canal.

**STATUS:** 

05/27/2016 In ASSEMBLY Committee on APPROPRIATIONS: Held in

committee.

**Commentary:** 

To the BOS on 3/15/16 **POSITION:** Support

CA AB 1758 AUTHOR: Stone [D]

**TITLE:** Telecommunications: Advanced Services Fund

**INTRODUCED:** 02/02/2016 **DISPOSITION:** Failed

**LOCATION:** ASSEMBLY

**SUMMARY:** 

Extends the time period for meeting the State Advanced Services Fund program goal and specifies the advanced communication services threshold speeds to be met in achieving the goal. Specifies as a program goal the achievement of a statewide adoption rate of high-speed Internet access. Provides priority for specified projects. Requires development of a plan to implement these provisions in a manner to foster public-private collaboration. Authorizes grants to facilitate such access to low-income households.

**STATUS:** 

04/21/2016 From ASSEMBLY Committee on UTILITIES AND

COMMERCE without further action pursuant to JR 62(a).

Commentary: Sending LOS.

**Position:** Support

CA AB 1853 AUTHOR: Cooper [D]

**TITLE:** County Employees Retirement Districts

**INTRODUCED:** 02/10/2016

**DISPOSITION:** Pending **LOCATION:** SENATE

**SUMMARY:** 

Relates to the County Employees Retirement Law of 1937 (CERL). Authorizes the retirement board of any retirement system operating under CERL to elect to be a district. Authorizes a board to adopt administrative provisions that would classify various personnel of the retirement system as employees of the retirement system and not employees of the county. Authorizes specified retirement systems operating as districts to delegate the subpoena power as described in existing law.

**STATUS:** 

05/31/2016 In ASSEMBLY. Read third time. Passed ASSEMBLY.

\*\*\*\*\*To SENATE. (45-21)

**Commentary:** 

County Counsel recommends that this bill needs to be watched, and CSAC should be made aware.

CA AB 1897 AUTHOR: Mullin [D]

**TITLE:** Day Care Centers

**INTRODUCED:** 02/11/2016 **DISPOSITION:** Pending

**LOCATION:** Assembly Appropriations Committee

**SUMMARY:** 

Requires the State Department of Social Services to, adopt regulations that develop and implement a birth to entering first grade license option for day care careers. Requires the regulations to include age appropriate transition times, a requirement that a single integrated license option list the age groups of children being served at a day care center, a requirement hat all other licensing regulations that apply to a day care center shall also apply to a birth to entering first grade license option.

**STATUS:** 

05/27/2016 In ASSEMBLY Committee on APPROPRIATIONS: Held in

committee.

**Commentary:** 

Consistent with policy #121. Sending LOS.

**POSITION:** Support

CA AB 1994 AUTHOR: Lopez [D]

TITLE: CalED Program INTRODUCED: 02/16/2016 Pending

**LOCATION:** Assembly Appropriations Committee

**SUMMARY:** 

Creates the CalED Program for the purpose of assisting CalWORKs recipients to obtain high school diplomas or equivalency certificates, under specified eligibility criteria. Provides for a one-time aid supplement if a participant successfully completes high school or a general educational development test approved by the

State Board of Education and administered by a testing center approved by the State Department of Education.

**STATUS:** 

05/27/2016 In ASSEMBLY Committee on APPROPRIATIONS: Held in

committee.

**Commentary:** 

Stephen Baiter suggests watching.

**Position:** Watch

CA AB 2058 AUTHOR: Mayes [R]

**TITLE:** CalWORKs Educational Incentives

**INTRODUCED:** 02/17/2016 **DISPOSITION:** Pending

**LOCATION:** Assembly Appropriations Committee

**SUMMARY:** 

Creates the CalWORKs Educational Opportunity and Attainment Program to provide CalWORKs recipients with an education incentive grant for attainment of a high school diploma or its equivalent, an associates degree or career technical education program, or a bachelor's degree, if the program was completed while under CalWORKs. Requires certification by the county of the participant to ensure receipt of the incentive grant. Appropriates funds for the CalWORKS Recipients Education Program in community colleges.

**STATUS:** 

05/27/2016 In ASSEMBLY Committee on APPROPRIATIONS: Held in

committee.

**Commentary:** 

Stephen Baiter suggests watching.

**Position:** Watch

CA AB 2061 AUTHOR: Waldron [R]

**TITLE:** Supervised Population Workforce training Grant Program

**INTRODUCED:** 02/17/2016 **DISPOSITION:** Pending

**COMMITTEE:** Senate Public Safety Committee

**HEARING:** 06/14/2016 9:00 am

**SUMMARY:** 

Relates to the Supervised Population Workforce Training Grant Program and vocational training, and apprenticeship opportunities for individuals on probation, mandatory supervision, and postrelease community supervision. Requires the Workforce Investment Board to give preference to a grant application that proposes participation by employers who have demonstrated interest in employing individuals in the supervised population. Requires related reports to the Legislature.

**STATUS:** 

05/26/2016 To SENATE Committee on PUBLIC SAFETY.

**Commentary:** 

Stephen Baiter, WDB suggests a Watch position.

**Position:** Watch

CA AB 2092 AUTHOR: Frazier [D]

**TITLE:** Abandoned Watercraft Abatement Fund: Grants

**INTRODUCED:** 02/17/2016 **DISPOSITION:** Pending

**LOCATION:** Assembly Appropriations Committee

**SUMMARY:** 

Authorizes grants under the Abandoned Watercraft Abatement Fund to be used for abatement, removal, storage, or disposal of commercial vessels.

**STATUS:** 

05/27/2016 In ASSEMBLY Committee on APPROPRIATIONS: Held in

committee.

**Commentary:** 

Supv Piepho concerned about bill; requests input from SO.

CA AB 2105 AUTHOR: Rodriguez [D]

**TITLE:** Workforce Development: Allied Health Care Professionals

**INTRODUCED:** 02/17/2016 **DISPOSITION:** Pending

**COMMITTEE:** Senate Labor and Industrial Relations Committee

**HEARING:** 06/22/2016 9:30 am

**SUMMARY:** 

Requires that the Workforce Development Board prepare and submit a report on the Board's findings regarding earn and learn job training opportunities, models, and programs. Requires the Board to consider the recommendations in the report as to whether such recommendations shall be included in the Board's work plan for the next fiscal year, or expanding the use of apprenticeship program to help prepare allied health care professionals to meet upcoming needs.

**STATUS:** 

05/12/2016 To SENATE Committee on LABOR AND INDUSTRIAL

RELATIONS.

**Commentary:** 

Stephen Baiter, WDB suggests a Watch position.

**Position:** Watch

CA AB 2128 AUTHOR: Achadjian [R]

**TITLE:** Marriage **INTRODUCED:** 02/17/2016 **DISPOSITION:** Pending

**COMMITTEE:** Senate Judiciary Committee

**HEARING:** 06/14/2016 1:30 pm

**SUMMARY:** 

Amends existing law that allows a member of the Armed Force of the United States

who is stationed overseas and serving in a conflict or a war and is unable to appear for the license and solemnization of the marriage to enter into that marriage by the appearance of an attorney in fact. Provides that the completion of the power of attorney is the sole determinant as to whether the county clerk's office or State Registrar will accept the power of attorney.

**STATUS:** 

06/06/2016 From SENATE Committee on JUDICIARY with author's

amendments.

06/06/2016 In SENATE. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to

Committee on JUDICIARY.

**Commentary:** 

Support requested by Paul Burgarino, Community Education and Engagement Specialist for Clerk-Recorder.

CA AB 2156 AUTHOR: Levine [D]

**TITLE:** Public Postsecondary Education

**INTRODUCED:** 02/17/2016 **DISPOSITION:** Pending

**LOCATION:** Assembly Appropriations Committee

**SUMMARY:** 

Requires the California State University (CSU), and requests the University of California (UC), to participate in regional conversations pursuant to the Federal Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act. Requires CSU, and requests UC, to submit a report to the Legislature on specified topics related to regional workforce demands.

**STATUS:** 

05/27/2016 In ASSEMBLY Committee on APPROPRIATIONS: Held in

committee.

**Commentary:** 

Stephen Baiter, WDB suggests a Watch position.

**EHSD:** Watch

CA AB 2257 AUTHOR: Maienschein [R]

**TITLE:** Local Agency Meeting: Agenda: Online Posting

INTRODUCED: 02/18/2016
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: SENATE

**SUMMARY:** 

Amends the Ralph M. Brown Act, which enables the legislative body of a local agency to call both regular and special meetings. Requires an online posting of an agenda for a local agency legislative body, if the agency has an Internet Web site, be posted on the site homepage accessible specified link. Exempts specified local entities if the legislative body has a specified integrated agenda management platform. Requires the agenda to meet specified standards. Defines related terms. **STATUS:** 

05/23/2016 In ASSEMBLY. Read third time. Passed ASSEMBLY.

\*\*\*\*\*To SENATE. (77-0)

**Commentary:** 

UCC has "Oppose Unless Amended"

CA AB 2263 AUTHOR: Baker [R]

**TITLE:** Protect Victims and Reproductive Health Care Providers

INTRODUCED: 02/18/2016
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: SENATE

**SUMMARY:** 

Requires the Secretary of State to provide each participant in the non-disclosure program with a notice that they may request certain actions in relation to real property records when purchasing or selling a home. Prohibits specified entities from publicly posting or displaying on the Internet the home address of a program participant who is a reproductive health care services provider, employee, volunteer, or patient who has requested address non-disclosure.

**STATUS:** 

05/27/2016 In ASSEMBLY. Read third time. Passed ASSEMBLY.

\*\*\*\*\*To SENATE. (70-0)

**Commentary:** 

send to DL for comment

CA AB 2285 AUTHOR: McCarty [D]

**TITLE:** State Employment: Former Foster Youth

INTRODUCED: 02/18/2016
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: SENATE

**SUMMARY:** 

Requires the Department of Human Resources to establish a class in the classification plan that would enable former foster youth who do not otherwise meet the eligibility criteria for any current class to obtain employment with the state. Requires the Department to establish an emancipated foster youth program to provide training for eventual jobs with State agencies. Requires a job readiness training program for eligible participants in Sacramento County.

**STATUS:** 

06/01/2016 In ASSEMBLY. Read third time. Passed ASSEMBLY.

\*\*\*\*\*To SENATE. (79-0)

**Commentary:** 

Stephen Baiter, WDB suggests a Support position.

**Position:** Support

CA AB 2288 AUTHOR: Burke [D]

**TITLE:** Apprenticeship Programs

**INTRODUCED:** 02/18/2016

**DISPOSITION:** Pending

**COMMITTEE:** Senate Labor and Industrial Relations Committee

**HEARING:** 06/08/2016 9:30 am

**SUMMARY:** 

Requires the Workforce Development Board and each local board to ensure that preapprenticeship training the building and construction trades follows the Multi-Craft Core Curriculum developed by the California Department of Education and that programs and services funded by the federal Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act of 2014.

**STATUS:** 

06/08/2016 From SENATE Committee on LABOR AND INDUSTRIAL

RELATIONS: Do pass to Committee on

APPROPRIATIONS.

**Commentary:** 

Stephen Baiter suggests watching

**Position:** Watch

CA AB 2344 AUTHOR: Chang [R]

**TITLE:** Workforce Development

INTRODUCED: 02/18/2016
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: ASSEMBLY

**SUMMARY:** 

States the intent of the Legislature to enact legislation to promote and improve workforce development.

**STATUS:** 

02/18/2016 INTRODUCED.

**Position:** Watch

CA AB 2395 AUTHOR: Low [D]

**TITLE:** Telecommunications: Public Switched Telephone Networks

**INTRODUCED:** 02/18/2016 **DISPOSITION:** Pending

**LOCATION:** Assembly Appropriations Committee

**SUMMARY:** 

Amends provisions of existing law regarding telecommunications and replacement of a public switched telephone network. Requires a telephone corporation transitioning to Internet Protocol (IP) enabled services and networks to provide customer education before seeking the transition from regulated legacy public switched telephone network services to IP services. Requires customer notification. Provides related requirements of the Public Utilities Commission. Relates to alternative service requirements.

**STATUS:** 

05/27/2016 In ASSEMBLY Committee on APPROPRIATIONS: Held in

committee.

05/27/2016 In ASSEMBLY. Joint Rule 62(a) suspended.

**Commentary:** 

Ed Woo reviewed the bill. Support letter requested of Chair Andersen.

CA AB 2412 AUTHOR: Chang [R]

**TITLE:** Community Colleges: Grants: Credentials

**INTRODUCED:** 02/19/2016 **DISPOSITION:** Pending

**LOCATION:** Assembly Appropriations Committee

**SUMMARY:** 

Establishes an incentive grant program for the completion of industry-recognized credential in specified occupational areas by students enrolled at participating campuses of the California Community Colleges. Requires a campus that receive such grant to use the funds to improve its workforce development and career technical education programs. Lists the criteria to be prioritized in the selection of industry-recognized credentials that would be eligible for program funding. Requires a related report.

**STATUS:** 

05/27/2016 In ASSEMBLY Committee on APPROPRIATIONS: Held in

committee.

**Commentary:** 

Stephen Baiter, WDB suggests a Oppose position.

**Position:** Oppose

CA AB 2448 AUTHOR: Burke [D]

**TITLE:** CalWORKs: Welfare-to-Work: Education

INTRODUCED: 02/19/2016
DISPOSITION: Pending

**FILE:** 23

**LOCATION:** Senate Third Reading File

**SUMMARY:** 

Provides that if a county determines that a CalWORK's recipient has not received his or her high school diploma or its equivalent, the recipient may participate in an equivalency program in order to complete a equivalency test. Authorizes the recipient to participate in a high school equivalency program in lieu of participating in a job search or job club. Prohibits requiring the recipient to participate in an assessment before engaging in the program.

**STATUS:** 

05/16/2016 In SENATE. From Consent Calendar. To third reading.

**Commentary:** 

Stephen Baiter, WDB suggests a Watch position.

**Position:** Watch

CA AB 2466 AUTHOR: Weber [D]

**TITLE:** Voting: Felons

INTRODUCED: 02/19/2016
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: SENATE

**SUMMARY:** 

Relates to felons and voter eligibility. Defines imprisoned as currently serving a state or federal prison sentence. Defines parole. Clarifies that conviction does not include juvenile adjudication. Requires specified information in an election statement by a person entitled to register to vote. Requires a court statement furnishing information related to incarcerated individuals.

**STATUS:** 

05/31/2016 In ASSEMBLY. Read third time. Passed ASSEMBLY.

\*\*\*\*\*To SENATE. (41-37)

**Commentary:** 

Support requested by ACLU, through Supervisor Andersen's office.

CA AB 2502 AUTHOR: Mullin [D]

**TITLE:** Land Use: Zoning Regulations

**INTRODUCED:** 02/19/2016 **DISPOSITION:** Pending

**LOCATION:** Assembly Local Government Committee

**SUMMARY:** 

Authorizes the legislative body of any city, county, or city and county to adopt ordinances to requires, as a condition of development of residential rental units, that the development include a certain percentage of residential rental units affordable to, and occupied by, moderate-income, lower-income, very low income, or extremely low income households. Makes nonsubstantive changes.

**STATUS:** 

06/02/2016 In ASSEMBLY. Assembly Rule 69 suspended.

06/02/2016 In ASSEMBLY. Read third time and amended. To third

reading.

06/02/2016 Re-referred to ASSEMBLY Committee on LOCAL

GOVERNMENT.

**Commentary:** 

Consistent with State Platform, Policy #142. Sending LOS for 4/13 hearing.

**Position:** Support

CA AB 2583 AUTHOR: Frazier [D]

**TITLE:** Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta Reform Act of 2009

INTRODUCED: 02/19/2016
DISPOSITION: Failed
LOCATION: ASSEMBLY

**SUMMARY:** 

Relates to the Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta Reform Act of 2009, the Delta Stewardship Council, the Delta Plan and the California Water Fix. Provides that the new Delta water conveyance infrastructure is interdependent parts of a system.

Amends the point of diversion to a point on the Sacramento River. Prohibits construction of a new Delta conveyance facility until contracts are signed by contractors who will receive the water that commit them to pay costs and to mitigate facility property taxes.

**STATUS:** 

05/27/2016 From ASSEMBLY Committee on WATER, PARKS AND

WILDLIFE without further action pursuant to JR 62(a).

**Commentary:** 

Signed on to the DCC support letter 4/5/16

**POSITION:** Support

CA AB 2642 AUTHOR: Garcia E [D]

**TITLE:** Removing Barriers to Employment Act: Initiative

**INTRODUCED:** 02/19/2016 **DISPOSITION:** Pending

**LOCATION:** Assembly Appropriations Committee

**SUMMARY:** 

Enacts the Removing Barriers to Employment Act to establish a specified initiative to create a grant program to assist individuals who have multiple barriers to employment receive the remedial education and work readiness skills that will help these individuals to successfully participate in training, apprenticeship or employment opportunities that enhance skill development. Requires posting related information on the Labor and Workforce Development Agency's Internet Web site.

**STATUS:** 

05/27/2016 In ASSEMBLY Committee on APPROPRIATIONS: Held in

committee.

**Commentary:** 

Stephen Baiter, WDB suggests a Support position. CWA sponsoring.

**Position:** Support

CA AB 2686 AUTHOR: Mullin [D]

**TITLE:** Elections: All-Mailed Ballot Elections

INTRODUCED: 02/19/2016
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: SENATE

**SUMMARY:** 

Amends existing law that authorizes San Diego County to conduct a all-mailed ballot special election or special consolidated election, as a pilot program. Authorizes the County to additionally conduct such an election to fill a congressional or legislative vacancy under certain conditions. Authorizes any county to conduct an all-mailed special election or special consolidated election under specified conditions. Requires counties to submit a related report.

**STATUS:** 

05/23/2016 In ASSEMBLY. Read third time. Passed ASSEMBLY.

\*\*\*\*\*To SENATE. (57-20)

**Commentary:** 

UCC supports

CA AB 2719 AUTHOR: Garcia E [D]

**TITLE:** Workforce Development: Out-of-School Youth

INTRODUCED: 02/19/2016 DISPOSITION: Pending

**COMMITTEE:** Senate Labor and Industrial Relations Committee

**HEARING:** 06/22/2016 9:30 am

**SUMMARY:** 

Includes within the definition of an individual with employment barriers and out-of-school youth. Revises the duties of the Workforce Development Board regarding out of school youth. Defines a school operating in partnership with the U.S. Department of Labor. Provides school districts, county offices of education and secondary schools that provide instruction in partnership with Department programs are eligible to apply to provide basic-diploma skills training.

**STATUS:** 

05/26/2016 To SENATE Committee on LABOR AND INDUSTRIAL

RELATIONS.

**Commentary:** 

Stephen Baiter, WDB suggests a Oppose position.

**Position:** Oppose

CA AB 2765 AUTHOR: Weber [D]

**TITLE:** Proposition 47: Sentence Reduction

INTRODUCED: 02/19/2016
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: SENATE

**SUMMARY:** 

Amends the Safe Neighborhoods and Schools Act. Authorizes a person to petition or apply for a reduction of a sentence before a specified date or at a later date upon a showing of good cause. Extends the period of time in which a person could file a petition or application without a showing of good cause.

**STATUS:** 

05/31/2016 In ASSEMBLY. Read third time. Passed ASSEMBLY.

\*\*\*\*\*To SENATE. (58-19)

**Commentary:** 

**UCC** supports

CA AB 2831 AUTHOR: Chang [R]

**TITLE:** State Community Colleges Economic and Workforce

INTRODUCED: 02/19/2016
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: ASSEMBLY

**SUMMARY:** 

Makes a nonsubstantive change to existing law that establishes the California Community Colleges Economic and Workforce Development Program.

**STATUS:** 

02/19/2016 INTRODUCED.

**Commentary:** 

Stephen Baiter, WDB suggests a Watch position.

**Position:** Watch

CA SB 45 AUTHOR: Mendoza [D]

**TITLE:** Federal Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act

**INTRODUCED:** 12/12/2014

**DISPOSITION:** Pending - Carryover

**LOCATION:** Assembly Labor and Employment Committee

**SUMMARY:** 

Requires the State, in conformity with the federal Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act, to identify workforce investment planning regions. Requires local boards and chief elected officials to prepare regional plans for those regions. Requires the State Workforce Investment Board to aid the Governor in facilitating system alignment across the core programs of the federal Act. Makes related and conforming changes.

**STATUS:** 

05/14/2015 To ASSEMBLY Committees on LABOR AND

EMPLOYMENT and JOBS, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

AND THE ECONOMY.

**Position:** Watch

CA SB 66 AUTHOR: Leyva [D]

**TITLE:** Career Technical Education

**INTRODUCED:** 01/07/2015 **DISPOSITION:** Pending

**LOCATION:** Assembly Business and Professions Committee

**SUMMARY:** 

Requires the Department of Community Affairs to make available to the Office of the Chancellor of the California Community Colleges any licensure information the Department has in electronic format for its boards, bureaus, commissions, or programs for the sole purpose of enabling the Office to measure employment outcomes of students who participate in career technical education programs offered by the California Community Colleges and recommend how these program may be improved.

**STATUS:** 

04/28/2016 To ASSEMBLY Committees on BUSINESS AND

PROFESSIONS and HIGHER EDUCATION.

**Commentary:** 

Stephen Baiter, WDB suggests a watch position.

**Position:** Watch

CA SB 554 AUTHOR: Wolk [D]

**TITLE:** Delta Levee Maintenance

**INTRODUCED:** 02/26/2015 **DISPOSITION:** Pending

**COMMITTEE:** Assembly Water, Parks and Wildlife Committee

**HEARING:** 06/14/2016 9:00 am

**SUMMARY:** 

Relates to the maintenance or improvement of project or nonproject levees in the Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta. Declares legislative intent to reimburse up to a certain percent of costs incurred in any year for the maintenance or improvement of levees in excess of a specified sum per mile of levee and authorizes a specified board to advance funds in an amount that does not exceed a certain percent of the estimated state share to an eligible local agency.

**STATUS:** 

04/28/2016 To ASSEMBLY Committee on WATER, PARKS AND

WILDLIFE.

**Commentary:** 

Sending letter of support. Consistent with Water Platform.

**POSITION:** Support

CA SB 815 AUTHOR: Hernandez [D]

**TITLE:** Medi-Cal: Demonstration Project

**INTRODUCED:** 01/04/2016 **DISPOSITION:** Pending

**COMMITTEE:** Assembly Health Committee

**HEARING:** 06/08/2016 3:00 pm

**SUMMARY:** 

Establishes the Medi-Cal 2020 Demonstration Project Act. Retains the Demonstration Disproportionate Share Hospital Fund. Requires a Global Payment Program and related fund. Provides program funds are in lieu of disproportionate share hospital payments. Provides for the Global Payment Program and the Public Hospital Redesign and Incentives in the Med-Cal program. Provides the details for funding under the program. Amends a specified managed care contract.

**STATUS:** 

06/08/2016 From ASSEMBLY Committee on HEALTH: Do pass to

Committee on APPROPRIATIONS.

**Commentary:** 

Dr. Walker recommends Support. Sending LOS.

**Position:** Support

CA SB 819 AUTHOR: Huff [R]

**TITLE:** Powdered Alcohol

**INTRODUCED:** 01/05/2016 **DISPOSITION:** Pending

**COMMITTEE:** Assembly Governmental Organization Committee

**HEARING:** 06/08/2016 1:30 pm

**SUMMARY:** 

Prohibits the Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control from issuing a license to manufacture, distribute, or sell powdered alcohol, and requires the department to revoke the license of any licensee who manufactures, distributes, or sells powdered alcohol. Prohibits the possession, purchase, sale, offer for sale, distribution, or use of powdered alcohol and makes the violation of these provisions punishable as an infraction.

**STATUS:** 

05/09/2016 To ASSEMBLY Committee on GOVERNMENTAL

ORGANIZATION.

**Commentary:** 

Consistent with policy #98. Sending LOS for 3/8 & 4/11 hearings.

**POSITION:** Support

CA SB 867 AUTHOR: Roth [D]

**TITLE:** Emergency Medical Services

**INTRODUCED:** 01/11/2016 **DISPOSITION:** Pending

**COMMITTEE:** Assembly Public Safety Committee

**HEARING:** 06/14/2016 9:00 am

**SUMMARY:** 

Extends the operative date of the provides of existing law the established the Maddy Emergency Medical Services Fund and authorizes each county to establish an emergency medical services fund for reimbursement of costs related to emergency medical services.

**STATUS:** 

05/05/2016 To ASSEMBLY Committee on PUBLIC SAFETY.

**Position:** Support

CA SB 885 AUTHOR: Wolk [D]

**TITLE:** Construction Contracts: Indemnity

INTRODUCED: 01/19/2016
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: ASSEMBLY

**SUMMARY:** 

Specifies, for construction contracts, that a design professional only the has the duty to defend claims that arise out of, or pertain or relate to, negligence, recklessness, or willful misconduct of the design professional. Prohibits a waiver of these provisions. Provides that any clause, covenant, or agreement contained in, collateral to, or affecting a contract that requires a design professional to defend claims or lawsuits against other persons or entities is void and unenforceable.

**STATUS:** 

06/01/2016 In SENATE. Read third time. Passed SENATE. \*\*\*\*\*To

ASSEMBLY. (26-4)

**Commentary:** 

3/14/16 Leg Com recommends additional information from author before position of Oppose or OUA.

CA SB 910 AUTHOR: Berryhill [R]

TITLE: CalWORK's INTRODUCED: 01/26/2016 Pending

**LOCATION:** Senate Rules Committee

**SUMMARY:** 

Makes a technical, nonsubstantive change to a provision of existing law relative to the CalWORK's program.

**STATUS:** 

02/04/2016 To SENATE Committee on RULES.

**Commentary:** 

Stephen Baiter, WDB suggests a watch position.

**Position:** Watch

CA SB 941 AUTHOR: Mitchell [D]

TITLE: Juveniles
INTRODUCED: 02/03/2016
DISPOSITION: Pending

**LOCATION:** Senate Appropriations Committee

**SUMMARY:** 

Provides fees related to local home detention programs are only payable by adults. Authorizes a court to order a defendant to pay a reasonable fee related to drug and substance abuse testing only if the defendant is an adult. Deletes the authorization to charge a minor that fee. Revises provisions regarding the amount of county support required for care and custody of ward, dependent children, or other minor person. Repeals a foster parent training fund. Relates to welfare family destabilization.

**STATUS:** 

05/27/2016 In SENATE Committee on APPROPRIATIONS: Held in

committee.

**Commentary:** 

CAO requesting Leg Com input on bill

CA SB 966 AUTHOR: Mitchell [D]

**TITLE:** Controlled Substances: Sentence Enhancements

INTRODUCED: 02/08/2016
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: ASSEMBLY

**SUMMARY:** 

Amends provisions of existing law that impose on a person convicted of a violation of, or of conspiracy to violate, specified crimes relating to controlled substances a

full, separate, and consecutive term for each prior conviction of specified controlled substances crimes. Limits the sentence enhancement to only be based on each prior conviction of conspiracy to violate specified manufacturing controlled substance crimes using a minor in the commission of the offense.

**STATUS:** 

06/02/2016 In SENATE. Read third time. Passed SENATE. \*\*\*\*\*To

**ASSEMBLY.** (22-14)

**Commentary:** 

PD sent her own letter of support

CA SB 1000 AUTHOR: Levva [D]

**TITLE:** Land Use: General Plans: Environmental Justice

INTRODUCED: 02/10/2016
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: ASSEMBLY

**SUMMARY:** 

Amends the Planning and Zoning Law. Adds to the required elements of the general plan an environmental justice element that identifies disadvantaged communities within the area covered by the general plan of the city, county, or city and county. Requires the environmental justice element to identify objectives and policies to reduce risks in disadvantaged communities and to identify objectives and policies to promote civil engagement in the public decision making process.

**STATUS:** 

06/01/2016 In SENATE. Read third time. Passed SENATE. \*\*\*\*\*To

ASSEMBLY. (24-15)

**Commentary:** 

CSAC: We would still appreciate your review of the proposed amendments for you feedback and specifically have the following questions:

- " $\phi$  On Page 9, section (h)(1)(C) is new language that would require counties and cities to "identify objectives and policies that prioritize investments that address the needs of disadvantaged communities." Reactions to this language?
- " $\phi$  In previous feedback we've had mixed reviews from counties on whether the definitions (found on page 10) of "public amenities", "public facilities", and "public services" are necessary and if so, are the definitions accurate, sufficient, and/or comprehensive? If not, do you have any suggested language to improve upon the definitions? We understand that the author does want to include definitions in the measure and is not willing to remove them entirely so if the definitions are problematic we can work to improve them.

CA SB 1029 AUTHOR: Hertzberg [D]

**TITLE:** Debt and Investment Advisory Commission: Accountability

**INTRODUCED:** 02/12/2016 **DISPOSITION:** Pending

**LOCATION:** ASSEMBLY

**SUMMARY:** 

Requires the Debt and Investment Advisory Commission to track and report on all state and local outstanding debt issues until fully repaid or redeemed. Requires a state and local agency to submit an annual report for any issue of debt for which it has submitted a report of final sale. Requires the report to cover a specified calendar time period and to include specified information about debt issued and outstanding and the use of the proceeds from debt during the reporting period.

**STATUS:** 

06/01/2016 In SENATE. Read third time. Passed SENATE. \*\*\*\*\*To

**ASSEMBLY.** (39-0)

**Commentary:** 

Tim Ewell is monitoring in CAO office.

CA SB 1069 AUTHOR: Wieckowski [D]

**TITLE:** Land Use: Zoning

**INTRODUCED:** 02/16/2016 **DISPOSITION:** Pending

**COMMITTEE:** Assembly Housing and Community Development Committee

**HEARING:** 06/15/2016 9:00 am

**SUMMARY:** 

Amends the Planning and Zoning Law. Replaces the term second unit with accessory dwelling unit throughout the law. Adds the findings and declarations that allowing accessory dwelling units in single-family or multifamily residential zones provides additional rental housing stock and these units are an essential component of housing supply. Requires an ordinance for such units to include provisions contained in existing law. Prohibits parking standards. Relates to accessory dwelling permits.

**STATUS:** 

05/27/2016 To ASSEMBLY Committees on HOUSING AND

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT and LOCAL

GOVERNMENT.

**Commentary:** 

CSAC: "¢ We bring this issue up again for your consideration and feedback as this issue continues to be a contentious one. With the Governor signaling his support for this measure, we anticipate some version of this bill (and/or AB 2299, its assembly vehicle counterpart) making it to the Governor's desk.

"¢ Does the new utility connection fee language impact a county's process/ability to approve an application for an ADU? Or, is this just an issue impacting a homeowner and municipal service providers, i.e. getting a will serve letter?

CA SB 1170 AUTHOR: Wieckowski [D]

**TITLE:** Public Contracts: Water Pollution Prevention Plans

**INTRODUCED:** 02/18/2016

**DISPOSITION:** Pending **LOCATION:** ASSEMBLY

**SUMMARY:** 

Relates to public contracts and pollution prevention plans. Prohibits a public entity, charter city, or charter county from delegating to a contractor the development of a plan to prevent or reduce water pollution or runoff on a public works contract, or to assume responsibility for the completeness and accuracy of a plan developed by that entity. Exempts contracts that use specified procurement methods if the contractor or construction manger is required to retain a plan developer for the project owners.

**STATUS:** 

06/01/2016 In SENATE. Read third time. Passed SENATE. \*\*\*\*\*To

ASSEMBLY. (36-1)

**Commentary:** 

CSAC requesting letters opposing. To BOS on 5/24

CA SB 1174 AUTHOR: McGuire [D]

**TITLE:** Medi-Cal: Children: Prescribing Patterns: Medications

INTRODUCED: 02/18/2016
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: ASSEMBLY

**SUMMARY:** 

Requires the Medical Board to conduct an analysis of data regarding Medi-Cal prescribers and their prescribing patterns of psychotropic medications and related services data provided by specified State agencies. Requires a breakdown by specified population include children in foster care. Requires reports to the results of the analysis of that data. Requires the Board to review the data for violations and to take specified disciplinary action for violations. Provides priority with respect to such reviews.

**STATUS:** 

05/31/2016 In SENATE. Read third time. Passed SENATE. \*\*\*\*\*To

ASSEMBLY. (36-3)

**Commentary:** 

Consistent with State Platform, policy #98. Send LOS.

**Position:** Support

CA SB 1291 AUTHOR: Beall [D]

**TITLE:** Medi-Cal: Specialty Mental Health: Children and Youth

INTRODUCED: 02/19/2016
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: ASSEMBLY

**SUMMARY:** 

Requires each mental health plan to submit a foster care mental health service plan to a specified department detailing the service array, from prevention to crisis services, available to Medi-Cal eligible children and youth under the jurisdiction of the juvenile court and their families. Requires plan public postings and any

corrective action plan prepared by the mental health plan to address deficiencies identified by the external quality review organization on its Internet Web site.

**STATUS:** 

06/02/2016 In SENATE. Read third time. Passed SENATE. \*\*\*\*\*To

ASSEMBLY. (39-0)

**Commentary:** 

Consistent with State Platform, policy #98. Send LOS.

**Position:** Support

CA SB 1300 AUTHOR: Hernandez [D]

**TITLE:** Medi-Cal: Emergency Medical Transport: Fees

INTRODUCED: 02/19/2016
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: ASSEMBLY

**SUMMARY:** 

Imposes a quality assurance fee for each transport provided by an emergency medical transport provider. Authorizes an exemption for categories of providers if necessary to obtain federal approval. Creates a related fund. Requires provider reports, and a fine for not reporting. Increases the Medi-Cal reimbursement to providers for emergency medical transports, including fee-for-service and managed care transports paid by Medi-Cal managed care health plans; requires public posting of reports.

**STATUS:** 

06/01/2016 In SENATE. Read third time, urgency clause adopted.

Passed SENATE. \*\*\*\*\*To ASSEMBLY. (36-1)

**Commentary:** 

AMR requesting a letter of support. Consistent with policy #66.

CA SB 1386 AUTHOR: Wolk [D]

**TITLE:** Resource Conservation: Working and Natural Lands

**INTRODUCED:** 02/19/2016 **DISPOSITION:** Pending

**LOCATION:** Assembly Natural Resources Committee

**SUMMARY:** 

Declares it to be the policy of the State that protection and management of natural and working lands is a key strategy in meeting the state's greenhouse gas reduction goals. Requires all relevant State agencies, departments, boards, and commissions to consider this policy when revising, adopting, or establishing policies, regulations, expenditures, and grant criteria relating to the protection and management of natural and working lands.

**STATUS:** 

05/19/2016 To ASSEMBLY Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.

**Commentary:** 

Consistent with Platform. Sending LOS

CA SB 1410 AUTHOR: Morrell [R]

**TITLE:** California Workforce Investment Act

**INTRODUCED:** 02/19/2016 **DISPOSITION:** Pending

**LOCATION:** Senate Rules Committee

**SUMMARY:** 

Makes a technical, nonsubstantive changes to existing law which establishes the Consolidated Work Program Fund for receiving moneys deposited pursuant to the federal Workforce Investment Act.

**STATUS:** 

03/10/2016 To SENATE Committee on RULES.

**Commentary:** 

Stephen Baiter, WDB suggests a watch position.

**Position:** Watch

CA SB 1427 AUTHOR: Pavley [D]

TITLE: Workforce Development: Developmentally Disabled

INTRODUCED: 02/19/2016
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: ASSEMBLY

**SUMMARY:** 

Requires the Department of Developmental Services to establish a Work Transition Project with guidelines and an approved process for regional centers to allow blended or braided forms of integrated services using allowable services under existing law and to assist in the state's efforts to reach compliance with the federal Home and Community-Based Services Waiver regulations. Authorizes the waiver of certain regulatory requirements.

**STATUS:** 

05/31/2016 In SENATE. Read third time. Passed SENATE. \*\*\*\*\*To

**ASSEMBLY.** (39-0)

**Commentary:** 

Stephen Baiter, WDB suggests a watch position.

**Position:** Watch

CA SB 15 b AUTHOR: Hernandez [D]

**TITLE:** Medi-Cal: Managed Care Organization Tax

INTRODUCED: 02/08/2016
DISPOSITION: Failed
LOCATION: SENATE

**SUMMARY:** 

Establishes a new managed care organization provider tax, to be administered by the State Department of Health Care Services. Provides that the tax would be assessed by the Department on licensed health care service plans, managed care plans contracted with the Department to provide Medi-Cal services, and alternate health care service plans. Provides exclusions. Establishes the Health and Human Services

Special Fund. Reduces the gross premiums tax rate for specified insurers. **STATUS:** 

03/10/2016 From SENATE Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH AND

DEVELOPMENTAL SERVICES without further action.

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