
2021 Priority Bills For Contra Costa County 6/10/21

AB 4	AUTHOR: Arambula [D] TITLE: Medi-Cal: Eligibility FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes URGENCY CLAUSE: no INTRODUCED: 12/07/2020 DISPOSITION: Pending LOCATION: SENATE SUMMARY:
	<p>Extends eligibility for full scope Medi-Cal benefits to anyone regardless of age, and who is otherwise eligible for those benefits but for their immigration status, pursuant to an eligibility and enrollment plan. Requires the eligibility and enrollment plan to ensure that an individual maintains continuity of care with respect to their primary care provider.</p> <p>STATUS:</p> <p>06/01/2021 In ASSEMBLY. Read third time. Passed ASSEMBLY. *****To SENATE. (59-18)</p> <p>Commentary001:</p> <p>Platform consistency. Sending LOS.</p>
AB 14	AUTHOR: Aguiar-Curry [D] TITLE: Communications: Broadband: Advanced Services Fund FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes URGENCY CLAUSE: yes INTRODUCED: 12/07/2020 DISPOSITION: Pending LOCATION: SENATE SUMMARY:
	<p>Authorizes local educational agencies to report to the State Department of Education their pupils' estimated needs for computing devices and internet connectivity adequate for at-home learning. Authorizes the board of supervisors of a county to acquire, construct, improve, maintain, or operate broadband internet access service, and any other communications service necessary to obtain federal or state support.</p> <p>STATUS:</p> <p>06/02/2021 In ASSEMBLY. Read third time, urgency clause adopted. Passed ASSEMBLY. *****To SENATE. (61-7)</p> <p>Commentary001:</p> <p>CSAC supports. LOS sent, consistent with Platform.</p>
AB 15	AUTHOR: Chiu [D] TITLE: COVID-19 Relief: Tenancy Stabilization Act of 2021 FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes URGENCY CLAUSE: yes INTRODUCED: 12/07/2020 DISPOSITION: Pending LOCATION: Assembly Housing and Community Development Committee SUMMARY:

Extends the definition of "COVID-19 rental debt" as unpaid rent or any other unpaid financial obligation of a tenant that came due between March 1, 2020, and December 31, 2021. Extends the repeal date of the COVID-19 Tenant Relief Act of 2020 to January 1, 2026. Prohibits a landlord from taking certain actions with respect to a tenant's COVID-19 rental debt, including, among others, charging or attempting to collect late fees, or withholding a service or amenity.

STATUS:

01/11/2021 To ASSEMBLY Committee on HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT.

AB 16

AUTHOR: Chiu [D]
TITLE: Tenancies: Tenant, Small Landlord, and Housing Act
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 12/07/2020
LAST AMEND: 01/12/2021
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Assembly Housing and Community Development Committee
SUMMARY:

Establishes the Tenant, Small Landlord, and Affordable Housing Provider Stabilization Program. Authorizes the Director of Housing and Community Development to direct an existing office or program within the Department of Housing and Community Development to implement the program. Establishes in the State Treasury the COVID-19 Tenant, Small Landlord, and Affordable Housing Provider Stabilization Fund, and, upon appropriation, distributes all moneys in the fund to carry out the purposes of the program.

STATUS:

01/12/2021 From ASSEMBLY Committee on HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT with author's amendments.

01/12/2021 In ASSEMBLY. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT.

AB 22

AUTHOR: McCarty [D]
TITLE: Preschool Programs and Transitional Kindergarten
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 12/07/2020
LAST AMEND: 05/24/2021
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: SENATE
SUMMARY:

Requires the Superintendent to authorize California state preschool program contracting agencies to offer wraparound childcare services for eligible children enrolled in a K-12 educational program.

STATUS:

06/02/2021 In ASSEMBLY. Read third time. Passed ASSEMBLY. *****To SENATE. (75-0)

Commentary001:

EHSD requested to sign-on to concern letter. Sign-on authorized by Chair 4/6/21.

AB 32	<p>AUTHOR: Aguiar-Curry [D] TITLE: Telehealth FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes URGENCY CLAUSE: no INTRODUCED: 12/07/2020 LAST AMEND: 05/24/2021 DISPOSITION: Pending LOCATION: SENATE SUMMARY:</p>
	<p>Requires certain provisions of the Knox-Keene Health Care Service Plan Act relative to telehealth to apply to a plan or insurer's contract entity. Subjects county organized health systems that provide services under Medi-Cal to these provisions. Authorizes a provider to enroll in specified Medi-Cal programs through telehealth. Requires health care services furnished by an enrolled clinic to be reimbursed by Medi-Cal at the same rate as those services if furnished in person.</p>
	<p>STATUS: 06/01/2021 In ASSEMBLY. Read third time. Passed ASSEMBLY. *****To SENATE. (79-0)</p>
	<p>Commentary001: Sent LOS. Consistent with Platform.</p>
AB 34	<p>AUTHOR: Muratsuchi [D] TITLE: Broadband for All Act of 2022 FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes URGENCY CLAUSE: no INTRODUCED: 12/07/2020 LAST AMEND: 04/06/2021 DISPOSITION: Pending LOCATION: Assembly Appropriations Committee SUMMARY:</p>
	<p>Enacts the Broadband for All Act of 2022, which, if approved by the voters, authorizes the issuance of bonds pursuant to the State General Obligation Bond Law to support the 2022 Broadband for All Program to be administered by the Department of Technology for purposes of providing financial assistance for projects to deploy broadband infrastructure and broadband services.</p>
	<p>STATUS: 05/20/2021 In ASSEMBLY Committee on APPROPRIATIONS: Held in committee.</p>
	<p>Commentary001: CSAC supports</p>
AB 52	<p>AUTHOR: Frazier [D] TITLE: California Global Warming Solutions Act of 2006 FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes URGENCY CLAUSE: no INTRODUCED: 12/07/2020 DISPOSITION: Pending LOCATION: Assembly Natural Resources Committee SUMMARY:</p>
	<p>Requires the State Air Resources Board, in each scoping plan update prepared by the state board after January 1, 2022, to include, consistent with the Global Warming Solutions Act of 2006, recommendations for achieving the maximum</p>

technologically feasible and cost-effective reductions of emissions of greenhouse gases and black carbon from wildfires. Expresses the intent of the Legislature to appropriate an amount from the Greenhouse Gas Reduction Fund for wildfire mitigation and prevention.

STATUS:

01/11/2021 To ASSEMBLY Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.

AB 71

AUTHOR: Rivas [D]
TITLE: Homelessness Funding: Bring California Home Act
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: yes
INTRODUCED: 12/07/2020
LAST AMEND: 05/24/2021
DISPOSITION: Pending
FILE: A-28
LOCATION: Assembly Inactive File
SUMMARY:

Makes various changes to the Personal Income Tax Law and the Corporation Tax Law and designates that any resulting revenue be used for purposes of the Bring California Home Act. Modifies the duties of the Homeless Coordinating and Financing Council.

STATUS:

06/03/2021 In ASSEMBLY. To Inactive File.

AB 80

AUTHOR: Burke [D]
TITLE: Tax: Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security Act
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: yes
INTRODUCED: 12/07/2020
ENACTED: 04/29/2021
DISPOSITION: Enacted
LOCATION: Chaptered
CHAPTER: 2021-017
SUMMARY:

Excludes, on or after a certain date, from gross income any advance grant amount, as defined, issued pursuant to specified provisions of the CARES Act or the Consolidated Appropriations Act, and covered loan amounts forgiven pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act. Adopts the provisions of the Consolidated Appropriations Act prohibiting any reduction in tax deductions, denials of basis adjustments, and reductions in tax attributes based on the exclusion from gross income, as specified.

STATUS:

04/29/2021 Signed by GOVERNOR.

04/29/2021 Chaptered by Secretary of State. Chapter No. 2021-017

AB 98

AUTHOR: Frazier [D]
TITLE: Health Care
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 12/09/2020
LAST AMEND: 04/29/2021
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: SENATE

SUMMARY:

Requires the Department of Aging, on or before January 1, 2026, to submit a report to the Assembly Committee on Aging and Long-Term Care, the Assembly Committee on Health, and the Senate Committee on Health that includes an evaluation of the success of the pilot program and challenges in implementation.

STATUS:

05/27/2021 In ASSEMBLY. Read third time. Passed ASSEMBLY.
*****To SENATE. (78-0)

AB 112

AUTHOR: Holden [D]
TITLE: Medi-Cal Eligibility
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 12/17/2020
LAST AMEND: 03/25/2021
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Assembly Appropriations Committee
SUMMARY:

Requires the suspension of Medi-Cal benefits to an inmate of a public institution who isn't a juvenile to end on the date they are no longer an inmate or 3 years from the date they become an inmate of a public institution, whichever is sooner. Requires the suspension of Medi-Cal benefits to an inmate who is a juvenile on the date that the individual is no longer an inmate or 3 years after the date the individual is no longer an eligible juvenile under federal law, whichever is sooner.

STATUS:

05/20/2021 In ASSEMBLY Committee on APPROPRIATIONS: Held in committee.

AB 119

AUTHOR: Salas [D]
TITLE: County Assessors: Direct Levies
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 12/18/2020
LAST AMEND: 01/26/2021
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Assembly Local Government Committee
SUMMARY:

Requires the county auditor, or other county officer designated by the county, to make publicly available on their internet website information about direct levies as defined, including the range of combined direct levies assessed on real property. Requires a website posting that identifies contact information for each direct levy assessed within their jurisdiction, to also include the range of fees assessed on individual parcels of real property subject to the special district's assessment.

STATUS:

01/26/2021 From ASSEMBLY Committee on LOCAL GOVERNMENT with author's amendments.

01/26/2021 In ASSEMBLY. Read second time and amended.
Re-referred to Committee on LOCAL GOVERNMENT.

Commentary001:

Auditor Campbell opposed; recommends BOS oppose. Leg Com concurred 3/8.

AB 226

AUTHOR: Ramos [D]
TITLE: Children's Crisis Psychiatric Residential Treatment
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 01/11/2021
LAST AMEND: 04/13/2021
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: SENATE
SUMMARY:

Reclassifies children's crisis residential programs as children's crisis psychiatric residential treatment facilities, and transfers responsibility for licensing these facilities to the State Department of Health Care Services. Requires the department to establish regulations for the licensing of children's crisis psychiatric residential treatment facilities, and requires those facilities to obtain certification from the department.

STATUS:

06/01/2021 In ASSEMBLY. Read third time. Passed ASSEMBLY.
 *****To SENATE. (80-0)

Commentary001:
 CSAC supports.

AB 240

AUTHOR: Rodriguez [D]
TITLE: Local Health Department Workforce Assessment
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 01/12/2021
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: SENATE
SUMMARY:

Requires the Department of Public Health to contract with an appropriate and qualified entity to conduct an evaluation of the adequacy of the local health department infrastructure and to make recommendations for future staffing, workforce needs, and resources, in order to accurately and adequately fund local public health.

STATUS:

05/27/2021 In ASSEMBLY. Read third time. Passed ASSEMBLY.
 *****To SENATE. (78-0)

Commentary001:
 Leg Com found consistent with Platform 2/8/21. Sent LOS.

Commentary002:
 CSAC in support

AB 270

AUTHOR: Ramos [D]
TITLE: Core Behavioral Health Crisis Services System
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 01/19/2021
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Assembly Health Committee
SUMMARY:

Creates the Core Behavioral Health Crisis Services System, using the digits 988 for the 988 Suicide Prevention and Behavioral Health Crisis Hotline, in

compliance with existing Federal Law and standards governing the National Suicide Prevention Lifeline. Requires the department, as defined, to take specified actions to implement the hotline system.

STATUS:

01/28/2021 To ASSEMBLY Committees on HEALTH and COMMUNICATIONS AND CONVEYANCE.

AB 273

AUTHOR: Irwin [D]
TITLE: Cannabis: Advertisements: Highways
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 01/19/2021
LAST AMEND: 04/26/2021
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Assembly Business and Professions Committee
SUMMARY:

Removes the existing reference to advertising or marketing on a billboard or similar device visible from an interstate highway or on a state highway within California, and specifies that a licensee seeking to advertise or market through broadcast, cable, radio, print, and digital communications is required to obtain reliable up-to-date audience composition data demonstrating that a certain percent of the audience viewing the advertising or marketing is reasonably expected to be 21 years of age.

STATUS:

04/27/2021 In ASSEMBLY Committee on BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONS:
 Failed passage.

Commentary001:

PH Director recommends support. Leg Com found consistent 3/8/21.

AB 284

AUTHOR: Rivas R [D]
TITLE: Global Warming Solutions Act of 2006: Climate Goal
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 01/21/2021
LAST AMEND: 04/14/2021
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: SENATE
SUMMARY:

Requires the State Air Resources Board, when updating the scoping plan and in collaboration with the Natural Resources Agency and other relevant state agencies and departments, to take specified actions by a certain date, including, among others, identifying a 2045 climate goal, with interim milestones, for the state's natural and working lands and identifying practices, policy and financial incentives, market needs, and potential reductions in barriers that would help achieve the 2045 climate goal.

STATUS:

06/01/2021 In ASSEMBLY. Read third time. Passed ASSEMBLY.
 *****To SENATE. (53-18)

AB 323

AUTHOR: Kalra [D]
TITLE: Long-Term Health Facilities
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: no

	<p>INTRODUCED: 01/26/2021</p> <p>DISPOSITION: Pending</p> <p>LOCATION: Senate Health Committee</p> <p>SUMMARY:</p> <p>Redefines a class AA violation as a class A violation that the Department of Public Health determines to have been a substantial factor, as described, in the death of a resident of a long-term health care facility. Increases the civil penalties for a class A, AA, or B violation by a skilled nursing facility or intermediate care facility, as specified.</p> <p>STATUS:</p> <p>05/27/2021 To SENATE Committees on HEALTH and JUDICIARY.</p> <p>Commentary001:</p> <p>ACOA sent LOS</p>
AB 328	<p>AUTHOR: Chiu [D]</p> <p>TITLE: Reentry Housing and Workforce Development Program</p> <p>FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes</p> <p>URGENCY CLAUSE: no</p> <p>INTRODUCED: 01/26/2021</p> <p>LAST AMEND: 03/17/2021</p> <p>DISPOSITION: Pending</p> <p>LOCATION: Assembly Appropriations Committee</p> <p>SUMMARY:</p> <p>Establishes the Reentry Housing and Workforce Development Program. Requires the Department of Housing and Community Development to, on or before a specified date, take specified actions to, upon appropriation by the Legislature, provide grants to applicants, as defined, for innovative or evidence-based housing, housing-based services, and employment interventions to allow people with recent histories of incarceration to exit homelessness and remain stably housed.</p> <p>STATUS:</p> <p>05/21/2021 In ASSEMBLY. Coauthors revised.</p>
AB 329	<p>AUTHOR: Bonta [D]</p> <p>TITLE: Bail</p> <p>FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes</p> <p>URGENCY CLAUSE: no</p> <p>INTRODUCED: 01/27/2021</p> <p>DISPOSITION: Pending</p> <p>LOCATION: Assembly Appropriations Committee</p> <p>SUMMARY:</p> <p>Requires bail to be set at a specified level for all offenses except, among others, serious or violent felonies, violations of specified protective orders, battery against a spouse, sex offenses, and driving under the influence. Requires the Judicial Council to prepare, adopt, and annually revise a bail schedule for the exempt offenses.</p> <p>STATUS:</p> <p>03/23/2021 From ASSEMBLY Committee on PUBLIC SAFETY: Do pass to Committee on APPROPRIATIONS. (5-2)</p>
AB 332	<p>AUTHOR: Env Safety & Toxic Material Cmt</p> <p>TITLE: Hazardous Waste: Treated Wood Waste: Management</p> <p>FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes</p>

URGENCY CLAUSE: yes
INTRODUCED: 01/27/2021
LAST AMEND: 05/20/2021
DISPOSITION: Pending
COMMITTEE: Senate Environmental Quality Committee
HEARING: 06/14/2021 9:00 am
SUMMARY:

Requires a person managing treated wood waste to comply with the hazardous waste control laws or certain management standards, including standards for the reuse, storage, treatment, transportation, tracking, identification, and disposal of treated wood waste. Requires the wood preserving industry, as defined, to update the department, upon request, on trends within the wood preserving industry regarding the use of treated wood preservatives and the generation of treated wood waste.

STATUS:

06/03/2021 To SENATE Committees on ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY and JUDICIARY.

Commentary002:

Signed on to coalition letter from RCRC.

AB 339

AUTHOR: Lee [D]
TITLE: Local Government: Open and Public Meetings
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 01/28/2021
LAST AMEND: 05/04/2021
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: SENATE
SUMMARY:

Requires all open and public meetings of a city council or a county board of supervisors that governs a jurisdiction containing least 250,000 people to include an opportunity for members of the public to attend via a telephonic option or an internet-based service option.

STATUS:

06/02/2021 In ASSEMBLY. Read third time. Passed ASSEMBLY.
*****To SENATE. (53-9)

AB 361

AUTHOR: Rivas R [D]
TITLE: Open Meetings: Local Agencies: Teleconferences
FISCAL COMMITTEE: no
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 02/01/2021
LAST AMEND: 05/10/2021
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: SENATE
SUMMARY:

Authorizes a local agency to use teleconferencing without complying with the teleconferencing requirements imposed by the Ralph M. Brown Act when a legislative body of a local agency holds a meeting for the purpose of declaring or ratifying a local emergency, during a declared state of emergency or local emergency, when state or local health officials have imposed or recommended measures to promote social distancing, and during a declared local emergency, provided certain requirements are met.

STATUS:

05/17/2021 In ASSEMBLY. Read third time. Passed ASSEMBLY.
*****To SENATE. (62-4)

AB 377

AUTHOR: Rivas R [D]
TITLE: Water Quality: Impaired Waters
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 02/01/2021
LAST AMEND: 04/13/2021
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Assembly Appropriations Committee
SUMMARY:

Requires the state board and regional boards to prioritize enforcement of all water quality standard violations that are causing or contributing to an exceedance of a water quality standard in a surface water of the state.

STATUS:

05/20/2021 In ASSEMBLY. Joint Rule 62(a) suspended.
 05/20/2021 In ASSEMBLY Committee on APPROPRIATIONS. Held in committee and made a Two-year bill.

AB 383

AUTHOR: Salas [D]
TITLE: Mental Health: Older Adults
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 02/02/2021
LAST AMEND: 04/22/2021
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: SENATE
SUMMARY:

Establishes within the State Department of Health Care Services an Older Adult Mental Health Services Administrator to oversee mental health services for older adults. Prescribes the functions of the administrator and its responsibilities, including, but not limited to, developing outcome and related indicators for older adults for the purpose of assessing the status of mental health services for older adults, monitoring the quality of programs for those adults, and guiding decisionmaking.

STATUS:

05/27/2021 In ASSEMBLY. Read third time. Passed ASSEMBLY.
 *****To SENATE. (78-0)

Commentary001:

Advisory Council on Aging in support

AB 389

AUTHOR: Grayson [D]
TITLE: Ambulance Services
FISCAL COMMITTEE: no
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 02/02/2021
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: SENATE
SUMMARY:

Relates to ambulance services. Authorizes a county to contract for emergency ambulance services with a fire protection district that is governed by the

county's board of supervisors and provides those services, in whole or in part, through a written subcontract with a private ambulance service. Authorizes a fire protection district to enter into a written subcontract with a private ambulance service for these purposes.

STATUS:

06/02/2021 In ASSEMBLY. Read third time. Passed ASSEMBLY.
*****To SENATE. (66-0)

Commentary001:

Our sponsored bill

AB 413

AUTHOR: Ting [D]
TITLE: Foster Youth: Housing
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 02/03/2021
LAST AMEND: 03/17/2021
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Assembly Appropriations Committee
SUMMARY:

Deletes provisions conditionally suspending a program requiring the Department of Housing and Community Development to provide funding to counties for allocation to child welfare services agencies to help young adults who are 18 to 24 years of age secure and maintain housing, and subjecting the requirements of the program to an annual appropriation in the Budget Act.

STATUS:

05/20/2021 In ASSEMBLY Committee on APPROPRIATIONS: Held in committee.

Commentary001:

Sending LOS from EHSD. Consistent with Platform.

AB 428

AUTHOR: Mayes [R]
TITLE: Government: Board Of Supervisors
FISCAL COMMITTEE: no
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 02/04/2021
LAST AMEND: 03/18/2021
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Senate Governance and Finance Committee
SUMMARY:

Requires that, when term limits are imposed, the limit must be no fewer than a specified amount of terms. Specifies that the board of supervisors is included in the definition of county officers for whom the board of supervisors is required to prescribe compensation.

STATUS:

05/27/2021 To SENATE Committees on GOVERNANCE AND FINANCE and ELECTIONS AND CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS.

Commentary001:

LOS drafted.

AB 480

AUTHOR: Carrillo [D]
TITLE: Hazardous Substances
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes

URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 02/08/2021
LAST AMEND: 05/24/2021
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: SENATE
SUMMARY:

Revises a reporting requirement to require, for regulated facilities, a handler, or an employee, authorized representative, agent, or designee of the handler, to report a release or threatened release of a hazardous material, hazardous waste, or hazardous substance to the UPA and the Office of Emergency Services immediately upon discovery of the release or threatened release.

STATUS:

06/02/2021 In ASSEMBLY. Read third time. Passed ASSEMBLY.
 *****To SENATE. (47-14)

Commentary001:

Consistent with Platform. LOS sent.

AB 518

AUTHOR: Wicks [D]
TITLE: Criminal Law: Violations Punishable in Multiple Ways
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 02/10/2021
DISPOSITION: Pending
COMMITTEE: Senate Public Safety Committee
HEARING: 06/15/2021 1:30 pm
SUMMARY:

Relates to existing law which requires an act or omission that is punishable in different ways by different laws to be punished under the law that provides for the longest possible term of imprisonment. This bill, instead, would authorize an act or omission that is punishable in different ways by different laws to be punished under either of those provisions.

STATUS:

05/19/2021 To SENATE Committee on PUBLIC SAFETY.

AB 523

AUTHOR: Nazarian [D]
TITLE: Program of All-Inclusive Care for the Elderly
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 02/10/2021
LAST AMEND: 05/03/2021
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: SENATE
SUMMARY:

Requires the department to make permanent the specified PACE program flexibilities instituted, on or before a specified date, in response to the state of emergency caused by Coronavirus disease 2019 by means of all-facility letters or other similar instructions taken without regulatory action, with prescribed modifications, such as instead limiting a PACE organization's use of telehealth to specified services, including conducting assessments for eligibility for enrollment in the PACE program.

STATUS:

05/27/2021 In ASSEMBLY. Read third time. Passed ASSEMBLY.
 *****To SENATE. (78-0)

Commentary001:

Advisory Council on Aging sent LOS

AB 537

AUTHOR: Quirk [D]
TITLE: Wireless Telecommunications and Broadband Facilities
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 02/10/2021
LAST AMEND: 05/27/2021
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: SENATE
SUMMARY:

Removes the exemption for eligible facilities requests defined above. Requires that the time periods described above be determined pursuant to specified FCC rules. Requires that the city, county, or city and county notify the applicant of the incompleteness of an application within the time periods established by applicable FCC rules.

STATUS:

06/01/2021 In ASSEMBLY. Read third time. Passed ASSEMBLY.
 *****To SENATE. (75-1)

Commentary001:

CSAC removes joint opposition

AB 540

AUTHOR: Petrie-Norris [D]
TITLE: Program of All-Inclusive Care for the Elderly
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 02/10/2021
LAST AMEND: 04/27/2021
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: SENATE
SUMMARY:

Exempts a Medi-Cal beneficiary who is enrolled in a PACE organization with a contract with the Department of Health Care Services from mandatory or passive enrollment in a Medi-Cal managed care plan, and requires persons enrolled in a PACE plan to receive all Medicare and Medi-Cal services from the PACE program.

STATUS:

06/02/2021 In ASSEMBLY. Read third time. Passed ASSEMBLY.
 *****To SENATE. (77-0)

AB 602

AUTHOR: Grayson [D]
TITLE: Development Fees: Impact Fee Nexus Study
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 02/11/2021
LAST AMEND: 05/04/2021
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: SENATE
SUMMARY:

Requires a city, county, or special district that conducts an impact fee nexus study to follow specific standards and practices. Requires a city, county, or special district to post a written fee schedule or a link directly to the written fee

schedule on its internet website. Requires a city or county to request the total amount of fees and exactions associated with a project upon the issuance of a certificate of occupancy, and to post this information on its internet website.

STATUS:

05/27/2021 In ASSEMBLY. Read third time. Passed ASSEMBLY.
*****To SENATE. (76-0)

Commentary001:

CSAC taking "oppose unless amended"

AB 624

AUTHOR: Bauer-Kahan [D]
TITLE: Juveniles: Transfer to Court of Criminal Jurisdiction
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 02/12/2021
LAST AMEND: 04/21/2021
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: SENATE
SUMMARY:

Makes an order transferring a minor from a juvenile court to a court of criminal jurisdiction subject to appeal.

STATUS:

05/27/2021 In ASSEMBLY. Read third time. Passed ASSEMBLY.
*****To SENATE. (77-0)

AB 636

AUTHOR: Maienschein [D]
TITLE: Financial Abuse of Elder or Dependent Adults
FISCAL COMMITTEE: no
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 02/12/2021
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Senate Judiciary Committee
SUMMARY:

Authorizes information relevant to the incident of elder or dependent adult abuse to be given to a federal law enforcement agency charged with the investigation of elder or dependent adult abuse or to a local code enforcement agency for the sole purpose of investigating a property where the health and safety of an elder or dependent adult resident is at risk.

STATUS:

06/08/2021 From SENATE Committee on PUBLIC SAFETY: Do pass to Committee on JUDICIARY. (4-0)

Commentary001:

UCC and CSAC Support

Commentary003:

LOS sent 4/5/21, consistent with Platform.

AB 640

AUTHOR: Cooley [D]
TITLE: Extended Foster Care: Eligibility Redetermination
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 02/12/2021
LAST AMEND: 04/12/2021
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: SENATE

SUMMARY:

Requires the State Department of Social Services to develop and disseminate guidance to county child welfare and probation agencies on recommended procedures to follow in order to transition a youth to the extended foster care program in a manner that enables the county to redetermine the youths eligibility for federal financial participation.

STATUS:

06/01/2021 In ASSEMBLY. Read third time. Passed ASSEMBLY.
*****To SENATE. (80-0)

Commentary001:

CWDA sponsors; CSAC supports

AB 650

AUTHOR: Muratsuchi [D]
TITLE: Health Care Workers: COVID-19: Hazard Pay Retention
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 02/12/2021
LAST AMEND: 06/01/2021
DISPOSITION: Pending
FILE: A-29
LOCATION: Assembly Inactive File
SUMMARY:

Requires a covered employer, as defined, to pay hazard pay retention bonuses in prescribed amounts to each covered health care worker, as defined, that it employs. Authorizes a covered employer to reduce the total sum of the hazard pay retention bonuses by an amount equal to qualifying hazard pay and qualifying monetary bonuses already paid to a covered health care worker during the state of emergency related to the Coronavirus pandemic, as provided.

STATUS:

06/03/2021 In ASSEMBLY. To Inactive File.

AB 684

AUTHOR: Fong [R]
TITLE: Hazardous Waste: Treated Wood Waste
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 02/16/2021
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Assembly Environmental Safety and Toxic Materials Committee
SUMMARY:

Defines the term treated wood and would require treated wood waste, as defined, to be disposed of in either a class I hazardous waste landfill or in a composite-lined portion of a solid waste landfill unit that meets specified requirements. Requires any solid waste landfill accepting treated wood waste to meet certain requirements specified in the bill and to manage the treated wood waste in a specified manner.

STATUS:

02/25/2021 To ASSEMBLY Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL SAFETY AND TOXIC MATERIALS.

AB 686

AUTHOR: Arambula [D]
TITLE: Community-Based Behavioral Health Outcomes and Review

FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 02/16/2021
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Assembly Health Committee
SUMMARY:

Requires the California Health and Human Services Agency to establish, by July 1, 2022, the California Community-Based Behavioral Health Outcomes and Accountability Review (CBBH-OAR) to facilitate a local accountability system that fosters continuous quality improvement in county behavioral health programs and in the collection and dissemination by the agency of best practices in service delivery.

STATUS:

02/25/2021 To ASSEMBLY Committee on HEALTH.

AB 695

AUTHOR: Arambula [D]
TITLE: Elder and Dependent Adults
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 02/16/2021
LAST AMEND: 04/08/2021
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: SENATE
SUMMARY:

Authorizes a local adult protective services agency, local law enforcement agency, and the Department of Business Oversight to disclose to a mandated reporter of suspected financial abuse of an elder or dependent adult or their employer, upon request, the general status or final disposition of any investigation that arose from a report made by that mandated reporter of suspected financial abuse of an elder or dependent adult.

STATUS:

06/02/2021 In ASSEMBLY. Read third time. Passed ASSEMBLY.
 *****To SENATE. (77-0)

Commentary001:

CSAC supports

AB 780

AUTHOR: Ting [D]
TITLE: Local Zoning Ordinances: School Employee Housing
FISCAL COMMITTEE: no
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 02/16/2021
LAST AMEND: 03/15/2021
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Assembly Local Government Committee
SUMMARY:

Authorizes the governing board of a school district to render a city or county zoning ordinance inapplicable if the proposed use of property by the school district is to offer school district employee housing under specified conditions. Exempts the rendering of a city or county zoning ordinance as inapplicable, in order to offer school district employee housing, from review under this authority.

STATUS:

03/25/2021 In ASSEMBLY. Suspend Assembly Rule 96.

03/25/2021 Re-referred to ASSEMBLY Committees on LOCAL GOVERNMENT and EDUCATION.

Commentary002:

CSAC says it's a two-year bill now. They had a draft OUA letter circulating.

AB 808

AUTHOR: Stone [D]
TITLE: Foster Youth: Children's Crisis Continuum Pilot Program
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 02/16/2021
LAST AMEND: 05/24/2021
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: SENATE
SUMMARY:

Requires the State Department of Social Services, in collaboration with the State Department of Health Care Services, to establish the Children's Crisis Continuum Pilot Program for the purpose of developing treatment options that are needed to support State's commitment to eliminate the placement of foster youth with complex needs in out-of-state facilities.

STATUS:

06/01/2021 In ASSEMBLY. Read third time. Passed ASSEMBLY.
 *****To SENATE. (80-0)

Commentary001:

LOS sent; consistent with Platform.

AB 816

AUTHOR: Chiu [D]
TITLE: State and Local Agencies: Homelessness Plan
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 02/16/2021
LAST AMEND: 05/04/2021
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: SENATE
SUMMARY:

Requires the Homeless Coordinating and Financing Council to conduct, or contract with an entity to conduct, a statewide needs and gaps analysis to, among other things, identify state programs that provide housing or services to persons experiencing homelessness and create a financial model that will assess certain investment needs for the purpose of moving persons experiencing homelessness into permanent housing.

STATUS:

05/27/2021 In ASSEMBLY. Read third time. Passed ASSEMBLY.
 *****To SENATE. (55-15)

Commentary001:

CSAC Oppose Unless Amended.

AB 844

AUTHOR: Grayson [D]
TITLE: Empowerment Zone for the Northern Waterfront Area
FISCAL COMMITTEE: no
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 02/17/2021
LAST AMEND: 05/04/2021
DISPOSITION: Pending

LOCATION: Senate Business, Professions & Economic Development Committee

SUMMARY:

Authorizes establishment of a Green Empowerment Zone for the Northern Waterfront area of the Counties of Contra Costa and Solano.

STATUS:

06/07/2021 In SENATE Committee on BUSINESS, PROFESSIONS AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT: Not heard.

Commentary001:

Send to Leg Com to recommend support.

AB 875

AUTHOR: Wood [D]
TITLE: Medi-Cal: Demonstration Project
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 02/17/2021
LAST AMEND: 05/04/2021
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Assembly Appropriations Committee
SUMMARY:

Requires the Department of Health Care Services to develop and implement a mandatory process for county jails and county juvenile facilities to coordinate with Medi-Cal managed care plans and Medi-Cal behavioral health delivery systems to facilitate continued behavioral health treatment in the community for inmates, as specified.

STATUS:

05/20/2021 In ASSEMBLY. Joint Rule 62(a) suspended.

05/20/2021 In ASSEMBLY Committee on APPROPRIATIONS: Held in committee.

AB 903

AUTHOR: Frazier [D]
TITLE: Los Medanos Community Healthcare District
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 02/17/2021
LAST AMEND: 04/19/2021
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Senate Governance and Finance Committee
SUMMARY:

Requires the dissolution of the Los Medanos Community Healthcare District. Requires the County of Contra Costa to be successor of all rights and responsibilities of the district, and requires the county to develop and conduct the Los Medanos Area Health Plan Grant Program focused on comprehensive health-related services in the district's territory.

STATUS:

05/19/2021 To SENATE Committee on GOVERNANCE AND FINANCE.

Commentary001:

LOS sent; consistent with amended Platform.

AB 911

AUTHOR: Nazarian [D]
TITLE: Long-Term Services and Supports Benefit Task Force
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes

URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 02/17/2021
LAST AMEND: 04/12/2021
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Assembly Aging and Long-Term Care Committee
SUMMARY:

Requires the Department of Aging to establish a Long-Term Services and Supports Benefit Task Force, or utilize an existing board, commission, committee, or task force, to focus on LTSS benefit needs in the State.

STATUS:

04/15/2021 In ASSEMBLY. Assembly Rule 56 suspended.

Commentary001:

CSAC supports

AB 988

AUTHOR: Bauer-Kahan [D]
TITLE: Mental Health: Mobile Crisis Support Teams: 988 Crisis
FISCAL COMMITTEE: no
URGENCY CLAUSE: yes
INTRODUCED: 02/18/2021
LAST AMEND: 05/24/2021
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: SENATE
SUMMARY:

States the Legislature's intent to enact legislation that would implement the National Suicide Hotline Designation Act of 2020, in compliance with the Federal Communication Commission's rules adopted by July 16, 2022, designating 988 as a 3-digit number for the National Suicide Prevention Hotline.

STATUS:

06/02/2021 In ASSEMBLY. Read third time. Passed ASSEMBLY.
*****To SENATE. (69-0)

Commentary001:

Sponsored bill

AB 1041

AUTHOR: Wicks [D]
TITLE: Leave Issues
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 02/18/2021
LAST AMEND: 04/22/2021
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: SENATE
SUMMARY:

Expands the population that an employee can take leave to care for to include any other individual related by blood or whose close association with the employee is a designated person.

STATUS:

05/28/2021 In ASSEMBLY. Read third time. Passed ASSEMBLY.
*****To SENATE. (52-16)

Commentary001:

CSAC and coalition opposes

AB 1051

AUTHOR: Bennett [D]
TITLE: Medi-Cal: Mental Health Services: Foster Youth

FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 02/18/2021
LAST AMEND: 04/12/2021
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: SENATE
SUMMARY:

Makes those provisions for presumptive transfer inapplicable to a foster youth or probation-involved youth placed in a group home community treatment facility, group home, or a short-term residential therapeutic program outside of their county of original jurisdiction, as specified.

STATUS:

05/28/2021 In ASSEMBLY. Read third time. Passed ASSEMBLY.
 *****To SENATE. (76-0)

Commentary001:

CSAC supports

AB 1119

AUTHOR: Wicks [D]
TITLE: Employment Discrimination
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 02/18/2021
LAST AMEND: 04/21/2021
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Assembly Appropriations Committee
SUMMARY:

Relates to the California Fair Employment and Housing Act (FEHA), which protects the right to seek, obtain, and hold employment without discrimination because of prescribed characteristics. Expands the protected characteristics to include family responsibilities, defined to mean the obligations of an employee to provide direct and ongoing care for a minor child or a care recipient. Defines additional terms for this purpose.

STATUS:

05/20/2021 In ASSEMBLY Committee on APPROPRIATIONS. Held in committee and made a Two-year bill.

AB 1163

AUTHOR: Nazarian [D]
TITLE: Local Government: Taxation: Prohibition: Groceries
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 02/18/2021
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Assembly Revenue and Taxation Committee
SUMMARY:

Repeals the prohibition on the imposition, increase, levy and collection, or enforcement by a local agency of any tax, fee, or other assessment on groceries, including the requirement that the Department of Tax and Fee Administration cease administering a local sales and use tax.

STATUS:

03/04/2021 To ASSEMBLY Committee on REVENUE AND TAXATION.

Commentary001:

Sent LOS. Consistent with Platform.

AB 1176	<p>AUTHOR: Garcia E [D] TITLE: Communications: Universal Broadband Service: Fund FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes URGENCY CLAUSE: no INTRODUCED: 02/18/2021 LAST AMEND: 04/19/2021 DISPOSITION: Pending LOCATION: Assembly Appropriations Committee SUMMARY:</p>
	<p>Establishes the California Connect Fund in the State Treasury, subject to the conditions and restrictions applicable to the existing universal service funds. Requires the Public Utilities Commission to develop, implement, and administer the California Connect Program to ensure that high-speed broadband service is available to every household in the state at affordable rates.</p>
	<p>STATUS: 05/20/2021 In ASSEMBLY Committee on APPROPRIATIONS: Held in committee. Commentary001: CSAC supports</p>
AB 1179	<p>AUTHOR: Carrillo [D] TITLE: Employer Provided Benefit: Backup Childcare FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes URGENCY CLAUSE: no INTRODUCED: 02/18/2021 DISPOSITION: Pending LOCATION: Assembly Appropriations Committee SUMMARY:</p>
	<p>Requires an employer to provide an employee who works in California for the same employer for 30 or more days within a year from the commencement of employment, with up to 60 hours of paid backup childcare benefits, to be accrued and used as provided. Defines backup childcare as childcare provided by a qualified backup childcare provider to the employee's child when the employee's regular childcare provider cannot be utilized.</p>
	<p>STATUS: 05/20/2021 In ASSEMBLY Committee on APPROPRIATIONS. Held in committee and made a Two-year bill. Commentary001: CSAC Opposes with coalition letter</p>
AB 1204	<p>AUTHOR: Wicks [D] TITLE: Hospital Equity Reporting FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes URGENCY CLAUSE: no INTRODUCED: 02/19/2021 LAST AMEND: 05/24/2021 DISPOSITION: Pending LOCATION: SENATE SUMMARY:</p>
	<p>Adds racial and ethnic groups experiencing disparate health outcomes and socially disadvantaged groups to the definition of vulnerable populations for community benefits reporting purposes. Requires a hospital to prepare and annually submit an equity report to OSHPD not later than 150 days after its</p>

fiscal year ends. Requires an equity report to include, among other things, analyses of access to care and employment disparities and plans for addressing those disparities.

STATUS:

06/02/2021 In ASSEMBLY. Read third time. Passed ASSEMBLY.
*****To SENATE. (53-18)

AB 1205

AUTHOR: Frazier [D]
TITLE: State Air Resources Board: Elections
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 02/19/2021
LAST AMEND: 03/18/2021
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Assembly Natural Resources Committee
SUMMARY:

Requires a certain composition of the Air Resources Board.

STATUS:

03/18/2021 To ASSEMBLY Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.
03/18/2021 From ASSEMBLY Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES with author's amendments.
03/18/2021 In ASSEMBLY. Read second time and amended.
Re-referred to Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.

AB 1214

AUTHOR: Waldron [R]
TITLE: Medi-Cal Eligibility
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 02/19/2021
LAST AMEND: 05/24/2021
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: SENATE
SUMMARY:

Makes an individual who is incarcerated in a state prison or county jail eligible for the Medi-Cal program before they are released from that correctional facility if they otherwise meet Medi-Cal eligibility criteria but for their commitment in a correctional facility.

STATUS:

06/01/2021 In ASSEMBLY. Read third time. Passed ASSEMBLY.
*****To SENATE. (79-0)

AB 1225

AUTHOR: Waldron [R]
TITLE: Dignity for Incarcerated Women Act
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 02/19/2021
LAST AMEND: 04/14/2021
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Assembly Appropriations Committee
SUMMARY:

Enacts the Dignity for Incarcerated Women Act. Requires that a woman incarcerated in a state prison receive trauma-informed care and prohibits an incarcerated woman from being placed in solitary confinement for purposes of

medical observation.

STATUS:

05/20/2021 In ASSEMBLY Committee on APPROPRIATIONS. Held in committee and made a Two-year bill.

AB 1233

AUTHOR: Waldron [R]
TITLE: State Prisons: Construction and Renovation
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 02/19/2021
LAST AMEND: 03/25/2021
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Assembly Public Safety Committee
SUMMARY:

Establishes the Prison Oversight Commission and requires the commission to develop guidelines for the construction of new prisons and renovation of existing prisons.

STATUS:

03/25/2021 To ASSEMBLY Committee on PUBLIC SAFETY.
 03/25/2021 From ASSEMBLY Committee on PUBLIC SAFETY with author's amendments.
 03/25/2021 In ASSEMBLY. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on PUBLIC SAFETY.

AB 1242

AUTHOR: Bauer-Kahan [D]
TITLE: Alcoholic Beverages: Bona Fide Public Eating Place
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 02/19/2021
LAST AMEND: 05/24/2021
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: SENATE
SUMMARY:

Authorizes a bona fide public eating place holding an on-sale general license or a bona fide eating place holding an on-sale license for beer and wine to exercise additional off-sale rights and privileges, subject to specified requirements. Repeals this authorization 2 years after the end of the state of emergency proclaimed by the Governor on March 4, 2020, in response to the Coronavirus pandemic.

STATUS:

06/01/2021 In ASSEMBLY. Read third time. Passed ASSEMBLY. *****To SENATE. (80-0)

AB 1291

AUTHOR: Frazier [D]
TITLE: State Bodies: Open Meetings
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 02/19/2021
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Senate Appropriations Committee
SUMMARY:

Requires a state body, when it limits time for public comment, to provide at least twice the allotted time to a member of the public who utilizes translating

technology to address the state body.

STATUS:

06/08/2021 From SENATE Committee on GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATION: Do pass to Committee on APPROPRIATIONS. (14-0)

AB 1302

AUTHOR: Quirk [D]
TITLE: Commercial Cannabis Billboards: Placement Restrictions
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 02/19/2021
LAST AMEND: 03/18/2021
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: SENATE
SUMMARY:

Prohibits a licensee from advertising or marketing on a billboard or similar advertising device located within a 15-mile radius of the California border on an Interstate Highway or on a State Highway which crosses the California border.

STATUS:

05/27/2021 In ASSEMBLY. Read third time. Passed ASSEMBLY. *****To SENATE. (58-7)

AB 1304

AUTHOR: Santiago [D]
TITLE: Affirmatively Further Fair Housing: Housing Element
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 02/19/2021
LAST AMEND: 04/05/2021
DISPOSITION: Pending
COMMITTEE: Senate Housing Committee
HEARING: 06/17/2021
SUMMARY:

Clarifies that a local agency has a mandatory duty to comply with the obligation requiring a public agency to administer its programs and activities relating to housing and community development in a manner to affirmatively further fair housing, and to not take any action that is materially inconsistent with this obligation. Requires that the schedule of actions analyze and identify racial integration and segregation patterns and trends within the jurisdiction.

STATUS:

05/27/2021 To SENATE Committees on HOUSING and JUDICIARY.

AB 1416

AUTHOR: Santiago [D]
TITLE: Elections: Ballot Label
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 02/19/2021
LAST AMEND: 04/22/2021
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Assembly Elections Committee
SUMMARY:

Requires the ballot label for statewide measures, and, at the option of a county, the ballot label or similar description on the ballot of county, city, district, and school district measures, to include a listing of nonprofit organizations,

businesses, or individuals taken from the signers of ballot arguments printed in the voter information guide that support and oppose the measure or from the signers of the rebuttal arguments to the arguments that support and oppose the measure, as specified.

STATUS:

04/29/2021 In ASSEMBLY Committee on ELECTIONS: Not heard.

Commentary001:

Leg Com supported on May agenda.

AB 1447

AUTHOR: Cooley [D]
TITLE: Rural California Infrastructure Act
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 02/19/2021
LAST AMEND: 05/03/2021
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Assembly Appropriations Committee
SUMMARY:

Authorizes the Economic Development Bank, or I-Bank, to establish the Rural California Infrastructure Program for the purpose of making competitive grant awards to eligible local agencies for rural infrastructure projects, as prescribed.

STATUS:

05/20/2021 In ASSEMBLY Committee on APPROPRIATIONS: Held in committee.

Commentary001:

CSAC supports

ACA 1

AUTHOR: Aguiar-Curry [D]
TITLE: Local Government Financing: Affordable Housing
FISCAL COMMITTEE: no
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 12/07/2020
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Assembly Local Government Committee
SUMMARY:

Creates an additional exception to the 1% ad valorem tax rate limit on real property that would authorize a city, 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, if the proposition proposing the tax is approved by 55% of the voters of the city or county, and the proposition includes accountability requirements.

STATUS:

04/22/2021 To ASSEMBLY Committees on LOCAL GOVERNMENT and APPROPRIATIONS.

Commentary001:

Library Commission supports. LOS sent.

AJR 4

AUTHOR: Garcia [D]
TITLE: Basel Convention: Ratification
INTRODUCED: 01/12/2021
DISPOSITION: Pending
COMMITTEE: Senate Environmental Quality Committee

HEARING: 06/14/2021 9:00 am

SUMMARY:

Declares California to be in favor of the United States ratification of the Basel Convention at the earliest opportunity and would request the Biden Administration to accomplish this ratification as a matter of urgency.

STATUS:

04/28/2021 Re-referred to SENATE Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY.

Commentary001:

LOS sent.

SB 4

AUTHOR: Gonzalez [D]

TITLE: Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program: Surcharge

FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes

URGENCY CLAUSE: yes

INTRODUCED: 12/07/2020

LAST AMEND: 05/20/2021

DISPOSITION: Pending

LOCATION: ASSEMBLY

SUMMARY:

Requires the Governors Office of Business and Economic Development to coordinate with other relevant state and local agencies and national organizations to explore ways to facilitate streamlining of local land use approvals and construction permit processes for projects related to broadband infrastructure deployment and connectivity. Revises requirements for the deaf and disabled telecommunications program to require the Public Utilities Commission to administer a certain surcharge.

STATUS:

06/02/2021 In SENATE. Read third time, urgency clause adopted. Passed SENATE. *****To ASSEMBLY. (31-5)

Commentary001:

CSAC supports

SB 8

AUTHOR: Skinner [D]

TITLE: Housing Crisis Act

FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes

URGENCY CLAUSE: no

INTRODUCED: 12/07/2020

LAST AMEND: 06/01/2021

DISPOSITION: Pending

COMMITTEE: Assembly Housing and Community Development Committee

HEARING: 06/22/2021 1:30 pm

SUMMARY:

Limits the requirement to provide relocation benefits and a right of first refusal to only the occupants of protected units that are persons or families of low or moderate income, as defined. Specifies that the requirement to provide relocation benefits and a right of first refusal does not apply to an occupant of a short-term rental that is rented for a period of fewer than 30 days.

STATUS:

06/01/2021 From ASSEMBLY Committee on HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT with author's amendments.

06/01/2021 In ASSEMBLY. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on HOUSING AND COMMUNITY

DEVELOPMENT.

SB 9

AUTHOR: Atkins [D]
TITLE: Housing Development: Approvals
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 12/07/2020
LAST AMEND: 04/27/2021
DISPOSITION: Pending
COMMITTEE: Assembly Local Government Committee
HEARING: 06/09/2021 1:30 pm
SUMMARY:

Requires a proposed housing development containing two residential units within a single-family residential zone to be considered ministerially, without discretionary review or hearing, if the proposed housing development meets certain requirements that the proposed housing development would not require demolition or alteration of housing that is subject to a recorded covenant, ordinance, or law that restricts rents to levels affordable to persons and families of moderate or low income.

STATUS:

06/09/2021 From ASSEMBLY Committee on LOCAL GOVERNMENT: Do pass to Committee on HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT.

Commentary002:

Cal Cities recommends Oppose Unless Amended.

Commentary003:

CSAC support if amended; fire zone concerns; clarification of authority in unincorporated areas.

SB 10

AUTHOR: Wiener [D]
TITLE: Planning and Zoning: Housing Development: Density
FISCAL COMMITTEE: no
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 12/07/2020
LAST AMEND: 05/26/2021
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: ASSEMBLY
SUMMARY:

Authorizes a local government to pass an ordinance to zone any parcel for up to 10 units of residential density per parcel, at a height specified in the ordinance, if the parcel is located in a transit-rich area, or an urban infill site, as those terms are defined.

STATUS:

06/02/2021 In SENATE. Read third time. Passed SENATE. *****To ASSEMBLY. (27-7)

Commentary001:

Watch, per Leg Com.

SB 16

AUTHOR: Skinner [D]
TITLE: Peace Officers: Release of Records
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 12/07/2020

LAST AMEND: 05/20/2021
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: ASSEMBLY
SUMMARY:

Makes every incident involving force that is unreasonable or excessive, and any sustained finding that an officer failed to intervene against another officer using unreasonable or excessive force, subject to disclosure. Requires records relating to sustained findings of unlawful arrests and unlawful searches to be subject to disclosure.

STATUS:

06/02/2021 In SENATE. Read third time. Passed SENATE. *****To ASSEMBLY. (31-3)

SB 17

AUTHOR: Pan [D]
TITLE: Office Of Racial Equity
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 12/07/2020
LAST AMEND: 05/20/2021
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: ASSEMBLY
SUMMARY:

Establishes in state government an Office of Racial Equity, an independent public entity not affiliated with an agency or department, that shall be governed by a Racial Equity Advisory and Accountability Council. Requires the Governor to direct the Secretary of each state agency to adopt and implement the Racial Equity Framework through each agencies' Racial Equity Action Plan, which would be adopted by each state agency and integrated into the agency's strategic plan.

STATUS:

06/02/2021 In SENATE. Read third time. Passed SENATE. *****To ASSEMBLY. (31-6)

SB 20

AUTHOR: Dodd [D]
TITLE: Student Nutrition: Eligibility for CalFresh Benefits
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 12/07/2020
LAST AMEND: 03/17/2021
DISPOSITION: Pending
FILE: A-16
LOCATION: Senate Inactive File
SUMMARY:

Requires the Student Aid Commission, to the extent that it possesses pertinent information, to provide written notice to students who qualify for a waiver of the community college enrollment fee that they qualify, or may qualify, for benefits under the CalFresh program.

STATUS:

05/28/2021 In SENATE. From third reading. To Inactive File.

SB 28

AUTHOR: Caballero [D]
TITLE: Rural Broadband and Digital Infrastructure
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes

URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 12/07/2020
LAST AMEND: 05/04/2021
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Assembly Communications and Conveyance Committee
SUMMARY:

Creates the Rural Broadband and Digital Infrastructure Video Competition Reform Act. Requires the Department of Technology to compile an inventory of state-owned resources that may be available for use in the deployment of broadband networks in rural, unserved, and underserved communities. Prohibits a video service franchise holder from denying access to service to any group of potential residential subscribers regardless of income.

STATUS:

05/28/2021 To ASSEMBLY Committees on COMMUNICATIONS AND CONVEYANCE and PRIVACY AND CONSUMER PROTECTION.

Commentary001:

CSAC watching. Members frustrated with ISBs.

SB 55

AUTHOR: Stern [D]
TITLE: Very High Fire Hazard Severity Zone: Development
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 12/07/2020
LAST AMEND: 04/05/2021
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Senate Governance and Finance Committee
SUMMARY:

Prohibits the creation or approval of a new development, as defined, in a very high fire hazard severity zone or a state responsibility area unless there is substantial evidence that the local agency has adopted a comprehensive, necessary, and appropriate wildfire prevention and community hardening strategy to mitigate significant risks of loss, injury, or death, as specified.

STATUS:

04/15/2021 In SENATE Committee on GOVERNANCE AND FINANCE: Heard, remains in Committee.

Commentary001:

two-year bill

SB 56

AUTHOR: Durazo [D]
TITLE: Medi-Cal: Eligibility
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 12/07/2020
LAST AMEND: 05/25/2021
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: ASSEMBLY
SUMMARY:

Extends eligibility for full-scope Medi-Cal benefits to individuals who are a certain age or older, and who are otherwise eligible for those benefits but for their immigration status.

STATUS:

06/02/2021 In SENATE. Read third time. Passed SENATE. *****To ASSEMBLY. (29-7)

Commentary001:

EHSD requests LOS. Consistent with Platform.

SB 73

AUTHOR: Wiener [D]
TITLE: Probation: Eligibility: Crimes Controlled Substances
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 12/10/2020
DISPOSITION: Pending
COMMITTEE: Assembly Public Safety Committee
HEARING: 06/15/2021 9:00 am
SUMMARY:

Deletes various crimes relating to controlled substances, including, but not limited to, possessing or agreeing to sell or transport opiates or opium derivatives, from those prohibitions against granting probation or a suspended sentence. Authorizes the remaining prohibitions on probation to be waived by a court in the interests of justice.

STATUS:

05/13/2021 To ASSEMBLY Committee on PUBLIC SAFETY.

Commentary001:

<https://www.sfchronicle.com/politics/article/Jail-time-for-nonviolent-drug-crimes-in-15804570.php>

SB 90

AUTHOR: Stern [D]
TITLE: Elections: Ballot Label
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 12/16/2020
LAST AMEND: 04/19/2021
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Senate Elections and Constitutional Amendments Committee
SUMMARY:

Requires the ballot label for statewide measures to include a listing of the signers of ballot arguments printed in the state voter information guide that support and oppose the measure or the signers of the rebuttal arguments to the arguments that support and oppose the measure. Requires the signers of the ballot arguments to submit the lists of supporters and opponents to the Secretary of State and requires the Secretary of State to provide those lists to county elections officials as part of the label.

STATUS:

04/26/2021 In SENATE Committee on ELECTIONS AND CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS: Not heard.

Commentary001:

Leg Com recommended support.

SB 91

AUTHOR: Budget and Fiscal Review Cmt
TITLE: COVID-19 Relief: Tenancy: Federal Rental Assistance
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 12/16/2020
ENACTED: 01/29/2021
DISPOSITION: Enacted
LOCATION: Chaptered

CHAPTER: 2021-002

SUMMARY:

Extends the imposition of additional damages, if a tenant has provided a declaration of COVID-19 financial distress, on a landlord who violates the prohibition from interrupting or terminating utility service furnished to a tenant with the intent to terminate the occupancy of the tenant. Relates to the evaluation of tenants using an alleged COVID-19 rental debt. Extends the prohibition from bringing an action for unlawful detainer based on a cause of action other than nonpayment of COVID-19 rent.

STATUS:

01/29/2021 Signed by GOVERNOR.

01/29/2021 Chaptered by Secretary of State. Chapter No. 2021-002

SB 99

AUTHOR: Dodd [D]

TITLE: Community Energy Resilience Act of 2021

FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes

URGENCY CLAUSE: no

INTRODUCED: 12/28/2020

LAST AMEND: 04/12/2021

DISPOSITION: Pending

LOCATION: Assembly Utilities and Energy Committee

SUMMARY:

Requires the State Energy Resources Conservation and Development Commission to develop and implement a grant program for local governments to develop community energy resilience plans and expedite permit review of distributed energy resources.

STATUS:

05/28/2021 To ASSEMBLY Committee on UTILITIES AND ENERGY.

Commentary001:

CSAC supports

SB 107

AUTHOR: Wiener [D]

TITLE: CalFresh

FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes

URGENCY CLAUSE: no

INTRODUCED: 01/05/2021

LAST AMEND: 02/18/2021

DISPOSITION: Pending

FILE: A-25

LOCATION: Senate Inactive File

SUMMARY:

Requires the State Department of Social Services, in order to increase client access and retention within CalFresh, to participate in the Elderly Simplified Application Project, a demonstration project operated by the U.S. Department of Agriculture, Food and Nutrition Service. Requires the department to develop a CalFresh user-centered application for seniors 60 years of age or older and for people with disabilities who are eligible to be enrolled in the Elderly Simplified Application Project.

STATUS:

06/01/2021 In SENATE. From third reading. To Inactive File.

Commentary001:

Erick drafted LOS. Sent LOS; consistent with Platform.

Commentary002:

Advisory Council on Aging sent LOS

SB 110

AUTHOR: Wiener [D]
TITLE: Substance Use Disorder Services: Contingency Management
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 01/06/2021
LAST AMEND: 03/15/2021
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: ASSEMBLY
SUMMARY:

Expands substance use disorder services to include contingency management services, as specified, subject to utilization controls. Requires the Department of Health Care Services to issue guidance and training to providers on their use of contingency management services for Medi-Cal beneficiaries who access substance use disorder services under any Medi-Cal delivery system, including the Drug Medi-Cal Treatment Program and the Drug Medi-Cal organized delivery system.

STATUS:

06/01/2021 In SENATE. Read third time. Passed SENATE. *****To ASSEMBLY. (39-0)

SB 219

AUTHOR: McGuire [D]
TITLE: Property Tax: Delinquent Penalty Cost: Health Orders
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: yes
INTRODUCED: 01/12/2021
DISPOSITION: Pending
COMMITTEE: Assembly Revenue and Taxation Committee
HEARING: 06/21/2021
SUMMARY:

Authorizes the auditor or the tax collector to cancel any penalty, costs, or other charges resulting from tax delinquency upon a finding that failure to make a timely payment is due to a documented hardship, as determined by the tax collector, arising from a shelter-in-place order, as defined, if the principal payment for the proper amount of tax due is paid no later than June 30 of the fiscal year in which the payment first became delinquent.

STATUS:

05/13/2021 To ASSEMBLY Committee on REVENUE AND TAXATION.

Commentary002:

CSAC joint support to Asm Revenue and Taxation

SB 222

AUTHOR: Dodd [D]
TITLE: Water Rate Assistance Program
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 01/14/2021
LAST AMEND: 05/20/2021
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: ASSEMBLY
SUMMARY:

Establishes the Water Rate Assistance Fund in the State Treasury to help provide water affordability assistance, for both drinking water and wastewater

services, to low-income ratepayers and ratepayers experiencing economic hardship in California.

STATUS:

06/01/2021 In SENATE. Read third time. Passed SENATE. *****To ASSEMBLY. (31-7)

Commentary001:

<https://thentherescalifornia.libsyn.com/senator-bill-dodd-sb-222-sb-223-water-equity-accessibility>

SB 223

AUTHOR: Dodd [D]
TITLE: Discontinuation of Residential Water Service
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 01/14/2021
LAST AMEND: 05/03/2021
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Senate Appropriations Committee
SUMMARY:

Revises the conditions under which urban and community water systems and very small community water systems are prohibited from discontinuing residential service for nonpayment. Prohibits these systems from discontinuing residential service for nonpayment during a state or local emergency.

STATUS:

05/20/2021 In SENATE Committee on APPROPRIATIONS: Held in committee.

Commentary001:

<https://thentherescalifornia.libsyn.com/senator-bill-dodd-sb-222-sb-223-water-equity-accessibility>

SB 234

AUTHOR: Wiener [D]
TITLE: Transition Aged Youth Housing Program
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 01/19/2021
LAST AMEND: 04/26/2021
DISPOSITION: Pending
FILE: A-44
LOCATION: Senate Inactive File
SUMMARY:

Establishes the Transition Aged Youth Housing Program for the purpose of creating housing for transition aged youth under 26 years of age, who have been removed from their homes, are experiencing homelessness unaccompanied by a parent or legal guardian, or are under the jurisdiction of a court, as specified, and would require the Homeless Coordinating and Financing Council to develop, implement, and administer the program.

STATUS:

06/03/2021 In SENATE. From third reading. To Inactive File.

SB 261

AUTHOR: Allen [D]
TITLE: Regional Transportation Plans: Sustainable Communities
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 01/27/2021

DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Senate Transportation Committee
SUMMARY:

Requires that the sustainable communities strategy be developed to additionally achieve greenhouse gas emission reduction targets for the automobile and light truck sector for 2045 and 2050 and vehicle miles traveled reduction targets for 2035, 2045, and 2050 established by the State Air Resources Board.

STATUS:

03/15/2021 From SENATE Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY:
 Do pass to Committee on TRANSPORTATION. (5-2)

Commentary001:

CSAC opposes with UCC, RCRC

SB 270

AUTHOR: Durazo [D]
TITLE: Public Employment: Labor Relations: Employee Data
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 01/28/2021
LAST AMEND: 04/15/2021
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: ASSEMBLY
SUMMARY:

Authorizes an exclusive representative to file a charge of an unfair labor practice with the Public Employment Relations Board, as specified, alleging a violation of the specified requirements only if specified conditions are met, including that the exclusive representative gives written notice of the alleged violation and that the public employer fails to cure the violation, as specified.

STATUS:

06/01/2021 In SENATE. Read third time. Passed SENATE. *****To ASSEMBLY. (30-10)

SB 271

AUTHOR: Wiener [D]
TITLE: County Sheriffs: Eligibility Requirements
FISCAL COMMITTEE: no
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 01/28/2021
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Senate Governance and Finance Committee
SUMMARY:

Repeals specified eligibility requirements for county sheriffs. Allows all eligible voters to run for the office of Sheriff.

STATUS:

05/06/2021 In SENATE Committee on GOVERNANCE AND FINANCE:
 Not heard.

Commentary001:

<https://www.eastbaytimes.com/2021/02/20/bay-area-lawmakers-bill-looks-to-reset-what-a-california-sheriff-can-be/>

SB 278

AUTHOR: Leyva [D]
TITLE: PERS: Disallowed Compensation: Benefit Adjustments
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 01/29/2021

LAST AMEND: 03/23/2021
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: ASSEMBLY
SUMMARY:

Establishes new procedures under Public Employees' Retirement Law for cases in which Public Employees' Retirement System determines that the benefits of a member or annuitant are, or would be, based on disallowed compensation that conflicts with State Public Employees' Pension Reform Act of 2013 and other specified laws and thus impermissible under Public Employees' Retirement Law.

STATUS:

06/01/2021 In SENATE. Read third time. Passed SENATE. *****To ASSEMBLY. (35-0)

Commentary001:

CSAC and coalition opposes

SB 286

AUTHOR: Min [D]
TITLE: Elections: County Officers: Consolidation
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 02/01/2021
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Senate Elections and Constitutional Amendments Committee
SUMMARY:

Relates to existing Law that requires a candidate for a nonpartisan office who at a primary election receives votes on a majority of all the ballots cast for candidates for that office to be elected to that office. Exempts from that requirement candidates for county nonpartisan offices, including a county office in a charter county, but not including a charter city and county.

STATUS:

02/22/2021 In SENATE. Article IV. Section 8(a) of the Constitution dispensed with.

02/22/2021 In SENATE. Joint Rule 55 suspended.

Commentary001:

CSAC and UCC oppose

SB 395

AUTHOR: Caballero [D]
TITLE: Healthy Outcomes and Prevention Education Act: Tax
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 02/11/2021
LAST AMEND: 05/03/2021
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: ASSEMBLY
SUMMARY:

Establishes the Health Careers Opportunity Grant Program under the administration of the Health Professions Education Foundation for the purpose of improving access by underrepresented students from disadvantaged backgrounds to health profession programs offered by the state's public postsecondary education institutions. Imposes an additional tax for the privilege of selling electronic cigarettes at retail of an unspecified percentage of the gross receipts from the sale of electronic cigarettes.

STATUS:

06/01/2021 In SENATE. Read third time. Passed SENATE. *****To

ASSEMBLY. (29-8)

Commentary001:

CSAC supports in concept; lots to be worked out.

SB 410

AUTHOR: Leyva [D]
TITLE: Department of Industrial Relations
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 02/12/2021
LAST AMEND: 03/03/2021
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Assembly Appropriations Committee
SUMMARY:

Exempts any occupational safety and health standard and order from the standardized regulatory impact analysis requirement.

STATUS:

06/08/2021 From ASSEMBLY Committee on LABOR AND EMPLOYMENT:
 Do pass to Committee on APPROPRIATIONS. (5-2)

Commentary001:

CSAC opposes with coalition

SB 443

AUTHOR: Hertzberg [D]
TITLE: Elections: Redistricting
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 02/16/2021
LAST AMEND: 04/27/2021
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Assembly Elections Committee
SUMMARY:

Requires initiative and referendum measures to appear in the order in which they qualify for the ballot.

STATUS:

05/20/2021 To ASSEMBLY Committee on ELECTIONS.

Commentary001:

CSAC to oppose

SB 465

AUTHOR: Eggman [D]
TITLE: Mental Health
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 02/16/2021
LAST AMEND: 05/20/2021
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: ASSEMBLY
SUMMARY:

Requires the Mental Health Services Oversight and Accountability Commission to report to specified legislative committees the outcomes for people receiving community mental health services under a full service partnership model, as specified, including any barriers to receiving the data and recommendations to strengthen California's use of full service partnerships to reduce incarceration, hospitalization, and homelessness.

STATUS:

	06/01/2021	In SENATE. Read third time. Passed SENATE. *****To ASSEMBLY. (39-0)
SB 493	AUTHOR: Bradford [D] TITLE: Local Government Financing: Juvenile Justice FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes URGENCY CLAUSE: no INTRODUCED: 02/17/2021 LAST AMEND: 03/23/2021 DISPOSITION: Pending LOCATION: Senate Appropriations Committee SUMMARY: <p>Requires no less than 95% of the funds allocated under these provisions to be distributed to community-based organizations and other public agencies or departments that are not law enforcement entities, as specified, and prohibits this portion of the funds from being used for law enforcement activities or personnel.</p> STATUS:	
	05/20/2021	In SENATE Committee on APPROPRIATIONS: Held in committee.
	Commentary002: CSAC OPPOSED	
SB 504	AUTHOR: Becker [D] TITLE: Elections: Voter Registration FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes URGENCY CLAUSE: no INTRODUCED: 02/17/2021 DISPOSITION: Pending LOCATION: ASSEMBLY SUMMARY: <p>Requires a county elections official to make conditional voter registration available to military and overseas voters via a certified remote accessible vote by mail system.</p> STATUS:	
	06/03/2021	In SENATE. Read third time. Passed SENATE. *****To ASSEMBLY. (39-0)
	Commentary001: CSAC supports	
SB 515	AUTHOR: Pan [D] TITLE: Long-Term Services and Supports Benefit Task Force FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes URGENCY CLAUSE: no INTRODUCED: 02/17/2021 LAST AMEND: 04/12/2021 DISPOSITION: Pending LOCATION: Senate Human Services Committee SUMMARY: <p>Requires the Department of Aging to establish an Long-Term Services and Supports Benefit Task Force, or utilize an existing board, commission, committee, or task force, to focus on LTSS benefit needs in the State.</p> STATUS:	

	04/20/2021 Commentary001: CSAC supports	In SENATE Committee on HUMAN SERVICES: Not heard.
SB 516	<p>AUTHOR: Eggman [D] TITLE: Certification for Intensive Treatment: Review Hearing FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes URGENCY CLAUSE: no INTRODUCED: 02/17/2021 LAST AMEND: 04/08/2021 DISPOSITION: Pending LOCATION: Assembly Health Committee SUMMARY:</p> <p>Authorizes the evidence considered in the certification review hearing for specified intensive treatment of a person placed on a 72-hour hold to include information on the persons medical condition and how that condition bears on certifying the person as a danger to themselves or to others or as gravely disabled. Requires that if the person needs continuing medical treatment after the termination of the involuntary detention, they must be informed that continuing medical treatment is recommended.</p> <p>STATUS:</p>	
	05/20/2021 Commentary001: CBHDA has Oppose	To ASSEMBLY Committees on HEALTH and JUDICIARY.
SB 555	<p>AUTHOR: McGuire [D] TITLE: Local Agencies: Transient Occupancy Taxes: Online FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes URGENCY CLAUSE: no INTRODUCED: 02/18/2021 LAST AMEND: 04/12/2021 DISPOSITION: Pending LOCATION: ASSEMBLY SUMMARY:</p> <p>Authorizes a local agency, defined to mean a city, county, or city and county, including a charter city, county, or city and county, to enact an ordinance exclusively delegating its authority to collect any transient occupancy tax imposed by that local agency on short-term rentals to the California Department of Tax and Fee Administration and to enter into a contract with the department for purposes of registration, rate posting, collection, and transmission of revenues.</p> <p>STATUS:</p>	
	06/01/2021 Commentary001: voluntary system	In SENATE. Read third time. Passed SENATE. *****To ASSEMBLY. (39-0)
SB 556	<p>AUTHOR: Dodd [D] TITLE: Street Light Poles, Traffic Signal Poles, Utility Poles FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes URGENCY CLAUSE: no INTRODUCED: 02/18/2021 LAST AMEND: 05/04/2021</p>	

DISPOSITION: Pending
COMMITTEE: Assembly Local Government Committee
HEARING: 06/09/2021 1:30 pm
SUMMARY:

Prohibits a local government or local publicly owned electric utility from unreasonably denying the leasing or licensing of its street light poles or traffic signal poles to communications service providers for the purpose of placing small wireless facilities on those poles.

STATUS:

06/09/2021 From ASSEMBLY Committee on LOCAL GOVERNMENT: Do pass to Committee on COMMUNICATIONS AND CONVEYANCE.

Commentary001:

CSAC has concerns; no formal position yet.

SB 557

AUTHOR: Wieckowski [D]
TITLE: Hazardous Waste: Treated Wood Waste
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 02/18/2021
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Senate Appropriations Committee
SUMMARY:

Defines the term treated wood and would require treated wood waste, as defined, to be disposed of in either a class I hazardous waste landfill or in a composite-lined portion of a solid waste landfill unit that meets specified requirements.

STATUS:

05/20/2021 In SENATE Committee on APPROPRIATIONS: Held in committee.

SB 586

AUTHOR: Bradford [D]
TITLE: Criminal Fees
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 02/18/2021
LAST AMEND: 05/25/2021
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: ASSEMBLY
SUMMARY:

Relates to an existing law which imposes various fees contingent upon a criminal arrest, prosecution, or conviction for the cost of administering the criminal justice system, including lab fees, drug testing, and incarceration, among others. Repeals the authority to collect many of these fees, among others. Makes the unpaid balance of many court-imposed costs unenforceable and uncollectible and requires any portion of a judgment imposing those costs to be vacated.

STATUS:

06/02/2021 In SENATE. Read third time. Passed SENATE. *****To ASSEMBLY. (30-7)

Commentary002:

CSAC/RCRC/ucc sent concerns letter

SB 594	<p>AUTHOR: Glazer [D] TITLE: Elections: Local Redistricting FISCAL COMMITTEE: no URGENCY CLAUSE: yes INTRODUCED: 02/18/2021 LAST AMEND: 05/03/2021 DISPOSITION: Pending LOCATION: Assembly Elections Committee SUMMARY:</p>
	<p>Clarifies that adopting district boundaries for certain purposes means the passage of an ordinance or resolution specifying those boundaries. Authorizes, expressly, a county board of supervisors to adopt supervisorial district boundaries by ordinance or resolution. Clarifies that a superior court's order adopting district boundaries is immediately effective and has the same force and effect as an enacted ordinance or resolution of the legislative body. STATUS: 05/20/2021 To ASSEMBLY Committees on ELECTIONS and LOCAL GOVERNMENT.</p>
SB 606	<p>AUTHOR: Gonzalez [D] TITLE: Workplace Safety Violations: Employer Retaliation FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes URGENCY CLAUSE: no INTRODUCED: 02/18/2021 LAST AMEND: 05/20/2021 DISPOSITION: Pending LOCATION: ASSEMBLY SUMMARY:</p>
	<p>Creates a rebuttable presumption that a violation committed by an employer that has multiple worksites is enterprise-wide in certain circumstances. Authorizes the Division of Occupational Safety and Health to issue a citation if the employer fails to rebut such presumption. Requires each employee exposed to the violation to be considered a separate violation for the issuance of fines and penalties. Establishes that an employer's actions are presumed retaliatory in certain situations. STATUS: 06/02/2021 In SENATE. Read third time. Passed SENATE. *****To ASSEMBLY. (28-7) Commentary001: CSAC Opposes</p>
SB 612	<p>AUTHOR: Portantino [D] TITLE: Electrical Corporations and Other Load-serving Entities FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes URGENCY CLAUSE: no INTRODUCED: 02/18/2021 LAST AMEND: 05/20/2021 DISPOSITION: Pending LOCATION: ASSEMBLY SUMMARY:</p>
	<p>Requires an electrical corporation to annually offer, for the following year, an allocation of each product, as defined, arising from legacy resources, as defined, to its bundled customers and to other load-serving entities, defined to include</p>

electric service providers and community choice aggregators, serving departing-load customers, as defined, who bear cost responsibility for those resources.

STATUS:

06/01/2021 In SENATE. Read third time. Passed SENATE. *****To ASSEMBLY. (33-6)

Commentary001:

Sent LOS. Consistent with amended Platform.

SB 617

AUTHOR: Wiener [D]
TITLE: Residential Solar Energy Systems: Permitting
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 02/18/2021
LAST AMEND: 05/04/2021
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Senate Appropriations Committee
SUMMARY:

Requires every city and county to implement an online, automated permitting platform that verifies code compliance and instantaneously issues permits for a solar energy system and an energy storage system meeting certain requirements paired with a solar energy system, as specified. Requires a city or county to amend a certain ordinance to authorize a residential solar energy system and an energy storage system to use the platform. Prescribes a compliance schedule for satisfying these requirements.

STATUS:

05/20/2021 In SENATE Committee on APPROPRIATIONS: Held in committee.

Commentary001:

May Leg Com agenda. Watch.

SB 619

AUTHOR: Laird [D]
TITLE: Organic Waste: Reduction Regulations
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 02/18/2021
LAST AMEND: 04/13/2021
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Assembly Natural Resources Committee
SUMMARY:

Requires the Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery to only impose a penalty on a local jurisdiction, and requires a penalty to only accrue, for a violation of the regulations if the local jurisdiction did not make a reasonable effort, as determined by the department, to comply with the regulations.

STATUS:

05/28/2021 To ASSEMBLY Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.

SB 712

AUTHOR: Hueso [D]
TITLE: Local Government: California Tribes
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 02/19/2021
LAST AMEND: 05/04/2021

DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Assembly Local Government Committee
SUMMARY:

Encourages state and local governments to work cooperatively with tribes in their fee-to-trust applications for purposes of regaining ancestral lands, and to support tribes in their nongaming fee-to-trust applications. Prohibits local governments from adopting or enforcing a resolution or ordinance that would prevent the local government from conducting a fair evaluation of a fee-to-trust application by a federally recognized tribe based on the merits of the application.

STATUS:

05/28/2021 To ASSEMBLY Committee on LOCAL GOVERNMENT.

Commentary001:

CSAC notes problematic provision about going to tribe to get economic benefits; strange imposition on counties.

SB 749

AUTHOR: Glazer [D]
TITLE: Mental Health Program Oversight: County Reporting
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 02/19/2021
LAST AMEND: 05/25/2021
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: ASSEMBLY
SUMMARY:

Requires the Mental Health Services Oversight and Accountability Commission to create a comprehensive tracking program for county spending on mental and behavioral health programs and services, as specified, including funding sources, funding utilization, and outcome data at the program, service, and statewide levels.

STATUS:

06/02/2021 In SENATE. Read third time. Passed SENATE. *****To ASSEMBLY. (38-0)

SB 782

AUTHOR: Glazer [D]
TITLE: Assisted Outpatient Treatment Programs
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 02/19/2021
LAST AMEND: 05/05/2021
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Assembly Health Committee
SUMMARY:

Authorizes the filing of a petition to obtain assisted outpatient treatment under the existing petition procedures, for a conservatee or former conservatee, as specified, who would benefit from assisted outpatient treatment to reduce the risk of deteriorating mental health while living independently.

STATUS:

05/20/2021 To ASSEMBLY Committees on HEALTH and JUDICIARY.

SB 784

AUTHOR: Glazer [D]
TITLE: State Government: Emergency Services: Nonprofit Service
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes

URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 02/19/2021
LAST AMEND: 06/03/2021
DISPOSITION: Pending
COMMITTEE: Assembly Emergency Management Committee
HEARING: 06/14/2021
SUMMARY:

Authorizes a nonprofit entity that provides services pursuant to a contract with the state, during a state of war emergency or a state of emergency, to adjust the method in which it provides those services so long as the purpose of the contract is served. Requires the nonprofit entity to notify all departments from which it receives funding of a closure or of an impacted program, including whether a closure is location specific or due to executive order.

STATUS:

06/03/2021 From ASSEMBLY Committee on EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT with author's amendments.

06/03/2021 In ASSEMBLY. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT.

SB 788

AUTHOR: Bradford [D]
TITLE: Workers' Compensation: Risk Factors
FISCAL COMMITTEE: no
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 02/19/2021
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: ASSEMBLY
SUMMARY:

Prohibits consideration of race, religious creed, color, national origin, age, gender, marital status, sex, sexual identity, sexual orientation, or genetic characteristics to determine the approximate percentage of the permanent disability caused by other factors. Expresses the Legislature's intent to eliminate bias and discrimination in the workers' compensation system.

STATUS:

06/02/2021 In SENATE. Read third time. Passed SENATE. *****To ASSEMBLY. (37-0)

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AUTHOR: Leyva [D]
TITLE: Day for the Elimination of Racial Discrimination
INTRODUCED: 02/24/2021
ENACTED: 04/30/2021
DISPOSITION: Adopted
LOCATION: Chaptered
CHAPTER: 2021-21
SUMMARY:

Declares March 21, 2021, as the International Day for the Elimination of Racial Discrimination.

STATUS:

04/30/2021 Chaptered by Secretary of State.