

AGENDA  
IRVINE RANCH WATER DISTRICT  
WATER RESOURCES POLICY AND COMMUNICATIONS COMMITTEE  
MONDAY, MARCH 1, 2021

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CALL TO ORDER    2:30 p.m.

ATTENDANCE        Committee Chair: Steven LaMar        \_\_\_\_\_  
Member: Karen McLaughlin        \_\_\_\_\_

<u>ALSO PRESENT</u>	Paul Cook	_____	Paul Weghorst	_____
	Wendy Chambers	_____	Cheryl Clary	_____
	Fiona Sanchez	_____	Jim Colston	_____
	Christine Compton	_____	Kellie Welch	_____
	Mark Tettermer	_____	Amy McNulty	_____
	Jo Ann Corey	_____	John Fabris	_____
	Ray Bennett	_____	_____	_____
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**COMMUNICATIONS**

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1. Notes: Weghorst
2. Public Comments
3. Determine the need to discuss and/or take action on item(s) introduced that came to the attention of the District subsequent to the agenda being posted.
4. Determine which items may be approved without discussion.

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**PRESENTATION**

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| <p>5. <u>“WE’LL HELP YOU THROUGH THIS”</u>: <u>PLANNING FOR THE END OF THE MORATORIUM – COMPTON / COOK</u></p> <p>Recommendation: Receive and file staff’s initial presentation and discuss planned and proposed actions for when the statewide shutoff moratorium ends.</p> |  |
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**INFORMATION**

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| <p>6. <u>RECYCLED WATER DEVELOPMENT AND INSPECTION AND TESTING PROGRAM UPDATE – TETTEMER / WEGHORST</u></p> <p>Recommendation: Receive and file.</p> |  |
| <p>7. <u>STRATEGIC PLANNING DOCUMENTS UPDATE – COOK</u></p> <p>Recommendation: Receive and file.</p>   |  |

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**ACTION**

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8. 2021 LEGISLATIVE AND REGULATORY UPDATE – COMPTON / COOK

Recommendation: That the Board adopt an “OPPOSE” position on AB 377 (R. Rivas) and AB 1434 (Friedman), an “OPPOSE UNLESS AMENDED” position on SB 222 (Dodd), a “SUPPORT IF AMENDED” position on AB 1500 (E. Garcia), SB 45 (Portantino) and SB 427 (Eggman), and a “SUPPORT” position on ACR 17 (Voepel), SB 552 (Hertzberg) and H.R. 1015 (Napolitano).

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**OTHER BUSINESS**

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9. Directors’ Comments

10. Adjourn


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March 1, 2021

Prepared by: Mark Tetterer

Reviewed by: Paul Weghorst

Approved by: Paul A. Cook 

## WATER RESOURCES POLICY AND COMMUNICATIONS COMMITTEE

### RECYCLED WATER DEVELOPMENT AND INSPECTION AND TESTING PROGRAM UPDATE

#### SUMMARY:

IRWD is recognized for the success of its recycled water program that has been growing steadily for more than 50 years. The District is known for not only expanding the uses for recycled water, but also for the partnerships which have been developed to expand such use. At the Committee meeting, staff will provide an update on key IRWD accomplishments with respect to recycled water customer development as well as its responsibilities to perform plan reviews, recycled water use site inspections, cross-connection tests, and Site Supervisor training.

#### BACKGROUND:

IRWD began serving recycled water in 1967. Today it serves recycled water to approximately 6,200 metered connections at customer sites. These customers collectively purchase approximately 28,000 acre-feet of recycled water annually, which is approximately 25% of IRWD's total water sales. A large part of IRWD's success has been from forging partnerships with its customers, which has led to numerous accomplishments in water recycling. Following is a list of key IRWD accomplishments:

- 1991 – The first agency in California to serve a dual plumbed building for toilet and urinal flushing. Today IRWD serves 127 buildings with more under construction;
- 1991 – Began serving recycled water to single-family residences for front and backyard irrigation (Pelican Hills). Today, IRWD serves more than 680 such homes in the communities of Pelican Hills, Pelican Crest, Crystal Cove and Shady Canyon;
- 2009 – Began serving a concrete batch plant (Robertson's Ready Mix);
- 2010 – The first agency in California to serve a fully dual plumbed high school (Crean Lutheran High School);
- 2012 – The first agency in California to serve a fully dual plumbed public middle school (Irvine Unified School District);
- 2013 – Began serving toilets and urinals in a college building (Irvine Valley College);
- 2017 – The first agency in the nation to serve a fully dual plumbed hotel, including the 149 guest rooms (Hyatt House);
- 2018 – Began serving recycled water for ice rinks (Great Park Ice & FivePoint Arena); and
- 2018 – Converted the UC Irvine central cooling plant towers from potable water to recycled water.

Title 22 of the California Code of Regulations, among other requirements, defines what recycled water is and California-approved uses based on the level of treatment. Exhibit “A” shows the diversity of state-approved recycled water uses and the corresponding levels of treatment that are required.

#### Constructing Distribution System as the Community Grows:

Early in IRWD’s recycled water program, much of the service was to undeveloped land or agricultural sites. As the service area transitioned to urban uses, IRWD worked with developers by collaborating on the construction of the recycled water distribution network. Today that network has reached 570 miles of pipeline ranging from four inches in diameter to 42 inches in diameter. Construction of these facilities, in conjunction with the construction of the potable and sewer collection facilities, has resulted in the cost-effective expansion of the use of recycled water in IRWD’s service area. This has avoided a more complicated and expensive retrofit process which most agencies face in expanding the use of recycled water.

#### Retrofitting Existing Sites:

Sites that were originally plumbed with potable water can only use recycled water through a retrofit process, which requires separating the non-potable system (e.g., irrigation) from the potable system. IRWD’s largest retrofit was completed in 2018 when IRWD worked with UC Irvine to convert its central plant cooling towers to recycled water. This retrofit saves approximately 80 million gallons (245 acre-feet) of potable water each year. Staff continuously seeks retrofit opportunities and is currently working with the City of Irvine on the conversion of three city sites on Oak Canyon.

#### Plan Review and Field Inspection Process:

Staff reviews plans for new or retrofit sites to confirm compliance with state and IRWD requirements. Staff checks for items such as the addition of backflow prevention on the potable water supply, addition of pressure regulators, strainers, quick couplers, pipeline separation, pipeline depth, and the use of purple pipe. This process typically requires multiple cycles of review. Once plans are approved, staff inspects the construction work to ensure it is being built per plan and, if necessary, addresses field modifications that may have arisen during construction.

#### *Types of Recycled Water Service:*

The following table provides a summary of the types and numbers of recycled water connections that have been brought online through the plan review process.

Recycled Water Service Types

Site Type Identifier	Site Description	No. of Meters Served
1	Single Supply, Agricultural	28
2	Single Supply, General	2,649
3	Dual Supply, Agricultural	8
4	Dual Supply, Parks, etc.	473
5	Dual Supply, Multifamily w/ RP's	303
6	Dual Supply, Multifamily w/o RP's	978
7	Dual Supply, Golf Course	11
8	Dual Supply, Cemetery	5
9	Dual Supply, Industrial	11
10	Dual Supply, Commercial	827
11	Dual Plumbed, Residential	679
12	Dual Plumbed, Commercial	117
13	Dual Plumbed, Industrial	0
14	Temporary Meters	18
15	Inactive meters (no usage)	5
16	Hybrids (one meter, two uses)	11
17	Site type not yet established	13
	<i>Total:</i>	<i>6,192</i>

These site type designations were developed by staff and help facilitate recycled water use site inspection, testing and Site Supervisor training as described below.

Site Inspection, Testing, and Site Supervisor Training:

IRWD operates its recycled water program under a permit issued by the Santa Ana Regional Water Quality Control Board. There are several conditions in the permit. Some of the key conditions that directly impact IRWD recycled water customers are:

- IRWD must conduct “periodic inspections” of each recycled water use site;
- Recycled water must be used on the intended site and cannot contribute runoff;
- Each recycled water use must site have a Site Supervisor; and
- IRWD must comply with Title 22, which has recycled water use site inspection and testing requirements for “dual plumbed” sites which apply to both residential and commercial customers.

After a site begins using recycled water, IRWD’s permit requires that the site be inspected periodically to ensure compliance with state and local requirements which protect public health. Items checked during these visual inspections include system identification, checking for signage notifying the public about the use of recycled water, confirming that the uses of recycled water have not changed, checking for system modifications, making sure there is no runoff and meeting with the Site Supervisor.

During the inspection, Site Supervisor training is conducted by reviewing the “Do’s and Don’ts” associated with a recycled water use. Exhibit “B” is the document provided to each Site Supervisor which lists the “Do’s and Don’ts”. During the visual inspections, cross-connection tests are sometimes conducted to ensure the potable and recycled water systems are not connected.

*Inspections by Staff & Consultants:*

Staff performs visual inspections and cross-connection tests at dual plumbed sites which include the single-family residences where recycled water is used for irrigation and at commercial buildings where recycled water is used for toilet and urinal flushing. There are currently 769 dual plumbed sites that, per Title 22, are required to be inspected annually and have a cross-connection test performed at least every four years. Staff that conduct inspections and tests at dual plumbed sites are required by Title 22 to be certified Cross Connection Specialists. Because new construction activity has decreased recently, staff has expanded its role by conducting more recycled water use site inspections and tests than in years past.

Because of the large number of recycled water use sites that IRWD serves, it has contracted with two qualified firms to conduct visual inspections and cross-connection tests at the various irrigation sites. The site types listed above are used to establish the amount paid to the consultants on a “per site” basis.

*Development of Orange County Guidelines:*

IRWD has been working with other water recycling agencies and regulatory agencies in Orange County to develop guidelines for ongoing recycled water use site inspection and testing procedures. The focus of the Orange County Guidelines will be the establishment of the frequency and methods necessary to conduct inspections and testing work. Consideration is being given to the type and complexity of each site. Once finalized, each water recycling agency will be able to adopt the guidelines at its discretion.

FISCAL IMPACTS:

Not applicable.

ENVIRONMENTAL COMPLIANCE:

Not applicable.

RECOMMENDATION:

Receive and file.

LIST OF EXHIBITS:

Exhibit “A” – State Approved Uses for Recycled Water  
Exhibit “B” – Site Supervisor Training Document



# RECYCLED WATER USES\* ALLOWED IN CALIFORNIA

This summary is prepared by WaterReuse Association of California, from the December 2, 2000, Title 22 adopted Water Recycling Criteria, and supersedes all earlier versions.

Recycled Water Use	Treatment Level			
	Disinfected Tertiary Recycled Water	Disinfected Secondary 2.2 Recycled Water	Disinfected Secondary 2.3 Recycled Water	Undisinfected Secondary Recycled Water
<b>Irrigation for:</b>				
Food crops where recycled water contacts the edible portion of the crop, including all root crops	ALLOWED	NOT ALLOWED	NOT ALLOWED	NOT ALLOWED
Parks and playgrounds				
School grounds				
Residential landscaping				
Unrestricted-access golf courses				
Any other irrigation uses not specifically prohibited by other provisions of the <i>California Code of Regulations</i>				
Food crops, surface-irrigated, above-ground edible portion, not contacted by recycled water		ALLOWED		
Cemetaries			ALLOWED	
Freeway landscaping				
Restricted-access golf courses				
Ornamental nursery stock and sod farms with unrestricted public access				
Pasture for milk animals for human consumption				
Nonedible vegetation with access control to prevent use as a park, playground or school grounds				
Orchards with no contact between edible portion and recycled water				ALLOWED
Vineyards with no contact between edible portion and recycled water				
Non food-bearing trees, including Christmas trees not irrigated less than 14 days before harvest				
Fodder and fiber crops and pasture for animals not producing milk for human consumption				
Seed crops not eaten by humans				
Food crops undergoing commercial pathogen-destroying processing before consumption by humans				
Ornamental nursery stock, sod farms not irrigated less than 14 days before harvest				
<b>Supply for impoundment:</b>				
Nonrestricted recreational impoundments, with supplemental monitoring for pathogenic organisms	ALLOWED <sup>2</sup>	NOT ALLOWED	NOT ALLOWED	NOT ALLOWED
Restricted recreational impoundments and publicly accessible fish hatcheries	ALLOWED	ALLOWED		
Landscape impoundments without decorative fountains			ALLOWED	
<b>Supply for cooling or air conditioning:</b>				
Industrial or commercial cooling or air conditioning involving cooling tower, evaporative condenser, or spraying that creates a mist	ALLOWED <sup>3</sup>	NOT ALLOWED	NOT ALLOWED	NOT ALLOWED
Industrial or commercial cooling or air conditioning not involving cooling tower, evaporative condenser, or spraying that creates a mist	ALLOWED	ALLOWED	ALLOWED	

Prepared by Bahman Sheikh and edited by EBMUD Office of Water Recycling, who acknowledge this is a summary and not the formal version of the regulations referenced above.

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<b>Other Uses:</b>				
<b>Groundwater Recharge</b>	ALLOWED under special case-by-case permits by the RWQCB <sup>4</sup>			
Flushing toilets and urinals	ALLOWED	NOT ALLOWED	NOT ALLOWED	NOT ALLOWED
Priming drain traps				
Industrial process water that may contact workers				
Structural fire fighting				
Decorative fountains				
Commercial laundries				
Consolidation of backfill material around potable water pipelines				
Artificial snow making for commercial outdoor use				
Commercial car washes, not heating the water, excluding the general public from the washing process				
Industrial process water that will not come into contact with workers		ALLOWED	ALLOWED	
Industrial boiler feed				
Nonstructural fire fighting				
Backfill consolidation around nonpotable piping				
Soil compaction				
Mixing concrete				
Dust control on roads and streets				
Cleaning roads, sidewalks and outdoor work areas				
Flushing sanitary sewers				ALLOWED

\* Refer to the full text of the December 2, 2000 version Title 22: California Water Recycling Criteria. This chart is only an informal summary of the uses allowed in this version. Adapted for use in Site Supervisor Training Workshops by South Bay Water Recycling, San Jose, California. October 29, 2002. Jerry Brown, Coordinator, Site Supervisor Training. The complete and final 12/02/2000 version of the adopted criteria can be downloaded from:

[http://dhs.ca.gov/ps/ddwenm/publications/regulations/recycleregs\\_index.htm](http://dhs.ca.gov/ps/ddwenm/publications/regulations/recycleregs_index.htm)

<sup>2</sup> With "Conventional tertiary treatment". Additional monitoring for two years or more is necessary with direct filtration.

<sup>3</sup> Drift eliminators and/or biocides are required if public or employees can be exposed to mist.

<sup>4</sup> Refer to Groundwater Recharge Guidelines, available from the California Department of Health Services.

# Exhibit "B"



**Irvine Ranch Water District**  
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## **Site Supervisor Do's and Don'ts**

### **Do's:**

- Install and maintain signage at points of entry (pedestrian and vehicular)
- Install and maintain labels and tags on recycled and potable water systems
- Operate irrigation system:
  - Between 9pm – 6am if automatically controlled
  - At other times if manually controlled and supervised (someone present)
- Modify irrigation practice to avoid runoff
- Use quick couplers instead of hose bibs
- Contact IRWD if water system modifications are anticipated
- Immediately contact IRWD if any of the following has or is anticipated to occur:
  - A recycled water line break, spill or off-site discharge of recycled water
  - A violation of water recycling requirements
  - A cross-connection between the recycled and potable water systems
- Educate site workers on safe use and restrictions of recycled water
- Keep records and as-built drawings up-to-date and accessible
- Assist during Annual Visual Inspections
- Assist during Periodic Cross-Connection Testing

### **Don'ts:**

- Don't drink recycled water
- Don't use recycled water to wash hands or any other part of body
- Don't remove recycled water identification signs, tags or labels
- Don't cross-connect two dissimilar water systems (recycled to potable)
- Don't allow recycled water to contact drinking fountains or eating areas
- Don't allow recycled water to pond/puddle
- Don't allow recycled water to runoff the use site property by either overspray or overwatering
- Don't install hose bibs on recycled water systems
- Don't use the same equipment on both recycled water and domestic water systems (for example, quick couplers, tools, etc.)
- Don't perform system modifications without prior approval by IRWD

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March 1, 2021  
Prepared and  
Reviewed by: Senior Staff  
Approved by: Paul A. Cook *P.A.C.*

WATER RESOURCES POLICY AND COMMUNICATIONS COMMITTEE

STRATEGIC PLANNING DOCUMENTS UPDATE

SUMMARY:

On February 5, 2021, the Board held a Strategic Planning Workshop. At this meeting, the IRWD strategic planning documents were reviewed and discussed in detail.

Based on the discussion among the Board members, two documents – the IRWD Strategic Objectives and the 2021 Goals and Target Activities – have been updated. These updated version are provided as Exhibit “A” and “B”, respectively. New language added based on the discussion at the workshop is highlighted in red.

FISCAL IMPACTS:

Not applicable.

ENVIRONMENTAL COMPLIANCE:

Not applicable.

RECOMMENDATION:

Receive and file.

LIST OF EXHIBITS:

Exhibit “A” – IRWD Strategic Objectives  
Exhibit “B” – 2021 Goals and Target Activities

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## Exhibit “A”

### *Irvine Ranch Water District Strategic Objectives*

#### **Customer Satisfaction**

Provide reliable, responsive, satisfying service to our customers in all aspects of our operations.

#### **Water Reliability**

Provide a continuous, reliable supply of water to our current and future customers that meets their needs and expectations, and accounts for changes in climate variability.

#### **Water Quality**

Deliver potable and non-potable water that meets all regulatory standards and customer requirements, and improve the water quality of local urban runoff.

#### **Sewer Reliability**

Plan, design, operate and maintain the sewer system in a consistent, reliable, and cost effective manner.

#### **Cost Effectiveness**

Optimize all of the District's activities to provide service at the lowest possible cost with high standards of quality and reliability.

#### **Employee Satisfaction / Development**

Provide employees with a working environment and the tools needed to optimize performance, productivity, and satisfaction and encourage individual career development and enjoyment.

#### **Environmental Commitment**

Conduct our business so that we either enhance our environment or minimize negative impacts.

#### **Innovation**

Optimize the use of technology and innovation in order to constantly improve processes to provide the most reliable and cost effective services to our customers.

#### **Resource Recovery**

Maximize the efficient recovery of resources including the recycling of water, recovery of energy, and use of organic materials for the benefit of our customers and the community.

#### **Communication**

Provide clear, accurate, transparent, and timely communication of information regarding our services, projects, finances, and activities utilizing multiple disciplinary tools that include educational programs, publications, electronic media and personal contact.

#### **Water Policy**

Develop and advocate for policies at the local, state, and federal levels that promote a reliable, high quality, and cost effective water supply for our customers, as well as the efficient use of resources.

#### **Climate Change**

Pursue policies and programs that advance IRWD's resilience to climate change.

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**EXHIBIT “B”**

**Strategic Planning  
2021 IRWD Goals and Target Activities List**

Updated: **March 1, 2021 DRAFT**

GM = General Manager’s Office  
TS = Technical Services  
OPS = Operations

POL = Water Policy  
A&F = Administration and Finance  
HR = Human Resources

<b>Goals and Target Activities</b>	<b>Target Completion Date</b>	<b>Lead</b>
<b><i>1. Optimize and protect local groundwater utilization</i></b>		
a. Include IRWD’s recycled water demands in OCWD’s total water demand calculations.	June 2022	POL
b. Collaborate with OCWD on South Basin Clean-up Project.	Dec. 2021	POL
c. Design and construct PFAS removal facilities at Wells OPA-1 and ET-1.	July 2022	TS
d. Continue to collaborate with OCWD, GW Producers, and the U.S. Navy to recover costs for constructing and operating PFAS removal facilities at Wells OPA-1 and ET-1.	Dec. 2021	TS POL
<b><i>2. Evaluate and invest in projects and programs that will enhance future long-term water supply reliability and resiliency to climate change</i></b>		
a. Develop agreements with MWD and MWDOC that will provide water supply reliability from high priority water rights during periods of drought and supply interruptions.	June 2022	POL
b. Develop sources for Title XVI funding, or other federal funding, for the Syphon Reservoir Improvement Project.	June 2022	GM
<b><i>3. Optimize use of Irvine Lake as a water resource facility for IRWD and its current and future partners.</i></b>		
a. Resolve property and other issues pertaining to Irvine Lake with Serrano Water District, the County of Orange, and the Irvine Company.	June 2021	A&F
b. Develop an Interim Agreement with Serrano Water District and with the Baker Plant Partners for providing water system reliability utilizing Irvine Lake.	July 2021	POL
c. Complete design of sloped outlet pipe and spillway at Irvine Lake’s Santiago Dam.	Apr. 2023	TS
d. Complete environmental review of project to replace outlet tower and spillway for the Santiago Creek Dam.	Feb. 2023	POL
e. Identify control measures to limit the growth quagga mussels in pipelines from Irvine Lake and MWD to protect the Baker Plant and other facilities.	Nov. 2021	POL
f. Work with Serrano Water District regarding its funding of the Irvine Lake Spillway and Outlet Tower Replacement project.	Oct. 2021	A&F

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<b>4. <i>Develop water banking supplies for IRWD by working with current and future partners</i></b>		
a. Execute template unbalanced exchange agreement for Stockdale West with CA Department of Water Resources.	June 2021	POL
b. Identify and procure additional supplies of water for banking purposes through Mojave, San Luis Obispo, and others.	June 2021	POL
c. Develop an agreement between IRWD and Rosedale to allow for coordination and right of first refusal on water purchases.	July 2021	POL
d. Evaluate the feasibility of funding forest management in exchange for water transfers.	Oct. 2021	POL
e. <span style="color: red;">Conduct literature review pertaining to methods of improving groundwater recharge to serve as a basis for further research at the IRWD Water Bank.</span>	<span style="color: red;">Dec. 2021</span>	<span style="color: red;">POL</span>
f. <span style="color: red;">Participate in initial phases of Sites Reservoir and Delta Conveyance Projects.</span>	<span style="color: red;">Nov. 2023</span>	<span style="color: red;">POL</span>
<b>5. <i>Develop and implement the Kern Fan Groundwater Storage Project</i></b>		
a. Identify and secure land as needed for the Kern Fan Groundwater Storage Project.	Sept. 2021	POL
b. Complete environmental compliance work and Feasibility Study, and initiate design for the Kern Fan Groundwater Storage Project.	June 2021	POL
c. Secure federal funding for the Kern Fan Project and advocate to include it in the Bureau of Reclamation’s Report to Congress.	Sept. 2021	GM POL
d. Identify and begin to secure additional water sources for the Kern Fan Groundwater Storage Project through statewide system integration arrangements.	June 2021	POL
e. Develop draft Agreements with State Agencies, Dudley Ridge Water District, and Metropolitan for implementation of the Kern Fan Groundwater Storage Project.	Dec. 2021	POL
<b>6. <i>Develop water recycling facilities and applications for optimal benefit</i></b>		
a. Complete studies in preparation for LAWRP Modernization: 1) temporary sewage conveyance to MWRP alternatives, 2) sludge conveyance to MWRP alternatives, 3) recommended treatment process for LAWRP, and 4) possible SMWD participation.	Sept. 2021	TS
b. Work with other agencies on recycled water use opportunities, based on outcomes of IRWD’s Sewage Treatment Master Plan.	Mar. 2021	POL
c. Update the IRWD Salt Management Plan to reflect new projects and to assess impacts of salt loadings on water recycling.	July 2021	POL
d. Complete CEQA for the Syphon Reservoir Improvement Project.	May 2021	POL
e. Complete design of the Syphon Reservoir Improvement Project.	May 2023	TS
f. Construct water filtration facilities for San Joaquin Reservoir.	Mar. 2022	TS
g. Amend IRWD’s Master Reclamation permit to allow recycled water use in decorative lakes.	June 2021	TS

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<b>7. Maximize resource recovery from fully functional biosolids and other resource recovery facilities</b>		
a. Biosolids Class A Facilities fully operational and commissioned.	Apr. 2021	TS
b. Secure agreements with multiple outlets for biosolids pellets.	Mar. 2021	OPS
c. Initiate partnerships with others to utilize surplus capacity.	June 2021	OPS
d. Develop plans to introduce FOG to the IRWD Biosolids Facilities.	Apr. 2021	OPS
e. Develop plan to introduce foodwaste into the IRWD Biosolids Facilities.	Dec. 2021	OPS
f. Analyze potential for IRWD to expand its role to provide FOG services to its food services establishment (FSE) customers.	Dec. 2021	OPS
<b>8. Improve energy service reliability, manage demands, control greenhouse gas emissions, and control costs</b>		
a. Complete design and installation of compressed natural gas storage and fueling station at the Operations Center.	Aug. 2022	TS
b. Design and install additional fuel storage at key IRWD facilities to allow for emergency generator operations for up to three days.	Dec. 2022	TS
c. Complete water/sewer agency electricity tariff research in partnership with SCE that will incentivize IRWD to shift loads to over-generation periods.	Mar. 2021	POL
d. Update IRWD's Energy and Greenhouse Gas Master Plan.	Mar. 2022	POL
<b>9. Maximize watershed protection</b>		
a. Work with Regional Board to secure updated NPDES Permit for IRWD facilities.	June 2021	TS
b. Evaluate in-house pre-treatment program elements: permitting, agreements, and monitoring reports.	July 2021	TS
c. Work with OC Flood to ensure appropriate storm-flow capacity in San Diego Creek.	June 2021	GM
d. Develop plan integrating the operation of the San Joaquin Marsh with capital improvements to sustain operations.	June 2021	OPS
<b>10. Ensure financial and rate stability</b>		
a. Pursue development and/or sale opportunities at former Carpenter HQ property and the buffer property around Wells 21 and 22 Desalter property.	Dec. 2021	A&F
b. Lease Sand Canyon Professional Center II property.	Sept. 2021	A&F
c. Update Cost of Service Study for the IRWD water / sewer systems.	Apr. 2021	A&F
d. Complete Capital Improvement Asset Management Plan Phase 1.	Sept. 2021	TS

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<b><i>11. Identify, assess and implement new technologies, systems, and facilities to improve operating efficiency</i></b>		
a. Implement the Enterprise Asset Management system mobility solution.	Mar. 2021	OPS
b. Conduct a criticality analysis coupled with asset condition assessments, of all sewage collection and treatment facilities to efficiently prioritize maintenance and replacement activities.	Oct. 2021	OPS
c. Implement an overall plan for addressing cybersecurity awareness, education, response, and disruption prevention at IRWD.	Dec. 2021	A&F
d. Assess availability of data systems under certain service outage scenarios and implement programs to strengthen systems.	Dec. 2021	A&F
e. Design and construct additional warehouse space adjacent to existing Operations Center Warehouse.	Dec. 2022	TS
f. Develop plan for overall management of IRWD data (technical, financial, other).	May 2021	A&F
g. Update IRWD Strategic Measures Dashboard.	Aug. 2021	A&F
h. Develop and implement GIS tool for agency agreements associated with IRWD facilities.	Aug. 2021	TS
i. Implement balance of Healthy Building improvements at IRWD facilities in anticipation of opening IRWD offices to the Public eventual staff return-to-work.	May 2021	OPS
j. Develop and implement reliability improvements to the District's remote site communications network.	Dec. 2021	OPS
k. Elevate Water Quality Laboratory to new Environmental Laboratory Accreditation Program (ELAP) TNI Standard.	Oct. 2021	TS
l. Evaluate, develop, and implement a secure electronic payment system for IRWD vendors and contractors.	Dec. 2021	A&F
m. Implement new web-based Voice Over IP (VOIP) phone system and contact center to improve customer experience and staff efficiency.	June 2021	A&F
<b><i>12. Enhance customer communications</i></b>		
a. Develop and implement the 2021 Water Use Efficiency Outreach Campaign, building on IRWD's 2020 campaign.	Dec. 2021	POL
b. Implement the Syphon Reservoir Improvement Project Outreach Program from EIR through Design Phase.	July 2022	POL
c. Implement the technical update of the IRWD Customer Care and Billing (CC&B) system.	Dec. 2021	A&F
d. Implement a phased plan to update water use efficiency and educational graphics / displays in the hallways and lobby at the Sand Canyon and Marsh Campus facilities.	Oct. 2021	POL
e. Implement enhanced (virtual) Community Tour Program.	Mar. 2021	POL
f. Enhance IRWD's Intranet using Microsoft SharePoint.	Sept. 2021	POL

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<b><i>13. Maximize water use efficiency in the community</i></b>		
a. Implement automated methodology for quantifying irrigated areas and meter locations by linking aerial image data to meter and parcel data.	Mar. 2021	POL
b. Expand / enhance water use efficiency demonstration gardens within the IRWD service area: IVC, Irvine City Hall, Irvine Park.	Dec. 2021	POL
c. Complete 2020 Urban Water Management Plan and update Water Shortage Contingency Plan.	June 2021	POL
<b><i>14. Recruit, develop and retain a highly skilled, motivated, and educated work force</i></b>		
a. Engage with So. Cal. Water, Energy and Education Alliance, and local education community to implement a technical skills career path to ensure a future supply of skilled labor.	June 2021	HR
b. Staff to engage with Santiago Canyon College to develop water distribution and maintenance systems internship program.	June 2021	HR
c. Initiate managers meetings and work groups to address topics identified by the corporate values initiative.	Dec. 2021	GM
d. Update IRWD Hiring Guidelines to reflect best practices and the District's culture.	May 2021	HR
<b><i>15. Guide and lead local, state and federal policies and legislation</i></b>		
a. Protect the District's ability to utilize its water budget-based rate structure to ensure that the District can continue providing high quality services to its customers at low rates.	Sept. 2022	GM
b. Advocate for more practical time periods for filing Proposition 218 rate challenges. If Proposition 218 reforms are proposed, engage in discussions surrounding the reform efforts to protect IRWD's interests.	Sept. 2021	GM
c. Engage in discussion regarding the creation of a statewide Low-Income Rate Assistance Program that is consistent with the Board's adopted policy on a statewide public goods charge, opposing a statewide tax on water for Low-Income Rate Assistance, or to fund other resiliency efforts.	Sept. 2022	GM
d. Engage in discussions related to the fees charged on new developments in order to protect IRWD's ability to charge cost-of-service based connections fees, including the ability to use the District's capital cost allocation model.	Sept. 2021	GM
e. Engage on legislative proposals that may impact IRWD's ability to maintain a high return of investment on its real estate investments. Advocate against, or mitigate through amendments if necessary, legislation that reduces the protections obtained in AB 1486 (Ting, 2019).	Sept. 2021	GM
f. Advocate for the reauthorization of the federal Water Storage Program, grandfathering of storage projects that were under review by the Bureau of Reclamation prior to December 2020, and an increased funding authorization for the Water Storage Program.	Oct. 2021	GM

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g. Advocate for the creation of a federal dam safety program to provide federal funding to improve dam safety and modernization at reservoirs used for water supply.	Dec. 2022	GM
h. Engage productively in discussions surrounding proposals to eliminate ocean discharges to protect the District’s interests.	Sept. 2021	GM
<b><i>16. Engage and shape policies and regulations put forth by local, state and federal agencies</i></b>		
a. Engage productively with stakeholders, industry associations, and state agencies to effectively implement the enacted long-term water use efficiency legislation.	Dec. 2023	GM POL
b. Seek recognition of the importance of emergency water supplies in Urban Water Management Plans and implementation of the “Making Water Conservation a California Way of Life” legislation in a way that permits pre-emergency designation of such supplies and protects their use during water shortages.	Dec. 2021	GM POL
c. Continue discussions and provide input to the State Agencies on development of new state Water Loss Regulations and Water Efficiency Target Objective Standards.	Oct. 2021	GM POL
d. Advocate that IRWD’s Water Resilience Portfolio principles and the “initial actions” contained in the policy paper are implemented either in the Governor’s Water Resilience Portfolio or through other means.	Dec. 2021	GM
e. Engage on the implementation of the Safe Drinking Water Program in order to ensure that the program is implemented in a way to effectively move communities to sustainable access to safe drinking water.	Mar. 2022	GM
f. Engage on regulatory proposals that may impact IRWD’s ability to maintain a high return of investment on its real estate investments.	Sept. 2021	GM
g. Engage with stakeholders, industry associations, and regulatory agencies on establishing a better process for identifying and regulating contaminants of emerging concern (CECs). Engaged on regulatory actions proposed by federal and state agencies with regards to PFAS and other CECs.	Dec. 2021	GM
h. Advocate for appropriate updates to Titles 17 and 22, as they related to the District’s recycled water uses and potable reuse, and obtain clarification that Chapter 15 of the California Plumbing Code does not apply to recycled water irrigation sites.	Dec. 2023	GM
i. Engage with the South Coast Air Quality Management District on proposed rule changes to create regulatory certainty regarding the ability of water agencies to run backup emergency generators during Public Safety Power Shutoff (PSPS) events.	July 2021	GM



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<b><i>17. Collaborate with other agencies and entities through leadership and innovation</i></b>		
a. Advocate for IRWD’s Desalination Policy Principles.	June 2021	POL
b. Evaluate and promote opportunities for shared services such as inspection / testing of recycled water systems for UC Irvine.	June 2021	POL
c. Support enhanced engagement and leadership roles within ACWA, WaterReuse, CASA, and other District associations.	Dec. 2021	GM
d. Develop an agreement for a pilot program through which MWDOC can participate in IRWD’s water banking program.	Dec. 2021	POL
e. Realign IRWD JPA ownership in SOCWA facilities to capacity ownership by contract.	July 2022	TS
f. Consolidate Baker Pipeline ownership under Baker WTP Partners.	July 2022	TS
<b><i>18. Implement opportunities that enhance safety, security, and emergency preparedness throughout the District</i></b>		
a. Complete construction of improvements to eliminate the use of chlorine gas at Primary Disinfection Facility.	July 2022	TS
b. Conduct additional scenario training for the Emergency Ops Team & Policy Group.	Sep. 2021	OPS
c. Develop and implement IRWD’s Hazard Mitigation Plan.	Oct. 2021	OPS
d. Conduct a risk informed decision making (RIDM) analysis of all IRWD dams.	Oct. 2021	TS

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## WATER RESOURCES POLICY AND COMMUNICATIONS COMMITTEE

### 2021 LEGISLATIVE AND REGULATORY UPDATE

#### SUMMARY:

This report provides an update on the 2021-2022 legislative session, regulatory issues, and IRWD priorities. As legislation and regulations develop, staff will provide updates and recommendations to the Water Resources Policy and Communications Committee and the Board, as appropriate. Staff recommends the Board consider the following positions:

- *AB 377 (R. Rivas) – Water Quality: Impaired Waters: “OPPOSE”;*
- *AB 1434 (Friedman) – Indoor Residential Water Use Standard: “OPPOSE”;*
- *AB 1500 (E. Garcia) – Safe Drinking Water, Wildfire Prevention, Drought Preparation, Flood Protection, Extreme Heat Mitigation, and Workforce Development Bond Act of 2022: “SUPPORT IF AMENDED”;*
- *ACR 17 (Voepel) – Special Districts Week: “SUPPORT”;*
- *SB 45 (Portantino) – Wildfire Prevention, Safe Drinking Water, Drought Preparation, and Flood Protection Bond Act of 2022: “SUPPORT IF AMENDED”;*
- *SB 222 (Dodd) – Water Affordability Assistance: “OPPOSE UNLESS AMENDED”;*
- *SB 427 (Eggman) – Water Theft: “SUPPORT IF AMENDED”;*
- *SB 552 (Hertzberg) – Small Water Supplier and Countywide Water Shortage Contingency Planning: “SUPPORT”;* and
- *H.R. 1015 (Napolitano) – Water Recycling and Reuse Project Grants: “SUPPORT”.*

#### BACKGROUND:

The 2021 bill introduction deadline was February 19, 2021. Approximately 2,300 bills were introduced. On the Assembly side, 1,560 bills were introduced while the Senate introduced 809 bills. While many of the introduced bills contain spot or intent language, many bills include substantive proposals. With the introduction deadline having passed, the 2021 legislative year will come into full swing with policy committees ramping up and legislators working to amend their legislation so that it will be heard by the April 30 and May 7 policy committee deadlines.

A wide variety of bills have been introduced on issues of interest to IRWD including water conservation and water quality. There are also a number of bills related to climate change, wildfires, and public contracting. Many of these bills are expected to have significant amendments prior to their first policy committee hearings. As such, staff will monitor proposals and bring updates and recommendations to the Water Resources Policy and Communications Committee and the Board, as appropriate.

A copy of the 2021 Legislative Matrix is provided as Exhibit “A”. Links to the bills discussed below are included within each discussion unless a separate exhibit is noted.

2021 State Legislative Update:

*California COVID-19 Relief Stimulus Package:*

On February 17, the Administration and Legislative Leadership announced that a deal has been reached on a \$9.5 billion COVID-19 related stimulus package, which was acted upon and signed into law on February 23. The stimulus package was funded from the \$25 billion in surplus revenue the state currently has due to larger tax returns from high-income earners. The largest funding categories included:

- \$3.37 billion for \$600 stimulus checks for low-income families and all tax filers making up to \$75,000;
- \$2.1 billion for a COVID-19 small business and non-grant grant program; and
- \$2.1 billion in tax and fee relief for small businesses;

While COVID-19 water debt relief was not included in the relief package, the water community continues to encourage the Legislature to appropriate funding for COVID-19 water debt relief. Staff will provide the Committee with an update on these efforts.

*Climate Resilience Bond Proposals:*

There remains strong legislative interest in passing a climate resilience bond in 2021. The effort was led by Senate Ben Allen (D, Santa Monica) in the Senate during the 2019-2020 legislative session and by Assemblymember Eduardo Garcia (D, Coachella) in the Assembly. Confronting a possible \$54 billion State Budget deficit in 2020 due to COVID-19, the effort to pass a bond was deferred until this year.

With the better fiscal position of the State, both the Senate and the Assembly have introduced climate resilience bonds. In the Senate, [SB 45](#) was introduced by Senator Anthony Portantino (D, La Canada Flintridge), Senator Allen, Senator Melissa Hurtado (D, Sanger), and Senator Henry Stern (D, Calabasas) signing on as joint authors. In the Assembly, Assemblymember Garcia introduced [AB 1500](#) with Assemblymember Kevin Mullin (D, South San Francisco).

[SB 45](#), the Wildfire Prevention, Safe Drinking Water, Drought Preparation, and Flood Protection Bond Act of 2022, proposes a \$5.51 billion bond while [AB 1500](#), the Drinking Water, Wildfire Prevention, Drought Preparation, Flood Protection, Extreme Heat Mitigation, and Workforce Development Bond Act of 2022, proposes a \$6.7 billion bond. The following is a summary of the proposed funding included in each bill.

***SB 45 & AB 1500 Funding Allocations***  
*(funding in millions)*

Investment Category	SB 45 Funding Allocations	AB 1500 Funding Allocations
Wildfire Prevention and Community Resilience	\$2,200	\$1,100
Water-related Climate Risks	\$1,470	\$1,600
Fish and Wildlife Climate Risks	\$620	\$800
Protecting Agricultural Lands from Impacts of Climate Change	\$190	\$300
Coastal Lands, Bays, and Oceans Climate Risks	\$970	\$1,200
Climate Resilience, Workforce Development, and Education	\$60	\$0
Responding to Extreme Heat	\$0	\$640
Strengthening California’s Regional Climate Resilience	\$0	\$1,060
<i>TOTAL</i>	<i>\$5,510</i>	<i>\$6,700</i>

Both bonds include some funding related to water. The proposed funding allocations are summarized in the following chart:

***SB 45 and AB 1500 Water-Related Funding Allocations***  
*(funding in millions)*

Water Investment Category	SB 45 Funding Allocations	AB 1500 Funding Allocations
Sustainable Groundwater Management	\$420	\$250
Safe Drinking Water	\$190	\$300
Protection and Restoration of Rivers, Lakes, Streams and Parkways	\$490	\$415
Flood Management	\$140	\$235
Water Recycling	\$100	\$300
San Joaquin River Restoration/Friant Kern Canal	\$100	\$0
Contamination of Groundwater or Surface Water Supplies that Serve as a Source of Drinking Water and Improve Access to Wastewater Infrastructure	\$0	\$100
Water Infrastructure Upgrades	\$30	\$0
<i>TOTAL</i>	<i>\$1,470</i>	<i>\$1,600</i>

Last March, the Board adopted the [IRWD Water Resources Funding Policy Principles](#) as a means of providing input into the discussions surrounding the climate resilience bond, and in order to guide the District’s advocacy efforts related to California infrastructure funding. Staff recommends the Board adopt a “support if amended” position on SB 45 and AB 1500. Staff would seek amendments consistent with the Board-adopted policy principles. This is the same approach taken on the climate resilience bond proposal introduced during the 2019-2020 legislative session.

*Low Income Rate Assistance Program (LIRA) & SB 222 (Dodd):*

As discussed with the Board in February, Senator Bill Dodd (D-Napa) introduced SB 222 on January 14, 2021, which seeks to establish a statewide Water Affordability Assistance Program (WAAF). The WAAF, if funded, would help provide water affordability assistance, for both drinking water and wastewater services, to low-income ratepayers and ratepayers experiencing economic hardship in California and would be run by the State Water Resources Control Board.

While SB 222 proposes a structure for a statewide low-income rate assistance program, it does not propose a funding source for such a program. Despite this, as currently outlined in SB 222, the WAAF Program could be used to provide direct water bill assistance and water bill credits to renters, among other things.

SB 222 has created a tremendous amount of discussion within the water community and in Sacramento. Staff has engaged with industry associations and stakeholders in evaluating the bill. The Association of California Water Agencies (ACWA) and the California Municipal Utilities Association (CMUA) have had initial conversations with the author and sponsors regarding the water industry's concerns, and those conversations continue to take place. Despite ongoing discussions, the author and sponsors have not yet agreed to accept any of the changes proposed by the water community.

In February, the Board adopted a "concerns" position on SB 222 to allow time for conversations with the author and sponsors to take place. With policy committee hearings beginning to take place and significant amendments needed on SB 222 for the District and water community to be comfortable with the bill, staff recommends the Board now adopt a "oppose unless amended" position on SB 222.

*AB 1434 (Friedman) – Indoor Residential Water Use Standard:*

Assemblywoman Laura Friedman (D, Glendale) along with Senator Bob Hertzberg (D, Van Nuys) authored the "Making Conservation A Way of Life" legislation in 2018. That legislation, which is currently in the process of being implemented, requires each urban water supplier to calculate and meet an urban water use objective. The urban water use objective is calculated largely by using an indoor water use efficiency standard, outdoor water use efficiency standard, and water loss standard.

The standard for indoor residential water use was set by statute in the 2018 legislation. The legislation, which was heavily negotiated with the water community, set the indoor residential standard at 55 gallons per capita daily (gpcd) until 2025. It then reduced the standard to 52.5 gpcd between 2025 and 2030, and to 50 gpcd in 2030. The legislation also required the Department of Water Resources (DWR), in consultation with the State Board, to investigate and study the benefits and consequences of the indoor standard and make a recommendation if it should be adjusted. That examination is being undertaken but has yet to be completed.

This year, Assemblymember Friedman has introduced AB 1434 which proposes to change the indoor standard. This bill would set the standard for indoor residential water use at 48 gpcd until 2025. It would then reduce the standard to 44 gpcd between 2025 and 2030, and to 40 gpcd in 2030.

Reducing the indoor standard just as the “Making Conservation a California Way of Life” legislation is being implemented, and prior to DWR completing its full investigation and study of the benefits and consequences of a change in the indoor standard, is premature. Additionally, a lowering of the indoor residential water use standard to 40 gpcd may have a substantial impact on sewer system and treatment, and recycled water supplies throughout the state. For these reasons, staff recommends the Board adopt an “OPPOSE” position on AB 1434.

#### Additional 2020 State Legislation of Interest to IRWD:

There are a number of other bills of interest to the District, including:

- *AB 377 (R. Rivas) – Water Quality: Impaired Waters:* AB 377, which is sponsored by California Coastkeeper and authored by Assemblymember Robert Rivas (D, Salinas) and Senator Bob Hertzberg, would require that all California surface waters to be fishable, swimmable, and drinkable by January 1, 2050. The bill would also prohibit the State Board or a regional water quality control board from issuing a discharge permit of any kind that causes or contributes to an exceedance of a water quality standard, or from authorizing a best management practice permit term to authorize a discharge that causes or contributes to an exceedance of a water quality standard in receiving waters. The bill would also prohibit renewal, reissuance or modification of any discharge permit that contains effluent limitations or conditions that are less stringent than those in the previous permit. Given the potential impact this bill would have on the District, staff recommends the Board adopt an “oppose” position on AB 377;
- *SB 427 (Eggman, D-Stockton) – Water Theft:* SB 427 would permit a local agency to make any violation of a water theft ordinance subject to an administrative fine or penalty of between \$1,000 and \$3,000. As currently drafted, the bill would not grant the District the ability to take advantage of the proposed administrative fines or penalties. This same language was introduced last year in AB 2095 (Cooper). Staff recommends the Board adopt a “support if amended” position on SB 427. The amendments sought would be clarifying amendments that would provide the District the ability to address water theft via administrative fines or penalties. Staff engaged with the sponsor of the bill and they are willing to work with on clarifying amendments to address the District’s concerns. If the amendments are included in the bill, the District would move to a “support” position on SB 427;
- *ACR 17 (Voepel) – Special Districts Week:* Again this year, the California Special Districts Association is sponsoring an Assembly Concurrent Resolution recognizing Special Districts Week. ACR 17, authored by Assemblymember Randy Voepel (R-Santee), would recognize May 16- 22, 2021, as Special Districts Week in California. As the District did last year, staff recommends the Board adopt a “support” position on the Assembly Concurrent Resolution recognizing Special Districts Week; and

- *SB 552 (Hertzberg) – Small Water Supplier and Countywide Water Shortage Contingency Planning:* The Urban Water Management Planning Act requires all urban water suppliers to prepare and adopt an urban water management plan (UWMP). One of the required elements of the UWMP is a water shortage contingency plan (WSCP), which is the water shortage and drought response plan for each agency. While the “Making Water Conservation a California Way of Life” legislation enhanced the drought planning requirements of the UWMP and the WSCP for urban water suppliers, it asked the Department of Water Resources to make recommendations on how to implement drought planning and water shortage contingency plans for small water suppliers and rural communities. SB 552 seeks to implement DWR’s recommendations for systems under 2,999 connections and is a reintroduction of SB 971 by Senator Bob Hertzberg (D, Van Nuys) from last year. Staff recommends the Board adopt a “support” position on SB 552, as it will move California towards greater resilience during a drought.

Staff will also discuss the following bills with the Committee:

- SB 12 (McGuire, D- San Rafael) – Planning and Zoning: Wildfires;
- SB 223 (Dodd) – Discontinuation of Residential Water Service;
- SB 323 (Caballero, D-Salinas) – Legal Action on Water and Sewer Service Rates;
- SB 403 (Gonzalez, D-San Diego) – Drinking Water Consolidations;
- SB 443 (Newman, D-Fullerton) – Redistricting;
- Legislative Proposals Modifying the State’s Open Meeting Laws; and
- Other legislation of interest to the District.

#### 2021 State Regulatory Update:

The following is a list of some of the State regulations and agency reports staff is monitoring, tracking or planning to engage in over the next three to 12 months. As the next drafts of the regulations or report are released for public review and comment, staff will engage, as appropriate. Staff will also provide an oral update to the Committee on any new developments related to these regulations.

The pending regulations and reports actively being tracked include the:

- Board of Forestry and Fire Protection’s propose “Fire Safe Regulations;”
- California Air Resources Board’s proposed “Advanced Clean Trucks Regulation;”
- California Air Resources Board’s Heavy-Duty Vehicle Inspection and Maintenance Program;
- California Plumbing Code Update;
- California Water Commission Workshops on Water Conveyance;



- Department of Water Resources (DWR) and the State Board’s implementation of the “[Making Water Conservation a California Way of Life](#)” legislation;
- Implementation of Executive Order [EO-N-82-2020](#) requiring 30 percent of the state’s land and coastal waters to be conserved by 2030;
- Implementation of the Governor’s Water Resiliency Portfolio;
- State Board’s development of a “Cross Connection Policy Handbook;”
- State Board’s Electronic Annual Report;
- State Board’s [Safe and Affordable Funding for Equity and Resilience \(SAFER\) Drinking Water Program](#); and
- State Board’s [Water Loss Performance Standards Regulations](#);

2021 Federal Update:

*H.R. 1015 (Napolitano) – Water Recycling and Reuse Project Grants:*

Representative Grace Napolitano (D-CA) has reintroduced legislation to increase the funding authorization for the popular Title XVI Program. H.R. 1015, the Water Recycling Investment and Improvement Act, would increase the authorization level for the Title XVI Water Reclamation and Reuse Program from \$50 million to \$500 million, and would make it a permanent program. Currently, the program’s authorization expires this year.

Historically, the District has support increased funding and extended program authorization for the Title XVI program. In fact, the District supported Representative Napolitano’s effort to increase the program’s funding to \$500 million last year. Staff recommends the District support her efforts again this year. To that end, staff recommends the Board adopt a “support” position on H.R. 1015.

*Other Federal Updates:*

Staff will also discuss the following with the Committee:

- Federal efforts related to the Kern Fan Groundwater Storage Project and a reauthorization of the federal Water Storage Program, and
- Federal COVID-19 relief efforts.

FISCAL IMPACTS:

Not applicable.

ENVIRONMENTAL COMPLIANCE:

Not applicable.

RECOMMENDATION:

That the Board adopt an “OPPOSE” position on AB 377 (R. Rivas) and AB 1434 (Friedman), an “OPPOSE UNLESS AMENDED” position on SB 222 (Dodd), a “SUPPORT IF AMENDED” position on AB 1500 (E. Garcia), SB 45 (Portantino) and SB 427 (Eggman), and a “SUPPORT” position on ACR 17 (Voepel), SB 552 (Hertzberg) and H.R. 1015 (Napolitano).

LIST OF EXHIBITS:

Exhibit “A” – IRWD Legislative Matrix



**EXHIBIT "A"**  
**IRWD 2021 LEGISLATIVE MATRIX**  
**Updated 02/24/2021**

<b>Bill No. Author</b>	<b>Title</b>	<b>IRWD Position</b>	<b>Summary/Effects</b>	<b>Status</b>
<b><u>AB 1</u></b> Garcia (D)	Hazardous Waste		Creates the Board of Environmental Safety in the California Environmental Protection Agency. Provides requirements for the membership of the board and requires the board to conduct no less than 6 public meetings per year. Provides for the duties of the board, which would include, among others, reviewing specified policies, processes, and programs within the hazardous waste control laws.	01/11/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL SAFETY AND TOXIC MATERIALS.
<b><u>AB 2</u></b> Fong (R)	Regulations: Legislative Review: Regulatory Reform		Requires the Office of Administrative Law to submit to each house of the Legislature for review a copy of each major regulation that it submits to the Secretary of State. Requires each state agency to review that agency's regulations, identify any regulations that are duplicative, overlapping, inconsistent, or out of date, to revise those identified regulations, and report to the Legislature and Governor.	01/11/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on ACCOUNTABILITY AND ADMINISTRATIVE REVIEW.
<b><u>AB 9</u></b> Wood (D)	Wildfires		States the intent of the Legislature to enact subsequent legislation that would increase California's capacity to prevent and reduce the impact of wildfires.	12/07/2020 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 11</u></b> Ward (D)	Climate Change: Regional Climate Change Authorities		Requires the Strategic Growth Council to establish regional climate change authorities to coordinate climate adaptation and mitigation activities in their regions and coordinate with other regional climate adaptation authorities, state agencies, and other relevant stakeholders. Authorizes the regional climate change authorities to engage in certain activities to address climate change. Requires the regional climate change authorities to annually submit to the council a report on their activities.	01/21/2021 - From ASSEMBLY Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES with author's amendments.;01/21/2021 - In ASSEMBLY. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.
<b><u>AB 15</u></b> Chiu (D)	COVID-19 Relief: Tenancy Stabilization Act of 2021		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-	01/11/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT.

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**Updated 02/24/2021**

<b>Bill No. Author</b>	<b>Title</b>	<b>IRWD Position</b>	<b>Summary/Effects</b>	<b>Status</b>
			19 rental debt, including, among others, charging or attempting to collect late fees, or withholding a service or amenity.	
<b><u>AB 16</u></b> Chiu (D)	Tenancies: Tenant, Small Landlord, and Housing Act		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.	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.
<b><u>AB 20</u></b> Lee (D)	Political Reform Act of 1974: Clean Money Act of 2021		Enacts the Clean Money Act of 2021, would prohibit a candidate for elective office from receiving a contribution from a business entity, and a business entity from making a contribution to a candidate for elective office, and would make related findings and declarations.	01/11/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on ELECTIONS.
<b><u>AB 25</u></b> Kiley (R)	Worker Classification: Employees and Contractors		Generally repeals provisions relating to the "ABC" test to determine if workers are employees or independent contractors. The bill would instead require the determination of whether a person is an employee or an independent contractor to be based on the specific multifactor test set forth in the Borello decision, including whether the person to whom service is rendered has the right to control the manner and means of accomplishing the result desired.	01/11/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on LABOR AND EMPLOYMENT.
<b><u>AB 29</u></b> Cooper (D)	State Bodies: Meetings		Requires that the notice of a meeting of a state body include all writings or materials provided for the noticed meeting to a member of the state body by the staff of a state agency, board, or commission, or another member of the state body that are in connection with a matter subject of discussion or consideration at the meeting.	01/11/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATION.
<b><u>AB 33</u></b> Ting (D)	Natural Gas		Prohibits the Department of General Services from approving or providing funding from the construction on new school buildings that have natural gas connections. Prohibits new public buildings for which	01/11/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committees on UTILITIES AND

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<b>Bill No. Author</b>	<b>Title</b>	<b>IRWD Position</b>	<b>Summary/Effects</b>	<b>Status</b>
			construction begins on or after January 1, 2022, to have natural gas connections.	ENERGY and NATURAL RESOURCES.
<b><u>AB 49</u></b> Petrie-Norris (D)	California Debt Limit Allocation Committee		States the intent of the Legislature to enact future legislation that would eliminate the California Debt Limit Allocation Committee and that would transfer the duties and authority of that committee to the California Tax Credit Allocation Committee.	12/07/2020 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 50</u></b> Boerner Horvath (D)	Climate Adaptation Center and Regional Support Network		Establishes the Climate Adaptation Center and Regional Support Network in the Ocean Protection Council to provide local governments facing sea level rise challenges with information and scientific expertise necessary to proceed with sea level rise mitigation.	01/11/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.
<b><u>AB 51</u></b> Quirk (D)	Regional Climate Adaptation Planning Groups		Requires the Strategic Growth Council, by July 1, 2022, to establish guidelines for the formation of regional climate adaptation planning groups. Requires the council, by July 1, 2023, and in consultation with certain state entities, to develop criteria for the development of regional climate adaptation plans.	01/11/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.
<b><u>AB 52</u></b> Frazier (D)	California Global Warming Solutions Act of 2006		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 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.	01/11/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.
<b><u>AB 55</u></b> Boerner Horvath (D)	Employment: Telecommuting		Declares the intent of the Legislature to enact future legislation to ensure certain rights and benefits for telecommuting employees.	12/07/2020 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 59</u></b> Gabriel (D)	Mitigation Fee Act: Fees: Notice and Timeliness	OPPOSE	Relates to the Mitigation Fee Act. Increases, for fees and service charges and for fees for specified public facilities, the time for mailing the notice of the time and place of the meeting to at least 45 days before	01/11/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committees on LOCAL GOVERNMENT and HOUSING

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			the meeting. Requires the local agency to make that information available to the public at least 30 days before the meeting.	AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT.
<b><u>AB 63</u></b> Petrie-Norris (D)	Marine Resources: Marine Managed Areas Improvement Act		Relates to the Marine Managed Areas Improvement Act, restoration activities. Authorizes the designating entity or managing agency to also permit restoration activities.	01/11/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on WATER, PARKS AND WILDLIFE.
<b><u>AB 64</u></b> Quirk (D)	Electricity: Renewable Energy and Zero-Carbon		Requires the PUC, Energy Commission, and State Air Resources Board, in consultation with all balancing authorities, to additionally develop a strategy, by an unspecified date, on how to achieve a specified state policy in a cost-effective and environmentally beneficial manner.	01/11/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committees on UTILITIES AND ENERGY and NATURAL RESOURCES.
<b><u>AB 67</u></b> Petrie-Norris (D)	Sea Level Rise: Working Group: Economic Analysis		Requires a state agency to take into account the current and future impacts of sea level rise when planning, designing, building, operating, maintaining, and investing in infrastructure located in the coastal zone or otherwise vulnerable to flooding from sea level rise or storm surges, or when otherwise approving the allocation of state funds for those purposes.	01/11/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.
<b><u>AB 69</u></b> Kiley (R)	State of Emergency: Termination After 60 Days		Requires a state of emergency to terminate 60 days after the Governor's proclamation of the state of emergency unless the Legislature extends it by a concurrent resolution. Prohibits a concurrent resolution from extending a state of emergency by more than 60 days.	01/11/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT.
<b><u>AB 72</u></b> Petrie-Norris (D)	Environmental Protection: Coastal Adaptation Projects		Enacts the Coastal Adaptation Permitting Act of 2021. Requires the Natural Resources Agency to explore, and authorize it to implement, options within the agency's jurisdiction to establish a more coordinated and efficient regulatory review and permitting process for coastal adaptation projects.	01/11/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.
<b><u>AB 93</u></b> Garcia E (D)	Pandemics: Priority for Medical		States the intent of the Legislature to enact legislation to prioritize workers in the food supply industry, including, but not limited to, field	12/07/2020 - INTRODUCED.

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	Treatment: Food Supply		workers and grocery workers, for rapid testing and vaccination programs in response to pandemics, including COVID-19.	
<b><u>AB 95</u></b> Low (D)	Employees: Bereavement Leave		Enacts the Bereavement Leave Act of 2021. Requires an employer with 25 or more employees to grant an employee up to 10 business days of unpaid bereavement leave upon the death of a spouse, child, parent, sibling, grandparent, grandchild, or domestic partner, in accordance with certain procedures, and subject to certain exclusions. Requires an employer with fewer than 25 employees to grant up to 3 business days of leave.	01/11/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on LABOR AND EMPLOYMENT.
<b><u>AB 96</u></b> O'Donnell (D)	Clean Truck, Bus, and Off-Road Vehicle and Technology		Extends the requirement that 20% of funding be made available to support early commercial deployment of existing zero- and near-zero-emission heavy-duty truck technology until December 31, 2026. The bill would further require at least 20% of that funding support early commercial deployment of existing near-zero-emission heavy-duty truck technology.	01/11/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committees on TRANSPORTATION and NATURAL RESOURCES.
<b><u>AB 100</u></b> Holden (D)	Drinking Water: Pipes and Fittings: Lead Content		Defines "lead free" under the California Safe Drinking Water Act, with respect to end point devices, to mean that the devices do not leach more than one microgram of lead under certain tests and meeting a specified certification.	01/11/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL SAFETY AND TOXIC MATERIALS.
<b><u>AB 108</u></b> Cunningham (R)	Governor's Emergency Orders and Regulations: Approval		Permits an order or regulation, or an amendment or rescission thereof, issued pursuant to specified California Emergency Services Act (CESA) provisions 60 or more days after the proclamation, to take effect only if approved by a concurrent resolution of the Legislature.	01/11/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT.
<b><u>AB 119</u></b> Salas (D)	County Assessors: Direct Levies		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	01/26/2021 - From ASSEMBLY Committee on LOCAL GOVERNMENT with author's amendments.;01/26/2021 - In ASSEMBLY. Read second time and

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			jurisdiction, to also include the range of fees assessed on individual parcels of real property subject to the special district's assessment.	amended. Re-referred to Committee on LOCAL GOVERNMENT.
<b><u>AB 123</u></b> Gonzalez (D)	Paid Family Leave: Weekly Benefit Amount		Revises the formula for determining benefits available pursuant to the family temporary disability insurance program, for periods of disability commencing after January 1, 2022, by redefining the weekly benefit amount to be equal to 90% of the wages paid to an individual for employment by employers during the quarter of the individual's disability base period in which these wages were highest, divided by 13, but not exceeding the maximum workers' compensation disability indemnity weekly benefit amount.	01/11/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on INSURANCE.
<b><u>AB 125</u></b> Rivas R (D)	Food and Agriculture: Climate Crisis: COVID-19 Recovery		States the intent of the Legislature to enact subsequent legislation to issue a bond to support solutions to the climate crisis and recovery from the COVID-19 pandemic that would create a more equitable and resilient food and farming system.	12/18/2020 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 221</u></b> Santiago (D)	Emergency Food Assistance		Requires the Department of Social Services to provide a food assistance benefit statewide to low-income California residents, regardless of their immigration status, upon the appropriation of funds by the Legislature for this purpose or a determination by the Governor that specified funds available to the Governor may be used for this purpose. Provides that a person is eligible for this benefit if they are an adult who self-attests to eligibility for at least one of 3 prescribed benefits.	01/28/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on HUMAN SERVICES.
<b><u>AB 230</u></b> Voepel (R)	Employment: Flexible Work Schedules		Enacts the Workplace Flexibility Act of 2021. Permits an individual nonexempt employee to request an employee-selected flexible work schedule providing for workdays up to a certain number of hours per day within a 40-hour workweek, and would allow an employer to implement this schedule without the obligation to pay overtime compensation for those additional hours in a workday, except as specified.	01/28/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on LABOR AND EMPLOYMENT.

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<b><u>AB 237</u></b> Gray (D)	Public Employment: Unfair Practices: Health Protection		Makes it an unfair practice for a covered employer, as defined, to fail or refuse to maintain or pay for continued health care or other medical coverage for an enrolled employee or their enrolled dependents, for the duration of the enrolled employee's participation in the authorized strike, at the level and under the conditions that coverage would have been provided if the employee had continued to work in their position for the duration of the strike.	01/28/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT AND RETIREMENT.
<b><u>AB 244</u></b> Rubio (D)	Affordable Housing Cost Study: Housing Plan Addendum		Requires the California Tax Credit Allocation Committee, the Department of Housing and Community Development, the California Housing Finance Agency, and the California Debt Limit Allocation Committee to conduct an affordable housing cost study that measures the factors that influence the cost of building affordable housing, breaks down total development costs for affordable housing, and enables the state to maximize resources allocated for affordable housing.	01/28/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT.
<b><u>AB 252</u></b> Rivas R (D)	Department of Conservation: Incentive Program		Requires the Department of Conservation to establish and administer a program named the Multibenefit Land Repurposing Incentive Program for purposes of providing grants to groundwater sustainability agencies or counties, or other specified entities designated by groundwater sustainability agencies or counties, for the development or implementation of local programs supporting or facilitating multibenefit land repurposing at the basin scale.	01/28/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on WATER, PARKS AND WILDLIFE.
<b><u>AB 255</u></b> Muratsuchi (D)	Tenancy: Commercial Leases: COVID-19 Rent Relief		States the intent of the Legislature to enact legislation that would provide commercial rent relief protections for small businesses affected by the COVID-19 pandemic to help them weather this public health and economic crisis without losing their businesses.	01/14/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 267</u></b> Valladares (R)	California Environmental Quality Act: Exemption		Extends the exemption from CEQA prescribed fire, thinning, or fuel reduction projects undertaken on federal lands to reduce the risk of high-severity wildfire that have been reviewed under the federal National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 and the requirement on the	01/28/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.

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			Department of Forestry and Fire Protection to report to the relevant policy committees of the Legislature indefinitely.	
<b><u>AB 284</u></b> Rivas R (D)	Global Warming Solutions Act of 2006: Climate Goal		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.	01/28/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.
<b><u>AB 297</u></b> Gallagher (R)	Fire Prevention		Appropriates certain amounts to the Department of Forestry and Fire Prevention and the California Conservation Corps, respectively, for fire prevention activities. Exempts from the requirements of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) projects or activities related to forest health and fuel reduction that involve thinning overgrown brushes or trees 10 inches or less in diameter by mechanical thinning, pile burning, prescribed fire, and grazing.	02/12/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committees on NATURAL RESOURCES and REVENUE AND TAXATION.
<b><u>AB 304</u></b> Quirk (D)	Contaminated Sites: Waste Releases		Authorizes a person to request the local officer to oversee the remedial action only if the release of waste is not being overseen by the State Water Resources Control Board or a regional water quality control board.	02/12/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL SAFETY AND TOXIC MATERIALS.
<b><u>AB 315</u></b> Stone (D)	Voluntary Stream Restoration Landowner Liability		Requires the state to indemnify and hold harmless a landowner who voluntarily allows land to be used for such a project to restore fish and wildlife habitat from civil liability for property damage or personal injury resulting from the project if the project meets specified requirements.	02/12/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on WATER, PARKS AND WILDLIFE.
<b><u>AB 318</u></b> Levine (D)	Hazardous Waste: Classification: Exclusion: Green Waste		Excludes from classification as a hazardous waste green waste, as defined, that has not been contaminated by a chemical that the Department of Toxic Substances Control determines is hazardous or toxic during the production, harvest, or processing stage. Requires that green waste to be disposed of in a permitted class I, II, or III disposal unit or in a compostable materials handling operation.	02/12/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL SAFETY AND TOXIC MATERIALS.



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<b><u>AB 322</u></b> Salas (D)	Energy: Electric Program Investment Charge Program		Requires the State Energy Resources Conservation and Development Commission to allocate not less than 20% of the funds appropriated for the Electric Program Investment Charge (EPIC) program to bioenergy projects for biomass conversion, as defined.	02/12/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committees on UTILITIES AND ENERGY and NATURAL RESOURCES.
<b><u>AB 327</u></b> Kiley (R)	California Cybersecurity Integration Center		Add the California Privacy Protection Agency as one of the organizations whose representatives comprise the California Cybersecurity Integration Center. Declare that its provisions further the purposes and intent of the California Privacy Rights Act of 2020.	02/12/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committees on PRIVACY AND CONSUMER PROTECTION and EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT.
<b><u>AB 336</u></b> Villapudua (D)	Enhanced Infrastructure Financing: Public Authority		Specifies that any member of the legislative body of a participating affected taxing entity who serves as a member of the public financing authority of an enhanced infrastructure financing district, as described, may also serve as a member of the governing body of an agency or entity formed pursuant to an agreement for the joint exercise of power that the participating affected taxing entity has entered into in accordance with the Joint Exercise of Powers Act.	02/12/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on LOCAL GOVERNMENT.
<b><u>AB 339</u></b> Lee (D)	State and Local Government: Open Meetings		Requires all meetings of the Legislature, including gatherings using teleconference technology, to include an opportunity for all persons to attend via a call-in option or an internet-based service option that provides closed captioning services and requires both a call-in and an internet-based service option to be provided to the public. Requires all meetings to provide the public with an opportunity to comment on proposed legislation, and requires translation services to be provided, as specified.	01/28/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 343</u></b> Fong (R)	California Public Records Act Ombudsperson		Establishes, within the California State Auditor's Office, the California Public Records Act Ombudsperson. Requires the California State Auditor to appoint the Ombudsperson subject to certain requirements. Requires the Ombudsperson to receive and investigate requests for review, determine whether the denials of original requests complied	02/12/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committees on ACCOUNTABILITY AND ADMINISTRATIVE REVIEW and JUDICIARY.

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			with the California Public Records Act, and issue written opinions of its determination.	
<b><u>AB 345</u></b> Quirk-Silva (D)	Accessory Dwelling Units: Separate Conveyance		Requires each local agency to, by ordinance, allow an accessory dwelling unit to be sold or conveyed separately from the primary residence to a qualified buyer if certain conditions are met. Removes the requirements that the property be held pursuant to a recorded tenancy in common agreement and that the agreement allocate to each qualified buyer an undivided, unequal interest in the property.	02/12/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committees on HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT and LOCAL GOVERNMENT.
<b><u>AB 346</u></b> Seyarto (R)	Privacy: Breach		Relates to the Information Practices Act which requires an agency, which includes a local agency, that owns or licenses computerized data that includes personal information to disclose expeditiously and without unreasonable delay a breach in the security of the data to a resident of California whose unencrypted personal information was, or is reasonably believed to have been, acquired by an unauthorized person. Makes this requirement applicable if the information is accessed by an unauthorized person.	02/12/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on PRIVACY AND CONSUMER PROTECTION.
<b><u>AB 350</u></b> Villapudua (D)	Cannella Environmental Farming Act of 1995		Requires the Department of Food and Agriculture to establish and administer a 3-year grant program to fund technical assistance to support landowners located in critically overdrafted basins, as defined, in the San Joaquin Valley in reaching water use reduction goals established pursuant to the Sustainable Groundwater Management Act.	02/12/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committees on AGRICULTURE and WATER, PARKS AND WILDLIFE.
<b><u>AB 354</u></b> Cooper (D)	Public Utilities Commission: Expedited Distribution		Makes nonsubstantive changes to the provision authorizing the Public Utilities Commission to establish an expedited distribution grid interconnection dispute resolution process.	01/28/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 355</u></b> Cooper (D)	Demand-Side Energy Management Programs		Makes a nonsubstantive change to existing law which requires an electrical or gas corporation to develop a program, within the electrical or gas corporation's demand-side management programs authorized by the commission, to provide incentives to a residential or small or medium business customer to acquire energy management technology.	01/28/2021 - INTRODUCED.

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<b><u>AB 358</u></b> Gallagher (R)	Voidable Transactions: Remedies: Choice of Law		Relates to existing law which specifies that a covered claim is governed by the local law of the jurisdiction in which the debtor is located when the transfer is made or the obligation is incurred and specifies that a debtor's location, if the debtor is an individual, is the individual's principal residence. The bill instead provides that a debtor's location, if the debtor is an individual, is the debtor's principal residence or domicile.	02/12/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on JUDICIARY.
<b><u>AB 361</u></b> Rivas R (D)	Open Meetings: Local Agencies: Teleconferences		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 or local emergency, when state or local health officials have imposed or recommended measures to promote social distancing, and during a declared local emergency.	02/12/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on LOCAL GOVERNMENT.
<b><u>AB 363</u></b> Medina (D)	Carl Moyer Air Quality Standards Attainment Program		Relates to the Carl Moyer Memorial Air Quality Standards Attainment Program. Requires the Air Resources Board, by a specified date, to adopt an online application process for the submission of grant applications under the program. Requires the Board and local air districts administering the program to use the online application process. Requires the state board, by a specified date, to review the program and to submit to the Legislature a report on the review.	02/12/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on TRANSPORTATION.
<b><u>AB 373</u></b> Seyarto (R)	Forest Protection: Department of Forestry		Relates to existing Law that directs the Department of Forestry and Fire Protection, in accordance with a plan approved by the State Board of Forestry and Fire Protection to carry out specified duties with respect to the prevention and control of forest fires. Makes nonsubstantive changes in that provision of the prevention and control of forest fires.	02/01/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 377</u></b> Rivas R (D)	Water Quality: Impaired Waters		Requires all California surface waters to be fishable, swimmable, and drinkable by a specified date. Prohibits the state board and regional boards from authorizing an NPDES discharge, waste discharge	02/12/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL

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			requirement, or waiver of a waste discharge requirement that causes or contributes to an exceedance of a water quality standard, or from authorizing a best management practice permit term to authorize a discharge that causes or contributes to an exceedance of a water quality standard, as specified.	SAFETY AND TOXIC MATERIALS.
<b><u>AB 379</u></b> Gallagher (R)	Wildlife Conservation: Conservation Lands		Authorizes the Department of Fish and Game to enter into a specified type of agreement with a California Native American tribe. Authorizes the board to make grants or loans to California Native American tribes for various purposes in connection with fish and wildlife habitats.	02/12/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on WATER, PARKS AND WILDLIFE.
<b><u>AB 380</u></b> Seyarto (R)	Forestry: Priority Fuel Reduction Projects		Requires the Department of Forestry and Fire Protection, before December 31, 2022, and before December 31 of each year thereafter, to identify priority fuel reduction projects. Exempts the identified priority fuel reduction projects from certain legal requirements in a similar manner as provided in the proclamation of a state of emergency issued by the Governor on March 22, 2019.	02/12/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.
<b><u>AB 386</u></b> Cooper (D)	Public Employees Retirement: Investments: Confidential		Exempts from disclosure under the California Public Records Act specified records regarding an internally managed private loan made directly by the Public Employees' Retirement Fund. Provides that these records would include quarterly and annual financial statements of the borrower or its constituent owners, unless the information has already been publicly released by the keeper of the information.	02/12/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committees on PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT AND RETIREMENT and JUDICIARY.
<b><u>AB 404</u></b> Salas (D)	Workers' Compensation: Medical-Legal Expenses		Relates to Workers compensation. Requires that the medical-legal fee schedule be updated at least annually to increase the conversion factor by the percentage increase in the most recent federal Medicare Economic Index. Requires that the fee schedule not decrease in the event that the federal Medicare Economic Index decreases.	02/12/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on INSURANCE.
<b><u>AB 418</u></b> Valladares (R)	Emergency Services: Grant Program		Establishes the Community Power Resiliency Program to be administered by the Office of Emergency Services, to support local governments in priority areas including schools, elections offices, food	02/12/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committees on EMERGENCY

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			storage reserves, COVID-19 testing sites, and traffic signals and street lamps. Authorizes the Office to allocate specified sums, pursuant to an appropriation by the Legislature, to local governments, special districts, and tribes for various purposes relating to power resiliency.	MANAGEMENT and UTILITIES AND ENERGY.
<b><u>AB 426</u></b> Bauer-Kahan (D)	Toxic Air Contaminants		Authorizes air pollution control districts and air quality management districts to adopt and implement regulations to require data regarding air pollution within the district's jurisdiction from areawide stationary sources of air pollution, including mobile sources drawn by those stationary sources, to enable the calculation of health risks from toxic air contaminants. Authorizes the districts to adopt and implement regulations to accomplish these objectives in carrying out their responsibilities.	02/12/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committees on NATURAL RESOURCES and TRANSPORTATION.
<b><u>AB 427</u></b> Bauer-Kahan (D)	Electricity: Resource Adequacy Requirements		Requires the Public Utilities Commission, by July 1, 2022, to establish rules that allow demand response programs and resources procured by a load-serving entity to meet the load-serving entity's resource adequacy requirements regardless of whether the program is integrated into the wholesale market overseen by the Independent System Operator, and to adopt a baseline methodology that treats the charging of energy storage as load in baseline calculations for demand response programs.	02/12/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on UTILITIES AND ENERGY.
<b><u>AB 428</u></b> Mayes (R)	Local Government Planning		Relates to existing law, the Cortese-Knox-Hertzberg Local Government Reorganization Act of 2000, which makes certain findings and declarations relating to local government organizations, including the encouragement of orderly growth and development, and the logical formation and modification of the boundaries of local agencies. Makes nonsubstantive changes to these findings and declarations.	02/04/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 431</u></b> Patterson (R)	Forestry: Timber Harvesting Plans: Defensible Space		Extends to January 1, 2026, the State Board of Forestry and Fire Protection's authorization to exempt a person from the Forest Practice Act of 1973 engaging in the cutting or removal of trees on the person's property in compliance with specified defensible space requirements as provided.	02/12/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.

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<b><u>AB 436</u></b> Fong (R)	Wages: Records: Inspection and Copying		Relates to existing law which gives every current and former employee the right to inspect and receive a copy of the personnel records that the employer maintains relating to the employee's performance. Requires, if an employee or their representative requests to inspect or copy records relating to the itemized statement and also requests to inspect or receive a copy of personnel records, that the deadline to comply with both requests be governed by the response deadline provisions.	02/12/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on LABOR AND EMPLOYMENT.
<b><u>AB 440</u></b> Bigelow (R)	Bear Lake Reservoir: Recreational Use		Extends, until January 1, 2032, the operation of existing law which prohibits recreational use involving bodily contact with the water in Bear Lake Reservoir unless certain conditions are satisfied, including that the water subsequently receives complete water treatment.	02/12/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL SAFETY AND TOXIC MATERIALS.
<b><u>AB 442</u></b> Mayes (R)	Surface Mining and Reclamation Act: Exemption		Exempts from the provisions of the Surface Mining and Reclamation Act of 1975 emergency excavations or grading conducted by the Metropolitan Water District of Southern California (MWD) for its own operations and infrastructure for specified purposes. Authorizes MWD to prepare a single master reclamation plan, as provided, for its earth moving operations conducted on lands owned or leased by, or upon which easements or rights-of-way have been granted to, MWD for specified purposes.	02/12/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committees on NATURAL RESOURCES and WATER, PARKS AND WILDLIFE.
<b><u>AB 444</u></b> Public Employment and Retirement Cmt	State and Local Employees: Pay Warrants: Designees		Relates to State and local employees. Prescribes a process by which an appointing power would issue a check directly to a designated person instead of delivering employee warrants to that person. Provides that upon sufficient proof of the designee's identity, the appointing power must endorse and deposit the warrant issued to a deceased employee back into the Treasury to the credit of the fund or appropriation upon which it was drawn, then issue a revolving fund check to the designated person.	02/18/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT AND RETIREMENT.

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<b><u>AB 464</u></b> Mullin (D)	Enhanced Infrastructure Financing Districts		Relates to existing law which authorizes an infrastructure financing district to finance the ongoing or capitalized costs to maintain facilities financed in whole or in part by the district, but prohibits the use of proceeds of bonds issued to finance maintenance of any kind. Removes the prohibition on the use of proceeds of bonds issued to finance maintenance of any kind.	02/18/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on LOCAL GOVERNMENT.
<b><u>AB 473</u></b> Chau (D)	California Public Records Act		Recodifies and reorganizes the provisions of the California Public Records Act. The bill would include provisions to govern the effect of recodification and states that the bill is intended to be entirely nonsubstantive in effect.	02/18/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on JUDICIARY.
<b><u>AB 474</u></b> Chau (D)	California Public Records Act: Conforming Revisions		Enacts various conforming and technical changes related to another bill that recodifies and reorganizes the California Public Records Act. The bill would only become operative if the related bill recodifying the act is enacted and becomes operative on January 1, 2023.	02/18/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on JUDICIARY.
<b><u>AB 480</u></b> Carrillo (D)	Hazardous Substances		Requires the reporting of the release or threatened release of a hazardous substance to the unified program agency (UPA) and the Office of Emergency Services. Requires a handler, employee, authorized representative, agent, or their designee to provide state, city, or county fire or public health or safety personnel and emergency response personnel with access to the handler's facility if there is a release or threatened release at the facility.	02/18/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL SAFETY AND TOXIC MATERIALS.
<b><u>AB 497</u></b> Waldron (R)	Wildfire Prevention		Provides that it is the intent of the Legislature to enact legislation that would enact statutory changes relating to wildfire prevention.	02/09/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 513</u></b> Bigelow (R)	Employment: Telecommuting Employees		Authorizes an employee working from home to receive legally required notices and postings electronically and sign certain documents electronically. The bill would also require that a working from home employee's wages due at the time of separation of employment be deemed to have been paid on the date that the wages are mailed to the employee.	02/18/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on LABOR AND EMPLOYMENT.

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<b><u>AB 517</u></b> Dahle M (R)	California State Safe Harbor Agreement Program Act		Relates to existing law which requires the Department of Fish and Wildlife to provide notice to the landowner at least 7 days before accessing the land or water for purposes of the California State Safe Harbor Agreement Program Act. Increases the notice period to the landowner to at least 7 business days.	02/18/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on WATER, PARKS AND WILDLIFE.
<b><u>AB 522</u></b> Fong (R)	Forest Fire Prevention Exemption		Extends the operation of the Forest Fire Prevention Exemption indefinitely. Deletes the requirement that the tree harvesting area not exceed 300 acres and the requirement that temporary road construction or reconstruction be limited to no more than 2 miles of road per ownership in a planning watershed per any 5-year period.	02/18/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.
<b><u>AB 530</u></b> Fong (R)	Labor Code Private Attorneys General Act of 2004		Requires the aggrieved employee to inform the employer which specific violations of the Labor Code are being brought under each subdivision of the Labor Code Private Attorneys General Act and to inform the employer if statutory right to cure provisions apply.	02/18/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committees on LABOR AND EMPLOYMENT and JUDICIARY.
<b><u>AB 554</u></b> Mathis (R)	Department of Fish and Wildlife		Establishes in the Department of Fish and Wildlife the Office of the Ombudsperson, administered through the ombudsperson, requires the Fish and Game Commission to appoint the Ombudsperson and would require the Office to operate independently of department staff and to report to the president of the commission, requires the office to undertake specified duties under the supervision of the president of the commission.	02/18/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on WATER, PARKS AND WILDLIFE.
<b><u>AB 564</u></b> Gonzalez (D)	Biodiversity Protection and Restoration Act		Establishes the Biodiversity Protection and Restoration Act and provides that it is the policy of the state that all state agencies, boards, and commissions shall utilize their authorities in furtherance of the biodiversity conservation purposes and goals of certain executive orders.	02/18/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committees on ACCOUNTABILITY AND ADMINISTRATIVE REVIEW and WATER, PARKS AND WILDLIFE.
<b><u>AB 566</u></b>	Property Taxation: Revenue Allocations		Makes a nonsubstantive change to the requirement that the county auditor, in each fiscal year, allocate property tax revenues to local	02/11/2021 - INTRODUCED.



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Nguyen J (R)			jurisdictions in accordance with specified formulas and procedures, and generally requires that each jurisdiction be allocated an amount equal to the total of the amount of revenue allocated to that jurisdiction in the prior fiscal year, subject to certain modifications.	
<b><u>AB 571</u></b> Mayes (R)	Planning and Zoning: Density Bonuses: Housing		Relates to density bonuses for affordable housing. Prohibits affordable housing impact fees, including inclusionary zoning fees, in-lieu fees, and public benefit fees, from being imposed on a housing development's affordable units or bonus units.	02/18/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committees on HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT and LOCAL GOVERNMENT.
<b><u>AB 588</u></b> Garcia E (D)	Local Government		Makes a nonsubstantive change to the provision naming the Cortese-Knox-Hertzberg Local Government Reorganization Act of 2000.	02/11/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 602</u></b> Grayson (D)	Development Fees		Makes nonsubstantive changes to the definitions under the Mitigation Fee Act.	02/11/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 620</u></b> Mullin (D)	Unified Online Environmental Permit Application		Expresses the intent of the Legislature to enact subsequent legislation creating a unified online environmental permit application and process for state agencies that simplify the submittal and tracking of environmental permits for permit applicants and state agencies, and supports interagency coordination.	02/12/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 621</u></b> Rivas R (D)	California Environmental Quality Act		Makes nonsubstantive changes to existing law which authorizes the preparation of a master environmental impact report (EIR) to evaluate project impacts, and expresses the intent of the Legislature that environmental review of subsequent projects be substantially reduced to the extent that project impacts have been reviewed and appropriate mitigation measures are set forth in a certified master EIR.	02/12/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 622</u></b> Friedman (D)	Washing Machines: Microfiber Filtration		Requires, on or before January 1, 2024, that all washing machines sold as new in California contain a microfiber filtration system with a mesh size of 100 microns or smaller.	02/12/2021 - INTRODUCED.

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<b><u>AB 642</u></b> Friedman (D)	Wildfires		Requires the Director of Forestry and Fire Protection to identify areas in the state as moderate and high fire hazard severity zones. Additionally requires the director classify areas into fire hazard severity zones based on additional factors including possible lightning caused ignition. Requires a local agency, within 30 days of receiving a transmittal from the director that identifies fire hazard severity zones, to make the information available for public comment.	02/12/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 648</u></b> Fong (R)	CalRecycle Greenhouse Gas Reduction Fund: Forest		Continuously appropriates, beginning in the 2021-22 fiscal year and ending in the 2028-29 fiscal year, \$200,000,000 of the annual proceeds from the Greenhouse Gas Reduction Fund to the Department of Forestry and Fire Protection for healthy forest and fire prevention programs and projects that improve forest health and reduce greenhouse gas emissions caused by uncontrolled wildfires, and prescribed fire and other fuel reduction projects through proven forestry practices.	02/12/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 649</u></b> Bennett (D)	CalRecycle Greenhouse Gas Reduction Loan Program		Makes a technical, nonsubstantive change to existing law that establishes the CalRecycle Greenhouse Gas Reduction Revolving Loan Program to provide loans to reduce the emissions of greenhouse gases by promoting in-state development of infrastructure or other projects to reduce organic waste or process organic and other recyclable materials into new value-added products.	02/12/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 654</u></b> Reyes (D)	COVID-19: Exposure: Notification		Requires the State Department of Public Health to make workplace and industry information received from local public health departments available on its internet website in a manner that, among other things, allows the public to track the number of COVID-19 cases and outbreaks by both workplace and industry.	02/12/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 678</u></b> Grayson (D)	Land Use: Development Fees		Makes nonsubstantive changes to existing law requiring a local agency, in any action establishing, increasing, or imposing a mitigation fee, to determine how there is a reasonable relationship between the fee's use and the type of development on which the fee is imposed.	02/12/2021 - INTRODUCED.

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<b><u>AB 688</u></b> Nazarian (D)	Property Tax: Reassessment		Makes nonsubstantive changes to existing property tax law which authorizes a county board of supervisors to adopt ordinances that allow assessees whose property was damaged or destroyed to apply for a reassessment of that property if certain conditions are met.	02/16/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 692</u></b> Waldron (R)	Lake Wohlford Dam: Grant Funding: Liquidation		Make those funds that were appropriated to the Department of Water Resources by the Disaster Preparedness and Flood Prevention Bond Act of 2006 and allocated to the City of Escondido for use on the Lake Wohlford Dam project available for liquidation until June 30, 2028.	02/16/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 693</u></b> Chau (D)	Proposition 65: Enforcement		Makes nonsubstantive changes to the Safe Drinking Water and Toxic Enforcement Act's enforcement provisions.	02/16/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 697</u></b> Chau (D)	Forest Resources: National Forest Lands		Reorganizes the law relating to the Good Neighbor Authority Fund. Requires the Department of Forestry and Fire Protection, under an agreement between the state and the federal government, to establish a program for purposes of conducting ecological restoration and fire resiliency projects on national forest lands, with priority given to forest restoration and fuels reduction projects that are landscape scale.	02/16/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 698</u></b> Env Safety & Toxic Material Cmt	Hazardous Waste: Small Quantity Generator		Replaces the terms conditionally exempt small quantity generator and CESQG with very small quantity generator and VSQG with reference to a different federal regulation that recasts those provisions regarding the amount of hazardous waste and which hazardous wastes are included in, or excluded from, that calculation.	02/16/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 703</u></b> Rubio (D)	Open Meetings: Local Agencies: Teleconferences		Removes the requirements of the Ralph M. Brown Act particular to teleconferencing and allows for teleconferencing subject to existing provisions regarding the posting of notice of an agenda and the ability of the public to observe the meeting and provide public comment.	02/12/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 712</u></b> Calderon (D)	Local Agency Public Construction Act: Change Orders		Relates to the Local Agency Public Construction Act change orders. Authorizes the board of supervisors and the board of directors of a district, as applicable, at the time the board delegates authority under a	02/12/2021 - INTRODUCED.

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			contract, to implement appropriate measures to prevent fraud and ensure accountability for that delegated authority.	
<b><u>AB 727</u></b> Choi (R)	Income Tax: Health Savings Accounts		Allows for specified taxable years, a deduction in computing adjusted gross income in connection with health savings accounts in conformity with federal law. Provides that the deduction would be an amount equal to the aggregate amount paid in cash during the taxable year by, or on behalf of, an eligible individual, as defined, to a health savings account of that individual.	02/16/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 732</u></b> Quirk (D)	Toxic Substances Control: Account		Expresses the intent of the Legislature to also identify and remediate releases of hazardous substances throughout the state to protect human health and the environment and enable productive reuse of contaminated sites. Requires the Department of Toxic Substances Control to publish on its internet website, the list of hazardous substances release sites selected for, and subject to, a response action.	02/16/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 736</u></b> Mathis (R)	Safe Drinking Water State Revolving Fund: Internet		Relates to the Safe Drinking Water State Revolving Fund Law, which requires the State Water Resources Control Board, at least once every 2 years, to post information on its internet website and send a link of the internet website to the Legislature regarding implementation of the law and expenditures from the fund. Requires the board to post that information and send that link at least annually instead of at least once every 2 years.	02/16/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 747</u></b> Mathis (R)	Water treatment Facility		Appropriates \$20,000,000 from the General Fund to the State Water Resources Control Board for the purpose of improving water treatment. Requires the board to grant a specified amount to a specified joint powers authority for a water treatment facility to be operated by the joint powers authority.	02/16/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 753</u></b> Grayson (D)	Barry Keene Underground Storage		Relates to the Barry Keene Underground Storage Tank Cleanup Trust Fund Act of 1989. Expresses the intent of the Legislature to extend the repeal date of the fund beyond January 1, 2026, and expand the purpose	02/15/2021 - INTRODUCED.

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	Tank Cleanup Trust Fund		of the act to provide funding for the remediation of brownfields in preparation for redevelopment.	
<b><u>AB 754</u></b> Mathis (R)	Sustainable Groundwater Management Act		States the intent of the Legislature to enact statutory changes relating to the Sustainable Groundwater Management Act.	02/15/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 757</u></b> Davies (R)	Private Employment: COVID-19: Positive Test		Authorizes a private employer to request prescribed documentation of a positive Coronavirus test or diagnosis if an employee reports that the employee has been diagnosed or tested positive for Coronavirus and is unable to work and the employer determines that an employee may be subject to a 14-day exclusion from the workplace as required under certain law or regulations.	02/15/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 758</u></b> Nazarian (D)	Marks-Roos Local Bond Pooling Act of 1985		Makes nonsubstantive changes to provisions of the Marks-Roos Local Bond Pooling Act of 1985 that authorizes certain joint powers authorities, among other powers, to issue bonds and loan the proceeds to local agencies to finance specified types of projects and programs.	02/15/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 772</u></b> Ramos (D)	Workers' Compensation: Medical Treatment		Provides that if the Governor has declared a state of emergency in connection with an act of domestic terrorism, existing law requires an employer, as defined, to provide immediate support from a case nurse manager for employees injured by an act of domestic terrorism whose injuries arise in the course of employment. Makes technical, nonsubstantive changes to that provision.	02/16/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 773</u></b> Nazarian (D)	Street Closures and Designations		Authorizes a local authority to adopt a rule or regulation to close a portion of a street under its jurisdiction to through vehicular traffic if it determines closure is necessary for the safety and protection of persons who are to use that portion of the street during the closure. Authorizes a local authority to adopt a rule or regulation to designate a local street within its jurisdiction as a slow street.	02/16/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 780</u></b> Ting (D)	Tenancies		Relates to existing law that regulates the terms and conditions of tenancies, and requires a tenant who receives notice of certain	02/16/2021 - INTRODUCED.

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			proceedings to recover the property they occupy to give notice to their landlord of the proceeding and provides that the tenant is responsible for any damages sustained by the landlord as a result of failure to give that notice. Makes nonsubstantive changes to those provisions.	
<b><u>AB 781</u></b> Daly (D)	Water Development Projects: Approved Projects		Relates to existing law that authorizes specified works of improvement for the control, conservation, and utilization of destructive flood waters and the reclamation and protection of lands that are susceptible to overflow by flood waters and prohibits, if there are any major project changes, money from being reallocated by the state in aid of that portion of the project until a revised plan has been reviewed and approved by the Department of Water Resources. Makes nonsubstantive changes.	02/16/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 794</u></b> Carrillo (D)	Air Pollution: Financial Incentive Programs		States the intent of the Legislature to enact subsequent legislation to provide the requisite authority to the State Air Resources Board to promulgate rules designed to maximize economic benefits of its grant, loan, and incentive programs.	02/16/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 800</u></b> Gabriel (D)	Wildfires: Mitigation and Prevention		Expresses the intent of the Legislature to enact subsequent legislation to improve wildfire mitigation and prevention.	02/16/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 802</u></b> Bloom (D)	Microfiber Pollution		Requires the State Water Resources Control Board to identify the best available control technology for filtering microfibers from an industrial, institutional, or commercial laundry facility on or before an unspecified date, and requires the state board to consult with owners and operators of laundry facilities on the types of filtration systems currently in use and with universities, scientific organizations, and experts on plastic pollution in identifying the best available control technology.	02/16/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 805</u></b> Maienschein (D)	Personal Protective Equipment: Distribution Reports		Requires, during a health-related state of emergency in California proclaimed by the President of the United States or by the Governor, the Medical Health Operational Area Coordinator to report specified information relating to the distribution of personal protective equipment	02/16/2021 - INTRODUCED.

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			to the Office of Emergency Services on a weekly basis. Requires, at all other times, the MHOAC to report that information on a monthly basis.	
<b><u>AB 814</u></b> Levine (D)	Personal Information: Contact Tracing		Prohibits data collected, received, or prepared for purposes of contact tracing from being used, maintained, or disclosed for any purpose other than facilitating contact tracing efforts. Prohibits an officer, deputy, employee, or agent of a law enforcement agency from engaging in contact tracing. Requires all data collected, received, or prepared for purposes of contact tracing to be deleted within 60 days.	02/16/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 818</u></b> Bloom (D)	Solid Waste: Premoistened Nonwoven Disposable Wipes	SUPPORT	Requires, except as provided, certain premoistened nonwoven disposable wipes manufactured on or after July 1, 2022, to be labeled clearly and conspicuously with the phrase Do Not Flush and a related symbol. Prohibits a covered entity, as defined, from making a representation about the flushable attributes, benefits, performance, or efficacy of those premoistened nonwoven disposable wipes.	02/16/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 819</u></b> Levine (D)	Environmental Quality Act: Notices and Documents		Requires the lead agency under CEQA and the project applicant to post notices to persons who have filed a written request for notices on their internet website. Requires a lead agency to submit to the State Clearinghouse, in electronic form, specified environmental review documents for all projects and would require the lead agency and project applicant to post those documents on their internet website.	02/16/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 821</u></b> Cooper (D)	Local Government		Makes nonsubstantive changes to a provision of the Ralph M. Brown Act.	02/16/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 845</u></b> Rodriguez (D)	Disability Retirement: COVID-19: Presumption		Creates a presumption, applicable to the retirement systems that the Public Employees' Pension Reform Act of 2013 (PEPRA) regulates and to specified members in those systems, that would be applied to disability retirements on the basis, in whole or in part, of a Coronavirus 2019-related illness. Requires, in this circumstance, that it be presumed the disability arose out of, or in the course of, the member's employment.	02/17/2021 - INTRODUCED.

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<b><u>AB 846</u></b> Low (D)	Local Agency Public Construction Act		Changes the January 1, 2022, repeal date to January 1, 2027, thereby extending authorization for job order contracting for school districts and community college districts indefinitely. Requires an entity awarded a job order contract in excess of \$25,000 to provide an enforceable commitment to the school district or community college district that the entity and its subcontractors at every tier will use a skilled and trained workforce to perform all work on the job order contract.	02/17/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 850</u></b> Gallagher (R)	City Property: Sale of Water Utility Property		Authorizes the City of El Monte, the City of Montebello, and the City of Willows to sell its public utility for furnishing water service for the purpose of consolidating the system with another public water system, as specified, subject to additional requirements, including, that the receiving water systems service area borders the service area of the subsumed water system. Extends the authorization to consolidate water systems until a specified date.	02/17/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 854</u></b> Lee (D)	Residential Property: Withdrawal of Accommodations		Relates to existing law, commonly known as the Ellis Act, that prohibits a public entity from adopting any statute, ordinance, or regulation, or taking any administrative action, to compel the owner of residential real property to offer or to continue to offer accommodations in the property for rent or lease, except as specified. Makes nonsubstantive changes to those provisions.	02/17/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 867</u></b> Kiley (R)	Family Care Leave: Child Deceased in Childbirth		Expands eligibility for benefits under the paid family leave program by expanding bonding leave relating to a child's birth to include leave for a parent who was pregnant with a child, if the child dies unexpectedly during childbirth at 37 weeks or more of pregnancy.	02/17/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 870</u></b> Santiago (D)	Hazardous Materials: Liens		Requires the Department of Toxic Substances Control, upon a determination of the scope of a necessary response or corrective action, to provide to the responsible parties an estimate of the costs to complete the response or corrective action. Establishes that the estimated costs constitute a claim and a lien upon the real property owned by a	02/17/2021 - INTRODUCED.



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			responsible party that is subject to, or affected by, the response or corrective action.	
<b><u>AB 878</u></b> Dahle M (R)	Wildlife Resources: Natural Community Conservation Plan		Relates to Wildlife resources, natural community conservation plans and public review and comment. Expands the time for public review and comment on a proposed planning agreement from 21 calendar days to 21 business days.	02/17/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 885</u></b> Quirk (D)	Bagley-Keene Open Meeting Act: Teleconferencing		Requires a state body that elects to conduct a meeting or proceeding by teleconference to make the portion that is required to be open to the public both audibly and visually observable. Extends the above requirements of meetings of multimember advisory bodies that are held by teleconference to meetings of all multimember state bodies.	02/17/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 893</u></b> Davies (R)	Emergency Regulations: Department of Public Health		Requires the Division of Occupational Safety and Health or the State Department of Public Health, within 14 calendar days of the release of a federal recommendation that conflicts with an emergency regulation related to Coronavirus 2019 issued by the division or the department, to review the conflicting emergency regulation and make a determination to either amend the regulation or submit a report to the Legislature on the decision not to amend the regulation, as specified.	02/17/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 897</u></b> Mullin (D)	Office of Planning and Research: Regional Climate		Requires the Office of Planning and Research to provide technical assistance to eligible entities developing regional climate networks and plans. Requires, by July 1, 2022, the Office to make recommendations to certain policy committees of the Legislature on developing state support for the work of regional climate networks, as prescribed, and the potential sources of financial assistance and options for distributing state funds to support the creation and implementation of plans.	02/17/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 906</u></b> Carrillo (D)	Zero-Emission Trucks: Tax and Fee Exemptions		Exempts from sales and use taxes, on and after January 1, 2022, the gross receipts from the sale in this state of, and the storage, use, or other consumption in this state of, fuel for the operation of a zero-emission	02/17/2021 - INTRODUCED.

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			medium- or heavy-duty truck that is the subject of a lease entered into after July 1, 2022, with specified characteristics.	
<b><u>AB 908</u></b> Frazier (D)	Natural Resources Agency: Statewide Natural Resources		Requires the Natural Resources Agency, to the extent a specified appropriation is made, to prepare a comprehensive, statewide inventory of the natural resources of the state and establish treatment measures necessary to protect those resources, and to post its initial inventory on its internet website on or before January 1, 2023, with annual updates on or before January 1 of each year thereafter.	02/17/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 909</u></b> Frazier (D)	Wildfire Risk Assessment Map		Requires the Department of Forestry and Fire Protection, in consultation with the California Fire Science Consortium and the Department of Insurance to develop a fire risk assessment map for the state that quantifies the risks of wildfire for a parcel of land for a time span of 50 years. Requires the department to annually update the wildfire risk assessment map.	02/17/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 919</u></b> Grayson (D)	Construction Defects: Actions: Statute of Limitations		Shortens the timeframe in which an action may be brought, for underlying construction projects using a skilled and trained workforce, to no more than 5 years after substantial completion of the improvement but no later than the date the notice of completion is recorded.	02/17/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 926</u></b> Mathis (R)	Fire Prevention: Local Assistance Grant Program		Relates to existing law which requires the Department of Forestry and Fire Protection to establish a local assistance grant program for fire prevention activities in the state. Requires that the eligible activities include, among other things, fire prevention activities. Adds roadside vegetation management and projects to create and increase defensible space for critical infrastructure, as provided, to the eligible activities.	02/17/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 930</u></b> Levine (D)	Subsurface Installations: Attorney's Fees and Costs		Requires a court to award attorney's fees and costs, including expert witness fees, to a prevailing party in a civil action or arbitration for specified damages arising from an excavation and arising between an operator of a subsurface installation and an excavator. Applies certain	02/17/2021 - INTRODUCED.

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			procedures relating to offers to compromise to these civil actions and arbitrations.	
<b><u>AB 954</u></b> Petrie-Norris (D)	Ocean Use Planning		Makes a nonsubstantive change to existing law which requires the Secretary of the Natural Resources Agency to initiate a comprehensive, long-range planning process for the use of ocean waters offshore of California, and authorizes the secretary, among other things, to use a specified advisory panel as the planning committee.	02/17/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 956</u></b> Flora (R)	Wildfire Mitigation Plans: Fire Retardants		Expressly authorizes a wildfire mitigation plan to include the use of fire-retardant chemicals approved by the State Fire Marshal on a planned basis for wildfire mitigation and risk management.	02/17/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 968</u></b> Frazier (D)	Wildfires		States the intent of the Legislature to enact subsequent legislation to enhance and improve efforts to harden homes against wildfires in the State.	02/17/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 969</u></b> Frazier (D)	Fire Prevention and Mitigation		States the intent of the Legislature to enact subsequent legislation to enhance and improve landscape scale fire prevention and mitigation projects.	02/17/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 972</u></b> Berman (D)	Elections: Deceptive Audio or Visual Media		Extends the repeal date of provisions relative to deceptive audio or visual media use in elections through a specified date.	02/18/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 975</u></b> Rivas (D)	Political Reform Act of 1974		Relates to the Political Reform Act of 1974. Allows a gift of admission to an invitation-only event to be returned, reimbursed, or donated within 30 days of the calendar quarter in which it was received, and would make other changes prescribing conditions for the donation, return, or reimbursement.	02/18/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 976</u></b> Rivas (D)	Resilient Economies and Community Health Pilot Program		Establishes the Resilient Economies and Community Health Pilot Program, which would be administered by the council from January 1, 2022, through December 31, 2026, as a grant pilot program for eligible community-based organizations to provide a comprehensive suite of	02/18/2021 - INTRODUCED.

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			coordinated incentives and services to disadvantaged communities at the resident household level to provide economic savings, reduce greenhouse gas emissions and air pollution, and improve resiliency to the impacts of climate control.	
<b><u>AB 981</u></b> Frazier (D)	Forestry: California Fire Safe Council		Establishes the California Fire Safe Council in the Natural Resources Agency consisting of 11 members. Requires the council to identify programs administered by public agencies to address and minimize the risks of wildfire and to coordinate the implementation of those programs, to identify public and private programs that may be leveraged to facilitate structure-hardening and community resilience to minimize the impacts of wildfire to habitable structures.	02/18/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 983</u></b> Garcia E (D)	Public Contracts: Construction Projects: Community Work		Authorizes a public entity to use, enter into, or require contractors to enter into, a community workforce agreement for specified construction projects, including projects related to renewable energy and installation of emission controls in refineries.	02/18/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 992</u></b> Cooley (D)	Hybrid/Zero-Emission Truck and Bus Voucher Incentive		Requires the state board to ensure that a person or entity that purchases a hybrid or zero-emission truck or bus for purposes of placing that vehicle on a peer-to-peer truck sharing platform for use by various operators is eligible for financial assistance under the Hybrid and Zero-Emission Truck and Bus Voucher Incentive Project established as a part of the Air Quality Improvement Program.	02/18/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 995</u></b> Gonzalez (D)	Paid Sick Days: Accrual and Use		Modifies the employers alternate sick leave accrual method to require that an employee have no less than 40 hours of accrued sick leave or paid time off by the 200th calendar day of employment or each calendar year, or in each 12-month period.	02/18/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 1001</u></b> Garcia (D)	Environmental Permitting		Relates to existing law that requires the Secretary for Environmental Protection to establish an administrative process that may be used, at the request of a permit applicant for a project that requires multiple environmental permits, for the designation of a consolidated permit	02/18/2021 - INTRODUCED.

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			agency to issue a consolidate permit for the project. Shortens the time period in which the secretary is to respond to 20 days.	
<b><u>AB 1005</u></b> Muratsuchi (D)	Scientific Review Panel on Toxic Air Contaminants		Relates to existing law that creates and establishes a 9-member Scientific Review Panel on Toxic Air Contaminants to advise the State Air Resources Board and the Department of Pesticide Regulation in their evaluation of the health effects toxicity of toxic air contaminants and pesticides and prescribes the manner in which the members shall be appointed. Makes nonsubstantive changes to these provisions.	02/18/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 1013</u></b> Lackey (R)	State Mandates: Claims		Relates to State mandates of a new program or higher level of service on any local government, including school districts. Requires the state to provide a subvention of funds to reimburse the local government, unless an exception applies. Provides that statutory provisions that establish procedures for making that reimbursement include a requirement that no claim shall be made or paid unless it exceeds \$1,000. Changes the minimum claim amount to \$900.	02/18/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 1017</u></b> Quirk-Silva (D)	Public Restrooms: Right to Restrooms Act of 2021		Requires local governments to do an inventory of public restrooms that are available to the homeless population to use during the coronavirus state of emergency, as defined. Requires local governments to report their findings to the Office of Emergency Services, which would be required to compile the information in a report to the Legislature, as provided. Provides that this bill would be repealed by its own provisions on a specified date.	02/18/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 1023</u></b> Flora (R)	Contractors and Subcontractors: Records: Penalties		Requires a contractor or subcontractor to furnish payroll records to the Labor Commissioner no later than their final day of work performed on the project. Makes a contractor or subcontractor who fails to furnish those records in the manner specified liable for a penalty of a specific amount per day, as specified, not to exceed a specific amount per project, to be deposited into the State Public Works Enforcement Fund.	02/18/2021 - INTRODUCED.

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<b><u>AB 1027</u></b> Seyarto (R)	Solid and Organic Waste		Expresses the intent of the Legislature to enact subsequent legislation to provide relief from those solid waste recycling, composting, and source reduction requirements and organic waste recycling requirements, for no more than one year, to cities and municipalities struggling due to the impacts of COVID-19.	02/18/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 1028</u></b> Seyarto (R)	Telework Flexibility Act		Concerns the Telework Flexibility Act. Authorizes any nonexempt employee working from home who is not under the physical control of the employer to choose when to take any meal or rest period during the workday, if the employer has not already scheduled a meal or rest period within the requirements of the law. Requires an employer to notify the employee of this right one time, when the employee begins working from home.	02/18/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 1030</u></b> Chen (R)	Professional Land Surveyors' Act and Engineers Act		Relates to the Professional Land Surveyors' Act and Professional Engineers Act. Includes within the practices that subject a person to those acts, with regard to the practice of identifying the location, alignment, or elevation for any of the fixed works embraced within the practice of civil engineering, laying out the reference points or lines through the use of mathematical or physical measurements. Expands the practice of land surveying and civil engineering, as specified.	02/18/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 1032</u></b> Cooper (D)	Public Employment: Adverse Action		Relates to existing law that requires an appointing power, before taking adverse action against an employee for one or more enumerated causes for discipline, to serve written notice on the employee that includes specified information relating to the adverse action. Makes a nonsubstantive change to those provisions.	02/18/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 1037</u></b> Grayson (D)	Infrastructure Construction: Digital Construction		Requires an infrastructure project that receives any state funding to deploy digital construction technologies, as defined, to reduce waste, inefficiency, rework, cost overruns, and embodied carbon, and to improve delivery times and project quality.	02/18/2021 - INTRODUCED.

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<b><u>AB 1041</u></b> Wicks (D)	Leave Issues		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 the equivalent of a family relationship.	02/18/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 1042</u></b> Jones- Sawyer (D)	Occupational Safety/Health: Investigation & Inspection		Provides that the California Occupational Safety and Health Act of 1973, requires the Chief of the Division of Occupational Safety and Health within the Department of Industrial Relations and qualified and authorized division inspectors and investigators to have free access to any place of employment to make an investigation or inspection for the protection of safety and health, as prescribed. make nonsubstantive changes to these investigation and inspection provisions.	02/18/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 1048</u></b> Bonta (D)	Safety in Employment		Relates to existing law that authorizes the Division of Occupational Safety and Health to seek an injunction from the superior court of the local jurisdiction to restrain its use or operation when any employment or place of employment or operation of a machine or other equipment constitutes a serious menace to the lives or safety of the persons in proximity to the hazard. Makes a nonsubstantive change to this provision.	02/18/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 1053</u></b> Gabriel (D)	Municipal Improvement Act of 1913		Makes nonsubstantive changes to the provision naming the Municipal Improvement Act of 1913.	02/18/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 1056</u></b> Grayson (D)	Local Agencies: Fees and Zoning Standards		Makes a nonsubstantive change to provisions to Local agencies, fees and zoning standards.	02/18/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 1058</u></b> Garcia (D)	Water Corporations: Bill Payment Pilot Program		Extends the Water Corporations Bill Payment Pilot Program the pilot program until January 1, 2027. Repeals the provision that limits the duration of a pilot program to the duration of the water corporations rate case cycle.	02/18/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 1066</u></b> Bloom (D)	Freshwater Bathing Sites: Water Quality Monitoring		Requires the State water Resources Control Board, in consultation with the Department of Public Health, to establish, by regulation, a definition of a monitored freshwater bathing site that includes freshwater bodies	02/18/2021 - INTRODUCED.

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			that have a high frequency of use by the general public, identify all monitored freshwater bathing sites in the state.	
<b><u>AB 1074</u></b> Gonzalez (D)	Employment: Rehiring and Retention: Displaced Workers		Requires an employer to offer its laid-off employees specified information about job positions that become available for which the laid-off employees are qualified, and to offer positions to those laid-off employees based on a preference system, in accordance with specified timelines and procedures. Prohibits an employer from refusing to employ, terminating, reducing compensation, or taking other adverse action against any person for seeking to enforce their rights under these provisions.	02/18/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 1086</u></b> Aguiar- Curry (D)	Organic Waste: Implementation Strategy		Requires the Natural Resources Agency, in coordination with specified state agencies, and in consultation with stakeholders and relevant permitting agencies, to prepare and submit to the Legislature, by January 1, 2023, a report that provides an implementation strategy to achieve the states organic waste, and related climate change and air quality, mandates, goals, and targets.	02/18/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 1099</u></b> Rivas R (D)	State Funding: Environmental Equity		States the intent of the Legislature to enact subsequent legislation to provide new approaches and considerations for directing investments and allocating funds, as well as increasing accountability for how those funds are expended to achieve key objectives. States the intent of the Legislature to enact subsequent legislation that incorporates, to the extent practicable, specified principles of environmental equity into the administration of all environmental and natural resources state funding.	02/18/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 1110</u></b> Rivas R (D)	Zero-Emission Vehicles: Clean Fleet Program		Establishes the California Clean Fleet Accelerator Program, administered by the Department of General Services (DGS). Requires the Governor's Office of Business and Economic Development (GO-Biz), in consultation with specified state agencies and regional and local entities, to develop a nonmandatory master service agreement to solicit bids from eligible vendors for standardized, bulk purchase options for the acquisition of zero-emission fleet vehicles by a public agency.	02/18/2021 - INTRODUCED.



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<b><u>AB 1119</u></b> Wicks (D)	Employment Discrimination		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.	02/18/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 1122</u></b> Garcia (D)	Workforce Diversity		States the intent of the Legislature to enact legislation that would encourage employers to develop and implement personnel policies that incorporate workforce diversity.	02/18/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 1135</u></b> Grayson (D)	Accessory Dwelling Units		Makes nonsubstantive changes to existing law which provides for the creation by local ordinance, or by ministerial approval if a local agency has not adopted an ordinance, of accessory dwelling units to allow single-family or multifamily dwelling residential use in accordance with specified standards and conditions, and prohibits a local agency from using or imposing any additional standards, including, until January 1, 2025, on owner-occupant requirements.	02/18/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 1141</u></b> Frazier (D)	Wildfires: Wildland Urban Interface Fire Research		Expresses the intent of the Legislature to enact subsequent legislation that would develop and fund a Wildland Urban Interface Fire Research Center that specifically addresses the wildland urban interface fire problem and needs of wildfire prevention, detection, and mitigation planning, building, and response, and related economic, insurance, and modeling practices in the state.	02/18/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 1142</u></b> Frazier (D)	Fire Prevention: Detection and Response		Requires the Department of Forestry and Fire Protection to develop and implement a program to predict and respond to wildfire ignition events and to provide for the sharing of information regarding wildfire events and coordination of activities among local, state, and federal agencies in response to wildfires.	02/18/2021 - INTRODUCED.

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<b><u>AB 1161</u></b> Garcia E (D)	Electricity: Eligible Renewable Energy: State Agencies		Enacts the Clean Economy and Clean Jobs Stimulus Act of 2021 and would require the Department of Water Resources to procure newly developed eligible renewable energy resources or zero-carbon resources, and energy storage associated with those resources, in an amount that satisfies 100 percent electricity procured to serve all state agencies by specified date.	02/18/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 1164</u></b> Flora (R)	Dams and Reservoirs: Exclusions		Specifies that the exclusion from being considered a dam for a barrier that is not across a stream channel, watercourse, or natural drainage area and that has the principal purpose of impounding water for agricultural use applies only to a barrier owned or operated by a private entity.	02/18/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 1175</u></b> Aguiar- Curry (D)	Employees: Regulation and Supervision		Makes nonsubstantive changes to existing law which regulates the wages, hours, and working conditions of employees with specified exceptions.	02/18/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 1179</u></b> Carrillo (D)	Employer Provided Benefit: Backup Childcare		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.	02/18/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 1180</u></b> Mathis (R)	Local Governments: Surplus Land: Tribes		Relates to existing law which defines exempt surplus land for which a local agency is not required to follow the requirements for disposal of surplus land, except as provided. Adds to the definition of exempt surplus land, land transferred by a local agency to a tribe.	02/18/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 1188</u></b> Wicks (D)	Rental Registry Online Portal		Requires cities and counties to create and administer a rental registry online portal, which would be designed to receive specified information from landlords, including state and local governmental agencies that own or operate public housing, that own or operate 5 or more rental	02/18/2021 - INTRODUCED.

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			dwelling units regarding their residential tenancies and to disseminate this information to the general public.	
<b><u>AB 1195</u></b> Garcia (D)	Southern Los Angeles County Regional Water Agency		Creates the Southern Los Angeles County Regional Water Agency as a regional water agency serving the drinking water needs of the cities, unincorporated areas, and residents in the communities overlying the Central Basin and West Coast Basin aquifers in southern Los Angeles County. Requires the agency to serve the region as the leader in interagency collaboration on water resource issues.	02/18/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 1205</u></b> Frazier (D)	State Air Resources Board: Elections		Expresses the intent of the Legislature to enact subsequent legislation requiring that all members of the state board be elected, rather than appointed.	02/19/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 1207</u></b> Rivas (D)	COVID-19 Relief: State Processes		States the intent of the Legislature to enact legislation relating to streamlining state processes to help recover from the COVID-19 crisis.	02/19/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 1218</u></b> McCarty (D)	Motor Vehicle Greenhouse Gas Emissions Standards		Declares that, to help achieve the states climate and air quality goals and mandates, it is the goal of the state that 100% of new passenger and light-duty vehicle sales are zero-emission vehicles by 2035. Requires, on and after January 1, 2023, total passenger vehicles and light-duty vehicles sold by a manufacturer in the state in a calendar year to meet specified greenhouse gas emissions standards pursuant to a tiered plan.	02/19/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 1232</u></b> McCarty (D)	Construction Documents		Relates to existing law that requires a contract for construction to contain specified information regarding the names, addresses, and places of business of various parties to the contract. Makes a nonsubstantive change to this provision.	02/19/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 1239</u></b> Ting (D)	State Energy Resource Conservation		Relates to the State Energy Resources Conservation and Development Commission. Renames the State Energy Resources Conservation and Development Commission to the Energy Commission. Prohibits existing supplies, forms, insignias, signs, logos, uniforms, or emblems from being destroyed or changed as a result of changing the name of the	02/19/2021 - INTRODUCED.

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			commission and would require their continued use until exhausted or unserviceable.	
<b><u>AB 1240</u></b> Ting (D)	Indoor Air Pollution		Relates to indoor air pollution. Requires the state board to provide to the legislature the report relating to indoor air quality by a specified date. Repeals the provisions on a specified date.	02/19/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 1246</u></b> Nguyen J (R)	Community Services Districts		Relates to community services districts. Authorizes the formation of community services districts for various specified purposes, including supplying water, treating sewage, disposing of solid waste. Provides fire protection. Specifies its relation and effect on certain districts organized pursuant to former laws and to actions taken by them, among other things. Makes nonsubstantive changes to provisions.	02/19/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 1250</u></b> Calderon (D)	Water and Sewer System Corporations		Relates to water and sewer system corporations. Concerns consolidation of service. Authorizes a water or sewer system corporation to file an application and obtain approval from the commission through an order authorizing the water or sewer system corporation to consolidate with a public water system or state small water system. Requires the commission to approve or deny the application within 8 months, except as provided.	02/19/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 1255</u></b> Bloom (D)	Fire prevention: Department of Forestry		Relates to fire prevention. Concerns Department of Forestry and Fire Protection. Concerns grant programs. Requires the department, in coordination with the Secretary of the Natural Resources Agency, to facilitate regional, habitat specific, and area specific approaches to fire risk reduction, prevention, and restoration of projects that improve community safety, protect sites and structures, restore burned habitat, reduce catastrophic wildfires, and protect natural resources.	02/19/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 1256</u></b> Quirk (D)	Employment Discrimination: Cannabis Screening Test		Relates to employment discrimination. Concerns cannabis screening test. Prohibits an employer from discriminating against a person in hiring, termination, or any term or condition of employment because a drug screening test has found the person to have tetrahydrocannabinol	02/19/2021 - INTRODUCED.

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			in their urine. Exempts from its provisions an employer that is required to conduct testing for tetrahydrocannabinol by federal law or regulations.	
<b><u>AB 1261</u></b> Burke (D)	Renewable Gas		Revises and recasts the above provisions relating to the expulsion or unenrollment of a child from the state preschool program and would include a general childcare and development program and family childcare home education network program as part of those provisions, as provided. Establishes requirements for the use of suspensions in the programs described above. Requires these programs to maintain records on expulsion and suspension, as provided.	02/19/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 1270</u></b> Rivas (D)	Natural Gas: Leaks		Expresses the intent of the Legislature to enact legislation to require pipeline operators, storage facilities, and production facilities to report natural gas leaks to the State Air Resources Board and for the public to be notified.	02/19/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 1291</u></b> Frazier (D)	State Bodies: Open Meetings		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.	02/19/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 1295</u></b> Muratsuchi (D)	Residential Development Agreements: Fire Risk Areas		Prohibits the legislative body of a city or county from entering into a residential development agreement for property located in a very high fire risk area. Defines very high fire risk area for these purposes to mean a very high fire hazard severity zone designated by a local agency or a fire hazard severity zone classified by the director.	02/19/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 1296</u></b> Kamlager-Dove (D)	South Coast Air Quality Management District		Increases the number of members of the South Coast Air Quality Management District board to 15 members by adding 2 environmental justice appointees, one appointed by the Senate Committee on Rules and one appointed by the Speaker of the Assembly.	02/19/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 1313</u></b> Bigelow (R)	COVID-19: Immunity from Civil Liability		Exempts a business from liability for an injury or illness to a person due to coronavirus based on a claim that the person contracted coronavirus	02/19/2021 - INTRODUCED.

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			while at that business, or due to the actions of that business, if the business has substantially complied with all applicable state and local health laws, regulations, and protocols.	
<b><u>AB 1325</u></b> Burke (D)	Clean Community Microgrid Incentive Program		Requires the Public Utilities Commission (PUC) to develop and implement a Clean Community Microgrid Incentive Program by 2022 to fund community microgrids that support the critical needs of vulnerable communities that utilize distributed energy resources for the generation of electricity.	02/19/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 1332</u></b> Flora (R)	Local Government Ordinances		Relates to local government ordinances. Makes nonsubstantive changes to any local agency to enact any ordinance that adopts a code by reference if the referenced code is specified in the title of the ordinance.	02/19/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 1354</u></b> Grayson (D)	Public Employees' Retirement		Makes nonsubstantive changes to provisions prohibiting a retired person from being employed by a public employer in the same public retirement system from which the retiree receives pension benefits without reinstatement from retirement into that system, subject to certain exceptions.	02/19/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 1367</u></b> Low (D)	Political Reform Act of 1974		States the intent of the Legislature to enact legislation relating to the Political Reform Act of 1974. Provides for the comprehensive regulation of political campaigns, lobbying, and other matters relating to governmental ethics and elections.	02/19/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 1376</u></b> Gray (D)	Water Quality: State Certification		Requires the State Water Resources Control board to make a water quality certification available on its website for a public comment and review period.	02/19/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 1384</u></b> Gabriel (D)	Resiliency Through Adaptation, Economic Vitality		Requires the Strategic Growth Council to develop and coordinate a strategic resiliency framework that makes recommendations and identifies actions that are necessary to prepare the state for the most significant climate change impacts modeled for certain years. Requires agencies identified in the framework to coordinate with regional entities	02/19/2021 - INTRODUCED.

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			and engage vulnerable communities who have been impacted by climate change.	
<b><u>AB 1391</u></b> Chau (D)	Compromised Data		Makes it unlawful for a person to sell, purchase, or utilize data, as defined, that the person knows or reasonably should know is compromised data. Defines the term compromised data to mean data that has been obtained or accessed pursuant to the commission of a crime.	02/19/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 1395</u></b> Muratsuchi (D)	Greenhouse Gases: Carbon Neutrality		Declares the policy of the state to achieve carbon neutrality as soon as possible, but no later than 2045, and to achieve and maintain net negative greenhouse gas emissions thereafter. Requires the State Air Resources Board to develop a framework for implementation and accounting that tracks progress toward achieving carbon neutrality.	02/19/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 1399</u></b> Flora (R)	Diversion or Use of Water: Penalties		Makes nonsubstantive changes to provisions that state that the diversion or use of water other than as authorized by specified provisions of law is a trespass, subject to specified civil liability.	02/19/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 1400</u></b> Kalra (D)	Guaranteed Health Care for All		Creates the Guaranteed Health Care for All Program, or CalCare, to provide comprehensive universal single-payer health care coverage and a health care cost control system for the benefit of all residents of the state. Provides for coverage of the CalCare Program. Provides for the CalCare Board. States the intent of the Legislature to enact legislation to develop a revenue plan.	02/19/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 1403</u></b> Levine (D)	Emergency Services		Relates to emergency services. Includes a deenergization, defined as a planned public safety power shutoff, as specified, within those conditions constituting a state of emergency and a local emergency.	02/19/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 1409</u></b> Levine (D)	Planning And Zoning: General Plan: Safety Element		Relates to planning and zoning. Relates to a general plan. Relates to safety element. Requires the safety element to be reviewed and updated to identify evacuation locations. Imposes a state-mandated local	02/19/2021 - INTRODUCED.

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			program. Provides that no reimbursement is required by this act for a specified reason.	
<b><u>AB 1411</u></b> Cunningham (R)	Agriculture: Greenhouse Gas Mitigation: Healthy		Relates to agriculture. Relates to greenhouse gas mitigation. Relates to the Healthy Soils Program. Makes nonsubstantive changes to the provision.	02/19/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 1428</u></b> Quirk (D)	Safe Drinking Water Act: Applicability		Removes the provision authorizing water districts that provide primarily agricultural services to certify that they are providing alternative water for residential or similar uses to achieve the equivalent level of public health protection provided by the applicable primary drinking water regulations.	02/19/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 1431</u></b> Frazier (D)	Forestry: Forest Carbon Plan: State Goals		Establishes state goals for fuel treatment and vegetation management, as specified. Requires the Natural Resources Agency and the California Environmental Protection Agency, on or before January 1, 2023, to submit a report to the appropriate policy and budget committees of the Legislature on the positions and resources needed to achieve those state goals.	02/19/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 1434</u></b> Friedman (D)	Urban Water Use Objectives: Indoor Residential		Establishes, beginning January 1, 2023, until January 1, 2025, the standard for indoor residential water use as 48 gallons per capita daily. Establishes, beginning January 1, 2025, the standard as 44 gallons per capita daily and, beginning January 1, 2030, 40 gallons per capita daily. Eliminates the requirement that the Department of Water Resources conduct necessary studies and investigations and recommend to the Legislature a standard for indoor residential water use.	02/19/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 1436</u></b> Chau (D)	Information Practices Act Of 1977		Revises the findings under the Information Practices Act of 1977, including by finding that the increasing use of computers, software, and other sophisticated information technology has greatly magnified the potential risk to individual privacy that can occur from the maintenance of personal information.	02/19/2021 - INTRODUCED.



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<b><u>AB 1442</u></b> Ting (D)	Accessory Dwelling Units		Makes nonsubstantive change to existing law which provides for the creation by local ordinance, or by ministerial approval if a local agency has not adopted an ordinance, of accessory dwelling units to allow single-family or multifamily dwelling residential use in accordance with specified standards and conditions.	02/19/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 1453</u></b> Muratsuchi (D)	Environmental Justice: Just Transition Commission		Establishes the Just Transition Advisory Commission, consisting of specified members, in the Labor and Workforce Development Agency and would require the commission, through a public process, to develop and adopt, on or before January 1, 2024, the Just Transition Plan that contains recommendations to transition the state's economy to a climate-resilient and low-carbon economy.	02/19/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 1454</u></b> Bloom (D)	Forestry: Burning of Lands: Wildland Resource		Requires the Department of Forestry and Fire Protection to prepare 2 model plans for the initial development and implementation of a program for wildland resources management through prescribed burning and other methods, as provided.	02/19/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 1458</u></b> Frazier (D)	Fish and Wildlife Protection and Conservation		Prohibits a person, a state or local governmental agency, or a public utility from substantially diverting or obstructing the natural flow of, or substantially changing or using any material from the bed, channel, or bank of, any river, stream, or lake, or depositing or disposing of debris, waste, or other material containing crumbled, flaked, or ground pavement where it may pass into any river, stream, or lake, unless prescribed requirements are met.	02/19/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 1487</u></b> Gabriel (D)	Real Property: Eviction Defense		Specifies certain rights and limitations for landlords and tenants subject to eviction and certain procedures for civil actions involving evictions.	02/19/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 1488</u></b> Cervantes (D)	Emergency Services: Local Government		Relates to the California Emergency Services Act, among other things, establishes the Office of Emergency Services and sets forth its powers and duties relating to mitigating the effects of natural, manmade, or war caused emergencies and makes findings and declarations relating to	02/19/2021 - INTRODUCED.

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			ensuring that preparation within the state will be adequate to deal with those emergencies.	
<b><u>AB 1490</u></b> Chau (D)	California Privacy Rights Act of 2020		Relates to the California Privacy Rights Act of 2020. Establishes the California Privacy Protection Agency and vests it with full administrative power, authority, and jurisdiction to implement and enforce the Act. Requires the agency to be governed by a 5 member board appointed from among Californians with expertise in the areas of privacy, technology, and consumer rights.	02/19/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 1493</u></b> Rubio (D)	Tenancy: Victims of Domestic Violence, Sexual Assault		Prohibits a landlord from terminating or failing to renew a tenancy based upon an act against a tenant or a member of a tenants household that constitute domestic violence, sexual assault, stalking, human trafficking, or elder or dependent adult abuse, if certain standards are met. Requires the act to be documented in one of several ways, a temporary restraining order, protective order, or police report, and existing law requires that the person against whom the order was issued, or who was named.	02/19/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 1500</u></b> Garcia E (D)	Safe Drinking Water, Wildfire Prevention		Authorizes the issuance of bonds in a specified amount pursuant to the State General Obligation Bond Law to finance a drought, water, parks, climate, coastal protection, and outdoor access for all program. Enacts the Safe Drinking Water, Wildfire Prevention, Drought Preparation, Flood Protection, Extreme Heat Mitigation, and Workforce Development Bond Act of 2022, which, if approved by the voters.	02/19/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 1523</u></b> Gallagher (R)	Greenhouse Gases		Revises the California Global Warming Solutions Act of 2006 by designating the state board with the responsibility of regulating vehicular sources of emissions of greenhouse gases and each district with the responsibility of regulating all sources, other than vehicular sources, of emissions of greenhouse gases within its jurisdiction.	02/19/2021 - INTRODUCED.

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<b><u>AB 1524</u></b> O'Donnell (D)	Political Reform Act of 1974: Conflicts of Interest		States the intent of the Legislature to enact legislation to clarify what constitutes a conflict of interest for public officials under the Political Reform Act of 1974.	02/19/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 1528</u></b> Santiago (D)	Wages: Final Payments		Makes nonsubstantive changes to these provisions related to regulation of the terms and conditions of employment and, specifically, the payment of wages.	02/19/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 1531</u></b> O'Donnell (D)	State Bodies: Public Meetings		Makes nonsubstantive changes to those provisions of the Bagley-Keene Open Meeting Act that requires that all meetings of a state body, as defined, be open and public, and that all persons be permitted to attend any meeting of a state body and requires the state body to provide notice of its meeting upon written request, as provided.	02/19/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 1553</u></b> O'Donnell (D)	Water Storage Capacity		States the intent of the Legislature to enact subsequent legislation that would increase California's water storage capacity.	02/19/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>AB 1559</u></b> O'Donnell (D)	Renewable Natural Gas		States the intent of the Legislature to enact subsequent legislation related to renewable natural gas.	02/19/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>ACA 1</u></b> Aguiar-Curry (D)	Local Government Financing: Affordable Housing		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.	12/07/2020 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>ACR 17</u></b> Voepel (R)	Special Districts Week		Proclaims the week of May 16, 2021, to May 22, 2021, to be Special Districts Week.	02/12/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on RULES.
<b><u>ACR 33</u></b>	Wildfire Mitigation		States the Legislature's commitment to improving wildfire outcomes in the State of California by investing in science-based wildfire mitigation	02/19/2021 - INTRODUCED.

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Friedman (D)			strategies that will benefit the health of California forests and communities. States that the Legislature calls upon public and private stakeholders to work jointly to identify, discuss, and refine, as necessary, procedures concerning treatment of forested lands for the purpose of, among other things, wildfire risk mitigation.	
<b>SB 1</b> Atkins (D)	Coastal Resources: Sea Level Rise		Includes, as part of the procedures the California Coastal Commission is required to adopt for local coastal programs, recommendations and guidelines for the identification, assessment, minimization, and mitigation of sea level rise within each local coastal program.	01/28/2021 - To SENATE Committees on NATURAL RESOURCES AND WATER and ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY and GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATION.;01/28/2021 - In SENATE. Rescinds referral to Committee on GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATION due to limitations concerning COVID-19 virus.
<b>SB 3</b> Caballero (D)	Tenancy: COVID-19		Extends the covered time period and transition time period for purposes of the COVID-19 Tenant Relief Act of 2020 to a specified date.	01/28/2021 - To SENATE Committee on JUDICIARY.
<b>SB 12</b> McGuire (D)	Local Government Planning and Zoning: Wildfires		Requires the safety element, upon the next revision of the housing element or the hazard mitigation plan, on or after a certain date, whichever occurs first, to be reviewed and updated as necessary to include a comprehensive retrofit strategy to reduce the risk of property loss and damage during wildfires, and would require the planning agency to submit the adopted strategy to the Office of Planning and Research for inclusion into the clearinghouse for climate adaptation.	01/28/2021 - To SENATE Committees on GOVERNANCE AND FINANCE and HOUSING and NATURAL RESOURCES AND WATER.;01/28/2021 - In SENATE. Rescinds referral to Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES AND WATER due to limitations concerning COVID-19 virus.
<b>SB 13</b> Dodd (D)	Local Agency Services: Contracts: Napa, San Bernardino		Imposes a deadline for the Napa and San Bernardino commissions to report to the Legislature on the pilot program, authorize a city or district to provide new or extended services outside its jurisdictional boundary, and would require the contents of that report to include how many requests for extension of services were received under these provisions.	01/28/2021 - To SENATE Committee on GOVERNANCE AND FINANCE.

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<b><u>SB 27</u></b> Skinner (D)	Carbon Sequestration: State Goals: Natural Working Land		Requires the Natural Resources Agency, no later than July 1, 2022, in coordination with the California Environmental Protection Agency, the State Air Resources Board, and the Department of Food and Agriculture, to establish carbon sequestration goals for natural and working lands. Requires the state board, as part of its scoping plan, to establish specified carbon dioxide removal targets for 2030 and beyond.	01/28/2021 - To SENATE Committees on ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY and NATURAL RESOURCES AND WATER.
<b><u>SB 33</u></b> Cortese (D)	California Environmental Quality Act: Lead Agency		Makes nonsubstantive changes to the California Environmental Quality Act.	01/28/2021 - To SENATE Committee on RULES.
<b><u>SB 36</u></b> Skinner (D)	Energy Efficiency		Makes nonsubstantive changes to existing law which authorizes the State Energy Resources Conservation and Development Commission to prescribe, by regulation, energy efficiency standards, including appliance efficiency standards.	01/28/2021 - To SENATE Committee on RULES.
<b><u>SB 37</u></b> Cortese (D)	Contaminated Sites Dominic Cortese Act of 2021		Updates and revitalizes the Hazardous Waste and Substances Sites List, or the Cortese List. Requires the Department of Toxic Substances Control to also list hazardous waste facilities where the department issued an order for corrective action after determining that there is or has been a release of hazardous waste or constituents into the environment from a facility.	02/10/2021 - To SENATE Committee on RULES.
<b><u>SB 45</u></b> Portantino (D)	Wildfire Prevention, Safe Drinking Water Bond Act		Enacts the Wildfire Prevention, Safe Drinking Water, Drought Preparation, and Flood Protection Bond Act of 2022, which, if approved by the voters, would authorize the issuance of bonds in a specified amount pursuant to the State General Obligation Bond Law to finance projects for a wildfire prevention, safe drinking water, drought preparation, and flood protection program.	01/28/2021 - To SENATE Committees on NATURAL RESOURCES AND WATER and GOVERNANCE AND FINANCE and ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY.;01/28/2021 - In SENATE. Rescinds referral to Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY due to limitations concerning COVID-19 virus.

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<b><u>SB 46</u></b> Stern (D)	Employment: Contact Tracing: COVID-19		States the intent of the Legislature to enact legislation that would require an employer to develop and implement contact tracing and safety policies for its employees, including requiring notice to the employer when an employee receives a positive Coronavirus disease 2019 test.	01/28/2021 - To SENATE Committee on RULES.
<b><u>SB 51</u></b> Durazo (D)	Surplus Residential Property: Sale: Los Angeles		Requires, with respect to surplus residential property that is located in the City of Los Angeles, that if the surplus residential property is not sold to a former owner or present occupant, the property be offered at fair market value to purchasers who are present tenants who have occupied the property for 5 years or more and who are in good standing with all rent obligations current and paid in full, with first right of occupancy to the present occupants.	02/12/2021 - In SENATE. Read third time, urgency clause adopted. Passed SENATE. *****To ASSEMBLY.
<b><u>SB 52</u></b> Dodd (D)	State of Emergency: Power Outages		Expands the definition of sudden and severe energy shortage to include a deenergization event, defined as a planned power outage, as specified, and would make a deenergization event one of those conditions constituting a state of emergency and a local emergency.	01/28/2021 - To SENATE Committee on GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATION.
<b><u>SB 55</u></b> Stern (D)	Very High Fire Hazard Severity Zone: Development	SEEK AMENDEMENTS	Prohibits the creation or approval of a new development, as defined, in a very high fire hazard severity zone or a state responsibility area.	02/03/2021 - To SENATE Committee on RULES.
<b><u>SB 63</u></b> Stern (D)	Fire Prevention: Vegetation Management: Education		Requires the Director of Forestry and Fire Protection to identify areas of the state as moderate and high fire hazard severity zones and requires a local agency to make this information available for public review and comment. Requires the director to establish a statewide program to allow qualified entities to support and augment the department in its defensible space and home hardening assessment and education efforts.	01/28/2021 - To SENATE Committees on NATURAL RESOURCES AND WATER and HOUSING.
<b><u>SB 67</u></b> Becker (D)	Clean Energy		States intent of the Legislature to enact subsequent legislation to accelerate the state's progress toward having all electricity provided by renewable or other zero-carbon sources on a permanent basis.	01/28/2021 - To SENATE Committee on RULES.

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<b><u>SB 68</u></b> Becker (D)	Building Decarbonization		States the intent of the Legislature to enact subsequent legislation that will help the state achieve its climate and air pollution reduction goals in the building sector through actions such as reducing barriers to upgrading electrical service panels or accommodating additional electrical appliances within existing service panels.	01/28/2021 - To SENATE Committee on RULES.
<b><u>SB 72</u></b> Rubio (D)	Residential Property Insurance: Wildfire Risk		Requires the Insurance Commissioner to transmit to the Secretary of the Natural Resources Agency a report that makes geographic recommendations for vegetation management projects based on the commissioner's analysis of specified information, including nonrenewal data on policies of residential property insurance, and to post that report on the Department of Insurance's internet website.	01/28/2021 - To SENATE Committee on RULES.
<b><u>SB 77</u></b> Nielsen (R)	Elections: Ballots		Makes a technical, nonsubstantive change to provisions of existing law providing that, on election day, a voter who does not vote the ballot the voter has received shall, before leaving the polling place, return it to the precinct board member having charge of the ballots, who shall immediately cancel it.	01/28/2021 - To SENATE Committee on RULES.
<b><u>SB 79</u></b> Nielsen (R)	Fair Political Practices Commission		Makes technical, nonsubstantive changes to provisions of the Fair Political Practices Commission prohibiting members of the commission from holding certain offices and from participating in certain activities. Makes technical, nonsubstantive changes to prescribing criteria for the removal of members of the Fair Political Practices Commission.	01/28/2021 - To SENATE Committee on RULES.
<b><u>SB 83</u></b> Allen (D)	California Infrastructure and Economic Development Bank		Creates the Sea Level Rise Revolving Loan Program within the I-Bank to provide low-interest loans to local jurisdictions for the purchase of coastal properties in their jurisdictions identified as vulnerable coastal property. Requires the California Coastal Commission in consultation with the State Lands Commission, and any other applicable state, federal, and local entities, as specified to determine criteria and guidelines for the identification of eligible vulnerable coastal properties.	01/28/2021 - To SENATE Committees on NATURAL RESOURCES AND WATER and GOVERNANCE AND FINANCE.

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<b>SB 91</b> Budget and Fiscal Review Cmt	COVID-19 Relief: Tenancy: Federal Rental Assistance		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.	01/29/2021 - Signed by GOVERNOR.;01/29/2021 - Chaptered by Secretary of State. Chapter No. 2021-002
<b>SB 95</b> Skinner (D)	Budget Act of 2021		Expresses the intent of the Legislature to enact statutory changes relating to the Budget Act of 2021.	02/22/2021 - From ASSEMBLY Committee on BUDGET with author's amendments.;02/22/2021 - In ASSEMBLY. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on BUDGET.
<b>SB 99</b> Dodd (D)	Community Energy Resilience Act of 2021		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. Sets forth guiding principles for plan development, including equitable access to reliable energy and integration with other existing local planning documents.	01/28/2021 - To SENATE Committee on ENERGY, UTILITIES AND COMMUNICATIONS.
<b>SB 109</b> Dodd (D)	Office of Wildfire Technology Research and Development		Establishes the Office of Wildfire Technology Research and Development within the Office of Emergency Services under the direct control of the Director of the Office of Emergency Services. Makes the office responsible for studying, testing, and advising regarding procurement of emerging technologies and tools in order to more effectively prevent and suppress wildfires, and serving as the central organizing hub for the state government's identification of emerging wildfire technologies.	01/28/2021 - To SENATE Committee on GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATION.
<b>SB 209</b> Dahle (R)	State of Emergency: Termination After 7 Days: Extension		Requires a state of emergency to terminate 7 days after the Governor's proclamation of the state of emergency unless the Legislature extends it by a concurrent resolution.	02/10/2021 - To SENATE Committee on GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATION.



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<b><u>SB 219</u></b> McGuire (D)	Property Tax: Delinquent Penalty Cost: Health Orders		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.	01/28/2021 - To SENATE Committee on GOVERNANCE AND FINANCE.
<b><u>SB 222</u></b> Dodd (D)	Water Affordability Assistance Program	CONCERNS	Establishes the Water Affordability 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.	02/08/2021 - Withdrawn from SENATE Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY.;02/08/2021 - Re-referred to SENATE Committees on ENERGY, UTILITIES AND COMMUNICATIONS and ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY.
<b><u>SB 223</u></b> Dodd (D)	Discontinuation of Residential Water Service	OPPOSE UNLESS AMENDED	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.	01/28/2021 - To SENATE Committees on ENERGY, UTILITIES AND COMMUNICATIONS and ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY and JUDICIARY.;01/28/2021 - In SENATE. Rescinds referral to Committee on JUDICIARY due to limitations concerning COVID-19 virus.
<b><u>SB 230</u></b> Portantino (D)	State Water Resources Control Board: Constituents		Requires the State Water Resources Control Board to establish, maintain, and direct an ongoing, dedicated program called the Constituents of Emerging Concern Program to assess the state of information and recommend areas for further study on, among other things, the occurrence of Constituents of Emerging Concern in drinking water sources and treated drinking water.	01/28/2021 - To SENATE Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY.

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<b><u>SB 233</u></b> Umberg (D)	Impact of COVID-19		States the intent of the Legislature to enact legislation to address challenges in the judiciary as a result of the pandemic caused by coronavirus.	01/28/2021 - To SENATE Committee on RULES.
<b><u>SB 239</u></b> Banking and Financial Institutions Cmt	Government Finance Surplus Investments		Requires bonds or interest bearing notes that are eligible for investment of surplus state funds to be on obligations that are issued by or fully guaranteed as to principal and interest by a federal agency of the United States or a United States government sponsored enterprise, as defined by specified federal law.	02/03/2021 - To SENATE Committee on BANKING AND FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS.
<b><u>SB 241</u></b> Umberg (D)	Civil Discovery		Declares the intent of the Legislature to enact legislation that would streamline discovery processes in order to reduce costs to the courts and litigants.	02/03/2021 - To SENATE Committee on RULES.
<b><u>SB 265</u></b> Borgeas (R)	Property Tax: Reassessment		Makes nonsubstantive changes to existing law which authorizes a county board of supervisors, by ordinance, to provide an assessee of taxable property, or a person liable for the taxes thereon, whose property was damaged or destroyed without that persons fault, the opportunity to apply for reassessment of that property, as specified.	02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Article IV. Section 8(a) of the Constitution dispensed with.;02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Joint Rule 55 suspended.
<b><u>SB 270</u></b> Durazo (D)	Public Employment: Labor Relations: Employee Data		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.	02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Article IV. Section 8(a) of the Constitution dispensed with.;02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Joint Rule 55 suspended.
<b><u>SB 273</u></b> Hertzberg (D)	Water Quality: Municipal Wastewater Agencies		Authorizes a municipal wastewater agency to enter into agreements with entities responsible for stormwater management for the purpose of managing stormwater and dry weather runoff, to acquire, construct, expand, operate, maintain, and provide facilities for specified purposes relating to managing stormwater and dry weather runoff, and to levy taxes, fees, and charges consistent with the municipal wastewater	02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Article IV. Section 8(a) of the Constitution dispensed with.;02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Joint Rule 55 suspended.

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			agency's existing authority in order to fund projects undertaken pursuant to the bill.	
<b><u>SB 274</u></b> Wieckowski (D)	Local Government Meetings: Agenda and Documents		Requires a local agency with an internet website, or its designee, to email a copy of, or website link to, the agenda or a copy of all the documents constituting the agenda packet if the person requests that the items be delivered by email. Requires the legislative body or its designee to send by mail a copy of the agenda or a website link to the agenda and to mail a copy of all other documents constituting the agenda packet, if specified criteria or circumstances are met.	02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Article IV. Section 8(a) of the Constitution dispensed with.;02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Joint Rule 55 suspended.
<b><u>SB 278</u></b> Leyva (D)	PERS: Disallowed Compensation: Benefit Adjustments		Relates to the PERS (Public Employees' Retirement System). Establishes new procedures under PERL (Public Employees' Retirement Law) for cases in which PERS determines that the benefits of a member or annuitant are, or would be, based on disallowed compensation that conflicts with PEPR (Public Employees' Pension Reform Act of 2013) and other specified laws and thus impermissible under PERL.	02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Article IV. Section 8(a) of the Constitution dispensed with.;02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Joint Rule 55 suspended.
<b><u>SB 282</u></b> Dahle (R)	State Water Resources Control Board		Makes a nonsubstantive change in provisions establishing the State Water Resources Control Board.	02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Article IV. Section 8(a) of the Constitution dispensed with.;02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Joint Rule 55 suspended.
<b><u>SB 286</u></b> Min (D)	Elections: County Officers: Consolidation		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.	02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Article IV. Section 8(a) of the Constitution dispensed with.;02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Joint Rule 55 suspended.
<b><u>SB 294</u></b> Leyva (D)	Public Retirement: Leave of Absence: Service Credit		Removes the 12-year limitation for service credit earned on an employer-approved compensated leave under the Public Employees Retirement Law and Teachers Retirement Law.	02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Article IV. Section 8(a) of the Constitution dispensed with.;02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Joint Rule 55 suspended.

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<b><u>SB 295</u></b> Dahle (R)	District Elections		Makes a technical, nonsubstantive change to provisions of existing law concerning the Uniform District Election Law and terms of elected members.	02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Article IV. Section 8(a) of the Constitution dispensed with.;02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Joint Rule 55 suspended.
<b><u>SB 297</u></b> Durazo (D)	Subsurface Installations: Penalties		Enacts the Wade Kilpatrick Gas Safety Act of 2021. Prescribes new penalties applicable to excavators that fail to provide notice to a gas corporation of the need to locate and mark subsurface installations, or that commence excavation before a gas corporation marks subsurface installations, and then damage a subsurface installation.	02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Article IV. Section 8(a) of the Constitution dispensed with.;02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Joint Rule 55 suspended.
<b><u>SB 305</u></b> Jones (R)	Political Reform Act of 1974: Electronic Filing		Imposes the online and electronic filing system with respect to specified committees, slate mailer organizations, lobbyists, and other persons. Eliminates the requirement that individual lobbyists, lobbying firms, lobbying coalitions, and lobbyist employers, as defined, file their registration statements, any amendments, or notices of termination, in physical form with the Secretary of State.	02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Article IV. Section 8(a) of the Constitution dispensed with.;02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Joint Rule 55 suspended.
<b><u>SB 318</u></b> Melendez (R)	Land Use: Development Fee or Charge: Auditor Standards		Requires that under the Mitigation Fee Act, an independent auditor be a certified public accountant, or a firm of certified public accountants, concerning an audit to determine whether a fee or charge is reasonable.	02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Article IV. Section 8(a) of the Constitution dispensed with.;02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Joint Rule 55 suspended.;02/22/2021 - To SENATE Committee on GOVERNANCE AND FINANCE.
<b><u>SB 319</u></b> Melendez (R)	Land Use: Development Fees: Audit		Requires an audit, to determine whether a fee or charge levied by a local agency exceeds the amount reasonably necessary to cover the cost of any product, public facility, or service provided by the local agency, to include each consecutive year the local agency did not comply with the disclosure requirement.	02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Article IV. Section 8(a) of the Constitution dispensed with.;02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Joint Rule 55 suspended.;02/22/2021 - To SENATE Committee on GOVERNANCE AND FINANCE.
<b><u>SB 323</u></b> Caballero (D)	Local Government: Water or Sewer	SUPPORT	Applies the same judicial action procedure and timelines, as stated in existing law, to ordinances, resolutions, or motions adopting,	02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Article IV. Section 8(a) of the Constitution dispensed with.;02/22/2021 - In

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	Service: Legal Actions		modifying, or amending water or sewer service fees or charges, except as provided.	SENATE. Joint Rule 55 suspended.;02/22/2021 - To SENATE Committees on GOVERNANCE AND FINANCE and JUDICIARY.
<b><u>SB 335</u></b> Cortese (D)	Workers' Compensation: Proceedings: Payment Delay		Makes technical, nonsubstantive changes to provisions concerning workers' compensation proceedings.	02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Article IV. Section 8(a) of the Constitution dispensed with.;02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Joint Rule 55 suspended.;02/22/2021 - To SENATE Committee on RULES.
<b><u>SB 336</u></b> Ochoa Bogh (R)	Public Health: COVID-19		Provides that before the State Department of Public Health or a local health official takes measures to prevent the spread of COVID-19, as defined, they publish the measures for 72 hours on their internet website and reach out to local organizations representing local business interests.	02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Article IV. Section 8(a) of the Constitution dispensed with.;02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Joint Rule 55 suspended.;02/22/2021 - To SENATE Committee on HEALTH.
<b><u>SB 342</u></b> Gonzalez (D)	Environmental Justice		States the intent of the Legislature to enact subsequent legislation to increase environmental justice representation at a local level.	02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Article IV. Section 8(a) of the Constitution dispensed with.;02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Joint Rule 55 suspended.;02/22/2021 - To SENATE Committee on RULES.
<b><u>SB 345</u></b> Becker (D)	Energy Programs and Projects: Nonenergy Benefits		Requires the Public Utilities Commission to establish common definitions of nonenergy benefits, as defined, and attempt to determine consistent values for use in all distributed energy resource, as defined, programs, incorporate nonenergy benefits in distributed energy resource programs and projects, and track the nonenergy benefits produced in distributed energy resource programs during program evaluations.	02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Article IV. Section 8(a) of the Constitution dispensed with.;02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Joint Rule 55 suspended.;02/22/2021 - To SENATE Committee on ENERGY, UTILITIES AND COMMUNICATIONS.
<b><u>SB 351</u></b> Caballero (D)	Water Innovation Act of 2021		Enacts the Water Innovation Act of 2021. Creates the Office of Water Innovation at the California Water Commission for the furtherance of new technologies and other innovative approaches in the water sector. Requires the office to take specified measures to advance innovation in the water sector.	02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Article IV. Section 8(a) of the Constitution dispensed with.;02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Joint Rule 55 suspended.;02/22/2021 - To SENATE

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				Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES AND WATER.
<b><u>SB 369</u></b> Pan (D)	Flood Control: Yolo Bypass Cache Slough Partnership		Establishes the Yolo Bypass Cache Slough Partnership Multibenefit Program to support the development and implementation of projects within the Yolo Bypass and Cache Slough region. Defines Yolo Bypass Cache Slough Partnership to mean the multiagency partnership established pursuant to a memorandum of understanding signed in May 2016 by a total of 15 participating federal, state, and local agencies.	02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Article IV. Section 8(a) of the Constitution dispensed with.;02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Joint Rule 55 suspended.;02/22/2021 - To SENATE Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES AND WATER.
<b><u>SB 372</u></b> Leyva (D)	Medium- and Heavy-Duty Fleet Purchasing Program		Requires an unspecified agency to establish a program to make financing tools and nonfinancial supports available to the operators of medium- and heavy-duty vehicle fleets to enable those operators to transition their fleets to zero-emission vehicles.	02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Article IV. Section 8(a) of the Constitution dispensed with.;02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Joint Rule 55 suspended.;02/22/2021 - To SENATE Committee on RULES.
<b><u>SB 375</u></b> Wilk (R)	Joint Powers Agreements		Makes a nonsubstantive change to the definition of public agency for purposes of the Joint Exercise of Powers Act.	02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Article IV. Section 8(a) of the Constitution dispensed with.;02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Joint Rule 55 suspended.;02/22/2021 - To SENATE Committee on RULES.
<b><u>SB 376</u></b> Stern (D)	Fish and Game Code: Name Change		Renames the Fish and Game Code as the Fish and Wildlife Code and requires that any reference to the Fish and Game Code in that code or any other code means the Fish and Wildlife Code.	02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Article IV. Section 8(a) of the Constitution dispensed with.;02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Joint Rule 55 suspended.;02/22/2021 - To SENATE Committee on RULES.
<b><u>SB 381</u></b> Portantino (D)	Surplus Residential Property		Makes nonsubstantive changes to provisions of existing law which establishes priorities and procedures that any state agency disposing of surplus residential property is required to follow.	02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Article IV. Section 8(a) of the Constitution dispensed with.;02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Joint Rule 55 suspended.;02/22/2021 - To SENATE Committee on RULES.

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<b><u>SB 396</u></b> Dahle (R)	Forestry: Internal Combustion Engines: Fire Toolbox		Requires a dedicated set of tools to be located within the operating area on or near any forest, brush, or grass-covered land and accessible in the event of a fire, which fire toolbox shall contain a sufficient number of fire extinguishers, axes, 2 McLeod fire tools, and shovels so that, when added to any other tools on the industrial operation, each employee at the operation can be equipped to fight fire.	02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Article IV. Section 8(a) of the Constitution dispensed with.;02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Joint Rule 55 suspended.
<b><u>SB 403</u></b> Gonzalez (D)	Drinking Water: Consolidation		Authorizes the State Water Resources Control Board to also order consolidation where a water system serving a disadvantaged community is at risk of failing to provide an adequate supply of safe drinking water or where a disadvantaged community is substantially reliant on domestic wells that are at risk of failing to provide an adequate supply of safe drinking water.	02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Article IV. Section 8(a) of the Constitution dispensed with.;02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Joint Rule 55 suspended.
<b><u>SB 426</u></b> Rubio (D)	California Regional Water Quality Control Boards		Relates to existing law which provides that a California regional water quality control board is authorized to post notice upon a nuisance property, stating that the condition constitutes either a condition of pollution or nuisance which is required to be abated by correction of the condition, or it will be corrected at the property owner's expense. Changes the minimum amount of time the notice has to provide for a hearing from 10 days from the posting of the notice to 14 days from the posting.	02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Article IV. Section 8(a) of the Constitution dispensed with.;02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Joint Rule 55 suspended.
<b><u>SB 427</u></b> Eggman (D)	Water Theft: Enhanced Penalties		Authorizes the legislative body of a city or a county to make, by ordinance, any violation of an ordinance regarding water theft, as defined, subject to an administrative fine or penalty in excess of the limitations specified in existing law.	02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Article IV. Section 8(a) of the Constitution dispensed with.;02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Joint Rule 55 suspended.
<b><u>SB 440</u></b> Dodd (D)	Earthquake and Wildfire Loss Mitigation		Requires the Wildfire Fund Administrator, the Office of Emergency Services, and the Office of Energy Infrastructure Safety to create the California Wildfire Residential Loss Mitigation Program as a joint powers authority. Requires that program to provide mitigation against wildfire risk, including a grant program to assist qualifying owners to	02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Article IV. Section 8(a) of the Constitution dispensed with.;02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Joint Rule 55 suspended.

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			retrofit their structures to protect against wildfire or to create a defensible space around their structures.	
<b>SB 443</b> Newman (D)	Elections: Redistricting		Makes the criteria for the district boundaries of for the members of the governing body of a county board of education, school district, community college district, special district, city, or county, consistent with the criteria for Senate, Assembly, Congress, and State Board of Equalization districts established under the Constitution.	02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Article IV. Section 8(a) of the Constitution dispensed with.;02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Joint Rule 55 suspended.
<b>SB 448</b> Melendez (R)	Emergency Services Act: Emergency Powers: Limitation		Enacts the Emergency Power Limitation Act. Requires an emergency order, as defined, to be narrowly tailored to serve a compelling public health or safety purpose and limited in duration, applicability, and scope. Authorizes any person to bring an action to invalidate or enjoin enforcement of an emergency order that is allegedly unlawful.	02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Article IV. Section 8(a) of the Constitution dispensed with.;02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Joint Rule 55 suspended.
<b>SB 449</b> Stern (D)	Climate-Related Financial Risk		Requires a bank, corporation, credit union, finance lender, insurer, investment advisor, real estate investment trust, and mortgage lender, as those terms are defined, to, before January 1, 2023, and annually thereafter, prepare a climate-related financial risk report, as defined, and to submit to the department, and make available to the public on its own internet website, a copy of that report.	02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Article IV. Section 8(a) of the Constitution dispensed with.;02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Joint Rule 55 suspended.
<b>SB 456</b> Laird (D)	Climate Resiliency		Expresses the intent of the Legislature to enact subsequent legislation relating to climate resiliency.	02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Article IV. Section 8(a) of the Constitution dispensed with.;02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Joint Rule 55 suspended.
<b>SB 457</b> Portantino (D)	Public Employee Retirement Systems: Investments		Requires the boards of administration of the Public Employees Retirement System and the State Teachers Retirement System to provide employers that are school districts and cities that participate in the systems an option to elect an investment portfolio that does not contain investment vehicles that are issued or owned by the government of the Republic of Turkey.	02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Article IV. Section 8(a) of the Constitution dispensed with.;02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Joint Rule 55 suspended.



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<b><u>SB 459</u></b> Allen (D)	Political Reform Act of 1974: Lobbying		States the intent of the Legislature to enact legislation to increase transparency and public access to lobbying information illustrating how money is spent to influence the actions of California's government.	02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Article IV. Section 8(a) of the Constitution dispensed with.;02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Joint Rule 55 suspended.
<b><u>SB 463</u></b> Dahle (R)	Water		Expresses the intent of the Legislature to enact subsequent legislation relating to water.	02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Article IV. Section 8(a) of the Constitution dispensed with.;02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Joint Rule 55 suspended.
<b><u>SB 471</u></b> Hueso (D)	The Racial and Economic Equity Bond Act of 2021		States the intent of the Legislature to enact future legislation entitled the Racial and Economic Equity Bond Act of 2021.	02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Article IV. Section 8(a) of the Constitution dispensed with.;02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Joint Rule 55 suspended.
<b><u>SB 479</u></b> Laird (D)	Local Government Renewable Energy Self-Generation		Expands the local government renewable energy self-generation program definition of benefiting account to include accounts meeting specified requirements located within the geographical boundaries of a California Native American tribe. Expands the definition of a local government to include a California Native American tribe.	02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Article IV. Section 8(a) of the Constitution dispensed with.;02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Joint Rule 55 suspended.
<b><u>SB 484</u></b> Archuleta (D)	Home Inspections: Sewer Lateral Repairs		Declares that specified provisions of home inspection do not affect the ability of a plumbing contractor who holds a specified license to perform repairs pursuant to the contractors inspection of a sewer lateral connecting a residence or business to a municipal sewer system if the consumer is provided a specified disclosure before authorizing the home inspection.	02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Article IV. Section 8(a) of the Constitution dispensed with.;02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Joint Rule 55 suspended.
<b><u>SB 496</u></b> Laird (D)	Flood Control: Counties		Authorizes the board of supervisors of a county to appropriate and spend money from the general fund of the county for the reuse of flood waters in connection with streams or rivers in the county.	02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Article IV. Section 8(a) of the Constitution dispensed with.;02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Joint Rule 55 suspended.
<b><u>SB 501</u></b> Wieckowski (D)	Claims Against Public Entities: Minors		Revises the circumstances pursuant to which a board reviewing an application under the Government Claims Act for leave to present a claim relating to an injury to a minor is required to grant the application.	02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Article IV. Section 8(a) of the Constitution dispensed with.;02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Joint Rule 55 suspended.

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<b><u>SB 505</u></b> Hertzberg (D)	Wages: Withholdings: Written Authorization		Requires an employer, absent fraud, misrepresentation, or theft, to make a good faith effort to consult with an employee to obtain a written authorization to resolve a monetary obligation before utilizing third-party collection services or commencing a civil action. Requires an employer, absent fraud, misrepresentation, or theft, to make a good faith effort to consult with an employee to obtain a written authorization to resolve a monetary obligation before utilizing third-party collection services.	02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Article IV. Section 8(a) of the Constitution dispensed with.;02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Joint Rule 55 suspended.
<b><u>SB 506</u></b> Jones (R)	California Environmental Quality Act: Greenhouse Gas		Prohibits the Department of Forestry and Fire Protection from requiring applicants for a grant or other funds made available to the department from the Greenhouse Gas Reduction Fund to consider the greenhouse gas emissions impacts of vegetation management projects pursuant to the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) as a condition of applying for or receiving a grant or other funds from moneys made available to the department from the fund.	02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Article IV. Section 8(a) of the Constitution dispensed with.;02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Joint Rule 55 suspended.
<b><u>SB 520</u></b> Wilk (R)	Water Resources: Permit to Appropriate: Applications		Requires the State Water Resources Control Board, if the board has not rendered a final determination on an application for a permit to appropriate water within 30 years from the date the application was filed, to issue a new notice and provide an opportunity for protests before rendering a final determination, with specified exceptions.	02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Article IV. Section 8(a) of the Constitution dispensed with.;02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Joint Rule 55 suspended.
<b><u>SB 526</u></b> Min (D)	Community Water Systems: Lead User Service Lines		Requires community water system to remove or replace the full lead user service line, if the community water system disturbs, removes, or replaces a portion thereof. Applies specified enforcement provisions to a violation of the requirements of the bill, thereby creating a state-mandated local program by expanding the scope of crimes under the California Safe Drinking Water Act.	02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Article IV. Section 8(a) of the Constitution dispensed with.;02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Joint Rule 55 suspended.
<b><u>SB 527</u></b> Melendez (R)	Greenhouse Gas Reduction Fund: High-Speed Rail		Eliminates the continuous appropriation of 25% of the annual proceeds of Greenhouse Gas Reduction Fund to the High-Speed Rail Authority on a specified date. Transfers 25% of the annual proceeds of the Greenhouse Gas Reduction Fund to the Salton Sea Restoration Fund.	02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Article IV. Section 8(a) of the Constitution dispensed with.;02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Joint Rule 55 suspended.

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<b><u>SB 531</u></b> Wieckowski (D)	Consumer Debt		Defines debt buyer to additionally mean a person or entity that is regularly assigned consumer debt for collection purposes and would prohibit a creditor from selling a consumer debt or assigning to a third party the right to collect payments on a consumer debt unless the creditor has provided a notice to the debtor at least 30 days before selling the debt that contains certain information, including the dollar amount of the outstanding debt.	02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Article IV. Section 8(a) of the Constitution dispensed with.;02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Joint Rule 55 suspended.
<b><u>SB 533</u></b> Stern (D)	Electrical Corporations: Wildfire Mitigation Plans		Requires an electrical corporation to ensure its electrical transmission and distribution system achieves the highest level of safety, reliability, and resiliency by modernizing, upgrading, including by installing one or more microgrids, replacing, hardening, or undergrounding, any portion of its transmission and distribution wires or poles that experiences a specified number of recurring deenergization events, as defined.	02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Article IV. Section 8(a) of the Constitution dispensed with.;02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Joint Rule 55 suspended.
<b><u>SB 542</u></b> Limon (D)	Zero-Emission Vehicles: Fees		States the intent of the Legislature to enact legislation to create parity between zero-emission trucks and their internal-combustion engine equivalents with regard to Department of Motor Vehicle fees and sales taxes paid by owners of Zero-emission vehicles.	02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Article IV. Section 8(a) of the Constitution dispensed with.;02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Joint Rule 55 suspended.
<b><u>SB 551</u></b> Stern (D)	California Electric Vehicle Authority		Establishes the California Electric Vehicle Authority within the Governors office. Requires the authority to coordinate activities among state agencies to advance electric vehicle and zero-emission charging infrastructure deployment as well as ensure related equity, workforce development, economic development, and other needs are addressed, as specified.	02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Article IV. Section 8(a) of the Constitution dispensed with.;02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Joint Rule 55 suspended.
<b><u>SB 552</u></b> Hertzberg (D)	Drought Planning: Small Water Suppliers: Water Systems		Requires small water suppliers, as defined, and nontransient noncommunity water systems that are schools, no later than a specified date, to develop and submit to the Division of Drinking Water for the state board an Emergency Response Plan that includes specified drought-planning elements.	02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Article IV. Section 8(a) of the Constitution dispensed with.;02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Joint Rule 55 suspended.

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<b><u>SB 559</u></b> Hurtado (D)	Department of Water Resources: Water Conveyance Systems		Establishes the Canal Conveyance Capacity Restoration Fund in the State Treasury to be administered by the Department of Water Resources.	02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Article IV. Section 8(a) of the Constitution dispensed with.;02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Joint Rule 55 suspended.
<b><u>SB 582</u></b> Stern (D)	Climate Change		States the intent of the Legislature to enact subsequent legislation in furtherance of achieving the states climate change goals.	02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Article IV. Section 8(a) of the Constitution dispensed with.;02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Joint Rule 55 suspended.
<b><u>SB 594</u></b> Glazer (D)	Elections: Local Redistricting		States the intent of the Legislature to enact legislation that would mitigate issues surrounding the potential delay in the release of census data and the effect of that delay on local redistricting.	02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Article IV. Section 8(a) of the Constitution dispensed with.;02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Joint Rule 55 suspended.
<b><u>SB 600</u></b> Borgeas (R)	Administrative Procedure Act		Makes a nonsubstantive change to provisions relative to the Administrative Procedure Act.	02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Article IV. Section 8(a) of the Constitution dispensed with.;02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Joint Rule 55 suspended.
<b><u>SB 602</u></b> Laird (D)	Public Contracts		Makes nonsubstantive changes to provisions concerning goals for for minority business enterprise, women business enterprise, and disabled veteran business enterprises concerning public contracting.	02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Article IV. Section 8(a) of the Constitution dispensed with.;02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Joint Rule 55 suspended.
<b><u>SB 606</u></b> Gonzalez (D)	Workplace Safety: Citations: Employer Retaliation		Requires the Division of Occupational Safety and Health to issue a citation to an egregious employer, as defined, for each willful violation concerning employer retaliations for reporting a workplace safety incident and each employee exposed to that violation would be required to be considered a separate violation for purposes of the issuance of fines and penalties, as provided.	02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Article IV. Section 8(a) of the Constitution dispensed with.;02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Joint Rule 55 suspended.
<b><u>SB 618</u></b> Borgeas (R)	Fire prevention Activities: Local Assistance Grant		Makes nonsubstantive changes to the definition of fire prevention activities.	02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Article IV. Section 8(a) of the Constitution dispensed with.;02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Joint Rule 55 suspended.
<b><u>SB 626</u></b> Dodd (D)	Construction Manager/General		Authorizes the Department of Water Resources to utilize the Construction Manager/General Contractor Procurement method, as	02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Article IV. Section 8(a) of the Constitution

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	Contractor Procurement		specified, for projects for the construction of a facility or infrastructure related to water resources.	dispensed with.;02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Joint Rule 55 suspended.
<b><u>SB 634</u></b> Labor, Public Employment & Retirement Cmt	Public Employees' Retirement		Prohibits a member of the State Teachers' Retirement System (STRS) from purchasing service credit for any school year if the purchase would result in more than one year of service for that school year.	02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Article IV. Section 8(a) of the Constitution dispensed with.;02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Joint Rule 55 suspended.
<b><u>SB 638</u></b> Hertzberg (D)	California Debt and Investment Advisory Commission		Makes nonsubstantive changes to provisions establishing the California Debt and Investment Advisory Commission.	02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Article IV. Section 8(a) of the Constitution dispensed with.;02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Joint Rule 55 suspended.
<b><u>SB 649</u></b> Cortese (D)	Local Governments: Affordable Housing: Local Tenant		Establishes a state policy supporting local tenant preferences for lower income households, as defined, that are subject to displacement risk, and, further, permits local governments and developers in receipt of local or state funds, federal or state tax credits, or an allocation of tax-exempt private activity bonds designated for affordable rental housing to restrict occupancy by creating a local housing preference for lower income households subject to displacement risk.	02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Article IV. Section 8(a) of the Constitution dispensed with.;02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Joint Rule 55 suspended.
<b><u>SB 656</u></b> Eggman (D)	Stockton-East Water District: Water Rates and Budget		Defines groundwater assessment for purposes of the Water Conservation District Law of 1931 establishing the Stockton-East Water District to mean groundwater assessment or charge. Specifies the rates the district was authorized to impose in the 2020 calendar year under existing law, and would prohibit the rates for stream-delivered water and for domestic and agricultural groundwater assessments or charges for the 2022 calendar year and thereafter from exceeding the 2020 rates.	02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Article IV. Section 8(a) of the Constitution dispensed with.;02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Joint Rule 55 suspended.
<b><u>SB 657</u></b> Ochoa Bogh (R)	Employment: Electronic Documents		Authorizes an employee working from home to receive legally required notices and postings electronically and sign or acknowledge certain documents electronically.	02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Article IV. Section 8(a) of the Constitution

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				dispensed with.;02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Joint Rule 55 suspended.
<b><u>SB 660</u></b> Newman (D)	Initiative, Referendum, and Recall Petitions		Prohibits person from paying money or providing any other thing of value based on the number of signatures obtained on a state or local initiative, referendum, or recall petition.	02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Article IV. Section 8(a) of the Constitution dispensed with.;02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Joint Rule 55 suspended.
<b><u>SB 666</u></b> Umberg (D)	Civil Litigation		Declares the intent of the Legislature, in light of the COVID-19 public health emergency, to enact legislation that would increase efficiency and reduce the cost of civil litigation.	02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Article IV. Section 8(a) of the Constitution dispensed with.;02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Joint Rule 55 suspended.
<b><u>SB 669</u></b> Borgeas (R)	California Renewables Portfolio Standard Program		Makes a nonsubstantive revision to a definition applicable to existing law, wherein the Public Utilities Commission has regulatory authority over public utilities, including electrical corporations, while local publicly owned electric utilities are under the direction of their governing boards.	02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Article IV. Section 8(a) of the Constitution dispensed with.;02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Joint Rule 55 suspended.
<b><u>SB 674</u></b> Durazo (D)	Public Contracts: Workforce Development		Requires relevant public agencies to develop a program, known as the State Jobs Plan Program, to meet specified objectives, including, as a component of applications for covered public contracts, creation of a form that states the minimum numbers of proposed jobs that are projected to be retained and created if the applicant wins the covered public contract, and proposed wages, benefits, and investment in training.	02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Article IV. Section 8(a) of the Constitution dispensed with.;02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Joint Rule 55 suspended.
<b><u>SB 676</u></b> Bates (R)	Forcible Entry, Forcible Detainer, or Unlawful Detainer		Relates to an action for forcible entry, forcible detainer, or unlawful detainer. Authorizes a defendant to file a motion to strike on or before the day fixed for the defendants appearance. Authorizes a party to file a motion for summary adjudication in the same manner as a motion for summary judgment.	02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Article IV. Section 8(a) of the Constitution dispensed with.;02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Joint Rule 55 suspended.
<b><u>SB 683</u></b> Ochoa Bogh (R)	Flood Control: Counties		Makes nonsubstantive changes to existing law relating to flood control in counties authorizes the board of supervisors of a county to appropriate and spend money from the general fund of the county for	02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Article IV. Section 8(a) of the Constitution dispensed with.;02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Joint Rule 55 suspended.

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			any of specified flood control purposes in connection with streams or rivers in the county.	
<b>SB 696</b> Allen (D)	Subdivision Map Act		Makes nonsubstantive changes to a provision excluding the construction, financing, or leasing of specified dwelling units and accessory dwelling units from the Subdivision Map Act.	02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Article IV. Section 8(a) of the Constitution dispensed with.;02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Joint Rule 55 suspended.
<b>SB 698</b> Grove (R)	Water Rights		Makes nonsubstantive changes to existing law that declares the right to water is limited to that water that is reasonably required for the beneficial use to be served, and does not extend to the waste or unreasonable use, unreasonable method of use, or unreasonable method of diversion of water.	02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Article IV. Section 8(a) of the Constitution dispensed with.;02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Joint Rule 55 suspended.
<b>SB 708</b> Melendez (R)	Water Quality Supply and Infrastructure Improvement		Authorizes the issuance of general obligation bonds to finance a water quality, supply, and infrastructure improvement program. Makes a nonsubstantive change to a provision of the Water Quality, Supply, and Infrastructure Improvement Act defining board for purposes of the State General Obligation Bond Law.	02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Article IV. Section 8(a) of the Constitution dispensed with.;02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Joint Rule 55 suspended.
<b>SB 719</b> Min (D)	Surplus Land		Prescribes requirements for the disposal of surplus land by a local agency. Defines terms for these purposes, including surplus land, to mean land owned in fee simple by any local agency for which the local agency's governing body takes formal action in a regular public meeting declaring that the land is surplus and is not necessary for the agency's use. Makes a nonsubstantive change to those definitions.	02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Article IV. Section 8(a) of the Constitution dispensed with.;02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Joint Rule 55 suspended.
<b>SB 728</b> Hertzberg (D)	Housing		States the intent of the Legislature to enact legislation that would prohibit state and local housing programs and incentives, including, but not limited to, programs under the Surplus Lands Act, local inclusionary housing ordinances, and the Density Bonus Law, from excluding, either explicitly or in effect, homeownership or for-sale opportunities for low-income individuals.	02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Article IV. Section 8(a) of the Constitution dispensed with.;02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Joint Rule 55 suspended.

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<b><u>SB 733</u></b> Hueso (D)	Energy Storage: Pumped Storage Hydroelectric Facilities		Requires the Public Utilities Commission to open a proceeding to determine appropriate targets, if any, for each load-serving entity, defined as including electrical corporations, community choice aggregators, and electric service providers, to procure viable and cost-effective energy storage systems to be achieved by December 31, 2015, and December 31, 2020.	02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Article IV. Section 8(a) of the Constitution dispensed with.;02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Joint Rule 55 suspended.
<b><u>SB 734</u></b> Hueso (D)	Dissolution Of Redevelopment Agencies		Makes nonsubstantive changes to existing law that dissolved redevelopment agencies and community development agencies as of February 1, 2012, and provides for the designation of successor agencies to wind down the affairs of dissolved redevelopment agencies and to make payments due for enforceable obligations.	02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Article IV. Section 8(a) of the Constitution dispensed with.;02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Joint Rule 55 suspended.
<b><u>SB 746</u></b> Skinner (D)	Consumer Privacy Act of 2018: Personal Information		Grants a consumer the right to request that a business disclose to the consumer whether or not the business uses personal information collected about the consumer for a political purpose. Requires a business that collects personal information about a consumer and uses that information for a political purpose to disclose to the consumer specified information upon receipt of a verifiable consumer request from the consumer.	02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Article IV. Section 8(a) of the Constitution dispensed with.;02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Joint Rule 55 suspended.
<b><u>SB 751</u></b> Gonzalez (D)	Environmental Justice		States the intent of the Legislature to enact subsequent legislation to promote environmental justice by ensuring that disadvantaged communities, often low-income communities of color, do not continue to be overburdened with unfair shares of pollution.	02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Article IV. Section 8(a) of the Constitution dispensed with.;02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Joint Rule 55 suspended.
<b><u>SB 752</u></b> Allen (D)	Elections: Disclosure of Contributors		Expresses the intent of the Legislature to enact legislation relating to these disclosure requirements.	02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Article IV. Section 8(a) of the Constitution dispensed with.;02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Joint Rule 55 suspended.
<b><u>SB 776</u></b> Gonzalez (D)	State Policy For Water Quality Control		Makes nonsubstantive changes to existing law which provides that the state policy for water quality control is required to consist of water quality principles and guidelines for long-range resource planning, water quality objectives, and other principles and guidelines deemed	02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Article IV. Section 8(a) of the Constitution dispensed with.;02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Joint Rule 55 suspended.



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			essential by the State Water Resources Control Board for water quality control.	
<b><u>SB 780</u></b> Cortese (D)	Local Finance: Public Investment Authorities		Authorizes the legislative body of a city or county to divide the district into multiple project areas, and require the resolution to form the district to state any project area proposed within the district. Authorizes the legislative bodies to appoint designees to the community revitalization and investment authority.	02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Article IV. Section 8(a) of the Constitution dispensed with.;02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Joint Rule 55 suspended.
<b><u>SB 786</u></b> Becker (D)	Water Conservation		Makes a nonsubstantive change to existing law which declares the intent of the Legislature to, among other things, promote urban water conservation standards that are consistent with the California Urban Water Conservation Councils adopted best management practices and specified requirements for demand management.	02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Article IV. Section 8(a) of the Constitution dispensed with.;02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Joint Rule 55 suspended.
<b><u>SB 794</u></b> Glazer (D)	Elections: Secretary of State		Requires the Secretary of State to summon the candidates subject to the tie vote to the Secretary of States office.	02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Article IV. Section 8(a) of the Constitution dispensed with.;02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Joint Rule 55 suspended.
<b><u>SB 807</u></b> Wieckowski (D)	Public Square: Construction of Building		Makes nonsubstantive changes to existing law which regulates public property of a local agency, as defined. Defines the term public square for these purposes. Authorizes the construction of a public building thereon if the legislative body of the local agency finds that is the best use for that land.	02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Article IV. Section 8(a) of the Constitution dispensed with.;02/22/2021 - In SENATE. Joint Rule 55 suspended.
<b><u>SB 813</u></b> Governance and Finance Cmt	Controller: Local Government Financial Reports		Specifies that local government financial reports shall be furnished at the time prescribed by the Controller and would revise the amount of time in which the report is required to be furnished to either 7 months or within the time prescribed by the Controller, whichever is later.	02/23/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<b><u>SCA 1</u></b> Hertzberg (D)	Elections: Referenda		Requires that the ballot for a referendum measure provide that a Yes vote is in favor of the referendum and rejects the statute or part of the statute subject to the referendum, and a No vote is against the referendum and approves the statute or part of the statute subject to the	12/07/2020 - INTRODUCED.

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			referendum, thus requiring a majority vote in favor of the referendum to reject the statute or part of the statute subject to the referendum.	
<b><u>SCR 5</u></b> Melendez (R)	State of emergency: COVID-19: Termination		Declares that the state of emergency proclaimed by the Governor on a specified date, is at an end, thereby terminating the emergency powers granted to the Governor as a result of that proclamation.	02/10/2021 - Re-referred to SENATE Committee on GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATION.
<b><u>HR 535</u></b> Garamendi (D)	Coronavirus Relief Fund Special Districts		Amends the Social Security Act, includes special districts in the coronavirus relief fund, directs the Secretary to include special districts as an eligible issuer under the Municipal Liquidity Facility.	01/28/2021 - INTRODUCED.;01/28/2021 - To HOUSE Committee on OVERSIGHT AND REFORM.;01/28/2021 - To HOUSE Committee on FINANCIAL SERVICES.
<b><u>HR 737</u></b> Valadao (R)	California Operational Flexibility and Drought Relief	SUPPORT	Extends the authorities under the Water Infrastructure Improvements for the Nation Act of 2016 providing operational flexibility, drought relief, and other benefits to the State of California.	02/02/2021 - INTRODUCED.;02/02/2021 - To HOUSE Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.
<b><u>HR 1015</u></b> Napolitano (D)	Water Recycling and Reuse Project Grants		Establishes a grant program for the funding of water recycling and reuse projects.	02/11/2021 - INTRODUCED.;02/11/2021 - To HOUSE Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.
<b><u>S 91</u></b> Sinema (D)	Coronavirus Relief Fund Special Districts		Amends the Social Security Act, includes special districts in the Coronavirus relief fund, directs the Secretary to include special districts as an eligible issuer under the Municipal Liquidity Facility.	01/28/2021 - INTRODUCED.;01/28/2021 - In SENATE. Read second time.;01/28/2021 - To SENATE Committee on FINANCE.