

AGENDA
IRVINE RANCH WATER DISTRICT
WATER RESOURCES POLICY AND COMMUNICATIONS COMMITTEE
THURSDAY, JULY 1, 2021

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CALL TO ORDER 3:00 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 Tettemer	_____	Amy McNulty	_____
	Jo Ann Corey	_____	John Fabris	_____
	Ray Bennett	_____		_____
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ALL VOTES SHALL BE TAKEN BY A ROLL CALL VOTE.

COMMUNICATIONS

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.

INFORMATION

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| 5. <u>2021 LEGISLATIVE AND REGULATORY UPDATE – COMPTON / COOK</u>


Recommendation: Receive and file. | |
| 6. <u>BUSINESS OUTREACH PROGRAM UPDATE – FABRIS / COMPTON</u>

Recommendation: Receive and file. | |

OTHER BUSINESS

7. Directors’ Comments
8. Adjourn

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July 1, 2021
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Approved by: Paul A. Cook 

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 receive and file this report.

BACKGROUND:

With the July 14 policy committee deadline looming, the California Legislature is looking forward to its summer recess. The Legislature will be on recess from July 16 to August 16. When the Legislature returns, the fiscal committees will have until August 27 to meet, and report bills to the floor. The last day for each house to pass bills this legislative year is September 10, which is the day the Interim Recess begins.

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.

State Budget Update:

Fiscal Year 2021-2022 State Budget:

On June 14, the Legislature passed a \$267.1 billion budget, meeting the June 15 constitutional deadline to pass a state budget for Fiscal Year 2021-2022 (FY 21-22). The Budget Act of 2021, which was a placeholder budget, provided a spending framework for the upcoming fiscal year but did not provide the normal level of detail contained in state budgets. It was passed with the understanding that budget negotiations would continue, and additional budget bills would be passed after the June 15 deadline enacting a complete FY 21-22 budget.

Of interest to IRWD, the Budget Act of 2021 authorized \$3.475 billion for water and drought resiliency, which aligned with the amount the Governor proposed with the May Revise but did not include much detail on that funding.

On June 25, the Legislature and the Governor announced that a final FY 21-22 budget agreement had been reached although negotiations continue on several budget trailer bills related to the final agreement. The final budget is expected to be adopted before July 1 although budget trailer bills related to the budget will continue to be adopted well into the summer.

The [final budget deal](#), which staff is still reviewing, includes:

- \$12 billion for homelessness programs;
- Increased rental assistance and an extension of the current eviction moratorium through September 30, 2021;
- \$8.1 billion in direct economic stimulus payments to Californians with an income of \$75,000 or less;
- \$1.5 billion for the Small Business COVID-19 Relief Grant Program providing small business and non-profits impacted by COVID-19 grants;
- An expansion of state-funded nutrition programs to those ineligible for CalFresh or the California Food Assistance Program solely due to immigration status; and
- An expansion of Medi-Cal to income eligible Californians 50 years of age or older regardless of immigration status.

Additionally, of interest to IRWD and the water community, the final budget includes:

- \$1 billion in CARES Act funding, provided to the State Water Resources Control Board (State Board), for water bill arrearages;
- \$1.385 billion in one-time funding for water and wastewater infrastructure of which \$650 million will be available for drinking water projects, \$650 million for wastewater projects, and \$85 million for groundwater cleanup and water recycling projects. (There is an understanding between the Legislature and the Governor that more funding will be forthcoming as negotiations on budget trailer bills are completed);
- \$30 million in one-time funding for water rights data modernization;
- Approval of \$4.2 billion in reimbursement authority and 21 permanent positions to oversee cleanup of contaminants including PFAS; and
- \$763 million for Department of Water Resources (DWR) and local assistance emergency drought support and relief efforts.

Staff will provide the Committee with an oral update on the budget and the budget trailer bill proposed to enact the process for distributing the funding for water bill arrearages.

2021 State Legislative Update on Other Bills of Interest to IRWD:

As has been traditionally done in July after the House of Origin deadline, staff has provided an update on each bill the District has taken a position on or has actively monitored during this legislation session. A summary and a status report on each bill are provided below:

- *AB 59 (Gabriel, D-Woodland Hills) – Mitigation Fee Act:* AB 59 would delete the provision of the Government Code that creates a 120-day statute of limitations for challenging water and sewer connection fees, and capacity charges and, instead, treat connection fees and capacity charges in the same manner as development impact fees (DIF). AB 59 is now a two-year bill, which cannot be taken up until next January, and is currently in the Assembly Local Government Committee. IRWD currently has an “oppose” position on AB 59;
- *AB 377 (R. Rivas, D-Salinas) – Water Quality: Impaired Waters:* AB 377 would require the State Board to prioritize enforcement of all water quality standard violations that are causing or contributing to an exceedance of a water quality standard in a surface water. It would also require that the State Board report its actions to the Legislature. AB 377 is now a two-year bill and is currently in the Assembly Appropriations Committee. IRWD currently has an “oppose” position on AB 377;
- *AB 460 (Mayes, I-Rancho Mirage) – Residential Fire Sprinklers:* AB 460 would prohibit water-related fees for residential property from being affected by the installation of a residential fire sprinkler system. AB 460 is in the Assembly Local Government Committee and is a two-year bill. IRWD currently has a “watch” position on AB 460.
- *AB 602 (Grayson, D-Concord) – Development Fees: Impact Fee Nexus Study:* AB 602 modifies the requirements for nexus fee studies and proposes to require that a fee levied or imposed on a housing development be proportionate to the square footage of the proposed unit or units being developed, unless specified findings are made explaining why square footage is not an appropriate metric by which to calculate the fees. AB 602 was amended to exclude water and sewer rates or charges from the definition of “fee.” AB 602 is in the Senate Governance and Finance Committee. IRWD currently has a “watch” position on AB 602;
- *AB 678 (Grayson, D-Concord) – Housing Development Fee Cap:* AB 678 seeks to place a statutory cap on the fees charged on new housing developments. AB 678 is in the Assembly Local Government Committee and is a two-year bill. IRWD does not currently have a position on AB 678 because it does not include water or sewer connection fees;
- *AB 818 (Bloom, D-Santa Monica) – Disposable Wipes:* AB 818 would require non-flushable wipes to be labeled clearly as non-flushable. AB 818 is currently in the Senate Judiciary Committee. IRWD has a “support” position on AB 818;
- *AB 1271 (Ting, D-San Francisco) – Surplus Land:* AB 1271 proposes changes to the Surplus Lands Act (SLA). AB 1271 is a two-year bill and is in the Assembly Housing and Community Development Committee. IRWD currently has a “watch” position on AB 1271;

- *AB 1434 (Friedman, D-Glendale) – Urban Indoor Residential Water Use*: AB 1434 would change the standards for indoor residential water use from 55 gallons per capita daily (gpcd) until 2025, 52.5 gpcd until 2030, and 50 gpcd after 2030 to 48 gpcd until 2025, 44 gpcd until 2030, and 40 gpcd after 2030. AB 1434 is a two-year bill and is currently in the Assembly Appropriations Committee. IRWD has an “oppose” position on AB 1434;
- *AB 1500 (E. Garcia, D-Coachella) – Climate Resilience Bond Act*: AB 1500 proposes a \$7.08 billion bond for safe drinking water, wildfire prevention, drought preparation, flood protection, extreme heat mitigation, and workforce development. AB 1500 is in the Assembly Rules Committee. IRWD currently has a “support if amended” position on AB 1500;
- *ACR 17 (Voepel, R-Santee) – Special Districts Week*: ACR 17 proclaims the week of May 16, 2021, to May 22, 2021, to be Special Districts Week. ACR 17 is being engrossed and enrolled. IRWD has a “support” position on ACR 17;
- *SB 45 (Portantino, D-La Cañada Flintridge) – Climate Resilience Bond Act*: SB 45 proposes a \$5.595 billion bond for wildfire prevention, safe drinking water, drought preparation, and flood protection. SB 45 is on the Senate Inactive File. IRWD currently has a “support if amended” position on SB 45;
- *SB 55 (Stern, D-Calabasas) – Very High Fire Hazard Severity Zone: Development Prohibition*: SB 55 would have prohibited new residential, commercial, retail and industrial development within a very high fire severity zone or state responsibility area. IRWD took a “seek amendments” position on SB 55 seeking clarification that the bill would not apply to water and wastewater utility infrastructure and facilities. The bill was amended to only apply to new developments containing residential dwellings. These amendments addressed the District’s concerns and the District moved to a “watch” position on the bill. SB 55 is a two-year bill and currently in the Senate Governance and Finance Committee;
- *SB 222 (Dodd, D-Napa) – Water Rate Assistance Program*: SB 222 would establish a Water Rate Assistance Program administered by the Department of Community Services and Development to provide drinking water and wastewater bill assistance to low-income ratepayers and ratepayers experiencing economic hardship. SB 222 passed the Senate and is in the Assembly Utilities and Energy Committee. IRWD currently has an “oppose unless amended” position on SB 222;
- *SB 223 (Dodd, D-Napa) – Discontinuation of Residential Water Service*: SB 223 would modify the laws governing when and how a water provider may discontinue residential water service for nonpayment. SB 223 also would require a water system, if it determined it could offer an arrearage management plan, to forgive water bills of low-income residential customers with household income below 200 percent of the federal poverty line. SB 223 was held on the Senate Appropriations Committee Suspense File. IRWD currently has an “oppose unless amended” position on SB 223;

- *SB 323 (Caballero, D-Salinas) – Legal Action on Water and Sewer Service Rates:* SB 323 proposes to establish a 120-day statute of limitations for challenging water and sewer rates. SB 323 is on the Assembly floor. IRWD currently has a “support” position on SB 323;
- *SB 427 (Eggman, D-Stockton) – Water Theft:* SB 427 would authorize a local water agency to adopt an ordinance prohibiting water theft and make a violation of that ordinance subject to specific fines or penalties ranging from \$130 to \$3,000. SB 427 is on the Assembly floor. IRWD currently has a “support” position on SB 427; and
- *SB 552 (Hertzberg, D-Van Nuys) – Drought Planning:* SB 552 would require, among other things, small water systems, to develop and maintain an abridged Water Shortage Contingency Plan no later than December 31, 2022, and require DWR to take specified actions to support the implementation of the recommendations from the County Drought Advisory Group. SB 552 is in the Assembly Local Government Committee. IRWD currently has a “support” position on SB 552.

Staff will discuss these bills and other legislation of interest to the District with the Committee.

2021 State and Regional Regulatory Update:

Other 2021 State Regulations:

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 reports 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:

- Executive Actions on COVID-19 and [Executive Order N-08-21](#);
- California Air Resources Board (CARB) [AB 32 Climate Change Scoping Plan Update](#);
- CARB [Advanced Clean Trucks Regulation](#);
- CARB In-use Off-road Diesel-Fueled Fleets Regulation Amendments;
- California Natural Resources Agency [2021 State Adaptation Strategy Update](#);
- California Water Commission’s [White Paper on the State’s Financing of Water Conveyance Projects](#);
- DWR and the State Board’s implementation of the [“Making Water Conservation a California Way of Life”](#) legislation;
- DWR and the State Board’s Indoor Water Use Study and Indoor Water Use Standard Recommendations;

- DWR's Work Group on Commercial, Industrial, and Institutional (CII) performance measures;
- Implementation of Executive Order [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 Direct Potable Reuse Regulations;
- State Board's drought monitoring and emergency actions;
- 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 Legislative Update:

IRWD's federal advocacy efforts in 2021 continue to largely focus on seeking federal funding for the Kern Fan Groundwater Storage Project and advocating for an increased funding authorization for the federal Water Storage Program. Staff will update the Committee on these efforts and the ongoing efforts related to positioning the Kern Fan Groundwater Storage Project for federal funding, and other federal proposals of interest to the District.

FISCAL IMPACTS:

Not applicable.

ENVIRONMENTAL COMPLIANCE:

Not applicable.

RECOMMENDATION:

Receive and file.

LIST OF EXHIBITS:

Exhibit "A" – IRWD Legislative Matrix

EXHIBIT “A”
IRWD 2021 LEGISLATIVE MATRIX
Updated 06/28/2021

Bill No. Author	Title	IRWD Position	Summary/Effects	Status
<u>AB 1</u> 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.	06/09/2021 - To SENATE Committees on ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY and JUDICIARY.
<u>AB 2</u> 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.	05/20/2021 - In ASSEMBLY. Joint Rule 62(a) suspended.;05/20/2021 - In ASSEMBLY Committee on APPROPRIATIONS: Held in committee.
<u>AB 9</u> Wood (D)	Fire Safety: Wildfires: Fire Adapted Communities		Establishes in the Department of Conservation the Regional Forest and Fire Capacity Program to support regional leadership to build local and regional capacity and develop, prioritize, and implement strategies and projects that create fire adapted communities and landscapes by improving watershed health, forest health, community wildfire preparedness, and fire resilience.	06/09/2021 - To SENATE Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES AND WATER.
<u>AB 11</u> 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.
<u>AB 15</u> 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	01/11/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT.

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			date of the COVID-19 Tenant Relief Act of 2020 to January 1, 2026. Prohibits a landlord from taking certain actions with respect to a tenant's COVID-19 rental debt, including, among others, charging or attempting to collect late fees, or withholding a service or amenity.	
<u>AB 16</u> 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.
<u>AB 20</u> Lee (D)	Political Reform Act of 1974: Corporate-Free Elections		Enacts the Corporate-Free Elections Act. Prohibits 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.	04/29/2021 - In ASSEMBLY Committee on ELECTIONS: Heard, remains in Committee.
<u>AB 25</u> 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.
<u>AB 29</u> 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.	05/20/2021 - In ASSEMBLY Committee on APPROPRIATIONS: Held in committee.

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<u>AB 33</u> Ting (D)	Energy Storage Systems		Requires the Energy Commission, in administering the State Energy Conservation Assistance Account, to provide grants and loans to maximize energy use savings, expand installation of energy storage systems and expand the availability of transportation electrification infrastructure. Makes changes to terminology used in the Energy Conservation Assistance Act of 1979.	06/03/2021 - To SENATE Committee on ENERGY, UTILITIES AND COMMUNICATIONS.
<u>AB 49</u> Petrie-Norris (D)	California Debt Limit Allocation Committee		Abolishes the California Debt Limit Allocation Committee and transfer its powers, duties, and functions to the California Tax Credit Allocation Committee.	04/28/2021 - In ASSEMBLY Committee on ACCOUNTABILITY AND ADMINISTRATIVE REVIEW: Not heard.
<u>AB 50</u> 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.
<u>AB 51</u> 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.
<u>AB 52</u> 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.
<u>AB 55</u> 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.

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<u>AB 59</u> 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 the meeting. Requires the local agency to make that information available to the public at least 30 days before the meeting.	01/11/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committees on LOCAL GOVERNMENT and HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT.
<u>AB 63</u> 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.	05/12/2021 - To SENATE Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES AND WATER.
<u>AB 64</u> Quirk (D)	Electricity: Long-term Backup Electricity Supply		Requires the PUC, Energy Commission, and state board, in consultation with all balancing authorities, to additionally develop a strategy, by a specified date, that achieves (1) a target of 5 gigawatthours of operational long-term backup electricity, as specified, by a specified date, and (2) a target of at least an additional 5 gigawatthours of operational long-term backup electricity in each subsequent year through 2045.	03/23/2021 - In ASSEMBLY. Read second time and amended. Re- referred to Committee on UTILITIES AND ENERGY.
<u>AB 67</u> 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 based on projections provided by the Ocean Protection Council 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.	05/20/2021 - In ASSEMBLY Committee on APPROPRIATIONS: Held in committee.
<u>AB 69</u> 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.

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<u>AB 72</u> 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.	06/09/2021 - To SENATE Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES AND WATER.
<u>AB 84</u> Budget Cmt	Rehiring and Retention: Displaced Workers		Appropriates specified amount and make available through June 30, 2025, from the Labor and Workforce Development Fund to the Labor Commissioner for staffing resources to implement and enforce the provisions related to the rehiring and retention of workers displaced due to the Coronavirus pandemic.	05/18/2021 - Re-referred to SENATE Committee on BUDGET AND FISCAL REVIEW.
<u>AB 93</u> Garcia E (D)	Pandemic Response Practices		Requires the Legislative Analyst's Office to conduct a comprehensive review and analysis of issues related to the state's response to the COVID-19 pandemic, including, among others, whether local public health departments were sufficiently staffed and funded to handle specified pandemic-related responsibilities, and what specific measures of accountability the state applied to monitor and confirm that local public health departments were following state directives.	03/25/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on HEALTH.;03/25/2021 - From ASSEMBLY Committee on HEALTH with author's amendments.;03/25/2021 - In ASSEMBLY. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on HEALTH.
<u>AB 95</u> Low (D)	Employees: Bereavement Leave		Enacts the Bereavement Leave Act of 2021. Requires an employer with 25 or more employees to grant a request made by any employee to take 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.	05/20/2021 - In ASSEMBLY Committee on APPROPRIATIONS. Held in committee and made a Two-year bill.
<u>AB 96</u> 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	04/08/2021 - In ASSEMBLY. Coauthors revised.

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			support early commercial deployment of existing near-zero-emission heavy-duty truck technology.	
<u>AB 100</u> Holden (D)	Drinking Water: Pipes and Fittings: Lead Content		Prohibits a person from manufacturing, and offering for sale in the state, an endpoint device, as defined, that does not meet a certain lead leaching standard.	06/24/2021 - From SENATE Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY with author's amendments.;06/24/2021 - In SENATE. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY.
<u>AB 108</u> 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.
<u>AB 111</u> Boerner Horvath (D)	Transportation: Zero-emission Vehicles		Requires the Secretary of the Transportation Agency, in consultation with certain state entities, to implement a Safe and Clean Truck Infrastructure Program to support the construction and operation of zero-emission medium- and heavy-duty vehicle parking and electric vehicle charging and hydrogen refueling infrastructure on public and private properties, and to encourage the use of zero-emission vehicles.	03/22/2021 - From ASSEMBLY Committee on TRANSPORTATION with author's amendments.;03/22/2021 - In ASSEMBLY. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on TRANSPORTATION.
<u>AB 119</u> 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 jurisdiction, to also include the range of fees assessed on individual parcels of real property subject to the special district's assessment.	01/26/2021 - From ASSEMBLY Committee on LOCAL GOVERNMENT with author's amendments.;01/26/2021 - In ASSEMBLY. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on LOCAL GOVERNMENT.

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<u>AB 123</u> 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.	06/21/2021 - From SENATE Committee on LABOR, PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT AND RETIREMENT: Do pass to Committee on APPROPRIATIONS.
<u>AB 125</u> Rivas R (D)	Equitable Economic Recovery, Healthy Food Access		Enacts the Equitable Economic Recovery, Healthy Food Access, Climate Resilient Farms, and Worker Protection Bond Act. Authorizes the issuance of bonds to finance programs related to agricultural lands, food and fiber infrastructure, climate resilience, agricultural professionals, including farmers, ranchers, and farmworkers, workforce development and training, air quality, tribes, disadvantaged communities, nutrition, food aid, meat processing facilities, fishing facilities, and fairgrounds.	04/15/2021 - From ASSEMBLY Committee on AGRICULTURE: Do pass to Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.
<u>AB 152</u> Budget Cmt	Elections		Authorizes a county that has previously conducted an all-mailed ballot election to conduct an all-mailed ballot election. Requires counties to conduct a voter education and outreach campaign.	06/24/2021 - In SENATE. Joint Rule 62(a) suspended.
<u>AB 221</u> Santiago (D)	Emergency Food Assistance		Requires the department, in consultation with a workgroup, to author a report to provide recommendations and solutions for a permanent food assistance program for low-income California residents experiencing food insecurity, to complete that report by a specified date and to submit a copy of that report to the Legislature.	06/24/2021 - In SENATE. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on APPROPRIATIONS.
<u>AB 230</u> 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	01/28/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on LABOR AND EMPLOYMENT.

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			compensation for those additional hours in a workday, except as specified.	
<u>AB 237</u> Gray (D)	Public Employment: Unfair Practices: Health Protection		Creates the Public Employee Health Protection Act. Makes it an unfair practice for a covered employer 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 an 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.	06/21/2021 - From SENATE Committee on LABOR, PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT AND RETIREMENT: Do pass to Committee on JUDICIARY.
<u>AB 244</u> 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.
<u>AB 252</u> Rivas R (D)	Department of Conservation: Incentive Program		Requires the Department of Conservation, in coordination with the Department of Food Agriculture, 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.	06/21/2021 - From SENATE Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES AND WATER with author's amendments.;06/21/2021 - In SENATE. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES AND WATER.
<u>AB 255</u> Muratsuchi (D)	COVID-19 Emergency Small Business Eviction Relief Act		Requires a landlord, who receives a statement by a commercial tenant supported by documentary evidence that the commercial tenant has experienced a decrease in average monthly gross revenue attributable to the Coronavirus pandemic, to conduct a good faith	06/03/2021 - In ASSEMBLY. Reconsideration granted.;06/03/2021 - In ASSEMBLY. To Inactive File.

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			negotiation to form a plan to allow the commercial tenant a reasonable opportunity to repay Coronavirus lease debt while minimizing the hardship to the landlord.	
<u>AB 267</u> 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 Department of Forestry and Fire Protection to report to the relevant policy committees of the Legislature to specified date.	06/02/2021 - From SENATE Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES AND WATER with author's amendments.;06/02/2021 - In SENATE. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES AND WATER.
<u>AB 284</u> 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 and identifying practices, policy and financial incentives, market needs, and potential reductions in barriers that would help achieve the 2045 climate goal.	06/09/2021 - To SENATE Committees on ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY and NATURAL RESOURCES AND WATER.
<u>AB 297</u> 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.	04/21/2021 - From ASSEMBLY Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES with author's amendments.;04/21/2021 - In ASSEMBLY. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.
<u>AB 304</u> Quirk (D)	Contaminated Sites: Waste Releases		Authorizes a responsible party to request the local officer to oversee a remedial investigation, as defined, or a remedial action, as defined, or both, only if the release of waste is not being overseen by the department or a regional water quality control board.	06/14/2021 - From SENATE Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY: Do pass to Committee on APPROPRIATIONS.

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<u>AB 315</u> Stone (D)	Voluntary Stream Restoration Property Owner Liability		Requires the state to indemnify and hold harmless a property owner who voluntarily allows their property 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.	06/09/2021 - To SENATE Committees on NATURAL RESOURCES AND WATER and JUDICIARY.
<u>AB 318</u> Levine (D)	Hazardous Waste: Exclusion: Cannabis Waste		Requires the Department of Toxic Substances Control, in consultation with the Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery and the Department of Food and Agriculture, to provide guidance to certified unified program agencies on how to characterize cannabis waste, as defined, under the hazardous waste control laws and regulations.	06/03/2021 - In ASSEMBLY. To Inactive File.
<u>AB 322</u> Salas (D)	Energy: Electric Program Investment Charge Program		Requires the Energy Commission to consider, in the investment planning process for the EPIC program, funding for eligible biomass conversion to energy projects. Requires the commission to consider the recommendations of the State Air Resources Board and the State Board of Forestry and Fire Protection, and to coordinate with the Natural Resources Agency, the Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery, and the Department of Food and Agriculture about the need for biomass conversion.	06/24/2021 - From SENATE Committee on ENERGY, UTILITIES AND COMMUNICATIONS with author's amendments.;06/24/2021 - In SENATE. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on ENERGY, UTILITIES AND COMMUNICATIONS.
<u>AB 327</u> Kiley (R)	COVID-19 Vaccination: Prohibits Required Disclosure		Prohibits state agencies, local governments, and any other state governmental authority from adopting or enforcing any order, ordinance, policy, regulation, rule, or similar measure that requires an individual to provide, as a condition of receiving any service or entering any place, documentation regarding the individual's vaccination status for any COVID-19 vaccine administered under an emergency use authorization.	04/15/2021 - In ASSEMBLY. Suspend Assembly Rule 96.;04/15/2021 - Re-referred to ASSEMBLY Committees on HEALTH and PRIVACY AND CONSUMER PROTECTION.
<u>AB 336</u> 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	06/22/2021 - *****To GOVERNOR.

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			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.	
<u>AB 339</u> Lee (D)	Local Government: Open and Public Meetings		Requires all open and public meetings of a city council or a county board of supervisors that governs a jurisdiction containing least 250,000 people to include an opportunity for members of the public to attend via a telephonic option or an internet-based service option.	06/25/2021 - From SENATE Committee on GOVERNANCE AND FINANCE with author's amendments.;06/25/2021 - In SENATE. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on GOVERNANCE AND FINANCE.
<u>AB 343</u> 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 with the California Public Records Act, and issue written opinions of its determination.	06/09/2021 - To SENATE Committees on JUDICIARY and GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATION.
<u>AB 345</u> Quirk-Silva (D)	Accessory Dwelling Units: Separate Conveyance		Requires each local agency to allow an accessory dwelling unit to be sold or conveyed separately from the primary residence to a qualified buyer if certain conditions are met.	06/16/2021 - From SENATE Committee on HOUSING with author's amendments.;06/16/2021 - In SENATE. Read second time and amended. Re-referred Committee on HOUSING.
<u>AB 346</u> 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.	04/08/2021 - In ASSEMBLY Committee on PRIVACY AND CONSUMER PROTECTION: Not Heard.

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<u>AB 350</u> 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 a critically overdrafted basin, as defined, in reaching water use reduction goals established pursuant to the Sustainable Groundwater Management Act. Authorizes the department to use specified guidelines to administer this program.	06/16/2021 - To SENATE Committee on AGRICULTURE.
<u>AB 355</u> Cooper (D)	Demand-Side Energy Management Programs		Requires the Public Utilities Commission to monitor the incentive program to ensure that savings generated by the program are equitable and ethical.	03/18/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on UTILITIES AND ENERGY.;03/18/2021 - From ASSEMBLY Committee on UTILITIES AND ENERGY with author's amendments.;03/18/2021 - In ASSEMBLY. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on UTILITIES AND ENERGY.
<u>AB 361</u> 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 of emergency or local emergency, when state or local health officials have imposed or recommended measures to promote social distancing, and during a declared local emergency, provided certain requirements are met.	06/22/2021 - To SENATE Committees on GOVERNANCE AND FINANCE and JUDICIARY.
<u>AB 363</u> Medina (D)	Carl Moyer Air Quality Standards Attainment Program		Requires the state board to establish or update grant criteria and guidelines for covered vehicle and infrastructure projects as soon as practicable, but not later than July 1, 2017. The state board's program guidelines describe the minimum criteria and requirements for on-road heavy-duty vehicles and the types of projects that can be incentivized to provide surplus emissions reductions from on-road	06/09/2021 - To SENATE Committees on ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY and TRANSPORTATION.

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			heavy-duty vehicles through contracts or through the On-Road Heavy-Duty Voucher Incentive Program (VIP).	
<u>AB 373</u> Seyarto (R)	State Emergency Plan: Update		Requires the California Office of Emergency Services to update the State Emergency Plan every three years.	03/03/2021 - From ASSEMBLY Committee on EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT with author's amendments.;03/03/2021 - In ASSEMBLY. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT.
<u>AB 377</u> Rivas R (D)	Water Quality: Impaired Waters	OPPOSE	Requires the state board and regional boards to prioritize enforcement of all water quality standard violations that are causing or contributing to an exceedance of a water quality standard in a surface water of the state.	05/20/2021 - In ASSEMBLY. Joint Rule 62(a) suspended.;05/20/2021 - In ASSEMBLY Committee on APPROPRIATIONS. Held in committee and made a Two-year bill.
<u>AB 379</u> Gallagher (R)	Wildlife Conservation: Conservation Lands		Authorizes the Wildlife Conservation Board to grant funds to, and enter into agreements, loans, or contracts with, a California Native American tribe to the same extent as any public or private entity. Authorizes the board to authorize the department to also accept federal grants and other financial support from California Native American tribes, and to also lease degraded potential wildlife habitat real property and sell former wildlife habitat real property to California Native American tribes.	05/19/2021 - To SENATE Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES AND WATER.
<u>AB 380</u> 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.
<u>AB 386</u> Cooper (D)	Public Employees Retirement:		Exempts from disclosure under the California Public Records Act specified records regarding an internally managed private loan made	06/21/2021 - From SENATE Committee on LABOR, PUBLIC

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	Investments: Confidential		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. Prescribes specified exceptions to this exemption from disclosure.	EMPLOYMENT AND RETIREMENT: Do pass to Committee on JUDICIARY.
<u>AB 404</u> Salas (D)	Workers' Compensation: Medical-Legal Expenses		Relates to Workers compensation. Requires that the medical-legal fee schedule be reviewed, and updated if necessary, to increase the conversion factor by the percentage increase in the most recent federal Medicare Economic Index.	06/21/2021 - From SENATE Committee on LABOR, PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT AND RETIREMENT: Do pass to Committee on APPROPRIATIONS.
<u>AB 418</u> Valladares (R)	Emergency Services: Grant Program		Establishes the Community Power Resiliency Program to be administered by the Office of Emergency Services, to support governments' efforts to improve resiliency in response to power outage events.	06/22/2021 - From SENATE Committee on GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATION: Do pass to Committee on APPROPRIATIONS.
<u>AB 426</u> 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 indirect and areawide sources of air pollution, including mobile sources drawn by those 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.	03/17/2021 - From ASSEMBLY Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES with author's amendments.;03/17/2021 - In ASSEMBLY. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.
<u>AB 427</u> Bauer-Kahan (D)	Electricity: Resource Adequacy Requirements		Requires the Public Utilities Commission to establish a capacity valuation methodology for customer-sited energy storage resources and customer-sited hybrid resources, as defined, in consultation with the ISO and the State Energy Resources Conservation and Development Commission for the 2023 resource adequacy year.	05/20/2021 - In ASSEMBLY Committee on APPROPRIATIONS: Held in committee.

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<u>AB 431</u> 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.	05/12/2021 - To SENATE Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES AND WATER.
<u>AB 436</u> 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.
<u>AB 440</u> Bigelow (R)	Bear Lake Reservoir: Recreational Use		Deletes a condition that bodily contact is allowed for no more than 4 months each year, and would delete the above-referenced minimum frequency for the Lake Alpine Water Company to conduct the monitoring program.	06/25/2021 - Enrolled.
<u>AB 442</u> 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 earthmoving operations conducted on lands owned or leased by, or upon which easements or rights-of-way have been granted to, MWD for specified purposes.	06/09/2021 - To SENATE Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES AND WATER.
<u>AB 444</u> Public Employment and	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	06/25/2021 - Enrolled.

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Retirement Cmt			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.	
<u>AB 460</u> Mayes (R)	Fire Protection: Residential Fire Sprinklers	WATCH	Prohibits water-related fees imposed on the owner of residential property from being affected by the installation of a residential fire sprinkler system on that residential property, including those residential fire sprinkler systems mandated by a local jurisdiction or a fire protection district.	03/25/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on LOCAL GOVERNMENT.;03/25/2021 - From ASSEMBLY Committee on LOCAL GOVERNMENT with author's amendments.;03/25/2021 - In ASSEMBLY. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on LOCAL GOVERNMENT.
<u>AB 464</u> Mullin (D)	Enhanced Infrastructure Financing Districts		Includes, in the list of facilities and projects the Enhanced Infrastructure Financing District may fund, the acquisition, construction, or repair of commercial structures by the small business, as defined, occupant of such structures, if certain conditions are met, and facilities in which nonprofit community organizations provide health, youth, homeless, and social services.	06/22/2021 - *****To GOVERNOR.
<u>AB 473</u> 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.	06/16/2021 - To SENATE Committee on JUDICIARY.
<u>AB 474</u> Chau (D)	California Public Records Act: Conforming Revisions		Enacts various conforming and technical changes related to another bill, AB 473, which recodifies and reorganizes the California Public Records Act.	06/21/2021 - From SENATE Committee on JUDICIARY with author's amendments.;06/21/2021 - In SENATE. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on JUDICIARY.
<u>AB 480</u> Carrillo (D)	Hazardous Substances		Revises a reporting requirement to require, for regulated facilities, a handler, or an employee, authorized representative, agent, or designee of the handler, to report a release or threatened release of a	06/16/2021 - To SENATE Committees on ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY and

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			hazardous material, hazardous waste, or hazardous substance to the UPA and the Office of Emergency Services immediately upon discovery of the release or threatened release.	JUDICIARY.;06/16/2021 - From SENATE Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY with author's amendments.;06/16/2021 - In SENATE. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY.
<u>AB 513</u> Bigelow (R)	Employment: Telecommuting Employees		Authorizes an employee working from home or a remote location not at the physical location of the employer to receive legally required notices and postings electronically and sign or acknowledge certain documents electronically.	03/17/2021 - From ASSEMBLY Committee on LABOR AND EMPLOYMENT with author's amendments.;03/17/2021 - In ASSEMBLY. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on LABOR AND EMPLOYMENT.
<u>AB 517</u> 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.	04/08/2021 - From ASSEMBLY Committee on WATER, PARKS AND WILDLIFE: Do pass to Committee on APPROPRIATIONS.
<u>AB 522</u> 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.
<u>AB 530</u> 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.

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<u>AB 554</u> 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.	05/20/2021 - In ASSEMBLY Committee on APPROPRIATIONS: Held in committee.
<u>AB 564</u> 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.	04/13/2021 - In ASSEMBLY Committee on ACCOUNTABILITY AND ADMINISTRATIVE REVIEW: Not heard.
<u>AB 566</u> Nguyen J (R)	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 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.	02/11/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<u>AB 571</u> Mayes (R)	Planning and Zoning: Density Bonuses: Housing		Relates to density bonuses for affordable housing. Prohibits affordable housing impact fees, including inclusionary zoning fees and in-lieu fees, from being imposed on a housing development's affordable units.	06/17/2021 - From SENATE Committee on Housing: Do pass to Committee on GOVERNANCE AND FINANCE.
<u>AB 588</u> Garcia E (D)	Safe Drinking Water Act: Compliance		Requires the state board to identify actions necessary to assist specified water systems to achieve compliance within any compliance period established. Requires the state board to identify a compliance period or periods, when it adopts a primary drinking water standard, of not less than 30 days and not more than 3 years, and to consider specified criteria when identifying the compliance period.	03/30/2021 - From ASSEMBLY Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL SAFETY AND TOXIC MATERIALS with author's amendments.;03/30/2021 - In ASSEMBLY. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee

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				on ENVIRONMENTAL SAFETY AND TOXIC MATERIALS.
<u>AB 602</u> Grayson (D)	Development Fees: Impact Fee Nexus Study	WATCH	Requires a city, county, or special district that conducts an impact fee nexus study to follow specific standards and practices. Requires a city, county, or special district to post a written fee schedule or a link directly to the written fee schedule on its internet website. Requires a city or county to request the total amount of fees and exactions associated with a project upon the issuance of a certificate of occupancy, and to post this information on its internet website.	06/09/2021 - To SENATE Committees on GOVERNANCE AND FINANCE and HOUSING.
<u>AB 620</u> 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.
<u>AB 622</u> 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.	04/07/2021 - In ASSEMBLY Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL SAFETY AND TOXIC MATERIALS: Not heard.
<u>AB 642</u> 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.	06/17/2021 - In SENATE. Rescinds referral to Committee on HOUSING due to limitations concerning COVID-19 virus.
<u>AB 648</u> 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	02/25/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.

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			reduce greenhouse gas emissions caused by uncontrolled wildfires, and prescribed fire and other fuel reduction projects through proven forestry practices.	
<u>AB 649</u> Bennett (D)	Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery		Establishes the Office of Environmental Justice and Tribal Relations within the department. Prescribes the duties of the office, including, among others, ensuring that the department's programs effectively address the needs of disadvantaged communities, low-income communities, California Native American tribes, and farmworkers.	03/11/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.;03/11/2021 - From ASSEMBLY Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES with author's amendments.;03/11/2021 - In ASSEMBLY. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.
<u>AB 654</u> Reyes (D)	COVID-19: Exposure: Notification		Relates to exposure of workers to the risk of infection with COVID-19. Adds the delivery of renewable natural gas to the list of utilities that the division's prohibitions are not allowed to materially interrupt. Deletes a provision regarding entry or use for the sole purpose of eliminating the dangerous condition.	06/01/2021 - In ASSEMBLY. Urgency clause failed adoption.;06/01/2021 - In ASSEMBLY. Motion to reconsider.
<u>AB 678</u> Grayson (D)	Housing Development Projects: Fees And Exactions Cap		Prohibits a city or county from imposing a specified fee or exaction if the total dollar amount of the fees and exactions that a city or county would impose on a proposed housing development is greater than 12% of the city's or county's median home price unless approved by the Department of Housing and Community Development. Authorizes a city or county to seek approval from the department to impose a fee or an exaction that would result in the total dollar amount of fees and exactions.	03/25/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committees on LOCAL GOVERNMENT and HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT.;03/25/2021 - From ASSEMBLY Committee on LOCAL GOVERNMENT with author's amendments.;03/25/2021 - In ASSEMBLY. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on LOCAL GOVERNMENT.
<u>AB 688</u> Nazarian (D)	Property Tax: Reassessment		Makes nonsubstantive changes to existing property tax law which authorizes a county board of supervisors to adopt ordinances that	02/16/2021 - INTRODUCED.

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			allow assessee's whose property was damaged or destroyed to apply for a reassessment of that property if certain conditions are met.	
<u>AB 692</u> 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 a certain date, if the City of Escondido uses a skilled and trained workforce for the Lake Wohlford Dam project.	06/10/2021 - To SENATE Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES AND WATER.
<u>AB 693</u> Chau (D)	Proposition 65: Enforcement		Requires, for all settlements generated by alleging a violation of or threatening to allege a violation of the Safe Drinking Water and Toxic Enforcement Act, the plaintiff or person acting in the public interest to submit those settlements to the court, and would additionally require the court, in order to approve the settlement, to find that neither the plaintiff nor the attorney representing the plaintiff has received any compensation from the alleged violator.	03/18/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committees on ENVIRONMENTAL SAFETY AND TOXIC MATERIALS and JUDICIARY.;03/18/2021 - From ASSEMBLY Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL SAFETY AND TOXIC MATERIALS with author's amendments.;03/18/2021 - In ASSEMBLY. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL SAFETY AND TOXIC MATERIALS.
<u>AB 697</u> Chau (D)	Forest Resources: National Forest Lands		Reorganizes the law relating to the Good Neighbor Authority Fund. Requires the Secretary of the Natural Resources Agency, 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.	06/17/2021 - From SENATE Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES AND WATER with author's amendments.;06/17/2021 - In SENATE. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES AND WATER.
<u>AB 698</u>	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	06/24/2021 - In SENATE. From Consent Calendar. To third reading.

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Env Safety & Toxic Material Cmt			provisions regarding the amount of hazardous waste and which hazardous wastes are included in, or excluded from, that calculation.	
<u>AB 703</u> 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.	04/29/2021 - From ASSEMBLY Committee on LOCAL GOVERNMENT with author's amendments.;04/29/2021 - In ASSEMBLY. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on LOCAL GOVERNMENT.
<u>AB 712</u> Calderon (D)	Local Agency Public Construction Act: Change Orders		Authorizes the County of Los Angeles to add a new change order cap of \$400,000 for contracts whose original cost exceeds \$25,000,000 and of \$750,000 for contracts whose original cost exceeds \$50,000,000, both of which would be adjusted annually to reflect the percentage change in the California Consumer Price Index. Imposes similar caps with regard to county highways, except that, on contracts up to \$250,000, it limits a change order to a net total addition of \$25,000.	06/24/2021 - In SENATE. Read third time. Passed SENATE. *****To ASSEMBLY for concurrence.
<u>AB 732</u> 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.	04/07/2021 - In ASSEMBLY Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL SAFETY AND TOXIC MATERIALS: Heard, remains in Committee.
<u>AB 736</u> 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.	04/07/2021 - In ASSEMBLY Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL SAFETY AND TOXIC MATERIALS: Not heard.

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<u>AB 747</u> 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.	04/07/2021 - In ASSEMBLY Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL SAFETY AND TOXIC MATERIALS: Not heard.
<u>AB 753</u> Grayson (D)	Barry Keene Underground Storage Tank Cleanup Trust Fund		Authorizes eligible owners and operators of underground storage tanks containing petroleum to file claims with the state board for reimbursement from the fund of corrective action costs, as provided, incurred to address releases of petroleum from these tanks.	06/14/2021 - From SENATE Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY with author's amendments.;06/14/2021 - In SENATE. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY.
<u>AB 754</u> Mathis (R)	Sustainable Groundwater Management		Authorizes the Department of Water Resources to extend the deadline for a high- or medium-priority basin not subject to critical conditions of overdraft to be managed under a groundwater sustainability plan or coordinated plans upon request of a local agency or groundwater sustainability agency in the basin for an extension of a specified period of time.	06/16/2021 - To SENATE Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES AND WATER.
<u>AB 757</u> 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.	02/25/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on LABOR AND EMPLOYMENT.
<u>AB 758</u> Nazarian (D)	Marks-Roos Local Bond Pooling Act: Electric Utilities		Expands the definition of a publicly owned utility for certain purposes to include a local publicly owned electric utility. Authorizes an authority to issue rate reduction bonds to finance or refinance utility projects for the provision of generation, transmission, or distribution of electrical service.	06/24/2021 - From SENATE Committee on GOVERNANCE AND FINANCE: Do pass to Committee on ENERGY, UTILITIES AND COMMUNICATIONS.

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<u>AB 772</u> Ramos (D)	Workers' Compensation: Medical Treatment		Clarifies that an employer is not limited in its ability to insure against an act of domestic terrorism or to provide benefits in excess of those required by existing law following an act of terrorism. Clarifies that when an employer approves a request for medical treatment from a treatment provider, without modification, the employer has completed utilization review under the law.	03/25/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on INSURANCE.;03/25/2021 - From ASSEMBLY Committee on INSURANCE with author's amendments.;03/25/2021 - In ASSEMBLY. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on INSURANCE.
<u>AB 794</u> Carrillo (D)	Air Pollution: Purchase of New Vehicles		Establishes specified labor and workforce standards that a fleet purchaser would be required to meet in order to be eligible to receive incentives for new vehicles under the incentive programs. States the intent of the Legislature to establish labor and workforce standards for clean vehicle incentive programs for manufacturers of motor vehicles to provide incentives for domestic job creation while rewarding high-quality jobs and extending economic opportunities to disadvantaged communities.	06/17/2021 - In SENATE. Rescinds referral to Committee on TRANSPORTATION due to limitations concerning COVID-19 virus.
<u>AB 800</u> Gabriel (D)	Safety Elements: Fire Hazard Severity Zones		Requires the director to also identify areas of the state as moderate and high fire hazard severity zones.	03/18/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committees on NATURAL RESOURCES and LOCAL GOVERNMENT.;03/18/2021 - From ASSEMBLY Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES with author's amendments.;03/18/2021 - In ASSEMBLY. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.
<u>AB 802</u> 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	04/07/2021 - In ASSEMBLY Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL SAFETY AND TOXIC MATERIALS: Not heard.

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			systems currently in use and with universities, scientific organizations, and experts on plastic pollution in identifying the best available control technology.	
<u>AB 805</u> 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 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.	05/20/2021 - In ASSEMBLY Committee on APPROPRIATIONS. Held in committee and made a Two-year bill.
<u>AB 814</u> 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 conducting contact tracing. Authorizes an employee of a law enforcement agency to conduct contract tracing of employees of the same law enforcement agency.	06/16/2021 - To SENATE Committee on JUDICIARY.
<u>AB 818</u> 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.	06/14/2021 - From SENATE Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY: Do pass to Committee on JUDICIARY.
<u>AB 819</u> Levine (D)	Environmental Quality Act: Notices and Documents		Requires the lead agency under CEQA to mail or email certain notices, and to post them on the lead agency's internet website.	06/24/2021 - In SENATE. Read third time. Passed SENATE. *****To ASSEMBLY for concurrence.
<u>AB 845</u> Rodriguez (D)	Disability Retirement: COVID-19: Presumption		Creates a presumption, applicable to the retirement systems that PEPRA regulates and to specified members in those systems, that would be applied to disability retirements on the basis, in whole or in	06/22/2021 - In SENATE. Read second time. To third reading.

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			part, of a Coronavirus disease 2019-related illness. Requires that it be presumed the disability arose out of, or in the course of, the member's employment.	
<u>AB 846</u> 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.	06/16/2021 - From SENATE Committee on EDUCATION: Do pass to Committee on APPROPRIATIONS.
<u>AB 850</u> Gallagher (R)	City Property: Sale of Water Utility Property		Extends the authorization of 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.	06/10/2021 - To SENATE Committee on GOVERNANCE AND FINANCE.
<u>AB 854</u> Lee (D)	Residential Real Property: Withdrawal Of Accommodations		Prohibits an owner of accommodations from filing a notice with a public entity of an intent to withdraw accommodations or prosecuting an action to recover possession of accommodations, or threatening to do so, if not all the owners of the accommodations have been owners of record for a specified amount of time, or with respect to property that the owner acquired within a specified amount of time after providing notice of an intent to withdraw accommodations at a different property.	03/18/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committees on HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT and JUDICIARY.;03/18/2021 - From ASSEMBLY Committee on HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT with author's amendments.;03/18/2021 - In ASSEMBLY. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT.
<u>AB 867</u> 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.	02/25/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on INSURANCE.

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<u>AB 870</u> 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 responsible party that is subject to, or affected by, the response or corrective action.	02/25/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committees on ENVIRONMENTAL SAFETY AND TOXIC MATERIALS and JUDICIARY.
<u>AB 878</u> 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.	04/08/2021 - From ASSEMBLY Committee on WATER, PARKS AND WILDLIFE: Do pass to Committee on APPROPRIATIONS.
<u>AB 885</u> 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. Requires a state body that elects to conduct a meeting or proceeding by teleconference to post an agenda at the designated primary physical meeting location in the notice of the meeting where members of the public may physically attend the meeting and participate.	03/24/2021 - From ASSEMBLY Committee on GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATION with author's amendments.;03/24/2021 - In ASSEMBLY. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATION.
<u>AB 890</u> Cervantes (D)	Public Employee Retirement Systems: Investment		Requires the Board of Administration of the Public Employees' Retirement System and the Teachers' Retirement Board to provide reports to the Legislature on the status of achieving objectives and initiatives, to be defined by the boards, regarding participation of emerging managers or diverse managers responsible for asset management within each retirement system's portfolio of investments.	06/16/2021 - To SENATE Committee on LABOR, PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT AND RETIREMENT.
<u>AB 893</u> 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	02/25/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on ACCOUNTABILITY AND ADMINISTRATIVE REVIEW.

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			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.	
<u>AB 897</u> Mullin (D)	Office of Planning and Research: Regional Climate		Requires a regional climate network to develop a regional climate adaptation action plan, plan and to submit the plan to the office for review, comments, and approval.	06/17/2021 - In SENATE. Rescinds referral to Committee on GOVERNANCE AND FINANCE due to limitations concerning COVID-19 virus.
<u>AB 906</u> 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 medium- or heavy-duty truck that is the subject of a lease entered into after July 1, 2022, with specified characteristics.	02/25/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committees on REVENUE AND TAXATION and TRANSPORTATION.
<u>AB 908</u> 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.	02/25/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.
<u>AB 909</u> 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.	02/25/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.
<u>AB 919</u> Grayson (D)	Construction Defects: Actions: Statute of Limitations		Shortens the timeframe in which specified actions against a nonprofit housing corporation, as defined, may be brought for underlying construction projects using a certified skilled and trained workforce.	04/13/2021 - From ASSEMBLY Committee on JUDICIARY with author's amendments.;04/13/2021 - In ASSEMBLY. Read second time

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<u>AB 926</u> Mathis (R)	Fire Prevention: Local Assistance Grant Program		Expands the definition of fire prevention activities to include the removal of hazardous dead trees, creation of fuel breaks and community defensible spaces, and creation of ingress and egress corridors. Requires the department to prioritize projects that have a completed, or nearly completed, environmental review document, as provided. Authorizes the department to consider and evaluate the wildfire risk within the proposed project area.	05/20/2021 - In ASSEMBLY. Joint Rule 62(a) suspended.;05/20/2021 - In ASSEMBLY Committee on APPROPRIATIONS: Held in committee.
<u>AB 930</u> Levine (D)	Subsurface Installations: Attorney's Fees and Costs		Requires a court or arbitrator to award reasonable attorney's costs and fees, including expert witness fees, to an excavator if the court or arbitrator determines that the excavator is not liable for damages to a subsurface installation for reasons related to inaccurate field marking, as specified, or if the excavator makes an offer to settle the matter that is not accepted and the plaintiff fails to obtain a more favorable judgment or award.	06/24/2021 - From SENATE Committee on BUSINESS, PROFESSIONS AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT with author's amendments.;06/24/2021 - In SENATE. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on BUSINESS, PROFESSIONS & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.
<u>AB 943</u> Garcia E (D)	Global Warming Solutions Act: Greenhouse Gas Reduction		Requires state agencies administering competitive grant programs that allocate moneys from the Greenhouse Gas Reduction Fund to give specified communities preferential points during grant application scoring for programs intended to improve air quality, to include a specified application timeline, and to allow applicants from the Counties of Imperial and San Diego to include daytime population numbers in grant applications.	03/11/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.;03/11/2021 - From ASSEMBLY Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES with author's amendments.;03/11/2021 - In ASSEMBLY. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.
<u>AB 953</u> Kiley (R)	Environmental Quality: Department of Fish and Wildlife		Requires the Department of Fish and Wildlife to separately track and account for all revenues collected under the above filing fee provision and all costs incurred in its role as a responsible agency or trustee agency under the California Environmental Quality Act.	04/12/2021 - In ASSEMBLY. Suspend Assembly Rule 96.;04/12/2021 - Re-referred to ASSEMBLY Committee on WATER, PARKS AND WILDLIFE.

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<u>AB 954</u> Petrie-Norris (D)	City Of Laguna Woods: Fire Protection and Public Safety		Authorizes the City of Laguna Woods to lease to a public agency or joint powers authority, for purposes related to fire protection or public safety, the park property upon which improvements were made pursuant to specified grant agreements funded in accordance with the California Clean Water, Clean Air, Safe Neighborhood Parks, and Coastal Protection Act of 2002.	03/25/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on LOCAL GOVERNMENT.;03/25/2021 - From ASSEMBLY Committee on LOCAL GOVERNMENT with author's amendments.;03/25/2021 - In ASSEMBLY. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on LOCAL GOVERNMENT.
<u>AB 956</u> 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.	03/04/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on UTILITIES AND ENERGY.
<u>AB 968</u> Frazier (D)	Wildfire Resilience: Community Certification		Requires the Natural Resources Agency to research, and provide a report to the Legislature with recommendations for, ways in which a community that undertakes science-supported wildfire resilience actions can be recognized with a peer-reviewed, community-level certification in order to acknowledge and motivate wildfire resilience activity, as provided.	03/18/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.;03/18/2021 - From ASSEMBLY Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES with author's amendments.;03/18/2021 - In ASSEMBLY. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.
<u>AB 969</u> Frazier (D)	Natural Resources Agency: Wildfire Technology Support:		Requires the Natural Resources Agency to provide a basic level of technological support to community organizations for wildfire risk reduction and resiliency, including technology for data, geospatial mapping, and data management, as well as software and limited technical support, and requires the Natural Resources Agency to structure this wildfire technology support in the same way that technology support is provided for similar services for wildfire-program building, outreach, and planning.	03/18/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.;03/18/2021 - From ASSEMBLY Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES with author's amendments.;03/18/2021 - In ASSEMBLY. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.

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<u>AB 972</u> 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.	03/04/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on ELECTIONS.
<u>AB 975</u> 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.	06/01/2021 - In ASSEMBLY. To Inactive File.
<u>AB 976</u> 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 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.	05/20/2021 - In ASSEMBLY Committee on APPROPRIATIONS: Held in committee.
<u>AB 979</u> Frazier (D)	Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta: Projects: Sea Level Rise		Requires any individual or entity that undertakes a project, as defined, within the Delta to complete a report analyzing the impact of sea level rise on the project.	05/20/2021 - In ASSEMBLY. Joint Rule 62(a) suspended.;05/20/2021 - In ASSEMBLY Committee on APPROPRIATIONS: Held in committee.
<u>AB 981</u> 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.	05/20/2021 - In ASSEMBLY. Joint Rule 62(a) suspended.;05/20/2021 - In ASSEMBLY Committee on APPROPRIATIONS: Held in committee.
<u>AB 987</u> Low (D)	Public Utilities: Civil Penalties		Requires the Commission to require any penalty imposed on a public utility, person, or corporation for a violation of the act, or for a violation of any order, decision, decree, rule, direction, demand, or	03/25/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on UTILITIES AND ENERGY.;03/25/2021 - From

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			requirement of the commission, to be paid no later than 2 years from the date the penalty was imposed, as provided.	ASSEMBLY Committee on UTILITIES AND ENERGY with author's amendments.;03/25/2021 - In ASSEMBLY. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on UTILITIES AND ENERGY.
<u>AB 992</u> Cooley (D)	Clean Truck, Bus, and Off-Road Vehicle and Equipment		Establishes the State Clean Truck, Bus, and Off-road Vehicle and Equipment Technology Program, which is administered by the State Air Resources Board, in conjunction with the State Energy Resources Conservation and Development Commission, to fund development, demonstration, precommercial pilot, and early commercial deployment of zero- and near-zero-emission truck, bus, and off-road vehicle and equipment technologies.	06/24/2021 - From SENATE Committee on TRANSPORTATION: Do pass to Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY.
<u>AB 995</u> 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.	06/03/2021 - In ASSEMBLY. To Inactive File.
<u>AB 1001</u> Garcia (D)	Air Pollution and Mitigation Measures for Air and Water		Provides that industrial sources that were subject to the market-based compliance mechanism and that fail to implement best available retrofit control technology are not eligible to participate in the market-based compliance mechanism.	04/20/2021 - From ASSEMBLY Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES with author's amendments.;04/20/2021 - In ASSEMBLY. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.
<u>AB 1005</u> 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.

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<u>AB 1013</u> 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.	03/04/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on LOCAL GOVERNMENT.
<u>AB 1017</u> Quirk-Silva (D)	Public Restrooms: Right to Restrooms Act of 2021		Requires each state agency and local government, as defined, to complete an inventory of public restrooms owned and maintained by the state agency or local government, as provided, that are available to the general population, as specified.	06/16/2021 - To SENATE Committees on GOVERNANCE AND FINANCE and GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATION.
<u>AB 1023</u> Flora (R)	Contractors and Subcontractors: Records: Penalties		Makes a contractor or subcontractor who fails to furnish those records relating to its employees in the manner specified liable for a penalty to be deposited into the State Public Works Enforcement Fund. Prohibits the Labor Commissioner from levying penalties under these provisions until a certain time after the deadline for furnishing records and require that these penalties accrue to the actual contractor or subcontractor that failed to furnish those records.	06/16/2021 - To SENATE Committee on LABOR, PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT AND RETIREMENT.
<u>AB 1027</u> 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.
<u>AB 1028</u> 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	03/04/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committees on LABOR AND EMPLOYMENT and JUDICIARY.

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			employer to notify the employee of this right one time, when the employee begins working from home.	
<u>AB 1030</u> 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.	03/04/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONS.
<u>AB 1037</u> Grayson (D)	Infrastructure Construction: Digital Construction		Requires the Department of General Services to develop guidance, policies, and procedures for the integration and development of digital construction technologies for use on a civil infrastructure project, as defined, that is developed by specified state entities and has a state project cost of greater than a specified amount.	06/10/2021 - To SENATE Committee on GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATION.
<u>AB 1041</u> 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 a designated person.	06/21/2021 - From SENATE Committee on LABOR, PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT AND RETIREMENT: Do pass to Committee on APPROPRIATIONS.
<u>AB 1058</u> Garcia (D)	Water Corporations: Bill Payment Options		Deletes water corporations from an authorization to offer credit card and debit card bill payment options, the associated cost recovery provisions, and the related statements of legislative intent, thereby limiting those provisions to electrical and gas corporations.	06/22/2021 - In SENATE. Read second time. To third reading.
<u>AB 1066</u> Bloom (D)	Freshwater Recreation Sites: Water Quality Monitoring		Requires the Water Quality Monitoring Council to direct a new or existing working group to study water recreation hazards at priority water-contact recreation sites, as specified.	06/24/2021 - From SENATE Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY with author's amendments.;06/24/2021 - In SENATE. Read second time and

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<u>AB 1074</u> Gonzalez (D)	Employment: Displaced Workers		Renames the Displaced Janitor Opportunity Act as the Displaced Janitor and Hotel Worker Opportunity Act and extends the provisions of the act to hotel workers.	06/16/2021 - To SENATE Committee on LABOR, PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT AND RETIREMENT.
<u>AB 1086</u> 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.	06/16/2021 - Re-referred to SENATE Committees on ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY and NATURAL RESOURCES AND WATER.
<u>AB 1092</u> Mayes (R)	Public Employees' Retirement: Health Benefits		Precludes a person who has retired under PERS and who obtains work with a subsequent employer from receiving any health benefits offered under PEMHCA if the person's subsequent employer offers health care coverage that provides reasonably comparable benefits. Prohibits, among other things, employees, annuitants, and family members who become eligible to enroll on or after a specified date in Part A and Part B of Medicare from being enrolled in a basic health benefit plan.	04/26/2021 - From ASSEMBLY Committee on PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT AND RETIREMENT With author's amendments.;04/26/2021 - In ASSEMBLY. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT AND RETIREMENT.
<u>AB 1099</u> Rivas R (D)	Environmental Equity: Bond and Fund Expenditures		Requires the administration of proceeds from the sales of bonds issued under a bond act that is enacted by the Legislature and is approved by the voters on or after a specified date, pursuant to the State General Obligation Bond Law and that addresses environmental issues, and the administration of certain funds established on or after a specified date, that provide financial assistance to eligible entities to incorporate certain principles of environmental equity.	03/25/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.;03/25/2021 - From ASSEMBLY Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES with author's amendments.;03/25/2021 - In ASSEMBLY. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.
<u>AB 1110</u> Rivas R (D)	Zero-Emission Vehicles; Clean Fleet Program		Establishes the Office of the California Clean Fleet Accelerator, administered by the GO-Biz.	06/09/2021 - To SENATE Committees on BUSINESS,

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				PROFESSIONS AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT and GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATION.
<u>AB 1119</u> 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.	05/20/2021 - In ASSEMBLY Committee on APPROPRIATIONS. Held in committee and made a Two-year bill.
<u>AB 1122</u> Garcia (D)	Employment Discrimination		Provides that, under Fair Employment and Housing Act, it is not a violation of the rights of any individual who is not chosen for an employer to hire or promote a member of a protected group, if the employer determines that the individual hired or promoted is qualified for the job and the individual hired or promoted is a member of a protected group that is underrepresented in the type of job in question in the relevant general workforce.	03/11/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committees on LABOR AND EMPLOYMENT and JUDICIARY.;03/11/2021 - From ASSEMBLY Committee on LABOR AND EMPLOYMENT with author's amendments.;03/11/2021 - In ASSEMBLY. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on LABOR AND EMPLOYMENT.
<u>AB 1141</u> Frazier (D)	Wildfires: Wildland Urban Interface Fire Research		Requires the Natural Resources Agency to develop and fund, upon an appropriation by the Legislature, a Wildland-Urban Interface Fire Research Center that addresses the wildland-urban interface fire problem and the need for wildfire prevention, detection, and mitigation planning, building, and response, and related economic, insurance, and modeling practices in the state.	03/18/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.;03/18/2021 - From ASSEMBLY Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES with author's amendments.;03/18/2021 - In ASSEMBLY. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.

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<u>AB 1142</u> 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.	03/04/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.
<u>AB 1161</u> 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.	04/13/2021 - From ASSEMBLY Committee on UTILITIES AND ENERGY with author's amendments.;04/13/2021 - In ASSEMBLY. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on UTILITIES AND ENERGY.
<u>AB 1164</u> 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. Provides that the structure is no greater than 20 feet in height, as measured from the lowest adjacent native ground elevation to the maximum achievable water surface impounded by the structure.	06/03/2021 - To SENATE Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES AND WATER.
<u>AB 1175</u> Aguiar-Curry (D)	Division Of Occupational Safety and Health: Inspections		Revises advance warning provisions to prohibit any representative of the Division Of Occupational Safety and Health from giving advance notice of an inspection or investigation to an employer or other person unless authorized under OSHA. Authorizes the chief or their authorized representatives to permit advance notice of an inspection or investigation when advance notice is necessary to ensure availability of essential personnel or access to the site, equipment, or process, as prescribed by the director.	03/11/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on LABOR AND EMPLOYMENT.;03/11/2021 - From ASSEMBLY Committee on LABOR AND EMPLOYMENT with author's amendments.;03/11/2021 - In ASSEMBLY. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on LABOR AND EMPLOYMENT.
<u>AB 1179</u> 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	05/20/2021 - In ASSEMBLY Committee on APPROPRIATIONS.

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			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.	Held in committee and made a Two-year bill.
<u>AB 1180</u> 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 federally recognized California Indian tribe.	06/25/2021 - Enrolled.
<u>AB 1188</u> Wicks (D)	State Rental Assistance Program: Data		Requires the Department of Housing and Community Development to retain data from designated sources, including data on the state rental assistance program, information submitted by eligible grantees that received the federal funding, and data on rental registries operated by local governments, as specified.	05/20/2021 - In ASSEMBLY Committee on APPROPRIATIONS: Held in committee.
<u>AB 1195</u> Garcia (D)	Drinking Water		Prohibits a public water system from transferring or abandoning a water right held by the public water system except upon approval of the state board.	06/17/2021 - In SENATE. Rescinds referral to Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES due to limitations concerning COVID-19 virus.
<u>AB 1205</u> Frazier (D)	State Air Resources Board: Elections		Requires a certain composition of the Air Resources Board.	03/18/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.;03/18/2021 - From ASSEMBLY Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES with author's amendments.;03/18/2021 - In ASSEMBLY. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.
<u>AB 1218</u> McCarty (D)	Motor Vehicle Greenhouse Gas Emissions Standards		Declares that, to help achieve the state's climate and air quality goals and mandates, it is the goal of the state that 100% of new passenger and light-duty trucks sales are zero-emission vehicles by 2035.	04/19/2021 - From ASSEMBLY Committee on

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			Requires, on and after January 1, 2023, total passenger vehicles and light-duty trucks sold by a manufacturer in the state in a calendar year to meet specified greenhouse gas emissions standards pursuant to a tiered plan.	TRANSPORTATION: Do pass to Committee on APPROPRIATIONS.
<u>AB 1232</u> 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.
<u>AB 1239</u> Ting (D)	Electricity: Demand Response Resources and Programs		Requires the PUC, by a specified date, to open an investigation into the root causes of demand response market failures and why demand response has not reached its potential and make recommendations for policy changes aimed at ensuring those market failures are not repeated. Requires that the investigation include public participation and be concluded by September 30, 2022.	03/29/2021 - From ASSEMBLY Committee on UTILITIES AND ENERGY with author's amendments.;03/29/2021 - In ASSEMBLY. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on UTILITIES AND ENERGY.
<u>AB 1250</u> Calderon (D)	Water and Sewer System Corporations		Authorizes a water or sewer system corporation to file an application and obtain approval from the Public Utilities 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 a certain time.	06/16/2021 - To SENATE Committees on ENERGY, UTILITIES AND COMMUNICATIONS and ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY.
<u>AB 1255</u> Bloom (D)	Fire Risk Reduction Guidance: Local Assistance Grants		Requires the Natural Resources Agency to develop a guidance document that describes goals, approaches, opportunities, and best practices in each region of the state for ecologically appropriate, habitat-specific fire risk reduction.	06/02/2021 - In ASSEMBLY. To Inactive File.
<u>AB 1256</u> Quirk (D)	Employment Discrimination: 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 nonpsychoactive cannabis metabolites in their urine, hair, or bodily fluids. Exempts from its provisions an employer that is required to conduct testing	04/12/2021 - From ASSEMBLY Committee on LABOR AND EMPLOYMENT with author's amendments.;04/12/2021 - In ASSEMBLY. Read second time and

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			for tetrahydrocannabinol by federal law or regulations, or that would lose a monetary or licensing-related benefit for failing to conduct testing for tetrahydrocannabinol.	amended. Re-referred to Committee on LABOR AND EMPLOYMENT.
<u>AB 1261</u> Burke (D)	State Air Resources Board: Greenhouse Gas Emissions		Requires the State Air Resources Board to establish specified processes to assist the state in achieving its greenhouse gas emissions reduction goals, including a process to identify any overlap among its incentive programs that share the same objectives and a process to define, collect, and evaluate data on the behavioral changes that result from each of its incentive programs.	06/09/2021 - To SENATE Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY.
<u>AB 1271</u> Ting (D)	Surplus Land	WATCH	Adds to the definition of "exempt surplus land" a former military base or other planned residential or mixed-use development of certain parcels of a certain size, that are subject to a written plan, where at least one of the owners is a local agency and meets other specified criteria. Provides that these provisions do not preclude a local agency that purchases surplus land from a disposing agency from reconveying the surplus land to a developer for development of low and moderate income housing.	04/19/2021 - In ASSEMBLY. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT.
<u>AB 1291</u> 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.	06/25/2021 - Enrolled.
<u>AB 1295</u> 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.	03/04/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committees on LOCAL GOVERNMENT and HOUSING and COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT.
<u>AB 1296</u> Kamlager (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	03/04/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.

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			Committee on Rules and one appointed by the Speaker of the Assembly.	
<u>AB 1313</u> 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 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.	03/04/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on JUDICIARY.
<u>AB 1325</u> 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. Establishes the budget for the program in an unspecified amount to be dispersed in successive phases to local public agencies for community microgrid development.	03/04/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on UTILITIES AND ENERGY.
<u>AB 1332</u> Flora (R)	Local Government Ordinances		Relates to existing law that authorizes 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. Makes nonsubstantive changes in the provision which prohibits the adoption by reference of any penalty clauses that may appear in any code that is adopted by reference.	02/19/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<u>AB 1354</u> 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.
<u>AB 1367</u> Low (D)	Political Reform Act: Committee and Campaign Funds		Imposes requirements on noncandidate committees that qualify as a committee under the act by receiving certain contributions. Authorizes a committee to redact the account number on a copy of a statement of organization filed with a local filing officer, and would	06/09/2021 - To SENATE Committee on ELECTIONS AND CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS.

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			require the Secretary of State to redact the account number on a statement of organization filed with the Secretary of State before making the statement available to the public.	
<u>AB 1376</u> 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.	04/07/2021 - In ASSEMBLY Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL SAFETY AND TOXIC MATERIALS: Not heard.
<u>AB 1384</u> 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 and engage vulnerable communities who have been impacted by climate change.	06/09/2021 - To SENATE Committees on NATURAL RESOURCES AND WATER and ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY.
<u>AB 1391</u> Chau (D)	Unlawfully Obtained Data		Makes it unlawful for a person to sell data, or sell access to data, that the person has obtained or accessed pursuant to the commission of a crime and would also make it unlawful for a person, who is not an authorized person, as defined, to purchase or use data from a source that the person knows or reasonably should know has obtained or accessed that data pursuant to the commission of a crime.	06/24/2021 - From SENATE Committee on PUBLIC SAFETY with author's amendments.;06/24/2021 - In SENATE. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on PUBLIC SAFETY.
<u>AB 1395</u> Muratsuchi (D)	Greenhouse Gases: Carbon Neutrality		Declares the policy of the state to achieve carbon neutrality as soon as possible, but no later than a specified date, and to achieve and maintain net negative greenhouse gas emissions thereafter.	06/16/2021 - To SENATE Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY.
<u>AB 1399</u> 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.
<u>AB 1400</u> 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	02/19/2021 - INTRODUCED.

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			of the state. Provides that CalCare cover a wide range of medical benefits and other services and would incorporate the health care benefits and standards of other existing federal and state provisions. Creates the CalCare Board to govern CalCare, made up of 9 voting members.	
<u>AB 1403</u> Levine (D)	Emergency Services		Relates to emergency services. Includes a deenergization event, defined as a planned power outage, as specified, within those conditions constituting a state of emergency.	06/09/2021 - In SENATE. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on APPROPRIATIONS.
<u>AB 1409</u> Levine (D)	Planning And Zoning: General Plan: Safety Element		Requires the safety element of a general plan for the physical development of a county or city to be reviewed and updated to identify evacuation locations.	06/17/2021 - From SENATE Committee on GOVERNANCE AND FINANCE: Do pass to Committee on APPROPRIATIONS.
<u>AB 1411</u> Cunningham (R)	Agriculture: Greenhouse Gas Mitigation: Healthy Soils		Makes a nonsubstantive change to the Cannella Environmental Farming Act of 1995, which requires the Department of Food and Agriculture, in consultation with the Scientific Advisory Panel on Environmental Farming, to establish and oversee a Healthy Soils Program to seek to optimize climate benefits while supporting the economic viability of California agriculture by providing incentives to farmers whose management practices contribute to healthy soils.	02/19/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<u>AB 1428</u> 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.	06/25/2021 - Enrolled.
<u>AB 1431</u> 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 to submit to the appropriate policy and budget committees of the Legislature a report on the progress made towards achieving those state goals.	06/09/2021 - To SENATE Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES AND WATER.

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<u>AB 1434</u> Friedman (D)	Urban Water Use Objectives: Indoor Residential	OPPOSE	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.	05/19/2021 - In ASSEMBLY Committee on APPROPRIATIONS: Not heard.
<u>AB 1442</u> 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.
<u>AB 1453</u> 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.	05/20/2021 - In ASSEMBLY Committee on APPROPRIATIONS: Held in committee.
<u>AB 1458</u> Frazier (D)	Fish and Wildlife Protection and Conservation		Exempts from the prohibition against lake and streambed alterations vegetation management or fuels treatment projects undertaken, carried out, or approved by a state or local governmental agency necessary to prevent or mitigate the threat or intensity of a wildfire.	04/26/2021 - In ASSEMBLY Committee on WATER, PARKS AND WILDLIFE: Not heard.
<u>AB 1490</u> Chau (D)	California Privacy Rights Act of 2020: Agency		Requires appointments to the board which governs the California Privacy Protection Agency to be made from among Californians with expertise in the areas of privacy, technology, and consumer rights.	06/01/2021 - In ASSEMBLY. To Inactive File.

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<u>AB 1493</u> Rubio (D)	Tenancy: Victims of Domestic Violence, Sexual Assault		Makes nonsubstantive changes to existing law which prohibits a landlord from terminating or failing to renew a tenancy based upon an act against a tenant or a member of a tenant's household that constitute domestic violence, sexual assault, stalking, human trafficking, or elder or dependent adult abuse, if certain standards are met.	02/19/2021 - INTRODUCED.
<u>AB 1500</u> Garcia E (D)	Safe Drinking Water, Wildfire Prevention	SUPPORT IF AMENDED	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, would authorize the issuance of bonds pursuant to the State General Obligation Bond Law to finance projects for safe drinking water, wildfire prevention, drought preparation, flood protection, extreme heat mitigation, and workforce development programs.	05/20/2021 - In ASSEMBLY. Joint Rule 62(a) suspended.;05/20/2021 - From ASSEMBLY Committee on APPROPRIATIONS: Do pass to Committee on RULES.
<u>AB 1506</u> Kalra (D)	Prevailing Wage: Locality		Relates to the prevailing wage of workers employed on public works. Eliminates a distinction in the definition of locality in which public work is performed and instead defines the term in all cases as meaning the county in which the public work is done.	06/16/2021 - To SENATE Committee on LABOR, PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT AND RETIREMENT.
<u>AB 1519</u> Gallagher (R)	Forestry: Fuels Transportation Program: Biomass Energy		Requires the Natural Resources Agency to develop and implement a fuels transportation program that provides competitive grants or other financial incentives for projects in eligible communities to offset the costs of transporting fuels to a biomass energy facility.	03/11/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.;03/11/2021 - From ASSEMBLY Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES with author's amendments.;03/11/2021 - In ASSEMBLY. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.
<u>AB 1523</u> Gallagher (R)	Greenhouse Gases		Revises the California Global Warming Solutions Act of 2006 by designating the State Air Resources Board with the responsibility of regulating vehicular sources of emissions of greenhouse gases and	03/11/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.

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			each district with the responsibility of regulating all sources, other than vehicular sources, of emissions of greenhouse gases within its jurisdiction.	
<u>AB 1524</u> O'Donnell (D)	State Air Resources Board: Zero-emission Drayage Trucks		Requires the State Air Resources Board to extend the Project 800 initiative to provide continued financial incentives to support the ordering of zero-emission drayage trucks to serve State ports.	06/16/2021 - To SENATE Committees on ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY and TRANSPORTATION.
<u>AB 1528</u> 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.
<u>AB 1567</u> Emergency Management Cmt	Emergency Services: Catastrophic Plans: Recovery		Requires the Office of Emergency Services and the governing bodies of political subdivisions, in developing recovery frameworks, to incorporate lessons learned from recent major disasters, including the coronavirus pandemic. Requires the frameworks to be consistent with guidance from the Federal Emergency Management Agency and to address, at a minimum, specified recovery support functions, including economic recovery, health and social services, and infrastructure systems.	05/20/2021 - In ASSEMBLY Committee on APPROPRIATIONS: Held in committee.
<u>AB 1570</u> Natural Resources Cmt	Public Resources: Omnibus Bill		Requires the Department of Forestry and Fire Protection to assist local governments in preventing future high-intensity wildland fires and instituting appropriate fuels management by making its wildland fire prevention and vegetation management expertise available to local governments. Deems food service packaging that is made of ceramic, porcelain, glass, or nonfoil metal, and is cleaned and reused by the food service facility, to be reusable for purposes of the Sustainable Packaging Act for the State.	06/03/2021 - From SENATE Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES AND WATER with author's amendments.;06/03/2021 - In SENATE. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES AND WATER.
<u>AB 1581</u> Local Government Cmt	Local Government: Omnibus		Adds the determination of a sphere of influence to the types of proposed changes for which exclusive jurisdiction may or may not vest in a principal county.	06/22/2021 - *****To GOVERNOR.

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<u>ACA 1</u> 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.	04/22/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committees on LOCAL GOVERNMENT and APPROPRIATIONS.
<u>ACR 17</u> Voepel (R)	Special Districts Week	SUPPORT	Proclaims the week of May 16, 2021, to May 22, 2021, to be Special Districts Week.	06/25/2021 - Enrolled.
<u>ACR 33</u> Friedman (D)	Wildfire Mitigation		States the Legislature's commitment to improving wildfire outcomes in the State of California by investing in science-based wildfire mitigation 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.	03/11/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.
<u>SB 1</u> Atkins (D)	Coastal Resources: Sea Level Rise		Includes, as part of the procedures the commission is required to adopt, recommendations and guidelines for the identification, assessment, minimization, and mitigation of sea level rise within each local coastal program, as provided. Deletes the timeframe specified above by which the commission is required to adopt these procedures. Requires the commission to take into account the effects of sea level rise in coastal resource planning and management policies and activities, as provided.	06/24/2021 - In ASSEMBLY. Read second time and amended. Re- referred to Committee on APPROPRIATIONS.
<u>SB 12</u> 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	06/23/2021 - From ASSEMBLY Committee on LOCAL GOVERNMENT: Do pass to Committee on HOUSING.

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			planning agency to submit the adopted strategy to the Office of Planning and Research for inclusion into the clearinghouse for climate adaptation.	
<u>SB 13</u> Dodd (D)	Local Agency Services: Contracts: Napa, San Bernardino		Reestablishes a certain pilot program. Imposes a deadline for the Napa and San Bernardino commissions to report to the Legislature on the pilot program and requires the contents of that report to include certain information. Requires the Napa commission to include information on its decision to approve, deny, or approve with conditions any authorization for the City of St. Helena to provide new or extended services outside its jurisdictional boundary and sphere of influence.	06/28/2021 - In ASSEMBLY. Read second time and amended. To second reading.
<u>SB 27</u> Skinner (D)	Carbon Sequestration: State Goals: Natural Working Land		Requires the Natural Resources Agency in coordination with the California Environmental Protection Agency, the State Air Resources Board, the Department of Food and Agriculture, and other relevant state agencies, to establish the Natural and Working Lands Climate Smart Strategy that serves as a framework to increase adoption of natural and working lands-based carbon sequestration and that advances the state's climate goals. Requires the state board to establish specified carbon dioxide removal targets.	06/28/2021 - In ASSEMBLY. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on APPROPRIATIONS.
<u>SB 36</u> 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.
<u>SB 37</u> Cortese (D)	Contaminated Site Cleanup and Safety Act		Enacts the Contaminated Site Cleanup and Safety Act and would recodify the above-described provisions with certain revisions.	06/16/2021 - From ASSEMBLY Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL SAFETY AND TOXIC MATERIALS: Do pass to Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.

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<u>SB 45</u> Portantino (D)	Wildfire Prevention, Safe Drinking Water Bond Act	SUPPORT IF AMENDED	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.	06/01/2021 - In SENATE. From third reading. To Inactive File.
<u>SB 46</u> Stern (D)	American Rescue Plan Act Funds		Requires, to the extent authorized by federal law, a state agency that receives and disburses American Rescue Plan funds or other federal recovery funds to consider projects' potential impact on specified goals, including, among other things, restoring frontline communities and rapidly accelerating achievement of environmental justice and climate goals, including, but not limited to, climate, environmental, and biodiversity protection and stimulating growth.	03/18/2021 - Re-referred to SENATE Committees on GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATION and LABOR, PUB. EMPLOY. & RETIREMENT and ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY.;03/18/2021 - In SENATE. Rescinds referral to Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY due to limitations concerning COVID-19 virus.
<u>SB 51</u> Durazo (D)	Surplus Residential Property		Provides that certain surplus land disposal procedures apply if a local agency has issued a competitive request for proposals that seeks development proposals seeking development proposals for the property that includes a certain residential component.	05/27/2021 - In ASSEMBLY. Read third time and amended. To third reading.;05/27/2021 - In ASSEMBLY. Assembly Rule 77.2 suspended.;05/27/2021 - Re-referred to ASSEMBLY Committee on HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT.
<u>SB 52</u> 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.	05/13/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT.
<u>SB 55</u> Stern (D)	Very High Fire Hazard Severity Zone: Development	WATCH	Prohibits the creation or approval of a new development, as defined, in a very high fire hazard severity zone or a state responsibility area unless there is substantial evidence that the local agency has adopted a comprehensive, necessary, and appropriate wildfire prevention and	04/15/2021 - In SENATE Committee on GOVERNANCE AND FINANCE: Heard, remains in Committee.

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			community hardening strategy to mitigate significant risks of loss, injury, or death, as specified.	
<u>SB 63</u> 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.	06/23/2021 - From ASSEMBLY Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES: Do pass to Committee on HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT.
<u>SB 67</u> Becker (D)	Clean Energy: 24/7 Clean Energy Standard Program		Establishes a goal that a certain percentage of electrical load be supplied by eligible clean energy resources. Establishes the California 24/7 Clean Energy Standard Program to require that a certain percentage of retail load be supplied by eligible clean energy resources. Requires the Energy Commission to establish compliance periods that meet certain criteria. Requires establishment of clean energy procurement requirements.	04/26/2021 - In SENATE Committee on ENERGY, UTILITIES AND COMMUNICATIONS: Not heard.
<u>SB 68</u> Becker (D)	Building Electrification and Electric Vehicle Charging		Requires the Energy Commission to gather or develop, and publish on its internet website, guidance and best practices to help building owners, the construction industry, and local governments overcome barriers to electrification of buildings and installation of electric vehicle charging equipment. Awards those moneys for projects that will benefit electricity ratepayers and lead to technological advancements to reduce the costs of building electrification.	06/03/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on UTILITIES AND ENERGY.
<u>SB 72</u> Rubio (D)	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.	06/28/2021 - In ASSEMBLY. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on APPROPRIATIONS.

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<u>SB 76</u> Nielsen (R)	Excluded Employees: Binding Arbitration		Enacts the Excluded Employee Arbitration Act to permit an employee organization that represents an excluded employee who has filed certain grievances with the Department of Human Resources to request binding arbitration of the grievance if specified conditions are met. Requires the designation of a standing panel of arbitrators and, under specified circumstances, the provision of arbitrators from the California State Mediation and Conciliation Service within the Public Employment Relations Board.	06/23/2021 - From ASSEMBLY Committee on PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT AND RETIREMENT: Do pass to Committee on JUDICIARY.
<u>SB 77</u> 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.
<u>SB 83</u> Allen (D)	California Infrastructure and Economic Development Bank		Requires the Ocean Protection council, in consultation with the conservancy, to develop the Sea Level Rise Revolving Loan Program for purposes of providing low-interest loans to local jurisdictions for the purchase of coastal properties in their jurisdictions identified as vulnerable coastal property, as provided.	06/23/2021 - From ASSEMBLY Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES: Do pass as amended to Committee on APPROPRIATIONS.
<u>SB 91</u> 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
<u>SB 95</u> Skinner (D)	COVID-19: Supplemental Paid Sick Leave		Provides for COVID-19 supplemental paid sick leave for covered employees, as defined, who are unable to work or telework due to certain reasons related to COVID-19, including that the employee	03/19/2021 - Signed by GOVERNOR.;03/19/2021 - Chaptered by Secretary of State. Chapter No. 2021-0013

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			has been advised by a health care provider to self-quarantine due to concerns related to COVID-19.	
<u>SB 99</u> 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 and expedite permit review of distributed energy resources.	05/28/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on UTILITIES AND ENERGY.
<u>SB 109</u> Dodd (D)	Office of Emergency Technology Research and Development		Establishes the Office of Emergency 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 receiving, researching, developing, testing, evaluating and making recommendations to state and local agencies on proposals and tools to improve the state's ability to prepare and plan for emergencies, incident response, and command and control regarding potential emergencies and threats.	06/16/2021 - From ASSEMBLY Committee on EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT with author's amendments.;06/16/2021 - In ASSEMBLY. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT.
<u>SB 209</u> Dahle (R)	State of Emergency: Termination After 45 Days:		Requires a state of emergency to terminate 45 days after the Governor's proclamation of the state of emergency unless the Legislature extends it by a concurrent resolution.	03/04/2021 - From SENATE Committee on GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATION with author's amendments.;03/04/2021 - In SENATE. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATION.
<u>SB 219</u> 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.	06/21/2021 - From ASSEMBLY Committee on REVENUE AND TAXATION: Do pass to Committee on APPROPRIATIONS.

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<u>SB 222</u> Dodd (D)	Water Rate Assistance Program	OPPOSE UNLESS AMENDED	Establishes the Water Rate Assistance Fund in the State Treasury to help provide water affordability assistance, for both drinking water and wastewater services, to low-income ratepayers and ratepayers experiencing economic hardship in California.	06/17/2021 - From ASSEMBLY Committee on UTILITIES AND ENERGY with author's amendments.;06/17/2021 - In ASSEMBLY. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on UTILITIES AND ENERGY.
<u>SB 223</u> 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.	05/20/2021 - In SENATE Committee on APPROPRIATIONS: Held in committee.
<u>SB 230</u> 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.	05/20/2021 - In SENATE Committee on APPROPRIATIONS: To Suspense File.;05/20/2021 - In SENATE Committee on APPROPRIATIONS. Held in committee and made a Two-year bill.
<u>SB 239</u> 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.	05/13/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on BANKING AND FINANCE.
<u>SB 270</u> 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.	06/23/2021 - From ASSEMBLY Committee on PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT AND RETIREMENT: Do pass to Committee on JUDICIARY.

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<u>SB 273</u> Hertzberg (D)	Water Quality: Municipal Wastewater Agencies		Requires a municipal wastewater agency that enters into or amends one of these agreements after January 1, 2022, to file a copy of the agreement or amendment with the local agency formation commission in each county where any part of the municipal wastewater agency's territory is located, but would exempt those agreements and amendments from local agency formation commission approval except as required by the Cortese-Knox-Hertzberg Local Government Reorganization Act of 2000.	06/21/2021 - From ASSEMBLY Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL SAFETY AND TOXIC MATERIALS with author's amendments.;06/21/2021 - In ASSEMBLY. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL SAFETY AND TOXIC MATERIALS.
<u>SB 274</u> 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 email a copy of all other documents constituting the agenda packet, if specified criteria or circumstances are met.	06/23/2021 - From ASSEMBLY Committee on LOCAL GOVERNMENT: Do pass to Committee on APPROPRIATIONS.
<u>SB 278</u> Leyva (D)	PERS: Disallowed Compensation: Benefit Adjustments		Establishes new procedures under Public Employees' Retirement Law for cases in which Public Employees' Retirement System determines that the benefits of a member or annuitant are, or would be, based on disallowed compensation that conflicts with State Public Employees' Pension Reform Act of 2013 and other specified laws and thus impermissible under Public Employees' Retirement Law.	06/23/2021 - From ASSEMBLY Committee on PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT AND RETIREMENT: Do pass to Committee on APPROPRIATIONS.
<u>SB 282</u> 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.
<u>SB 286</u> 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	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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			nonpartisan offices, including a county office in a charter county, but not including a charter city and county.	
<u>SB 294</u> Leyva (D)	Public Retirement: Leave of Absence: Service Credit		Removes the 12-year limitation for service credit earned on a compensated leave of absence for purposes of service with an employee organization. States that this leave is in addition to any leave to which public employees may be entitled by other laws or by a memorandum of understanding or collective bargaining agreement.	06/23/2021 - From ASSEMBLY Committee on PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT AND RETIREMENT: Do pass to Committee on APPROPRIATIONS.
<u>SB 295</u> 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.
<u>SB 297</u> Durazo (D)	Subsurface Installations: Penalties		Enacts the Wade Kilpatrick Gas Safety and Workforce Adequacy Act of 2021. Prescribes a civil penalty to be imposed on an operator or excavator, as described above, who knowingly and willfully violates provisions relating excavations and subsurface installations and subsequently damages a gas or hazardous liquid pipeline subsurface installation and the damage results in the escape of any flammable, toxic, or corrosive gas or liquid.	06/08/2021 - From ASSEMBLY Committee on JUDICIARY: Do pass to Committee on APPROPRIATIONS.
<u>SB 305</u> 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.	05/20/2021 - In SENATE Committee on APPROPRIATIONS: Held in committee.
<u>SB 312</u> Nielsen (R)	Renewables Portfolio Standard Program		States that it is the policy of the state and the intent of the Legislature to promote biomass facilities and biomass funding.	03/18/2021 - Re-referred to SENATE Committee on ENERGY, UTILITIES AND COMMUNICATIONS.

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<u>SB 318</u> 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.
<u>SB 319</u> 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.	06/28/2021 - In ASSEMBLY. Read second time. To third reading.
<u>SB 323</u> Caballero (D)	Local Government: Water or Sewer Service: Legal Actions	SUPPORT	Requires any judicial action or proceeding to attack, review, set aside, void, validate, or annul an ordinance, resolution, or motion adopting, modifying, or amending water or sewer service fees or charges adopted after a specified date to be commenced within a certain time of the date of final passage, adoption, or approval of the ordinance, resolution, or motion, except as provided.	06/24/2021 - In ASSEMBLY. Read second time. To third reading.
<u>SB 335</u> Cortese (D)	Workers' Compensation: Liability		Reduces the time periods after the date the claim form is filed with an employer in which the injury is presumed compensable and the presumption is rebuttable only by evidence discovered subsequent to the time period for certain injuries or illnesses, including hernia, heart trouble, pneumonia, or tuberculosis, among others, sustained in the course of employment of a specified member of law enforcement or a specified first responder.	06/10/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on INSURANCE.
<u>SB 336</u> Ochoa Bogh (R)	Public Health: COVID- 19		Requires that before the State Department of Public Health or a local health official takes measures to prevent the spread of COVID-19, or takes measures to reopen the state, they publish the measures and the date that a change or closure would take effect on their internet website, unless there is an immediate danger or an imminent threat to the public requiring immediate action.	06/10/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on HEALTH.

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<u>SB 342</u> Gonzalez (D)	South Coast Air Quality Management District		Adds members to the South Coast Air Quality Management District board, appointed by the Senate Committee on Rules and the Speaker of the Assembly. Requires the additional members to reside in and work directly with communities in the South Coast Air Basin that are disproportionately burdened by and vulnerable to high levels of pollution and issues of environmental justice. Authorizes the district board to create a Labor Advisory Panel to provide feedback.	06/03/2021 - In SENATE. From third reading. To Inactive File.
<u>SB 345</u> Becker (D)	Energy Programs and Projects: Nonenergy Benefits		Requires the commission to begin the process, by a specified date, to establish common definitions of nonenergy benefits and attempt to determine consistent values and methodologies for use in assigning priority access to authorized funds by distributed energy resource programs. Requires the commission to prioritize the use of authorized funding to support distributed energy resource programs and projects that provide the greatest nonenergy benefits, particularly for disadvantaged communities.	05/20/2021 - In SENATE Committee on APPROPRIATIONS: Held in committee.
<u>SB 351</u> 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.	05/20/2021 - In SENATE Committee on APPROPRIATIONS: Held in committee.
<u>SB 369</u> 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.	06/17/2021 - From ASSEMBLY Committee on WATER, PARKS AND WILDLIFE: Do pass to Committee on APPROPRIATIONS.

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<u>SB 372</u> Leyva (D)	Medium- and Heavy-Duty Fleet Purchasing Program		Establishes the Medium- and Heavy-Duty Zero-Emission Vehicle Fleet Purchasing Assistance Program within the Air Quality Improvement 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. Require the state board to designate the California Pollution Control Financing Authority as the agency responsible for administering the program.	06/21/2021 - From ASSEMBLY Committee on TRANSPORTATION: Do pass to Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.
<u>SB 396</u> 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.	05/20/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.
<u>SB 403</u> 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 an at-risk water system, as defined, or where a disadvantaged community is substantially reliant on at-risk domestic wells, as defined. Requires the state board, before ordering consolidation or extension of service, to consult with any groundwater sustainability agency, as defined, that provides groundwater supply to the affected area.	06/16/2021 - From ASSEMBLY Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL SAFETY AND TOXIC MATERIALS: Do pass to Committee on LOCAL GOVERNMENT.
<u>SB 410</u> Leyva (D)	Department of Industrial Relations		Exempts any occupational safety and health standard and order from the standardized regulatory impact analysis requirement.	06/08/2021 - From ASSEMBLY Committee on LABOR AND EMPLOYMENT: Do pass to Committee on APPROPRIATIONS.
<u>SB 411</u> Cortese (D)	Public Employees' Retirement System		Eliminates the requirement that a person employed without reinstatement in a manner other than authorized by PERL be reinstated, instead providing that reinstatement is permissive. Makes conforming changes and makes specific reference to the duties of	06/23/2021 - From ASSEMBLY Committee on PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT AND

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			employees and employers regarding reinstatement after retirement in violation of PEPRA.	RETIREMENT: Do pass to Committee on APPROPRIATIONS.
<u>SB 412</u> Ochoa Bogh (R)	Environmental Quality Act: Emergency Definition		Expands the definition of emergency provided in the Environmental Quality Act to include a project jointly identified by a state or local agency and the Department of Forestry and Fire Protection or the State Board of Forestry and Fire Protection, with notice to the Department of Fish and Wildlife, as mitigating a high threat to life and safety by preventing, minimizing, or mitigating damage to life, health, property, natural resources, or essential public services, resulting from a catastrophic fire.	04/26/2021 - In SENATE Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY: Not heard.
<u>SB 426</u> Rubio (D)	Municipal Separate Storm Sewer Systems		Requires the State Water Resources Control Board to establish financial capability assessment guidelines for municipal separate storm sewer system permittees that are adequate and consistent when considering the costs to local jurisdictions. Requires the state board and the regional boards to continue using available regulatory tools and other approaches to foster collaboration with permittees to implement permit requirements in light of the costs of implementation.	06/01/2021 - In SENATE. From Special Consent Calendar. To Inactive File.
<u>SB 427</u> Eggman (D)	Water Theft: Enhanced Penalties	SUPPORT	Authorizes the legislative body of a local agency, as defined, that provide water service to adopt an ordinance that prohibits water theft, as defined, subject to an administrative fine or penalty in excess of the limitations above, as specified.	06/14/2021 - In ASSEMBLY. Read second time. To third reading.
<u>SB 440</u> 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 retrofit their structures to protect against wildfire or to create a defensible space around their structures.	02/25/2021 - To SENATE Committees on INSURANCE and ENERGY, UTILITIES AND COMMUNICATIONS and GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATION.

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<u>SB 448</u> 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.	02/25/2021 - To SENATE Committees on GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATION and JUDICIARY.
<u>SB 449</u> 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.	05/20/2021 - In SENATE Committee on APPROPRIATIONS. Held in committee and made a Two-year bill.
<u>SB 456</u> Laird (D)	Fire Prevention: Wildfire and Forest Resilience		Requires the Forest Management Task Force, including the Natural Resources Agency and the Department of Forestry and Fire Protection, on a certain date, to develop a comprehensive implementation strategy to achieve the goals and key actions identified in the action plan. Requires the implementation strategy to address specified actions, including increasing the pace and scale of wildfire and forest resilience. Requires the task force to submit a report to the appropriate committees of the Legislature.	06/10/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.
<u>SB 457</u> 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.	05/28/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT AND RETIREMENT.
<u>SB 459</u> Allen (D)	Political Reform Act of 1974: Lobbying		Requires lobbyists, lobbying firms, and lobbyist employers to include information in the periodic reports that identifies each bill or administrative action subject to lobbying activity, and the respective position advocated for, during that period.	06/23/2021 - From ASSEMBLY Committee on ELECTIONS with author's amendments.;06/23/2021 - In ASSEMBLY. Read second time

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				and amended. Re-referred to Committee on ELECTIONS.
<u>SB 463</u> Dahle (R)	Water: Landowner Right To Modify, Repair, Or Replace		Authorizes a landowner to, where a conduit is constructed across or buried beneath the lands of 2 or more landowners, modify, repair, or replace, as defined, the conduit on or beneath their land if the modification, repair, or replacement is made in a manner that does not impede the flow of the water to any other property receiving a benefit of the conduit or, otherwise injure any person using or interested in the conduit.	05/13/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on WATER, PARKS AND WILDLIFE.
<u>SB 471</u> Hueso (D)	The Racial and Economic Equity Grant Program		Creates the Racial and Economic Equity Grant Program, administered by GO-Biz, for the purpose of providing grants to address disproportionate impacts borne from the COVID-19 pandemic, as defined, and the lack of critical physical and social infrastructure, resulting from chronic underinvestment, in key segments of the economy of this state.	04/21/2021 - From SENATE Committee on BUSINESS, PROFESSIONS AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT with author's amendments.;04/21/2021 - In SENATE. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on BUSINESS, PROFESSIONS & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.
<u>SB 479</u> 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.	06/16/2021 - From ASSEMBLY Committee on UTILITIES AND ENERGY: Do pass to Committee on APPROPRIATIONS.
<u>SB 484</u> 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 inspection of a sewer lateral pipe connecting a residence or business to a sewer system if the consumer is provided a specified disclosure before authorizing the home inspection.	06/22/2021 - From ASSEMBLY Committee on BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONS: Do pass to Committee on APPROPRIATIONS.
<u>SB 495</u> Dahle (R)	Global Warming Solutions Act:		Require the State Air Resources Board to include greenhouse gas emissions from wildlands and forest fires in the greenhouse gas emissions scoping plan. Authorizes the board to include the use of	04/29/2021 - In SENATE Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY: Failed passage.

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	Greenhouse Gas Reduction		certain mechanisms. Appropriates a certain percentage of the Greenhouse Gas Reduction Fund to counties. Provides requirements for allocation of funds. Requires allocation plans to be posted on county websites. Requires an audit of each county.	
<u>SB 496</u> Laird (D)	Water Development Projects: Pajaro River		Authorizes the State to provide certain funds to the Counties of Monterey and Santa Cruz, or to local agencies in those counties, for the project for flood control on the Pajaro River in such counties. Authorizes the state to provide up to a certain percentage of the specified nonfederal costs for these purposes. Makes legislative findings and declarations as to the necessity of a special statute for the Counties of Monterey and Santa Cruz.	06/10/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on WATER, PARKS AND WILDLIFE.
<u>SB 501</u> Wieckowski (D)	Claims Against Public Entities		Requires a public entity review board to grant an application for leave to present a claim against a public entity if the person who sustained the alleged injury, damage, or loss was a minor or was physically or mentally incapacitated during any of the 6 months after the accrual of the cause of action, if the application is presented within 6 months of the person turning 18 years of age, or of the person no longer being physically or mentally incapacitated, or a year after the claim accrues.	06/22/2021 - From ASSEMBLY Committee on JUDICIARY: Do pass to Committee on APPROPRIATIONS.
<u>SB 505</u> Hertzberg (D)	Wages: Withholdings: Written Authorization		Requires a public 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 the written authorization to include a mutual agreement between the public employer and employee and, to the extent possible, would prohibit that written authorization from placing an undue financial burden upon the employee.	06/17/2021 - In ASSEMBLY. Suspend Assembly Rule 96.;06/17/2021 - Re-referred to ASSEMBLY Committee on RULES.
<u>SB 506</u> 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	02/25/2021 - To SENATE Committees on NATURAL

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			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.	RESOURCES AND WATER and ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY.
<u>SB 520</u> 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.	06/17/2021 - In ASSEMBLY Committee on WATER, PARKS AND WILDLIFE: Not heard.
<u>SB 526</u> 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.	02/25/2021 - To SENATE Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY.
<u>SB 527</u> 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.	02/25/2021 - To SENATE Committees on ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY and TRANSPORTATION and NATURAL RESOURCES AND WATER.
<u>SB 531</u> Wieckowski (D)	Consumer Debt		Requires a creditor or debt collector selling a delinquent debt, or assigning to a third party the right to collect payments on a delinquent debt, to provide a notice to the debtor within a certain number of days of the sale or assignment that contains the dollar amount of the outstanding debt and the name of the party who purchased or was assigned the delinquent debt.	06/21/2021 - From ASSEMBLY Committee on BANKING AND FINANCE with author's amendments.;06/21/2021 - In ASSEMBLY. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on BANKING AND FINANCE.
<u>SB 533</u> Stern (D)	Electrical Corporations: Wildfire Mitigation Plans		Requires that an electrical corporation's wildfire mitigation plan identify circuits that have frequently been deenergized to mitigate the risk of wildfire and the measures taken, or planned to be taken,	06/10/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committees on UTILITIES AND ENERGY and JUDICIARY.

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			by the electrical corporation to reduce the need for future deenergization of those circuits, including replacing, hardening, or undergrounding any portion of the circuit or of upstream transmission or distribution lines, or the installation of microgrids. Convenes 2 or more public meetings.	
<u>SB 542</u> Limon (D)	Vehicle License Fees for Zero-emission Vehicles: Sales		Provides an exemption from certain taxes with respect to the sale in this state of, and the storage, use, or other consumption in this state of, a qualified motor vehicle. Defines qualified motor vehicle as a specified zero-emission truck. Provides that this exemption does not apply to specified state sales and use taxes from which the proceeds are deposited into the Local Revenue Fund, the Local Revenue Fund 2011, or the Local Public Safety Fund.	06/01/2021 - In SENATE. From third reading. To Inactive File.
<u>SB 551</u> 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.	06/03/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committees on ACCOUNTABILITY AND ADMINISTRATIVE REVIEW and TRANSPORTATION.
<u>SB 552</u> Hertzberg (D)	Drought Planning: Small Water Suppliers: Water Systems	SUPPORT	Requires small water suppliers, as defined, and nontransient noncommunity water systems that are schools, no later than a specified date, to develop and maintain an abridged Water Shortage Contingency Plan that includes specified drought-planning elements. Requires a county to update its well permit application to include a checkbox or another input method to determine if the reason for the well permit application is due to a dry well.	06/21/2021 - In ASSEMBLY. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on LOCAL GOVERNMENT.
<u>SB 559</u> 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.	06/14/2021 - From ASSEMBLY Committee on WATER, PARKS AND WILDLIFE with author's amendments.;06/14/2021 - In ASSEMBLY. Read second time and

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<u>SB 582</u> Stern (D)	Climate Emergency Mitigation, Safe Restoration		Requires the Air Resources Board to ensure that statewide greenhouse gas emissions are reduced to at least a certain percentage and up to a certain percentage below the 1990 level by a specified year. Adopts a state policy to lead a global effort to restore oceanic and atmospheric concentrations of greenhouse gas emissions to preindustrial levels as soon as possible, and to restore community health and reverse the impacts from the damage and injustice climate change is causing.	06/03/2021 - In SENATE. From third reading. To Inactive File.
<u>SB 592</u> Dahle (R)	Catastrophic Wildfires		Requires the Director of Fish and Wildlife to establish a working group, composed of the director or the director's representative, the Director of Forestry and Fire Protection or their representative, and a county government representative from each county impacted by any catastrophic wildfire being studied by the workgroup.	05/20/2021 - In SENATE Committee on APPROPRIATIONS: Held in committee.
<u>SB 594</u> Glazer (D)	Elections: Local Redistricting		Clarifies that adopting district boundaries for certain purposes means the passage of an ordinance or resolution specifying those boundaries. Authorizes, expressly, a county board of supervisors to adopt supervisorial district boundaries by ordinance or resolution. Clarifies that a superior court's order adopting district boundaries is immediately effective and has the same force and effect as an enacted ordinance or resolution of the legislative body.	06/17/2021 - In ASSEMBLY. Suspend Assembly Rule 96.;06/17/2021 - Re-referred to ASSEMBLY Committee on RULES.
<u>SB 600</u> Borgeas (R)	Administrative Procedure Act		Makes a nonsubstantive change to provisions relative to the Administrative Procedure Act.	03/03/2021 - To SENATE Committee on RULES.
<u>SB 606</u> Gonzalez (D)	Workplace Safety Violations: Employer Retaliation		Creates a rebuttable presumption that a violation committed by an employer that has multiple worksites is enterprise-wide in certain circumstances. Authorizes the Division of Occupational Safety and Health to issue a citation if the employer fails to rebut such presumption. Requires each employee exposed to the violation to be	06/22/2021 - From ASSEMBLY Committee on LABOR AND EMPLOYMENT: Do pass to Committee on JUDICIARY.

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			considered a separate violation for the issuance of fines and penalties. Establishes that an employer's actions are presumed retaliatory in certain situations.	
<u>SB 618</u> Borgeas (R)	Fire prevention Activities: Local Assistance Grant		Makes nonsubstantive changes to the definition of fire prevention activities.	03/03/2021 - To SENATE Committee on RULES.
<u>SB 626</u> Dodd (D)	Department of Water Resources: Procurement Methods		Authorizes the Department of Water Resources to utilize the Construction Manager/General Contractor Procurement method, as specified, for no more than 7 projects for elements of State Water Facilities, as defined. Requires specified information provided to the Department of Water Resources to be certified under penalty of perjury, thus imposing a state-mandated local program by expanding the scope of an existing crime.	06/21/2021 - From ASSEMBLY Committee on WATER, PARKS AND WILDLIFE with author's amendments.;06/21/2021 - In ASSEMBLY. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on WATER, PARKS AND WILDLIFE.
<u>SB 634</u> 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. Requires the member to submit the election to retain coverage to the employer and would delete the requirement that a copy of the form be submitted to STRS.	06/23/2021 - From ASSEMBLY Committee on PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT AND RETIREMENT: Do pass to Committee on APPROPRIATIONS.
<u>SB 649</u> 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.	06/17/2021 - In ASSEMBLY. Suspend Assembly Rule 96.;06/17/2021 - Re-referred to ASSEMBLY Committee on RULES.
<u>SB 656</u> Eggman (D)	Stockton-East Water District: Water Rates		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	06/01/2021 - In SENATE. From third reading. To Inactive File.

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			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.	
<u>SB 657</u> Ochoa Bogh (R)	Employment: Electronic Documents		Provides that, in any instance in which an employer is required to physically post information, an employer may also distribute that information to employees by email with the document or documents attached.	06/23/2021 - In ASSEMBLY. Read second time. To Consent Calendar.
<u>SB 660</u> 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.	06/23/2021 - In ASSEMBLY. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on APPROPRIATIONS.
<u>SB 669</u> 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.	03/03/2021 - To SENATE Committee on RULES.
<u>SB 674</u> Durazo (D)	Public Contracts: Workforce Development		Requires the Labor and Workforce Development Agency 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.	06/22/2021 - From ASSEMBLY Committee on LABOR AND EMPLOYMENT: Do pass to Committee on TRANSPORTATION.
<u>SB 676</u> 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.	04/06/2021 - In SENATE Committee on JUDICIARY: Not heard.

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<u>SB 683</u> Ochoa Bogh (R)	Water Quality: Regional Storm Sewer System Permits		Requires, to the extent permitted by federal law, a regional board that issues a municipal separate storm sewer system permit pursuant to the NPDES permit program to a region rather than to an individual discharger to include specified elements in the permit and to meet and collaborate with the permittees before or during the permit writing process.	04/26/2021 - In SENATE Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY: Not heard.
<u>SB 695</u> Ochoa Bogh (R)	Mitigation Fee Act: Housing Developments		Prohibits a local agency from imposing a housing impact requirement adopted by the local agency on a housing development project unless specified requirements are satisfied by the local agency. prohibit a housing impact requirement from exceeding the amount necessary to maintain the existing level of service identified in a nexus study for the type of capital facility for which the housing impact requirement is imposed.	03/18/2021 - Re-referred to SENATE Committee on GOVERNANCE AND FINANCE.
<u>SB 696</u> Allen (D)	Enhanced Infrastructure Financing Districts		Requires that if any participating affected taxing entity is a city that has an elective mayor, that one of the members representing the legislative body of that participating entity on the public financing authority be the mayor.	03/18/2021 - Re-referred to SENATE Committees on GOVERNANCE AND FINANCE and JUDICIARY.
<u>SB 698</u> 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.	03/03/2021 - To SENATE Committee on RULES.
<u>SB 719</u> Min (D)	Exempt Surplus Land: Eligible Military Base Land		Deems certain land comprising of the Tustin Marine Corps Air Station to be exempt surplus land if specified requirements are met. Requires at least a certain percent of the residential units that are permitted after a certain date to be restricted to persons and families of low or moderate income, and at least a certain percent of those units to be restricted to lower income households. Requires a local	06/10/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committees on LOCAL GOVERNMENT and HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT.

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			agency that disposes of exempt surplus land under these provisions to comply with certain requirements.	
<u>SB 727</u> Leyva (D)	Labor-related Liabilities: Direct Contractor		Relates for contracts entered into on or after January 1, 2022, require the notice to include the project name and name of the employer and provide that any liquidated damages awarded by the Labor Commissioner or the court shall be payable to the aggrieved employee.	06/22/2021 - From ASSEMBLY Committee on LABOR AND EMPLOYMENT: Do pass to Committee on JUDICIARY.
<u>SB 733</u> Hueso (D)	Energy Storage: Pumped Storage Hydroelectric Facilities		Requires the chair of the Energy Resources Conservation and Development Commission to appear annually before the appropriate policy committees of the Legislature to report on activities of the commission, as specified.	06/21/2021 - In ASSEMBLY. Suspend Assembly Rule 96.;06/21/2021 - Re-referred to ASSEMBLY Committee on RULES.
<u>SB 734</u> Hueso (D)	Redevelopment Agencies: Passthrough Agreements		Authorizes a successor agency and one or more taxing agencies to enter into an agreement to modify the interest owed by a former redevelopment agency under a passthrough agreement that was entered into before a specified date or owed under any successive amendment of that passthrough agreement, and which is owed as interest on passthrough payments agreed to be deferred by the taxing entity under the passthrough agreement, subject to specified terms and conditions.	06/23/2021 - From ASSEMBLY Committee on LOCAL GOVERNMENT: Do pass to Committee on HOUSING.
<u>SB 746</u> 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 and uses such information to disclose specified information upon receipt of a request from the consumer. Requires a business with gross revenue exceeding a certain amount that does not engage in such activities to submit a certain statement to the State Privacy Protection Agency.	06/01/2021 - In SENATE. From third reading. To Inactive File.
<u>SB 751</u> Gonzalez (D)	Environmental Justice		States the intent of the Legislature to enact subsequent legislation to promote environmental justice by ensuring that disadvantaged	03/03/2021 - To SENATE Committee on RULES.

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			communities, often low-income communities of color, do not continue to be overburdened with unfair shares of pollution.	
<u>SB 752</u> Allen (D)	Elections: Disclosure of Contributors		Requires an initiative, referendum, or recall petition to instruct voters to sign the petition only after viewing certain disclosures regarding the top contributors to the initiative, referendum, or recall, as specified.	06/23/2021 - From ASSEMBLY Committee on ELECTIONS with author's amendments.;06/23/2021 - In ASSEMBLY. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on ELECTIONS.
<u>SB 776</u> Gonzalez (D)	Safe Drinking Water and Water Quality		Expands the application of the Safe Drinking Water Act to small state water systems. Authorizes the State Water Resources Control Board to adopt certain regulations as emergency regulations under the Administrative Procedure Act and would require the state board to hold a hearing before adopting those emergency regulations. Exempts from the Administrative Procedure Act specified orders by the state board relating to drinking water.	06/10/2021 - To ASSEMBLY Committees on ENVIRONMENTAL SAFETY AND TOXIC MATERIALS and JUDICIARY.
<u>SB 780</u> 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 an alternate member to the community revitalization and investment authority who may serve and vote in place of a member who is absent or disqualifies themselves from participating in a meeting of the authority.	06/21/2021 - From ASSEMBLY Committee on HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT with author's amendments.;06/21/2021 - In ASSEMBLY. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT.
<u>SB 794</u> 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.	06/17/2021 - In ASSEMBLY. Suspend Assembly Rule 96.;06/17/2021 - Re-referred to ASSEMBLY Committee on RULES.
<u>SB 807</u> Wieckowski (D)	Civil Rights: Department Of Fair Employment and Housing		Tolls the deadline for the Department of Fair Employment and Housing to file a civil action pursuant to the Fair Employment and Housing Act while a mandatory or voluntary dispute resolution is pending.	06/23/2021 - In ASSEMBLY. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on APPROPRIATIONS.

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<u>SB 813</u> Governance and Finance Cmt	Controller: Local Government Financial Reports		Relates to a person who has made an offer to purchase an interest in an undivided-interest subdivision. Exempts the proposed sale or lease of those lots or other interests from certain provisions.	06/21/2021 - From ASSEMBLY Committee on LOCAL GOVERNMENT with author's amendments.;06/21/2021 - In ASSEMBLY. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on LOCAL GOVERNMENT.
<u>SB 821</u> Nat Resour & Water Cmt	Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta: Delta Independent Science		Requires the Delta Stewardship Council to contract for the services of the members of the board, as specified. Exempts these contracts from specified provisions of law governing public contracting. Requires the council to establish procedures for contracting for the services that are subject to these contracts.	06/08/2021 - From ASSEMBLY Committee on WATER, PARKS AND WILDLIFE with author's amendments.;06/08/2021 - In ASSEMBLY. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on WATER, PARKS AND WILDLIFE.
<u>SCA 1</u> 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 referendum, thus requiring a majority vote in favor of the referendum to reject the statute or part of the statute subject to the referendum.	04/07/2021 - To SENATE Committee on ELECTIONS AND CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS.
<u>SCR 5</u> 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.
<u>HR 535</u> 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

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				Committee on FINANCIAL SERVICES.
<u>HR 616</u> Tlaib (D)	Water Shutoffs Prohibition		Prohibits water shutoffs during the Coronavirus disease 2019 emergency period, provides drinking and waste water assistance to households.	01/28/2021 - INTRODUCED.;01/28/2021 - To HOUSE Committee on ENERGY AND COMMERCE.;01/28/2021 - To HOUSE Committee on EDUCATION AND LABOR.
<u>HR 737</u> Valadao (R)	California Operational Flexibility and Drought Relief		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.
<u>HR 1015</u> Napolitano (D)	Water Recycling and Reuse Project Grants	SUPPORT	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.
<u>HR 1352</u> Lawrence (D)	Trust Fund for Water and Sewer Infrastructure		Establishes a trust fund to provide for adequate funding for water and sewer infrastructure.	04/05/2021 - In HOUSE Committee on AGRICULTURE: Referred to Subcommittee on CONSERVATION AND FORESTRY.
<u>HR 1848</u> Pallone (D)	National Infrastructure		Rebuilds and modernizes the Nation's infrastructure to expand access to broadband and Next Generation 9-1-1, rehabilitate drinking water infrastructure, modernize the electric grid and energy supply infrastructure, redevelop brownfields, strengthen health care infrastructure, create jobs, and protect public health and the environment.	03/11/2021 - To HOUSE Committee on ENERGY AND COMMERCE.;03/11/2021 - To HOUSE Committee on TRANSPORTATION AND INFRASTRUCTURE.;03/11/2021 - To HOUSE Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.;03/11/2021 - To HOUSE Committee on SCIENCE, SPACE, AND TECHNOLOGY.;03/11/2021 - To HOUSE Committee on EDUCATION AND

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				LABOR.;03/11/2021 - To HOUSE Committee on WAYS AND MEANS.;03/11/2021 - To HOUSE Committee on AGRICULTURE.;03/11/2021 - To HOUSE Committee on OVERSIGHT AND REFORM.
<u>HR 1915</u> DeFazio (D)	Federal Water Pollution Control Act		Amends the Federal Water Pollution Control Act to reauthorize certain water pollution control programs.	06/22/2021 - From HOUSE Committee on TRANSPORTATION AND INFRASTRUCTURE: Reported as amended.;06/22/2021 - In HOUSE. Placed on HOUSE Union Calendar.
<u>HR 2238</u> Lowenthal A (D)	Single Use Plastic Production Reduction		Amends the Solid Waste Disposal Act to reduce the production and use of certain single-use plastic products and packaging, to improve the responsibility of producers in the design, collection, reuse, recycling, and disposal of their consumer products and packaging, to prevent pollution from consumer products and packaging from entering into animal and human food chains and waterways.	03/29/2021 - In HOUSE Committee on TRANSPORTATION & INFRASTRUCTURE: Referred to Subcommittee on WATER RESOURCES AND ENVIRONMENT.
<u>HR 2467</u> Dingell D (D)	Hazardous Substances		Requires the Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency to designate per- and polyfluoroalkyl substances as hazardous substances under the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act of 1980.	06/23/2021 - In HOUSE Committee on ENERGY AND COMMERCE: Consideration and mark-up session held.;06/23/2021 - In HOUSE Committee on ENERGY AND COMMERCE: Ordered to be reported.
<u>HR 2468</u> Garamendi (D)	Federal Infrastructure Aid Program Materials		Ensures that certain materials used in carrying out federal infrastructure aid programs are made in the United States.	06/07/2021 - In HOUSE Committee on AGRICULTURE: Referred to Subcommittee on COMMODITY EXCHANGES, ENERGY, AND CREDIT.
<u>HR 3291</u> Tonko (D)	Water System Assistance		Amends the Safe Drinking Water Act to provide assistance for states, territories, areas affected by natural disasters, and water	06/23/2021 - In HOUSE Committee on ENERGY AND COMMERCE:

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			systems and schools affected by PFAS or lead, and to require the Environmental Protection Agency to promulgate national primary drinking water regulations for PFAS, microcystin toxin, and 1,4-dioxane.	Consideration and mark-up session held.;06/23/2021 - In HOUSE Committee on ENERGY AND COMMERCE: Ordered to be reported as amended.
<u>HR 3292</u> Dingell D (D)	Residential Emergency Relief Program		Requires the Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency to carry out a residential emergency relief program to provide payment assistance for households to retain water service.	05/18/2021 - INTRODUCED.;05/18/2021 - To HOUSE Committee on ENERGY AND COMMERCE.
<u>HR 3293</u> Blunt Rochester (D)	Drinking Water and Wastewater Service Assistance		Amends the Safe Drinking Water Act and the Federal Water Pollution Control Act to establish programs to assist low-income households in maintaining access to drinking water and wastewater services.	06/23/2021 - In HOUSE Committee on ENERGY AND COMMERCE: Consideration and mark-up session held.;06/23/2021 - In HOUSE Committee on ENERGY AND COMMERCE: Ordered to be reported as amended.
<u>HR 3404</u> Huffman (D)	Drought Preparedness	SUPPORT IF AMENDED/SEEK AMENDMENTS	Provides drought preparedness and improved water supply reliability to the nation.	05/21/2021 - In HOUSE Committee on TRANSPORTATION & INFRASTRUCTURE: Referred to Subcommittee on WATER RESOURCES AND ENVIRONMENT.
<u>HR 3622</u> Pappas (D)	Water Quality Criteria		Requires the Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency to develop effluent limitations guidelines and standards and water quality criteria for PFAS under the Federal Water Pollution Control Act, provides Federal grants to publicly owned treatment works to implement such guidelines and standards.	06/01/2021 - In HOUSE Committee on TRANSPORTATION & INFRASTRUCTURE: Referred to Subcommittee on WATER RESOURCES AND ENVIRONMENT.
<u>S 91</u> 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.

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<u>S 914</u> Duckworth (D)	Safe Drinking Water Act		Amends the Safe Drinking Water Act and the Federal Water Pollution Control Act to reauthorize programs under those Acts.	04/29/2021 - In SENATE. Amendment SA 1471 proposed by Senator Rubio to Amendment SA 1460.;04/29/2021 - In SENATE. Amendment SA 1461 proposed by Senator Shaheen to Amendment SA 1460.;04/29/2021 - In SENATE. Amendment SA 1469 proposed by Senator Kennedy to Amendment SA 1460.;04/29/2021 - In SENATE. Amendment SA 1472 proposed by Senator Lee to Amendment SA 1460.;04/29/2021 - In SENATE. SA 1461 agreed to on SENATE floor.;04/29/2021 - In SENATE. SA 1469 agreed to on SENATE floor.;04/29/2021 - In SENATE. Passed SENATE. *****To HOUSE.
<u>S 1907</u> Gillibrand (D)	Water Quality Criteria		Requires the Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency to develop effluent limitations guidelines and standards and water quality criteria for PFAS under the Federal Water Pollution Control Act, to provide Federal grants to publicly owned treatment works to implement such guidelines and standards.	05/27/2021 - INTRODUCED.;05/27/2021 - In SENATE. Read second time.;05/27/2021 - To SENATE Committee on ENVIRONMENT AND PUBLIC WORKS.

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WATER RESOURCES POLICY AND COMMUNICATIONS COMMITTEE

BUSINESS OUTREACH PROGRAM UPDATE

SUMMARY:

As the Irvine Ranch Water District Business Outreach Program enters its second decade, staff and the Program's consultant are working to innovate and add greater value to the Business Outreach Program for its participants, with a renewed focus on the Program's core goals of building strong relationships and communications between IRWD and its vendors, consultants, contractors and suppliers. At the Committee meeting, staff and IRWD's Business Outreach Consultant, Adam Probolsky of Probolsky Research, will present the results of the 2021 Business Outreach Program Survey and will update the Committee on the Program.

BACKGROUND:

Purposes of the Business Outreach Program:

In 2010, IRWD created the Business Outreach Program to:

- Increase vendor, contractor, and professional-service-provider knowledge of IRWD's needs, goals, and programs;
- Build relationships between members of the business community and IRWD staff and Board members;
- Create a collaborative atmosphere to improve work, help identify problems early, and create efficiencies;
- Grow IRWD's vendor pool to increase cost competitiveness and provide IRWD with additional resources; and
- Keep vendors, contractors, professional service providers and large ratepayers informed, so they can play a meaningful role as public advocates for IRWD.

The fundamental goals of the Program, which support these purposes, are to build strong relationships between IRWD and the vendor, consultant, contractor and supplier communities, and to ensure that lines of communications between the District and these communities are open and active.

People who do business with the District, or would like to do so, are invited to join the Program. Joining is simple and can be done at the Program webpage, IRWD.com/BusinessOutreach.

The Program webpage also has information from past events, presentations describing past and future construction and engineering projects, and video testimonials about the Program.

Program Benefits:

As participants in the Business Outreach Program, vendors, consultants, contractors and suppliers receive updates on key IRWD projects and business opportunities. They also receive information on water policy, legislation and regulatory matters that may affect the business community.

Additionally, participants gain access to IRWD's Business Outreach Consultant, who acts as a resource to vendors, consultants, contractors, and suppliers. The Business Outreach Consultant keeps in contact with Program participants through occasional emails and responds to requests for assistance. IRWD has contracted with Probolsky Research for many years to serve that role.

Another prominent feature and benefit of the Program is IRWD's Business Outreach Lunch. The luncheon provides vendors, consultants, contractors, and suppliers an opportunity to meet and visit with IRWD staff and board members.

Business Outreach Lunch:

Over the past two years, staff and the Business Outreach Consultant have worked to add value to the Business Outreach Lunch for participants. This effort has focused on:

- Modifying the format to allow vendors, consultants, contractors and suppliers more opportunities to engage directly with the departments they seek to do business with;
- Increasing staff and board member participation; and
- Actively promoting the luncheon to encourage more business participation and grow networking opportunities for participants and the District.

In 2019, the format of the Business Outreach Lunch was updated. Themed lunch tables were set up, where participants could interact with IRWD staff from specific departments and divisions including Engineering, Finance, Human Resources, Legal, Outreach, Purchasing, Recycled Water, Safety, Water Efficiency, and Water Policy. Staff and board member participation increased to 35, an increase from 24 the previous year.

A playbill for the event was also introduced that included photos of IRWD staff and identified their departments to make it easier for participants to connect with staff members in areas of interest to their business. Staff and the Business Outreach Consultant also created new promotional videos for the Program's webpage that included interviews of luncheon participants to highlight the benefits of the Program.

In 2020, no luncheon was held due to COVID-19, but the event returned in April 2021 as a virtual event. Probolsky Research provided the premium digital platform and professional production support needed to host the virtual event. The themed tables, which were introduced in 2019, were converted to digital breakout rooms. The digital breakout rooms were broken down by department and allowed businesspeople to freely mingle with 40 staff and board members. Additionally, the lunch included presentations on "Doing Business with IRWD Engineering," the WaterStar Program, and the Syphon Reservoir Improvement Project.

2021 Business Outreach Survey Results:

Following the 2021 Business Outreach event, the Business Outreach Consultant surveyed Program participants to gauge their views on the Program and the virtual event. The survey showed strong appreciation and support for the Program. Results included the following:

- 71 percent of respondents stated that the Program was valuable to their business;
- 77 percent responded that they would recommend the Program to other consultants, contractors, and vendors;
- Almost 97 percent of respondents who attended the virtual event rated it excellent or good; and
- The most popular feature of the virtual event was the “Doing Business with IRWD Engineering” presentation, which featured upcoming projects, followed by the breakout networking sessions.

Complete results of the survey are provided as Exhibit “A”.

The survey results also show that Program participants value information about upcoming projects, seek opportunities to interact with IRWD staff and to network with others, and appreciate information about how to bid on projects and work with the Engineering Department.

Next Steps:

Recognizing the desire of Business Outreach Program participants to network with IRWD staff and others, and recognizing that they value information about IRWD’s upcoming contract opportunities, staff and the Business Outreach Consultant are working to add value to the Program and increase opportunities for participants.

Currently, staff and the Business Outreach Consultant are working to develop a second, smaller-scale event for 2021, which is tentatively scheduled for November. This event will allow a smaller group to tour an IRWD facility and have a more intimate opportunity to interact with staff. There will also be a renewed focus on recruiting additional members to the Program to expanding the District’s outreach within the vendor, consultant, contractor and supplier communities, and to ensure that lines of communications between the District and these communities continue to grow.

In 2022, staff plans to return the Business Outreach Lunch to an in-person event.

FISCAL IMPACTS:

Not applicable.

ENVIRONMENTAL COMPLIANCE:

Not applicable.

RECOMMENDATION:

Receive and file.

LIST OF EXHIBITS:

Exhibit “A” – Business Outreach Program Survey: Results Presentation, April 2021

EXHIBIT "A"

Irvine Ranch Water District Business Outreach Program Survey

Results

April 2021



Market and Opinion Research

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Irvine Ranch Water District – Business Outreach Program 2021

Survey Methodology*

	Survey Details
Mode	Online
Language	English
Length	2 minutes
Target respondents	IRWD Business Outreach Program participants
Survey fielding	April 7 - April 20, 2021
Number of respondents	75

Sample

Probolsky Research maintains a robust participant contact databased that was used for this survey.

Modes

Online participants were invited via email and used their computers, tablet or mobile phones to complete the survey. Security measures precluded individuals from completing the survey more than once.



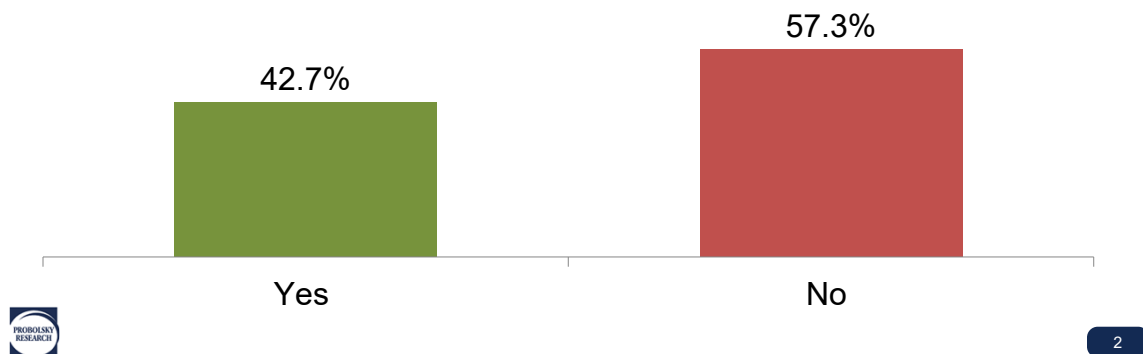
*Due to rounding, totals shown on charts may not add up to 100%

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43% of respondents attended the Business Outreach Program virtual event

Question 1: Did you attend the Irvine Ranch Water District (IRWD) Business Outreach Program virtual event on April 1, 2021?

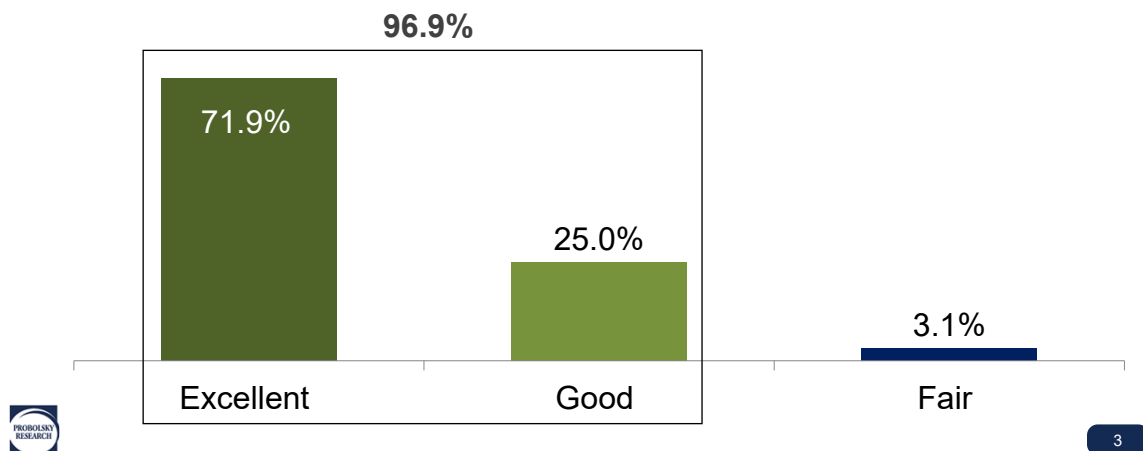


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97% rate the Business Outreach Program virtual event as excellent or good

Question 2: How do you rate the Business Outreach Program virtual event?

[AMONG THOSE WHO ATTENDED THE EVENT]

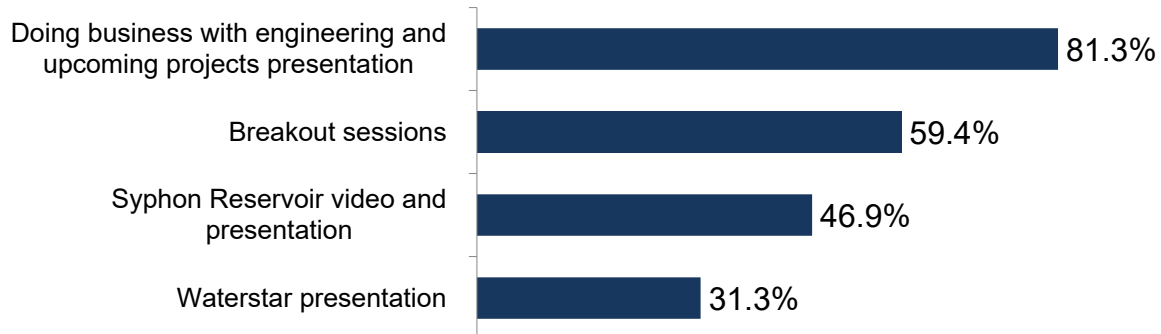


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81% liked the “Doing business with engineering and upcoming projects presentation”

Question 3: Please indicate which parts of the Business Outreach Program virtual event you liked. Select all that apply.

[AMONG THOSE WHO ATTENDED THE EVENT]



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Participant comments on how the virtual event could have been improved

Question 4: How could the Irvine Ranch Water District Business Outreach Program virtual event have been improved?

[AMONG THOSE WHO ATTENDED THE EVENT]

- I really enjoyed the format of the event- larger projects and announcements on the front end and then breaking out into individual rooms. Everyone was very informative and great to converse with. Since I'm new with Rockwell on the Water/Wastewater side, I really enjoyed this and also found a great deal of value. I hope this is an annual event that I can continue to look forward to participating in.
- I had trouble going into the breakout rooms, I kept getting disconnected, so unfortunately, I was unable to participate in them. May provide in a link to the breakout rooms directly prior to the meeting just in case there are connectivity issues.
- I just missed having the catered lunch.
- I preferred going in person, of course!



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- The breakout rooms could have been more prepared with additional information that pertains to their projects.
- It seems perfect already !!
- Connection at times got rough sound wise. Technology issues.
- To facilitate networking among participants (in addition to IRWD staff), it would be nice to know participants' affiliations. Participants list usually only shows the person's name.
- More internal practice with presenters would likely have helped with the handoff and flow of the presentation and glitches in presenting.
- Breakout sessions were incredibly valuable. More time (15 more minutes, perhaps) would have been appreciated.
- I think this virtual event is excellent. It may be helpful if IRWD will go over its expectations.
- Not sure how to improve. Virtual meetings are still a fairly new concept.
- More interaction between members.
- Breakout sessions were excellent.

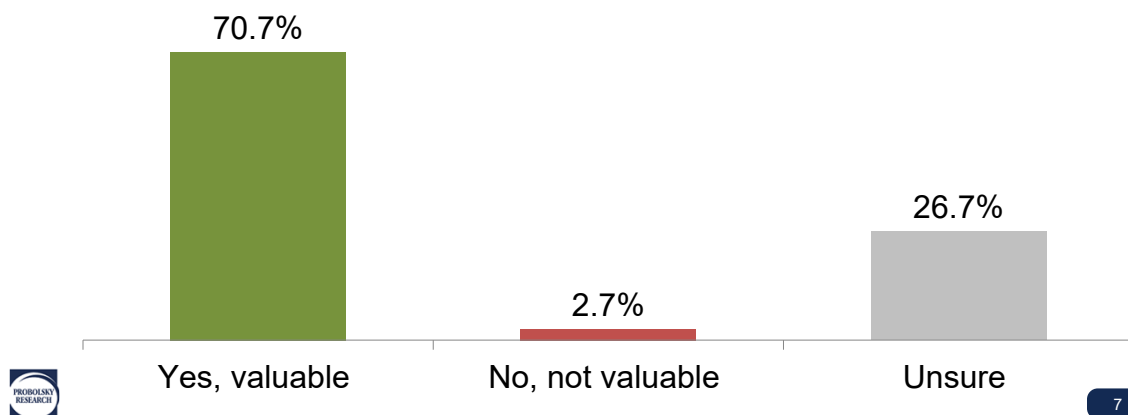


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71% say the IRWD Business Outreach Program is valuable to their business

Question 5: Is the IRWD Business Outreach Program valuable to your business?

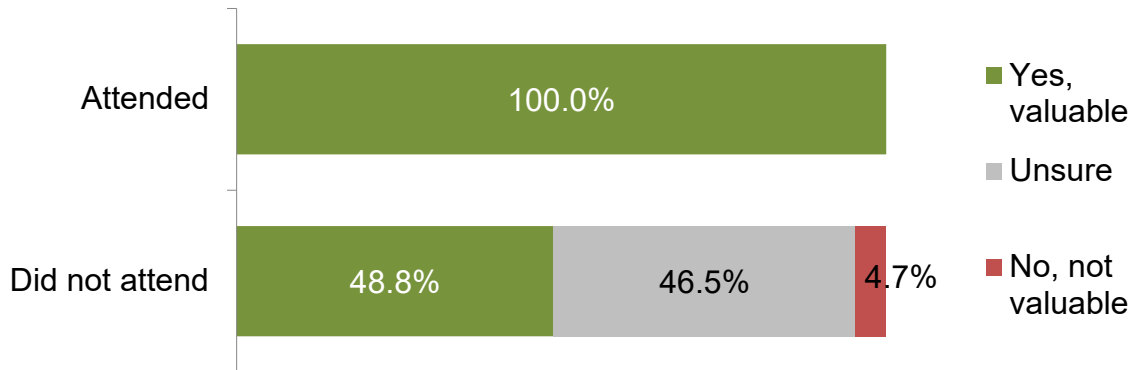


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Results based on virtual event participation

Question 5: Is the IRWD Business Outreach Program valuable to your business?

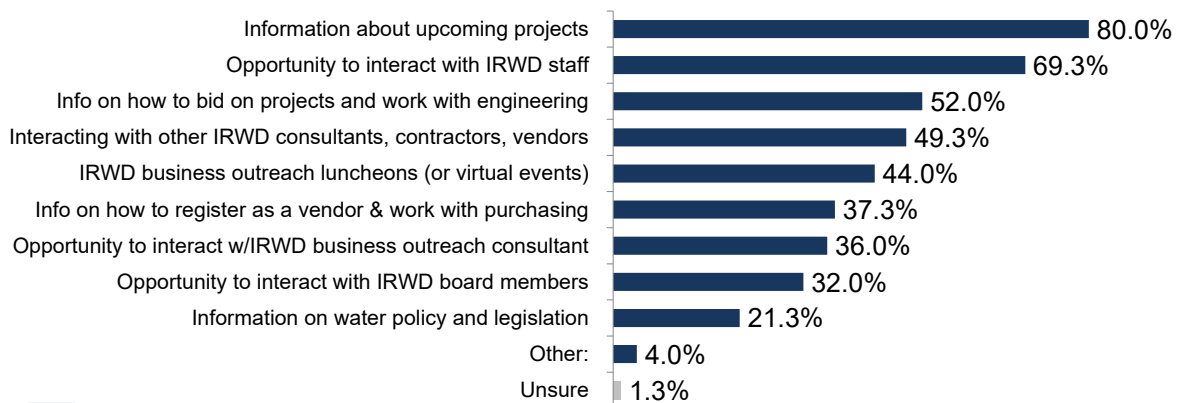


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80% say information about upcoming projects is the part of the program that interests them most

Question 6: What parts of the IRWD Business Outreach Program interest you the most? Select all that apply.

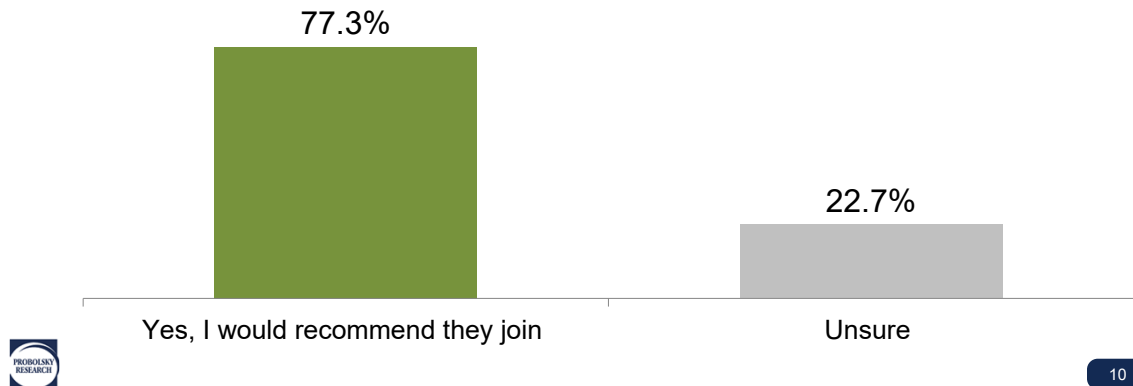


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77% say yes, they recommend the IRWD Business Outreach Program to other IRWD consultants, contractors, and vendors

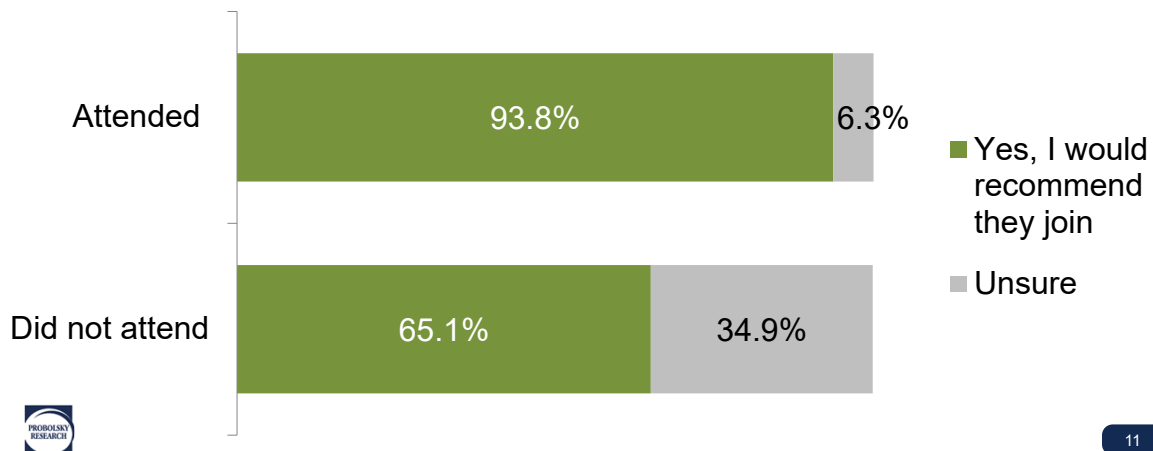
Question 7: Would you recommend the IRWD Business Outreach Program to other IRWD consultants, contractors, and vendors?



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Results by virtual event participation

Question 7: Would you recommend the IRWD Business Outreach Program to other IRWD consultants, contractors, and vendors?



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Questions?

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