

## MEMORANDUM

**TO:** City of Port St. Lucie  
**FROM:** GrayRobinson  
**DATE:** February 20, 2022  
**SUBJECT:** 2022 Legislative Session – Week 6 (February 14-18)

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The 2022 session is winding down as lawmakers make the final push towards the finish line. We saw some of the major bills discussed throughout the week including abortion, parents rights, and immigration policies. The House Tax Package was introduced with widespread approval from members and public commentators alike. Finally, the congressional maps continue to be debated as the Governor's office continues to push for a different map. These and other topics are covered in our summary of the week in Tallahassee.

### City Activities

The House and Senate are now ready for budget conference. On Wednesday and Thursday, respectively, the House and Senate passed their budgets on the floor. While nothing is announced, or official, budget conference is expected at the end of Week 7. As reportedly previously, the Southern Grove Jobs Corridor Water Main Project and C-23 projects are in one of the budgets and eligible for Budget Conference (see notes below).

HB 2053 and Senate LFIR 2262 – City of Port St. Lucie Tradition Regional Park – \$500,000 – Approved by Agriculture & Natural Resources Appropriations Agenda on January 19 – **Did not make budget.**

HB 2389 and Senate LFIR 2263 – Port St. Lucie River/C-23 Water Quality Restoration Project Area 7A Design – \$416,875 – Approved by Agriculture & Natural Resources Appropriations Committee – **\$208,438 in House Budget, Line 1665A.**

HB 2391 and Senate LFIR 2264 – Port St. Lucie Southern Grove Jobs Corridor Water Main Project - \$1,774,150 – Approved by Agriculture & Natural Resources Appropriations Committee – **\$500,000 in Senate Budget, Line 1665A.**

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## **Summary of Week Six (February 14-18)**

### Tax Package

On Thursday, members of the House Ways and Means Committee unanimously passed the proposed tax package, WMC 22-01. This proposal would bring back the Freedom Week tax holiday for a second year in a row, running from July 1-July 7, which would waive sales tax on many items, including skilled trade (mechanics, carpenters, plumbers and electricians) tools. Chair Payne explained that this addition would address “the cost of necessary items for education and training, along with the items needed for their entry into the workforce and the barriers that they may be presented.” An extension of the back-to-school sales tax holiday from ten to 14 days was included, as well as an increase of the acceptable value of several items (\$60 to \$100 for school clothes). The disaster preparedness tax holiday was also extended to 14 days for items such as smoke detectors, carbon monoxide detectors, and fire extinguishers. For one whole year, there will be exemptions on the purchase of baby and toddler clothes, shoes, and diapers. Supporters of the bill urged members to stay strong in their commitment while the Senate version is facing cuts.

### Abortion

After more than five hours debating House Bill 5, by Rep. Grall, the full House passed the bill on a party-line vote. It now awaits a hearing in the Senate Appropriations Committee next week. The passage of this bill would ban abortions after 15 weeks with an exception for fetal fatal abnormalities. The bill also includes a tobacco education program for pregnant women, an infant mortality review process, bolstered infant mortality-reduction initiatives, and enhanced abortion reporting requirements to include human trafficking. This measure is similar to the Mississippi law currently undergoing review in the U.S. Supreme Court. Throughout session, Democratic lawmakers attempted to stall the legislation by proposing dozens of failed amendments, including removing the abortion language. The bill sponsor defends the bill stating, “This discussion is no longer just about a woman’s body because there are two bodies.” During the House Session debate, protestors were chanting from the gallery which resulted in their removal from the Chamber and a condemnation by Speaker Chris Sprowls. In a 78-39 vote, only Republican Rep. Plasencia and Democratic Rep. Bush voted against their party.

### Legislative Map

The Florida Supreme Court has cancelled any oral arguments regarding the proposed legislative map that combined the Senate map (9058) and House map (8013). In common practice, Attorney General Ashley Moody petitioned the Supreme Court for a high-level review and a summary judgment. The court allows for parties to challenge the maps, but this time no objections were filed. This is the first time that a map has been unopposed this late into the process since 1968 when the review of maps by the Florida Supreme Court was mandated. Speaker Sprowls was left surprised after hearing no oral arguments were filed, after many early claims against the maps called them “wildly unconstitutional”, “gerrymandered” and “indefensible.” Most Democrats voted against the map due to a lack of representation of minority communities after an increase of

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the Hispanic population. Democratic Rep. Geller explained his reasoning for not filing, stating that it would have “delayed proceedings and slowed down access to trial” citing back to when it took three years for opponents to prove their case after the Florida Senate and congressional maps were thrown out. The legislative map is now in the hands of the Supreme Court to consider.

### Fatherhood

One of Speaker Sprowls’ priority bills, House Bill 7065 (Rep. Altman), gives \$70 million to promote “responsible” fatherhood, protects at-risk boys, and supports foster children. The House passed this measure after a press conference outside the Capitol with Sprowls, joined by his children and lawmakers, where they spoke about the importance of the passage of this bill. “We cannot legislate fatherhood, responsibility or character...but we can direct some state resources to ensure that fathers, father figures and mentors have the support they need...” stated Sprowls. Democrats were concerned with an existing statutory provision in the bill that labels minority children as “difficult to place” in foster care. However, a unanimous vote was recorded on the House floor.

### Public Safety Act

Following the four-year anniversary of the shooting at Marjory Stoneman Douglas High School this past Monday, Senate Bill 802 (Sen. Gruters) is advancing to its final committee stop (Appropriations). This measure calls for (1) a uniform, easy-to-read format of school safety and environmental data, (2) the Board of Education to set the timing and frequency of emergency drills, and (3) schools to have a plan to leverage the use of social media and information systems to coordinate reunification of families when the school is unexpectedly evacuated or closed. In addition, this bill will also extend the term of the commission charged with overseeing the implementation of school safety rules from 2023 to July 2025. Sen. Gruters believes that extending the commission will “allow us to continue to work on these issues that are still outstanding.” The companion, House Bill 1421 by Rep. Hawkins, is moving right along, scheduled for the House’s special order calendar on Tuesday, February 22. Both proposals dropped a section of the bill that would have deducted Superintendent pay for not complying with the provisions of the law.

### Bright Futures

Changes to Bright Futures, a well-known scholarship program to help high school students with their college tuition is encompassed in House Bill 461 by Rep. Melo and Rep. Valdes. Currently, this program requires 100 volunteer hours in combination with certain SAT/ACT scores and a certain grade point average. This legislation is set to change the requirement of the service hours to include paid work. The House will allow 75 to 100 hours of paid work while the Senate version (SB 1060) by Sen. Gruters will specify 300 hours of paid work. The House floor will now hear this measure.

### Parental Rights Bill

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House Bill 1557 by Rep. Harding is now heading to the House floor after receiving a 13-7 vote in its last committee stop (Judiciary). This measure ensures that schools may not encourage classrooms to discuss sexual orientation or gender identity in primary grade levels or in a manner that is not age-appropriate or developmentally appropriate. In debate, Rep. Grieco calls out the language of the bill for not specifically stating the limitations to only kindergarten through the third grade. Rep. Driskell also adds to the concerns with the possibility of this opening new causes of action against school districts. The bill sponsor doubles down from the opponents stating, “Nowhere within this bill are we banning a word.” Senate Bill 1834 introduced by Sen. Baxley contains more broad language and has to tackle two more committees (Appropriations and Rules) before heading to the floor.

### Immigration

In support of one of Governor DeSantis’ focuses, House Bill 1355 by Rep. Snyder requires law enforcement to cooperate with U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement and prohibits state and municipalities from contracting with companies that transport immigrants who have entered the country unlawfully. In the State Affairs Committee, the measure advanced along a party line vote. The bill sponsor explains the rationale for filing this measure stating, “We’re trying to limit human smuggling that’s being conducted by the federal government and updating common sense sanctuary policies.” Critics fear the vagueness of the bill and the impact it will have on Dreamers, immigrants with Temporary Protected Status and unaccompanied minors. House members Rep. Carlos Smith and Rep. Chambliss filed amendments to protect the classification of those immigrants. In response to this, Rep. Snyder says it is not to target children. The Judiciary committee is the bill’s final stop while the Senate Bill 1808 (Sen. Bean) awaits its second stop (Appropriations).

## **Current Bill Statistics**

Total Bills Filed: 3698 (2716 House; 982 Senate)

Appropriations Bills Filed: 1729

## **Schedule for Week Five (February 7-11)**

The Senate’s schedule can be viewed [here](#).

The House’s schedule can be viewed [here](#).

### **Week Schedule**

Week 7 – February 21 – 25

Week 8 – February 28 – March 4

Week 9 – March 7 – 11

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## Key Dates

- March 1, 2022
  - Last day for regularly scheduled committee meetings (50<sup>th</sup> day rule – Senate)
- March 11, 2022
  - Last day of Regular Session

## Bill Tracking

2022 Bills (68)				
Number	Title	Sponsor	Last Action	Date Foldered
HB 0001	<b>Additional Homestead Property Tax Exemption for Specified Critical Public Service Workforce</b>	Tomkow	02/17/22	01/13/22 01:23PM
(L: 1563 ) (S: 1746 ) (C: 1748 )	<p>Additional Homestead Property Tax Exemption for Specified Critical Public Service Workforce: Proposes amendment to State Constitution to authorize Legislature, for all levies other than school district levies, to grant additional homestead property tax exemption on \$50,000 of assessed value of homestead property owned by classroom teachers, law enforcement officers, correctional officers, firefighters, emergency medical technicians, paramedics, child welfare services professionals, active duty members of United States Armed Forces, &amp; Florida National Guard members. Effective Date: Not Specified</p> <p>01/11/22 HOUSE Filed</p> <p>01/12/22 Bill to be Discussed During the Office of EDR's Revenue Estimating Impact Conference, 01/14/22, 1:30 pm, 117 K (No Votes Will Be Taken)</p> <p>01/12/22 HOUSE Referred to Ways &amp; Means Committee; Local Administration &amp; Veterans Affairs Subcommittee; State Affairs Committee</p> <p>01/12/22 HOUSE Now in Ways &amp; Means Committee</p> <p>01/27/22</p>			

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HOUSE On Committee agenda - Ways & Means Committee, 01/31/22, 3:00 pm, 404 H  
01/31/22  
HOUSE Favorable with CS by Ways & Means Committee; 15 Yeas, 0 Nays  
02/01/22  
HOUSE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed  
02/02/22  
HOUSE Now in Local Administration & Veterans Affairs Subcommittee  
02/03/22  
HOUSE On Committee agenda - Local Administration & Veterans Affairs Subcommittee, 02/07/22, 1:30 pm, 404 H  
02/07/22  
HOUSE Favorable by Local Administration & Veterans Affairs Subcommittee; 18 Yeas, 0 Nays  
02/07/22  
HOUSE Now in State Affairs Committee  
02/15/22  
HOUSE On Committee agenda - State Affairs Committee, 02/17/22, 3:00 pm, 212 K - PCS  
02/17/22  
HOUSE Favorable with CS by State Affairs Committee; 20 Yeas, 1 Nay  
02/17/22  
HOUSE Committee Substitute Text (C2) Filed  
02/17/22  
HOUSE Referred to House Calendar  
02/17/22  
HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar, 2/22/2022

HB 0075	<b>Limiting COVID-19 Restrictions</b>	Sabatini	09/17/21	02/07/22 05:03PM
(C: 452 592 594 )	Limiting COVID-19 Restrictions: Prohibits state or any political subdivision from enacting mask mandate; provides any such mandate is void; prohibits state & local governments from requiring COVID-19 vaccinations, issuing vaccine passports or other standardized documentation to third parties, or otherwise publishing or sharing COVID-19 vaccination records; prohibits businesses from requiring customers to provide documentation certifying COVID-19 vaccination or COVID-19 post-transmission recovery or discriminating against			

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customers on basis of their COVID-19 vaccination status or COVID-19 post-transmission recovery status; declares certain actions based on vaccination status or having immunity passport are unlawful discriminatory practices. Effective Date: upon becoming a law

09/08/21  
HOUSE Filed

09/17/21  
HOUSE Referred to Pandemics & Public Emergencies Committee;  
Commerce Committee; Health & Human Services Committee

09/17/21  
HOUSE Now in Pandemics & Public Emergencies Committee

SB 0096	<b>Emergency Preparedness and Response Fund</b>	Burgess	02/17/22	01/09/22 08:16AM
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(I: 7025 )  
(L: 98 )  
(C: 7023 )

Emergency Preparedness and Response Fund; Authorizing the Legislative Budget Commission to convene to transfer or appropriate certain funds to the Emergency Preparedness and Response Fund; authorizing the Governor to transfer and expend moneys from the Emergency Preparedness and Response Fund; authorizing the Governor to request that additional funds be transferred or appropriated to the Emergency Preparedness and Response Fund, subject to approval by the Legislative Budget Commission, under specified conditions, etc. Effective Date: On the same date that SB 98 or similar legislation takes effect, if such legislation is adopted in the same legislative session or an extension thereof and becomes a law

12/21/21  
SENATE Filed

12/21/21  
SENATE Referred to Appropriations

01/07/22  
SENATE On Committee agenda - Appropriations, 01/12/22, 12:30 pm, 412 K

01/12/22  
SENATE Favorable with CS by Appropriations; 9 Yeas, 7 Nays

01/13/22  
SENATE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed

01/13/22  
SENATE Placed on Calendar, on 2nd reading

01/13/22  
SENATE Placed on Special Order Calendar, 01/19/22

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01/19/22  
SENATE Read Second Time; Amendment Adopted (825440); Read Third Time; Passed (Vote: 31 Yeas / 4 Nays); Immediately certified

01/19/22  
SENATE Engrossed Text (E1) Filed

01/19/22  
HOUSE In Messages

02/03/22  
HOUSE Referred to Calendar

02/03/22  
HOUSE Bill added to Special Order Calendar (2/9/2022)

02/09/22  
HOUSE Substituted for HB 7025; Read Second Time; Placed on Third Reading, 02/10/22

02/10/22  
HOUSE Read Third Time; Passed (Vote: 95 Yeas / 22 Nays); Immediately certified

02/10/22  
SENATE Ordered enrolled

02/10/22  
SENATE Enrolled Text (ER) Filed

02/10/22  
Signed by Officers and presented to Governor (Governor must act on this bill by 02/17/22)

02/17/22  
Approved by Governor

HB 0105	<b>Regulation of Smoking by Counties and Municipalities</b>	Fine	02/17/22	09/16/21 09:45PM
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(S: 224 )

Regulation of Smoking by Counties and Municipalities: Authorizes counties & municipalities to further restrict smoking within boundaries of public beaches & public parks & within specified distance of public entrance or exit of business under certain circumstances; provides exceptions. Effective Date: July 1, 2022

09/15/21  
HOUSE Filed

09/22/21  
HOUSE Referred to Professions & Public Health Subcommittee; Environment, Agriculture & Flooding Subcommittee; Health & Human Services Committee

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09/22/21  
HOUSE Now in Professions & Public Health Subcommittee

01/21/22  
HOUSE On Committee agenda - Professions & Public Health Subcommittee, 01/25/22, 9:00 am, 212 K

01/25/22  
HOUSE Favorable by Professions & Public Health Subcommittee; 17 Yeas, 1 Nay

01/26/22  
HOUSE Now in Environment, Agriculture & Flooding Subcommittee

02/01/22  
HOUSE On Committee agenda - Environment, Agriculture & Flooding Subcommittee, 02/03/22, 11:30 am, 212 K

02/03/22  
HOUSE Favorable by Environment, Agriculture & Flooding Subcommittee; 16 Yeas, 0 Nays

02/03/22  
HOUSE Now in Health & Human Services Committee

02/15/22  
HOUSE On Committee agenda - Health & Human Services Committee, 02/17/22, 8:00 am, 17 H - PCS

02/17/22  
HOUSE Favorable with CS by Health & Human Services Committee; 19 Yeas, 0 Nays

02/17/22  
HOUSE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed

02/17/22  
HOUSE Referred to House Calendar

02/17/22  
HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar, 2/22/2022

SB 0178	<b>Visiting County and Municipal Detention Facilities</b>	Pizzo	01/26/22	09/26/21 02:08PM
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(C: 285 )

Visiting County and Municipal Detention Facilities; Authorizing specified persons to visit at their pleasure county and municipal detention facilities; prohibiting persons not otherwise authorized by law from entering such facilities; prohibiting the unreasonable withholding of permission for professional journalists or writers to enter such facilities, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2022

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SENATE Filed

09/21/21

SENATE Referred to Community Affairs; Judiciary; Rules

01/20/22

SENATE On Committee agenda - Community Affairs, 01/25/22, 3:30 pm, 37 S

01/25/22

SENATE Favorable by Community Affairs; 8 Yeas, 0 Nays

01/26/22

SENATE Now in Judiciary

HB 0219	<b>Real Property Rights</b>	Tuck	02/17/22	10/09/21 11:11PM
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(S: 1380 )

Real Property Rights: Revises rights that are not affected or extinguished by marketable record titles; revises what types of interests are extinguished by marketable record title; authorizes owner or operator of private property utilized for motor vehicle parking to establish rules, rates, & fines, including parking charges, which govern private persons who park their motor vehicles on such private property; prohibits county or municipality from enacting certain ordinances or regulations; provides that certain ordinances or regulations are null & void; requires persons with certain interests in land which may be extinguished by this act to file specified notice to preserve such interests. Effective Date: upon becoming a law

09/30/21

HOUSE Filed

10/22/21

HOUSE Referred to Civil Justice & Property Rights Subcommittee; Tourism, Infrastructure & Energy Subcommittee; Judiciary Committee

10/22/21

HOUSE Now in Civil Justice & Property Rights Subcommittee

11/23/21

HOUSE On Committee agenda - Civil Justice & Property Rights Subcommittee, 12/01/21, 11:00 am, 404 H

12/01/21

HOUSE Temporarily Postponed by Civil Justice & Property Rights Subcommittee

01/11/22

HOUSE On Committee agenda - Civil Justice & Property Rights Subcommittee, 01/13/22, 2:00 pm, 404 H - PCS

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HOUSE Favorable with CS by Civil Justice & Property Rights Subcommittee; 16 Yeas, 0 Nays

01/14/22

HOUSE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed

01/18/22

HOUSE Reference to Tourism, Infrastructure & Energy Subcommittee removed; Reference to Local Administration & Veterans Affairs Subcommittee added; Remaining references: Local Administration & Veterans Affairs Subcommittee; Judiciary Committee

01/18/22

HOUSE Now in Local Administration & Veterans Affairs

02/03/22

HOUSE On Committee agenda - Local Administration & Veterans Affairs Subcommittee, 02/07/22, 1:30 pm, 404 H

02/07/22

HOUSE Favorable by Local Administration & Veterans Affairs Subcommittee; 18 Yeas, 0 Nays

02/07/22

HOUSE Now in Judiciary Committee

02/17/22

HOUSE On Committee agenda - Judiciary Committee, 02/21/22, 3:30 pm, 404 H

SB 0224	<b>Regulation of Smoking in Public Places</b>	Gruters	02/17/22	09/26/21 02:02PM
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(S: 105 )

Regulation of Smoking in Public Places; Authorizing counties and municipalities to further restrict smoking within the boundaries of public beaches and public parks under certain circumstances, with exceptions; requiring that any signs installed in relation to such restrictions include certain information, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2022

09/15/21

SENATE Filed

09/21/21

SENATE Referred to Community Affairs; Environment and Natural Resources; Rules

10/25/21

SENATE On Committee agenda - Community Affairs, 11/03/21, 8:30 am, 37 S

11/03/21

SENATE Favorable by Community Affairs; 8 Yeas, 0 Nays

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11/03/21  
SENATE Now in Environment and Natural Resources

02/02/22  
SENATE On Committee agenda - Environment and Natural Resources, 02/07/22, 2:30 pm, 37 S

02/07/22  
SENATE Favorable with CS by Environment and Natural Resources; 6 Yeas, 0 Nays

02/08/22  
SENATE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed

02/11/22  
SENATE Now in Rules

02/11/22  
SENATE On Committee agenda - Rules, 02/15/22, 10:00 am, 412 K

02/15/22  
SENATE Favorable with CS by Rules; 14 Yeas, 3 Nays

02/16/22  
SENATE Committee Substitute Text (C2) Filed

02/16/22  
SENATE Placed on Calendar, on 2nd reading

02/17/22  
SENATE Placed on Special Order Calendar, 02/23/22

HB 0243	<b>Exemption from Taxation for Educational Properties</b>	Roth	11/03/21	10/16/21 05:23PM
(S: 1126 )	Exemption from Taxation for Educational Properties: Exempts from taxation property used by educational institutions that hold leasehold interests exceeding specified number of years. Effective Date: July 1, 2022			
	10/11/21 HOUSE Filed			
	10/22/21 HOUSE Referred to Ways & Means Committee; Education & Employment Committee			
	10/22/21 HOUSE Now in Ways & Means Committee			
	11/03/21			

Bill to be Discussed During the Office of EDR's Revenue Estimating Impact Conference, 11/05/21, 1:30 pm, 117 K (No Votes Will Be Taken)

HB 0247	<b>Florida Main Street Program and Historic Preservation Tax Credits</b>	Salzman	02/18/22	10/16/21 05:25PM
(I: 1310 )	<p>Florida Main Street Program and Historic Preservation Tax Credits: Specifies eligibility requirements for receiving specified tax credits for taxpayers that rehabilitate certified historic structures; specifies requirements for taxpayers claiming or transferring specified tax credits; specifies requirements for Division of Historical Resources of DOS for evaluating &amp; certifying applications for specified tax credits; specifies amount of tax credits; authorizes carryforward, sale, &amp; transfer of tax credits; requires DOR to provide annual reports to Legislature; provides duties of DOR; revises order in which tax credits against corporate income tax credit or franchise tax are applied; revises order in which credits &amp; deductions against insurance premium tax are applied. Effective Date: January 1, 2023</p> <p>10/11/21 HOUSE Filed</p> <p>10/22/21 HOUSE Referred to Tourism, Infrastructure &amp; Energy Subcommittee; Ways &amp; Means Committee; Commerce Committee</p> <p>10/22/21 HOUSE Now in Tourism, Infrastructure &amp; Energy Subcommittee</p> <p>02/11/22 HOUSE On Committee agenda - Tourism, Infrastructure &amp; Energy Subcommittee, 02/15/22, 8:00 am, 102 H</p> <p>02/15/22 HOUSE Favorable with CS by Tourism, Infrastructure &amp; Energy Subcommittee; 14 Yeas, 0 Nays</p> <p>02/16/22 HOUSE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed</p> <p>02/18/22 HOUSE Reference to Commerce Committee removed; Remaining reference: Ways &amp; Means Committee</p> <p>02/18/22 HOUSE Now in Ways &amp; Means Committee</p>			
HB 0259	<b>Photovoltaic Solar Installations</b>	Roth	01/11/22	10/16/21 05:36PM

Photovoltaic Solar Installations: Prohibits counties & cities from preventing construction or placement of photovoltaic solar installation on existing permitted structures from being considered accessory uses to those structures; requires brokers to provide written disclosures regarding photovoltaic solar installations before selling residential real estate; revises provisions addressing photovoltaic solar installations; provides additional disclosures that must be provided in each photovoltaic solar installation sale or lease agreement; requires closing agent to retain loan or lease payoff funds in escrow under certain conditions. Effective Date: July 1, 2022

10/11/21  
HOUSE Filed

10/22/21  
HOUSE Referred to Tourism, Infrastructure & Energy Subcommittee; Local Administration & Veterans Affairs Subcommittee; State Administration & Technology Appropriations Subcommittee; Commerce Committee

10/22/21  
HOUSE Now in Tourism, Infrastructure & Energy Subcommittee

01/11/22  
HOUSE Withdrawn prior to introduction

SB 0280	<b>Local Ordinances</b>	Hutson	01/27/22	09/24/21 12:57PM
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(I: 403 )

Local Ordinances; Authorizing courts to assess and award reasonable attorney fees and costs and damages in certain civil actions filed against local governments; requiring a board of county commissioners to prepare or cause to be prepared a business impact estimate before the enactment of a proposed ordinance; requiring a county to suspend enforcement of an ordinance that is the subject of a certain legal action if certain conditions are met; authorizing a prevailing county to enforce the ordinance after a specified period, except under certain circumstances; requiring a governing body of a municipality to prepare or cause to be prepared a business impact estimate before the enactment of a proposed ordinance, etc. Effective Date: 10/1/2022

09/21/21  
SENATE Filed

10/13/21  
SENATE Referred to Community Affairs; Judiciary; Rules

01/07/22  
SENATE On Committee agenda - Community Affairs, 01/12/22, 9:30 am, 37 S

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01/12/22  
SENATE Favorable with CS by Community Affairs; 6 Yeas, 2 Nays

01/12/22  
SENATE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed

01/13/22  
SENATE Reference to Judiciary removed; Remaining reference:  
Rules

01/13/22  
SENATE Now in Rules

01/14/22  
SENATE On Committee agenda - Rules, 01/20/22, 9:30 am, 412 K

01/20/22  
SENATE Favorable with CS by Rules; 14 Yeas, 2 Nays

01/21/22  
SENATE Committee Substitute Text (C2) Filed

01/21/22  
SENATE Placed on Calendar, on 2nd reading

01/24/22  
SENATE Placed on Special Order Calendar, 01/27/22

01/27/22  
SENATE Read Second Time; Amendment Adopted (349788); Read  
Third Time; Passed (Vote: 28 Yeas / 8 Nays); Immediately certified

01/27/22  
SENATE Engrossed Text (E1) Filed

01/27/22  
HOUSE In Messages

SB 0286	<b>Vacation Rentals</b>	Garcia	10/18/21	09/26/21 02:08PM
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(C: 325 512 )

Vacation Rentals; Providing that local laws, ordinances, or regulations requiring vacation rental owners or operators to provide the local government with certain contact information are not prohibited or preempted to the state, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2022

09/22/21  
SENATE Filed

10/13/21  
SENATE Referred to Regulated Industries; Community Affairs; Rules

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SENATE Withdrawn from Regulated Industries; Community Affairs;  
Rules

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10/18/21  
SENATE Withdrawn prior to introduction

HB 0301	<b>Financial Disclosures</b>	Roach	02/07/22	10/16/21 05:51PM
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(C: 510 7067 )

Financial Disclosures: Revises qualification requirements for certain candidates for office; requires specified local officers to file full & public disclosure of financial interests; exempts specified local officers from certain financial disclosure requirements; provides that certain local officers must file their statements of financial interests with specified supervisor until specified date; revises documents that must be filed electronically; provides that certain delinquency notices may not be sent by certified mail. Effective Date: upon becoming a law

10/14/21  
HOUSE Filed

10/26/21  
HOUSE Referred to Public Integrity & Elections Committee; Local Administration & Veterans Affairs Subcommittee; State Affairs Committee

10/26/21  
HOUSE Now in Public Integrity & Elections Committee

01/10/22  
HOUSE On Committee agenda - Public Integrity & Elections Committee, 01/12/22, 11:30 am, 404 H

01/13/22  
HOUSE House Correction: Temporarily Postponed by Public Integrity & Elections Committee on 01/12/22

01/13/22  
HOUSE On Committee agenda - Public Integrity & Elections Committee, 01/18/22, 11:30 am, 404 H - PCS

01/18/22  
HOUSE Favorable with CS by Public Integrity & Elections Committee; 16 Yeas, 0 Nays

01/19/22  
HOUSE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed

01/20/22  
HOUSE Now in Local Administration & Veterans Affairs Subcommittee

02/03/22  
HOUSE On Committee agenda - Local Administration & Veterans Affairs Subcommittee, 02/07/22, 1:30 pm, 404 H

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HOUSE Favorable by Local Administration & Veterans Affairs  
Subcommittee; 17 Yeas, 0 Nays

02/07/22  
HOUSE Now in State Affairs Committee

HB 0303	<b>Sanitary Sewer Lateral Inspection Programs</b>	Truenow	10/26/21	10/16/21 05:52PM
(S: 608 )	<p>Sanitary Sewer Lateral Inspection Programs: Authorizes counties &amp; municipalities to access sanitary sewer laterals within their jurisdiction for specified purposes; requires counties &amp; municipalities to notify private property owners within specified timeframe if county or municipality intends to access owner's sanitary sewer lateral; provides that counties &amp; municipalities that establish programs are legally &amp; financially responsible for all work done; requires counties &amp; municipalities that establish programs to consider economical methods for counties &amp; municipalities; authorizes program established by county or municipality to evaluate &amp; rehabilitate sanitary sewer laterals on residential &amp; commercial properties to use state or local funds allocated for environmental preservation or protection of water quality. Effective Date: July 1, 2022</p> <p>10/14/21 HOUSE Filed</p> <p>10/26/21 HOUSE Referred to Environment, Agriculture &amp; Flooding Subcommittee; Local Administration &amp; Veterans Affairs Subcommittee; State Affairs Committee</p> <p>10/26/21 HOUSE Now in Environment, Agriculture &amp; Flooding Subcommittee</p>			
SB 0316	<b>Preemption of Tree Pruning, Trimming, and Removal</b>	Stewart	10/13/21	09/24/21 01:01PM
(I: 6025 ) (C: 1900 6113 )	<p>Preemption of Tree Pruning, Trimming, and Removal: Repealing a provision relating to tree pruning, trimming, or removal on residential property, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2022</p> <p>09/22/21 SENATE Filed</p> <p>10/13/21 SENATE Referred to Community Affairs; Judiciary; Rules</p>			
SB 0320	<b>Preemption of Recyclable and Polystyrene Materials</b>	Stewart	10/13/21	09/24/21 01:02PM

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(I: 6063 )  
(C: 1900 6113 )

Preemption of Recyclable and Polystyrene Materials; Removing the preemption of local laws regarding the regulation of auxiliary containers, wrappings, or disposable plastic bags; removing the preemption of local laws regarding the use or sale of polystyrene products to the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2022

09/22/21  
SENATE Filed

10/13/21  
SENATE Referred to Environment and Natural Resources;  
Community Affairs; Rules

HB 0325

**Vacation Rentals**

Fischer

02/01/22

10/18/21  
09:52AM

(S: 512 )  
(C: 286 )

Vacation Rentals: Requires advertising platforms to collect & remit taxes for certain transactions; revises certain regulated activities of public lodging establishments & public food service establishments preempted to state; expands authority of local laws, to include requiring vacation rentals to register with vacation rental registration program; authorizes local governments to adopt vacation rental registration program & impose fines for failure to register; preempts regulation of advertising platforms to state; authorizes Division of Hotels & Restaurants to issue & deliver notice to cease & desist for certain violations; authorizes division to collect attorney fees & costs & impose fine on advertising platforms for violations. Effective Date: upon becoming a law

10/18/21  
HOUSE Filed

11/03/21  
Bill to be Discussed During the Office of EDR's Revenue Estimating Impact Conference, 11/05/21, 1:30 pm, 117 K (No Votes Will Be Taken)

11/05/21  
HOUSE Referred to Regulatory Reform Subcommittee; Ways & Means Committee; Commerce Committee

11/05/21  
HOUSE Now in Regulatory Reform Subcommittee

01/25/22  
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01/27/22

HOUSE Favorable with CS by Regulatory Reform Subcommittee; 10 Yeas, 6 Nays

01/28/22

HOUSE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed

02/01/22

HOUSE Now in Ways & Means Committee

HB 0345

**Liens and Bonds**

Overdorf

02/07/22

10/20/21  
10:06PM

(S: 1272 )  
(C: 1171 )

Liens and Bonds: Revises liens and bonds laws, including provisions relating to when notices must be served; notarizing forms; alternative forms of security; direct contracts; computation of time; priority of liens; requirements for notice of commencement, notice of termination, & notice of contest of lien; transferring lien to security; service of documents; immunity to issuing authority; release of liens; authorizes attorney fees in certain actions. Effective Date: July 1, 2022

10/19/21

HOUSE Filed

11/05/21

HOUSE Referred to Civil Justice & Property Rights Subcommittee; Regulatory Reform Subcommittee; Judiciary Committee

11/05/21

HOUSE Now in Civil Justice & Property Rights Subcommittee

01/25/22

HOUSE On Committee agenda - Civil Justice & Property Rights Subcommittee, 01/27/22, 8:00 am, 404 H

01/27/22

HOUSE Favorable with CS by Civil Justice & Property Rights Subcommittee; 17 Yeas, 0 Nays

01/28/22

HOUSE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed

02/01/22

HOUSE Now in Regulatory Reform Subcommittee

02/01/22

HOUSE On Committee agenda - Regulatory Reform Subcommittee, 02/03/22, 2:00 pm, 212 K

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02/03/22  
HOUSE Favorable with CS by Regulatory Reform Subcommittee; 16  
Yeas, 0 Nays

02/05/22  
HOUSE Committee Substitute Text (C2) Filed

02/07/22  
HOUSE Now in Judiciary Committee

SB 0352	<b>Construction Liens</b>	Hooper	02/03/22	10/09/21 11:18PM
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(S: 263 )

Construction Liens; Revising the threshold for determining whether certain direct contracts to repair or replace an existing heating or air-conditioning system are exempt from specified notice of commencement and applicability of lien requirements for authorities issuing building permits, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2022

09/27/21  
SENATE Filed

10/13/21  
SENATE Referred to Community Affairs; Regulated Industries; Rules

10/25/21  
SENATE On Committee agenda - Community Affairs, 11/03/21, 8:30 am, 37 S

11/03/21  
SENATE Favorable by Community Affairs; 8 Yeas, 0 Nays

11/03/21  
SENATE Now in Regulated Industries

01/06/22  
SENATE On Committee agenda - Regulated Industries, 01/11/22, 4:00 pm, 412 K

01/11/22  
SENATE Favorable by Regulated Industries; 7 Yeas, 0 Nays

01/12/22  
SENATE Now in Rules

01/14/22  
SENATE On Committee agenda - Rules, 01/20/22, 9:30 am, 412 K

01/20/22  
SENATE Favorable by Rules; 15 Yeas, 0 Nays

01/20/22  
SENATE Placed on Calendar, on 2nd reading

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SENATE Placed on Special Order Calendar, 02/03/22  
02/03/22  
SENATE Read Second Time; Read Third Time; Passed (Vote: 37  
Yeas / 0 Nays); Immediately certified  
02/03/22  
HOUSE In Messages

SB 0362	<b>Ad Valorem Tax Exemption for Nonprofit Homes for the Aged</b>	Rodriguez (A)	02/10/22	10/09/21 11:21PM
(I: 401 )	Ad Valorem Tax Exemption for Nonprofit Homes for the Aged; Revising ownership entities for nonprofit homes qualifying for an exemption from ad valorem taxation to include certain limited partnerships, etc. Effective Date: 1/1/2023			
	09/27/21 SENATE Filed			
	10/13/21 SENATE Referred to Community Affairs; Finance and Tax; Appropriations			
	11/18/21 Bill to be Discussed During the Office of EDR's Revenue Estimating Impact Conference, 11/19/21, 1:30 pm, 117 K (No Votes Will Be Taken)			
	01/28/22 SENATE On Committee agenda - Community Affairs, 02/02/22, 8:30 am, 37 S			
	02/02/22 SENATE Favorable by Community Affairs; 9 Yeas, 0 Nays			
	02/02/22 SENATE Now in Finance and Tax			
	02/07/22 SENATE On Committee agenda - Finance and Tax, 02/10/22, 11:00 am, 110 S			
	02/10/22 SENATE Favorable by Finance and Tax; 7 Yeas, 0 Nays			
	02/10/22 SENATE Now in Appropriations			
HB 0403	<b>Local Ordinances</b>	Giallombardo	02/18/22	10/25/21 09:57AM

(I: 280 )

Local Ordinances: Authorizes courts to award reasonable attorney fees & costs & damages in certain civil actions filed against local governments; specifies limitation on awards; requires boards of local governments to prepare business impact estimate before enactment of ordinance; specifies requirements for posting & content of estimate; requires local government to suspend enforcement of ordinance that is subject of certain legal action if certain conditions are met; authorizes prevailing local government to enforce ordinance after specified period; requires courts to give priority to certain cases; authorizes courts to award attorney fees & costs & damages; provides declaration of important state interest. Effective Date: October 1, 2022

10/25/21  
HOUSE Filed

11/05/21  
HOUSE Referred to Local Administration & Veterans Affairs Subcommittee; Civil Justice & Property Rights Subcommittee; State Affairs Committee

11/05/21  
HOUSE Now in Local Administration & Veterans Affairs Subcommittee

11/23/21  
HOUSE On Committee agenda - Local Administration & Veterans Affairs Subcommittee, 12/01/21, 1:30 pm, 404 H

12/01/21  
HOUSE Favorable by Local Administration & Veterans Affairs Subcommittee; 11 Yeas, 4 Nays

12/01/21  
HOUSE Now in Civil Justice & Property Rights Subcommittee

02/14/22  
HOUSE On Committee agenda - Civil Justice & Property Rights Subcommittee, 02/16/22, 8:00 am, 404 H

02/16/22  
HOUSE Favorable with CS by Civil Justice & Property Rights Subcommittee; 12 Yeas, 6 Nays

02/16/22  
HOUSE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed

02/18/22  
HOUSE Now in State Affairs Committee

(C: 75 592 )

Public Health; Prohibiting counties and municipalities from requiring citizens of the United States to submit to any medical procedure or receive any medical treatment; prohibiting counties and municipalities from conditioning access to public property or services on whether a citizen has submitted to any medical procedure or received any medical treatment; prohibiting counties and municipalities from requiring the wearing of a face covering; prohibiting district school boards from adopting, implementing, or enforcing a policy, a rule, a code of conduct, or an order requiring the wearing of a face covering, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2022

10/13/21  
SENATE Filed

10/21/21  
SENATE Referred to Community Affairs; Education; Rules

10/21/21  
SENATE Withdrawn from Community Affairs; Education; Rules

10/21/21  
SENATE Withdrawn prior to introduction

HB 0501	<b>Prohibition of Public Funds for Lobbying</b>	Gregory	01/07/22	11/04/21 10:16PM
	Prohibition of Public Funds for Lobbying: Prohibits local governments and not-for-profit organizations from using public funds to retain lobbyists; provides exceptions for local government full-time employees; provides sanctions for violations; authorizes people to file complaints with the Commission on Ethics; requires commission to provide a report to specified entities; specifies procedures for disciplining violators. Effective Date: July 1, 2022			
	11/04/21 HOUSE Filed			
	11/19/21 HOUSE Referred to Public Integrity & Elections Committee; Local Administration & Veterans Affairs Subcommittee; State Affairs Committee			
	11/19/21 HOUSE Now in Public Integrity & Elections Committee			
	01/07/22 HOUSE Withdrawn prior to introduction			
SB 0510	<b>Financial Disclosures</b>	Brodeur	02/17/22	10/16/21 10:06PM

(C: 301 7067 )

Financial Disclosures; Revising the date by which full and public disclosure of financial interests must be filed electronically; requiring

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the Commission on Ethics to accept only disclosures in paper form through a specified date; requiring the commission to accept federal income tax returns, financial statements, and other forms or attachments showing sources of income for a specified purpose; requiring members of the Commission on Ethics and the Florida Elections Commission to file a full and public disclosure of financial interests; authorizing the commission to dismiss financial disclosure complaints alleging de minimis violations, etc. Effective Date: Except as otherwise expressly provided in this act, this act shall take effect upon becoming a law

10/14/21  
SENATE Filed

11/03/21  
SENATE Referred to Ethics and Elections; Community Affairs; Rules

11/22/21  
SENATE On Committee agenda - Ethics and Elections, 11/30/21, 3:30 pm, 110 S

11/30/21  
SENATE Favorable with CS by Ethics and Elections; 9 Yeas, 0 Nays

12/01/21  
SENATE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed

12/06/21  
SENATE Now in Community Affairs

01/07/22  
SENATE On Committee agenda - Community Affairs, 01/12/22, 9:30 am, 37 S

01/12/22  
SENATE Not Considered by Community Affairs

01/13/22  
SENATE On Committee agenda - Community Affairs, 01/18/22, 3:30 pm, 37 S

01/18/22  
SENATE Favorable by Community Affairs; 7 Yeas, 0 Nays

01/19/22  
SENATE Now in Rules

02/07/22  
SENATE On Committee agenda - Rules, 02/10/22, 11:00 am, 412 K

02/10/22  
SENATE Favorable with CS by Rules; 11 Yeas, 5 Nays

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SENATE Committee Substitute Text (C2) Filed

02/14/22

SENATE Placed on Calendar, on 2nd reading

02/17/22

SENATE Placed on Special Order Calendar, 02/23/22

SB 0512	<b>Vacation Rentals</b>	Burgess	02/04/22	10/18/21 09:52AM
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(S: 325 )  
(C: 286 )

Vacation Rentals; Requiring advertising platforms to collect and remit taxes for certain transactions; revising the regulated activities of public lodging establishments and public food service establishments preempted to the state to include licensing; expanding the authority of local laws, ordinances, or regulations to include requiring vacation rentals to register with local vacation rental registration programs; authorizing local governments to adopt vacation rental registration programs and impose fines for failure to register; requiring advertising platforms to require that persons placing advertisements for vacation rentals include certain information in the advertisements and attest to certain information, etc. Effective Date: Except as otherwise expressly provided in this act, this act shall take effect upon becoming a law

10/15/21

SENATE Filed

11/03/21

Bill to be Discussed During the Office of EDR's Revenue Estimating Impact Conference, 11/05/21, 1:30 pm, 117 K (No Votes Will Be Taken)

11/03/21

SENATE Referred to Regulated Industries; Community Affairs; Rules

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SENATE On Committee agenda - Regulated Industries, 01/11/22, 4:00 pm, 412 K

01/11/22

SENATE Favorable by Regulated Industries; 8 Yeas, 0 Nays

01/12/22

SENATE Now in Community Affairs

01/26/22

Bill to be Discussed During the Office of EDR's Revenue Estimating Impact Conference, 01/28/22, 10:30 am, 117 K (No Votes Will Be Taken)

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02/02/22  
SENATE Favorable with CS by Community Affairs; 6 Yeas, 3 Nays

02/02/22  
Bill to be Discussed During the Office of EDR's Revenue Estimating Impact Conference, 02/04/22, 9:00 am, 117 K (No Votes Will Be Taken)

02/04/22  
SENATE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed

02/04/22  
SENATE Reference to Rules removed; Reference to Appropriations added; Remaining reference: Appropriations

02/04/22  
SENATE Now in Appropriations

SB 0518	<b>Private Property Rights to Prune, Trim, and Remove Trees</b>	Brodeur	02/18/22	10/16/21 10:15PM
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(I: 1555 ) Private Property Rights to Prune, Trim, and Remove Trees; Revising conditions under which a local government may not require a notice, application, approval, permit, fee, or mitigation for the pruning, trimming, or removal of a tree on residential property; specifying when a tree poses an unacceptable risk, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2022

10/15/21  
SENATE Filed

11/03/21  
SENATE Referred to Community Affairs; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Rules

01/13/22  
SENATE On Committee agenda - Community Affairs, 01/18/22, 3:30 pm, 37 S

01/18/22  
SENATE Favorable with CS by Community Affairs; 7 Yeas, 0 Nays

01/20/22  
SENATE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed

01/20/22  
SENATE Now in Governmental Oversight and Accountability

02/07/22  
SENATE On Committee agenda - Governmental Oversight and Accountability, 02/10/22, 8:30 am, 37 S

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SENATE Favorable by Governmental Oversight and Accountability; 6  
Yeas, 0 Nays

02/10/22  
SENATE Now in Rules

02/18/22  
SENATE On Committee agenda - Rules, 02/23/22, 9:00 am, 412 K

HB 0569	<b>Local Business Protection Act</b>	McClure	02/07/22	11/10/21 03:25PM
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(I: 620 )

Local Business Protection Act: Authorizes businesses to claim damages from county or municipality if county or municipality enacts or amends certain ordinances or charter provisions; limits amount of business damages that may be recovered; specifies ordinances & charter provisions that do not result in liability; requires presuit procedures before businesses file action for business damages; authorizes courts to award reasonable attorney fees & costs; specifies counties & municipalities are not liable for damages if they take actions within specified timeframe. Effective Date: upon becoming a law

11/10/21  
HOUSE Filed

11/19/21  
HOUSE Referred to Civil Justice & Property Rights Subcommittee; Local Administration & Veterans Affairs Subcommittee; Judiciary Committee

11/19/21  
HOUSE Now in Civil Justice & Property Rights Subcommittee

01/11/22  
HOUSE On Committee agenda - Civil Justice & Property Rights Subcommittee, 01/13/22, 2:00 pm, 404 H

01/13/22  
HOUSE Favorable with CS by Civil Justice & Property Rights Subcommittee; 12 Yeas, 5 Nays

01/14/22  
HOUSE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed

01/18/22  
HOUSE Now in Local Administration & Veterans Affairs Subcommittee

01/31/22  
HOUSE On Committee agenda - Local Administration & Veterans Affairs Subcommittee, 02/02/22, 11:30 am, 404 H - PCS

02/02/22  
HOUSE Favorable with CS by Local Administration & Veterans  
Affairs Subcommittee; 11 Yeas, 6 Nays

02/03/22  
HOUSE Committee Substitute Text (C2) Filed

02/07/22  
HOUSE Now in Judiciary Committee

SB 0592	<b>Face Covering Mandates</b>	Perry	11/03/21	10/21/21 10:42PM
(C: 75 452 )	<p>Face Covering Mandates; Prohibiting counties and municipalities from requiring that a citizen of the United States wear a face covering; prohibiting district school boards from adopting, implementing, or enforcing a policy, a rule, a code of conduct, or an order requiring the wearing of a face covering; prohibiting a district school superintendent from implementing or enforcing a policy, a rule, a code of conduct, or an order requiring the wearing of a face covering; prohibiting a school principal from implementing or enforcing a policy, a rule, a code of conduct, or an order requiring the wearing of a face covering, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law</p> <p>10/21/21 SENATE Filed</p> <p>11/03/21 SENATE Referred to Judiciary; Education; Rules</p>			
SB 0594	<b>Discrimination on the Basis of COVID-19 Vaccination or Postinfection Recovery Status</b>	Perry	11/03/21	10/21/21 10:44PM
(C: 75 )	<p>Discrimination on the Basis of COVID-19 Vaccination or Postinfection Recovery Status; Prohibiting governmental entities from requiring proof of COVID-19 vaccination or postinfection recovery status as a condition of licensure or certification in this state; prohibiting employers from requiring COVID-19 vaccination or proof of COVID-19 vaccination or postinfection recovery as a condition of employment, promotion, or continued employment or from discriminating against employees on the basis of such status unless certain conditions are met; providing a right of action for aggrieved persons, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law</p> <p>10/21/21 SENATE Filed</p> <p>11/03/21</p>			

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SENATE Referred to Community Affairs; Commerce and Tourism;  
Rules

SB 0608	<b>Sanitary Sewer Lateral Inspection Programs</b>	Brodeur	02/02/22	10/25/21 09:55AM
(S: 303 )	<p>Sanitary Sewer Lateral Inspection Programs; Defining the term “continuous monolithic pipe system”; authorizing counties and municipalities, respectively, to access sanitary sewer laterals within their jurisdiction for specified purposes; requiring counties and municipalities to notify private property owners within a specified timeframe if the county or municipality intends to access the owner’s sanitary sewer lateral; authorizing a program established by a county or a municipality to evaluate and rehabilitate sanitary sewer laterals on residential and commercial properties to use state or local funds allocated for environmental preservation or the protection of water quality, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2022</p> <p>10/25/21 SENATE Filed</p> <p>11/03/21 SENATE Referred to Environment and Natural Resources; Community Affairs; Appropriations</p> <p>11/22/21 SENATE On Committee agenda - Environment and Natural Resources, 11/30/21, 9:00 am, 37 S</p> <p>11/30/21 SENATE Favorable with CS by Environment and Natural Resources; 6 Yeas, 0 Nays</p> <p>11/30/21 SENATE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed</p> <p>12/06/21 SENATE Now in Community Affairs</p> <p>01/28/22 SENATE On Committee agenda - Community Affairs, 02/02/22, 8:30 am, 37 S</p> <p>02/02/22 SENATE Favorable by Community Affairs; 9 Yeas, 0 Nays</p> <p>02/02/22 SENATE Now in Appropriations</p>			
SB 0620	<b>Local Business Protection Act</b>	Hutson	01/27/22	10/25/21 10:53PM

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(I: 569 )

Local Business Protection Act; Citing this act as the "Local Business Protection Act"; authorizing certain businesses to claim business damages from a county or municipality if the county or municipality enacts or amends certain ordinances or charter provisions; limiting the amount of business damages that may be recovered; specifying ordinances and charter provisions that do not result in liability for business damages; requiring businesses and counties or municipalities to follow certain presuit procedures before businesses file an action for business damages, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law

10/25/21  
SENATE Filed

11/03/21  
SENATE Referred to Judiciary; Rules; Appropriations

11/22/21  
SENATE On Committee agenda - Judiciary, 11/30/21, 9:00 am, 412 K

11/30/21  
SENATE Favorable by Judiciary; 7 Yeas, 4 Nays

11/30/21  
SENATE Now in Rules

01/10/22  
SENATE Reference to Rules removed; Remaining reference: Appropriations

01/10/22  
SENATE Now in Appropriations

01/14/22  
SENATE On Committee agenda - Appropriations, 01/20/22, 11:30 am, 412 K

01/20/22  
SENATE Favorable with CS by Appropriations; 11 Yeas, 7 Nays

01/24/22  
SENATE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed

01/24/22  
SENATE Placed on Calendar, on 2nd reading

01/24/22  
SENATE Placed on Special Order Calendar, 01/27/22

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SENATE Read Second Time; Amendments Adopted (834272, 507868); Amendment Adopted as Amended (609228); Read Third Time; Passed (Vote: 22 Yeas / 14 Nays); Immediately certified

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SENATE Engrossed Text (E1) Filed

01/27/22

HOUSE In Messages

HB 0739	<b>Local Government Land Development Actions</b>	Borrero	02/10/22	12/02/21 10:02AM
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(S: 1248 )

Local Government Land Development Actions: Specifies deficiencies county or municipality may provide comments on regarding applications for development permits or development orders; requires local governments to adopt residential infill development standards; provides guidelines for local governments in developing residential infill development standards; requires local governments to adopt regulations to be used by applicants seeking designations as residential infill development; prohibits local government from denying applications if applicant has generally complied with regulations; requires local governments to amend their development regulations & comprehensive plans to incorporate residential infill developments as zoning classifications; specifies deficiencies over which local government may provide comments or request information on regarding applications for building permits. Effective Date: July 1, 2022

11/24/21

HOUSE Filed

12/13/21

HOUSE Referred to Local Administration & Veterans Affairs Subcommittee; Commerce Committee; State Affairs Committee

12/13/21

HOUSE Now in Local Administration & Veterans Affairs Subcommittee

02/03/22

HOUSE On Committee agenda - Local Administration & Veterans Affairs Subcommittee, 02/07/22, 1:30 pm, 404 H

02/07/22

HOUSE Favorable with CS by Local Administration & Veterans Affairs Subcommittee; 18 Yeas, 0 Nays

02/08/22

HOUSE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed

02/10/22  
HOUSE Now in Commerce Committee

HB 0799	<b>Sovereign Immunity</b>	Beltran	12/01/21	12/04/21 03:53PM
(S: 974 985 )	<p>Sovereign Immunity: Revises statutory limits on liability for tort claims against state &amp; its agencies &amp; subdivisions; specifies that limitations in effect on date final judgment is entered apply to that claim; requires DFS to adjust limitations on tort liability every year after specified date. Effective Date: July 1, 2022</p> <p>11/30/21 HOUSE Filed</p> <p>12/01/21 HOUSE Withdrawn prior to introduction</p>			
HB 0827	<b>District Boundaries</b>	Barnaby	12/16/21	12/04/21 04:12PM
(S: 1142 )	<p>District Boundaries: Prohibits counties, municipalities, &amp; district school boards from taking specified actions when redrawing individual district boundaries; specifies certain existing or future ordinances adopted or enacted by such entities are void; authorizes municipalities to fix district boundaries for certain purposes; specifies frequency of any changes that may be made to such municipal district boundaries. Effective Date: July 1, 2022</p> <p>12/02/21 HOUSE Filed</p> <p>12/16/21 HOUSE Referred to Public Integrity &amp; Elections Committee; Local Administration &amp; Veterans Affairs Subcommittee; State Affairs Committee</p> <p>12/16/21 HOUSE Now in Public Integrity &amp; Elections Committee</p>			
SB 0870	<b>Driver License Suspensions</b>	Jones	11/30/21	01/21/22 12:19PM
(C: 257 428 1111 6029 )	<p>Driver License Suspensions; Deleting provisions requiring driver license suspensions for specified reasons; revising requirements and procedures for reinstating driver licenses of certain persons; deleting a requirement for a clerk of court to send a specified notice to certain persons; deleting the authority for a clerk of court to collect certain delinquency fees; revising requirements and procedures for the reinstatement of driver licenses suspended for specified reasons, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law</p> <p>11/08/21</p>			

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SENATE Filed

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SENATE Referred to Transportation; Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; Appropriations

SB 0882	<b>Inventories of Critical Wetlands</b>	Brodeur	02/17/22	11/10/21 10:49PM
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(S: 761 )

Inventories of Critical Wetlands; Requiring each water management district governing board, in cooperation with local governments, to develop a list of critical wetlands for acquisition using funds from the Land Acquisition Trust Fund; requiring the governing boards to consider certain criteria when including wetlands on the list and to notify owners of property contemplated to be included on the list; requiring owners who wish to have their property removed from the list to submit a certified letter requesting removal; requiring a governing board to approve such removal if the request meets those requirements, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2022

11/08/21

SENATE Filed

11/30/21

SENATE Referred to Environment and Natural Resources; Community Affairs; Rules

01/03/22

SENATE On Committee agenda - Environment and Natural Resources, 01/10/22, 4:00 pm, 37 S

01/10/22

SENATE Favorable by Environment and Natural Resources; 4 Yeas, 0 Nays

01/11/22

SENATE Now in Community Affairs

01/28/22

SENATE On Committee agenda - Community Affairs, 02/02/22, 8:30 am, 37 S

02/02/22

SENATE Favorable with CS by Community Affairs; 9 Yeas, 0 Nays

02/04/22

SENATE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed

02/04/22

SENATE Now in Rules

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SENATE On Committee agenda - Rules, 02/10/22, 11:00 am, 412 K  
02/10/22  
SENATE Favorable with CS by Rules; 17 Yeas, 0 Nays  
02/11/22  
SENATE Committee Substitute Text (C2) Filed  
02/11/22  
SENATE Placed on Calendar, on 2nd reading  
02/17/22  
SENATE Placed on Special Order Calendar, 02/23/22

SB 0934	<b>Public Records/Homelessness Counts and Information Systems</b>	Gruters	02/10/22	11/16/21 10:06PM
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(S: 699 )

Public Records/Homelessness Counts and Information Systems;  
Providing an exemption from public records requirements for  
individual identifying information contained in certain homelessness  
counts and information systems; providing for retroactive application  
of the exemption; providing for future legislative review and repeal of  
the exemption; providing a statement of public necessity, etc.  
Effective Date: Upon becoming a law

11/16/21  
SENATE Filed

11/30/21  
SENATE Referred to Children, Families, and Elder Affairs;  
Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Rules

01/06/22  
SENATE On Committee agenda - Children, Families, and Elder  
Affairs, 01/11/22, 1:30 pm, 37 S

01/11/22  
SENATE Favorable by Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; 7 Yeas,  
0 Nays

01/11/22  
SENATE Now in Governmental Oversight and Accountability

01/21/22  
SENATE On Committee agenda - Governmental Oversight and  
Accountability, 01/26/22, 10:00 am, 37 S

01/26/22  
SENATE Favorable by Governmental Oversight and Accountability; 6  
Yeas, 0 Nays

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SENATE Now in Rules

01/31/22

SENATE On Committee agenda - Rules, 02/03/22, 9:00 am, 412 K

02/03/22

SENATE Favorable by Rules; 15 Yeas, 0 Nays

02/03/22

SENATE Placed on Calendar, on 2nd reading

02/07/22

SENATE Placed on Special Order Calendar, 02/10/22

02/10/22

SENATE Read Second Time; Read Third Time; Passed (Vote: 38 Yeas / 1 Nay); Immediately certified

02/10/22

HOUSE In Messages

HB 0943	<b>Preemption of Local Government Wage Mandates</b>	Harding	02/17/22	12/20/21 10:25PM
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(I: 1124 )

Preemption of Local Government Wage Mandates: Prohibits political subdivisions from enacting, maintaining, or enforcing, directly or indirectly, wage mandates in amount greater than state or federal minimum wage rate; specifies that certain wage mandates are void. Effective Date: upon becoming a law

12/16/21

HOUSE Filed

01/07/22

HOUSE Referred to Local Administration & Veterans Affairs Subcommittee; Regulatory Reform Subcommittee; State Affairs Committee

01/07/22

HOUSE Now in Local Administration & Veterans Affairs Subcommittee

01/21/22

HOUSE On Committee agenda - Local Administration & Veterans Affairs Subcommittee, 01/25/22, 9:00 am, 404 H

01/25/22

HOUSE Favorable with CS by Local Administration & Veterans Affairs Subcommittee; 10 Yeas, 7 Nays

01/25/22

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01/26/22  
HOUSE Now in Regulatory Reform Subcommittee

02/01/22  
HOUSE On Committee agenda - Regulatory Reform Subcommittee,  
02/03/22, 2:00 pm, 212 K

02/03/22  
HOUSE Favorable by Regulatory Reform Subcommittee; 11 Yeas, 6  
Nays

02/03/22  
HOUSE Now in State Affairs Committee

02/15/22  
HOUSE On Committee agenda - State Affairs Committee, 02/17/22,  
3:00 pm, 212 K

02/17/22  
HOUSE Temporarily Postponed by State Affairs Committee

SB 1124	<b>Preemption of Local Government Wage Mandates</b>	Gruters	02/03/22	02/07/22 05:00PM
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(I: 943 )

Preemption of Local Government Wage Mandates; Creating the "Wage Mandate Preemption Act"; deleting the definition of the term "employer contracting to provide goods or services for the political subdivision"; revising prohibitions relating to political subdivisions enacting, maintaining, or enforcing wage mandates in an amount greater than the state or federal minimum wage; specifying that any wage mandate that conflicts with such prohibitions is void, etc.  
Effective Date: Upon becoming a law

12/01/21  
SENATE Filed

01/05/22  
SENATE Referred to Community Affairs; Commerce and Tourism;  
Rules

01/20/22  
SENATE On Committee agenda - Community Affairs, 01/25/22, 3:30  
pm, 37 S

01/25/22  
SENATE Temporarily Postponed by Community Affairs

01/28/22  
SENATE On Committee agenda - Community Affairs, 02/02/22, 8:30  
am, 37 S

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SENATE Favorable with CS by Community Affairs; 5 Yeas, 3 Nays  
02/03/22  
SENATE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed  
02/03/22  
SENATE Now in Commerce and Tourism

SB 1126	<b>Exemption from Taxation for Educational Properties</b>	Harrell	02/10/22	12/01/21 12:19PM
(S: 243 )	<p>Exemption from Taxation for Educational Properties; Exempting from taxation property used by an educational institution that holds a leasehold interest in certain leases exceeding a specified number of years, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2022</p> <p>12/01/21 SENATE Filed</p> <p>01/05/22 SENATE Referred to Education; Finance and Tax; Appropriations</p> <p>01/27/22 SENATE On Committee agenda - Education, 02/01/22, 1:00 pm, 412 K</p> <p>02/01/22 SENATE Favorable by Education; 9 Yeas, 0 Nays</p> <p>02/02/22 SENATE Now in Finance and Tax</p> <p>02/02/22 Bill to be Discussed During the Office of EDR's Revenue Estimating Impact Conference, 02/04/22, 9:00 am, 117 K (No Votes Will Be Taken)</p> <p>02/07/22 SENATE On Committee agenda - Finance and Tax, 02/10/22, 11:00 am, 110 S</p> <p>02/10/22 SENATE Favorable by Finance and Tax; 7 Yeas, 0 Nays</p> <p>02/10/22 SENATE Now in Appropriations</p>			
HB 1171	<b>Notices of Termination and Commencement</b>	Diamond	01/10/22	01/11/22 02:25PM

(C: 345 1272 )  
Notices of Termination and Commencement: Revising requirements for notice of termination. Effective Date: July 1, 2022  
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HOUSE Filed

01/10/22

HOUSE Referred to Civil Justice & Property Rights Subcommittee;  
Regulatory Reform Subcommittee; Judiciary Committee

01/10/22

HOUSE Now in Civil Justice & Property Rights Subcommittee

HB 1241	<b>Local Government Solid Waste and Recycling Collection Services</b>	Hawkins	02/17/22	01/18/22 04:26PM
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(S: 1944 )

Local Government Solid Waste and Recycling Collection Services:  
Prohibits local governments from seeking liquidated damages or  
imposing administrative penalties for missed residential solid waste or  
recyclable materials collection services under specified conditions;  
provides payment for such services is not required until services are  
provided. Effective Date: July 1, 2022

01/06/22

HOUSE Filed

01/12/22

HOUSE Referred to Local Administration & Veterans Affairs  
Subcommittee; Civil Justice & Property Rights Subcommittee; State  
Affairs Committee

01/12/22

HOUSE Now in Local Administration & Veterans Affairs  
Subcommittee

01/31/22

HOUSE On Committee agenda - Local Administration & Veterans  
Affairs Subcommittee, 02/02/22, 11:30 am, 404 H

02/02/22

HOUSE Favorable with CS by Local Administration & Veterans  
Affairs Subcommittee; 15 Yeas, 2 Nays

02/03/22

HOUSE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed

02/07/22

HOUSE Now in Civil Justice & Property Rights Subcommittee

02/14/22

HOUSE On Committee agenda - Civil Justice & Property Rights  
Subcommittee, 02/16/22, 8:00 am, 404 H

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HOUSE Favorable with CS by Civil Justice & Property Rights  
Subcommittee; 17 Yeas, 0 Nays

02/16/22

HOUSE Committee Substitute Text (C2) Filed

02/17/22

HOUSE Now in State Affairs Committee

SB 1248	<b>Local Government Land Development Actions</b>	Gruters	01/05/22	12/15/21 09:38AM
(S: 739 )	<p>Local Government Land Development Actions; Specifying the authority of a county or municipality, respectively, to make additional comments on an application for approval of a development permit or development order; requiring local governments to adopt residential infill development standards by a specified date; specifying guidelines local governments must use in developing residential infill development standards; prohibiting a local government from approving applications with many deficiencies; requiring local governments to amend their development regulations and comprehensive plans to incorporate residential infill developments as a zoning classification and incorporate them as an appropriate land use classification, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2022</p>			
	<p>12/14/21 SENATE Filed</p>			
	<p>01/05/22 SENATE Referred to Community Affairs; Environment and Natural Resources; Rules</p>			
SB 1272	<b>Liens and Bonds</b>	Bradley	02/03/22	01/11/22 02:25PM
(S: 345 ) (C: 1171 )	<p>Liens and Bonds; Revising when a notice of contest of claim against a payment bond and a notice of nonpayment must be served; requiring that a copy of a notice of nonpayment be served on the surety; providing for the computation of time for recording a document or filing an action when certain time periods fall on specified days or during a declared state of emergency; defining the term "copy of the notice of commencement"; requiring service of documents relating to construction bonds to be made in a specified manner, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2022</p>			
	<p>12/15/21 SENATE Filed</p>			
	<p>01/05/22 SENATE Referred to Banking and Insurance; Judiciary; Rules</p>			

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01/28/22  
SENATE On Committee agenda - Banking and Insurance, 02/02/22,  
8:30 am, 412 K

02/02/22  
SENATE Favorable with CS by Banking and Insurance; 11 Yeas, 0  
Nays

02/03/22  
SENATE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed

02/03/22  
SENATE Now in Judiciary

HB 1281	<b>Building Construction Policies</b>	DiCeglie	01/12/22	01/09/22 01:53PM
(S: 976 ) (C: 635 1020 )	<p>Building Construction Policies: Prohibits state, county, municipality, or another political subdivision from requiring participation in paid subscription service to access details of certain solicitations of competitive bids or proposals for construction projects; prohibits local enforcing agency from making or requiring substantive change to certain plans &amp; specifications; provides exception. Effective Date: July 1, 2022</p> <p>01/07/22 HOUSE Filed</p> <p>01/12/22 HOUSE Referred to Regulatory Reform Subcommittee; State Affairs Committee; Commerce Committee</p> <p>01/12/22 HOUSE Now in Regulatory Reform Subcommittee</p>			
SB 1380	<b>Real Property Rights</b>	Rodriguez (A)	02/17/22	01/04/22 04:42AM
(S: 219 )	<p>Real Property Rights; Revising rights that are not affected or extinguished by marketable record titles; revising the types of interests extinguished by marketable record titles; authorizing owners or operators of private property used for motor vehicle parking to establish rules, rates, and fines governing private persons parking on the property; prohibiting counties and municipalities from enacting any ordinance or regulation attempting to restrict or prohibit the owner or operator from adopting such rules, rates, or fines, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law</p> <p>12/28/21 SENATE Filed</p> <p>01/12/22 SENATE Referred to Judiciary; Community Affairs; Rules</p>			

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01/26/22  
SENATE On Committee agenda - Judiciary, 01/31/22, 3:00 pm, 412 K

01/31/22  
SENATE Favorable by Judiciary; 10 Yeas, 0 Nays

02/01/22  
SENATE Now in Community Affairs

02/03/22  
SENATE On Committee agenda - Community Affairs, 02/08/22, 3:00 pm, 37 S

02/08/22  
SENATE Favorable by Community Affairs; 9 Yeas, 0 Nays

02/09/22  
SENATE Now in Rules

02/10/22  
SENATE On Committee agenda - Rules, 02/15/22, 10:00 am, 412 K

02/15/22  
SENATE Favorable with CS by Rules; 17 Yeas, 0 Nays

02/16/22  
SENATE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed

02/16/22  
SENATE Placed on Calendar, on 2nd reading

02/17/22  
SENATE Placed on Special Order Calendar, 02/23/22

HB 1415	<b>Alternative Mobility Funding Systems</b>	Robinson (W)	01/16/22	01/09/22 01:56PM
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(S: 1824 )

Alternative Mobility Funding Systems: Provides definitions related to alternative mobility funding systems; specifies procedures and requirements for use by local governments in adopting or updating mobility plans, mobility fee systems, and mobility fees; specifies that local governments have burden of proving that imposition or amount of fee or exaction meets certain criteria; prohibits courts from using deferential standard for specified purpose. Effective Date: July 1, 2022

01/08/22  
HOUSE Filed

01/16/22  
HOUSE Referred to Tourism, Infrastructure & Energy Subcommittee; Ways & Means Committee; Commerce Committee

			01/16/22	HOUSE Now in Tourism, Infrastructure & Energy Subcommittee
HB 1419	<b>Financial Assistance for Municipal Solid Waste-to-Energy Facilities</b>	Mariano	02/18/22	01/10/22 09:50AM
(S: 1764 )	<p>Financial Assistance for Municipal Solid Waste-to-Energy Facilities: Requires DACS to provide annual financial assistance &amp; incentive grants to certain municipal solid waste-to-energy facilities, establish verification process for certain energy purchases, &amp; adopt rules; directs PSC &amp; DEP to provide certain assistance to DACS; provides appropriations &amp; authorizes positions. Effective Date: July 1, 2022</p> <p>01/08/22 HOUSE Filed</p> <p>01/16/22 HOUSE Referred to Tourism, Infrastructure &amp; Energy Subcommittee; Agriculture &amp; Natural Resources Appropriations Subcommittee; Commerce Committee</p> <p>01/16/22 HOUSE Now in Tourism, Infrastructure &amp; Energy Subcommittee</p> <p>02/11/22 HOUSE On Committee agenda - Tourism, Infrastructure &amp; Energy Subcommittee, 02/15/22, 8:00 am, 102 H</p> <p>02/15/22 HOUSE Favorable with CS by Tourism, Infrastructure &amp; Energy Subcommittee; 13 Yeas, 4 Nays</p> <p>02/15/22 HOUSE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed</p> <p>02/16/22 HOUSE Reference to Agriculture &amp; Natural Resources Appropriations Subcommittee removed; Reference to Appropriations Committee added; Remaining references: Appropriations Committee, Commerce Committee</p> <p>02/16/22 HOUSE Now in Appropriations Committee</p> <p>02/18/22 HOUSE On Committee agenda - Appropriations Committee, 02/22/22, 9:00 am, 212 K</p>			
SB 1472	<b>Public Records</b>	Stewart	01/12/22	01/09/22 11:03PM

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Public Records; Requiring an agency or a public body that receives a request to inspect or copy a record to make, within a specified timeframe, such record available, deny the request, or provide a certain statement in writing, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2022

01/05/22  
SENATE Filed

01/12/22  
SENATE Referred to Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Community Affairs; Rules

HB 1503	<b>Ad Valorem Taxation</b>	Fischer	01/26/22	01/13/22 01:36PM
(I: 1264 ) (L: 923 ) (C: 1266 )	Ad Valorem Taxation: Provides for periodic increase in exemption on homestead property's assessed value that is greater than \$50,000. Effective Date: on the effective date of the amendment to the State Constitution proposed by HJR 923			
01/10/22 HOUSE Filed				
01/16/22 HOUSE Referred to Local Administration & Veterans Affairs Subcommittee; Ways & Means Committee; State Affairs Committee				
01/16/22 HOUSE Now in Local Administration & Veterans Affairs Subcommittee				
01/21/22 HOUSE On Committee agenda - Local Administration & Veterans Affairs Subcommittee, 01/25/22, 9:00 am, 404 H				
01/25/22 HOUSE Favorable with CS by Local Administration & Veterans Affairs Subcommittee; 10 Yeas, 4 Nays				
01/25/22 HOUSE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed				
01/26/22 HOUSE Now in Ways & Means Committee				
HB 1547	<b>Personal Information Protection</b>	Overdorf	01/16/22	01/13/22 01:41PM

(S: 1848 )

Personal Information Protection: Prohibits public agencies from requesting, requiring, & publicly disclosing personal information; provides for civil action & award of damages; provides penalties. Effective Date: July 1, 2022

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HOUSE Filed

01/16/22

HOUSE Referred to Civil Justice & Property Rights Subcommittee;  
State Affairs Committee; Judiciary Committee

01/16/22

HOUSE Now in Civil Justice & Property Rights Subcommittee

HB 1555

**Private Property Rights  
to Prune, Trim, and  
Remove Trees**

McClain

02/17/22

01/13/22  
01:43PM

(I: 518 )

Private Property Rights to Prune, Trim, and Remove Trees: Prohibits local governments from requiring notice, application, approval, permit, fee, or mitigation for pruning, trimming, or removal of tree on residential property if property owner possesses certain documentation; provides that tree poses unacceptable risk if removal is only means of practically mitigating its risk below moderate as determined by specified procedures. Effective Date: July 1, 2022

01/11/22

HOUSE Filed

01/16/22

HOUSE Referred to Civil Justice & Property Rights Subcommittee;  
Local Administration & Veterans Affairs Subcommittee; Judiciary  
Committee

01/16/22

HOUSE Now in Civil Justice & Property Rights Subcommittee

01/25/22

HOUSE On Committee agenda - Civil Justice & Property Rights  
Subcommittee, 01/27/22, 8:00 am, 404 H

01/27/22

HOUSE Favorable by Civil Justice & Property Rights Subcommittee;  
18 Yeas, 0 Nays

01/27/22

HOUSE Now in Local Administration & Veterans Affairs  
Subcommittee

02/03/22

HOUSE On Committee agenda - Local Administration & Veterans  
Affairs Subcommittee, 02/07/22, 1:30 pm, 404 H

02/07/22

HOUSE Favorable by Local Administration & Veterans Affairs  
Subcommittee; 18 Yeas, 0 Nays

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HOUSE Now in Judiciary Committee

02/17/22

HOUSE On Committee agenda - Judiciary Committee,02/21/22, 3:30  
pm, 404 H

HB 1563	<b>Homestead Property Tax Exemptions for Classroom Teachers, Law Enforcement Officers, Firefighters, Emergency Medical Technicians, Paramedics, Child Welfare Professionals, and Servicemembers</b>	Tomkow	02/17/22	01/13/22 01:48PM
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(L: 1 )  
(S: 1748 )  
(C: 1746 )

Homestead Property Tax Exemptions for Classroom Teachers, Law Enforcement Officers, Firefighters, Emergency Medical Technicians, Paramedics, Child Welfare Professionals, and Servicemembers: Specifies information that must be supplied annually to property appraiser by specified professionals who qualify for specified exemption; provides conditions under which those specified professionals may receive additional homestead property tax exemption; specifies amount of homestead property tax exemption; provides requirements for applying for & receiving exemption; specifies actions property appraiser may take if taxpayer improperly claims exemption; provides penalties under certain conditions; requires Legislature to appropriate moneys to offset reductions in ad valorem tax revenues experienced by fiscally constrained counties due; specifies procedures for distributing such moneys. Effective Date: on the effective date of the amendment to the State Constitution proposed by HJR 1 or a similar joint resolution having substantially the same specific intent and purpose

01/11/22  
HOUSE Filed

01/12/22  
Bill to be Discussed During the Office of EDR's Revenue Estimating Impact Conference, 01/14/22, 1:30 pm, 117 K (No Votes Will Be Taken)

01/12/22  
HOUSE Referred to Ways & Means Committee; Local Administration & Veterans Affairs Subcommittee; State Affairs Committee

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HOUSE On Committee agenda - Ways & Means Committee,  
01/31/22, 3:00 pm, 404 H  
01/31/22  
HOUSE Favorable with CS by Ways & Means Committee; 14 Yeas, 0  
Nays  
02/01/22  
HOUSE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed  
02/02/22  
HOUSE Now in Local Administration & Veterans Affairs  
Subcommittee  
02/03/22  
HOUSE On Committee agenda - Local Administration & Veterans  
Affairs Subcommittee, 02/07/22, 1:30 pm, 404 H  
02/07/22  
HOUSE Favorable by Local Administration & Veterans Affairs  
Subcommittee; 18 Yeas, 0 Nays  
02/07/22  
HOUSE Now in State Affairs Committee  
02/09/22  
Bill to be Discussed During the Office of EDR's Revenue Estimating  
Impact Conference, 02/11/22, 9:00 am, 117 K (No Votes Will Be  
Taken)  
02/15/22  
HOUSE On Committee agenda - State Affairs Committee, 02/17/22,  
3:00 pm, 212 K - PCS  
02/17/22  
HOUSE Favorable with CS by State Affairs Committee; 19 Yeas, 1  
Nay  
02/17/22  
HOUSE Committee Substitute Text (C2) Filed  
02/17/22  
HOUSE Referred to House Calendar  
02/17/22  
HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar, 2/22/2022

SB 1670	<b>Cybersecurity</b>	Hutson	02/11/22	01/09/22 11:19PM
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(L: 1694 )  
(C: 7055 )

Cybersecurity; Requiring the Department of Management Services, acting through the Florida Digital Service, to provide annual cybersecurity training to certain persons; requiring state agency heads to annually provide cybersecurity awareness training to certain

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persons; requiring the Florida Digital Service to develop certain cybersecurity training curricula; requiring certain persons to complete certain training within a specified period and annually thereafter, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2022

01/06/22  
SENATE Filed

01/12/22  
SENATE Referred to Military and Veterans Affairs, Space, and Domestic Security; Appropriations Subcommittee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; Appropriations

02/03/22  
SENATE On Committee agenda - Military and Veterans Affairs, Space, and Domestic Security, 02/08/22, 12:30 pm, 37 S

02/08/22  
SENATE Favorable with CS by Military and Veterans Affairs, Space, and Domestic Security; 6 Yeas, 1 Nay

02/09/22  
SENATE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed

02/11/22  
SENATE Reference to Appropriations Subcommittee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government removed; Remaining reference: Appropriations

02/11/22  
SENATE Now in Appropriations

SB 1764

**Municipal Solid Waste-to-Energy Program**

Albritton

02/17/22

01/09/22  
11:25PM

(S: 1419 )

Municipal Solid Waste-to-Energy Program; Creating the Municipal Solid Waste-to-Energy Program within the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services for a specified purpose; requiring the department, subject to appropriation, to provide financial assistance grants to municipal solid waste-to-energy facilities that meet certain requirements; requiring the department to establish a process to verify the amount of certain electric power purchases; directing the Public Service Commission to provide assistance in verifying grant eligibility, etc. APPROPRIATION: \$100,000,000 Effective Date: 7/1/2022

01/07/22  
SENATE Filed

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SENATE Referred to Regulated Industries; Appropriations Subcommittee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; Appropriations

01/20/22

SENATE On Committee agenda - Regulated Industries, 01/25/22, 1:00 pm, 412 K

01/25/22

SENATE Favorable by Regulated Industries; 9 Yeas, 0 Nays

01/26/22

SENATE Now in Appropriations Subcommittee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government

02/11/22

SENATE On Committee agenda - Appropriations Subcommittee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government, 02/16/22, 1:00 pm, 110 S

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SENATE Subcommittee Recommendation: Favorable with CS by Appropriations Subcommittee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; 10 Yeas, 0 Nays

02/17/22

SENATE Now in Appropriations

02/17/22

SENATE On Committee agenda - Appropriations, 02/21/22, 1:00 pm, 412 K

SB 1824	<b>Mobility Funding Systems</b>	Brodeur	01/12/22	01/09/22 11:37PM
(S: 1415 )	Mobility Funding Systems; Revising requirements and best practices for local governments applying concurrency to transportation facilities; specifying prohibited uses of, and requirements and best practices for, mobility plans by local governments; providing requirements for a local government electing to adopt a mobility plan and mobility fee; specifying requirements for, and restrictions on, mobility fees, fee updates, and fee increases, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2022			
	01/07/22 SENATE Filed			
	01/12/22 SENATE Referred to Community Affairs; Transportation; Appropriations			
SB 1848	<b>Personal Information Protection</b>	Gruters	01/12/22	01/13/22 01:41PM

(S: 1547 ) Personal Information Protection; Citing this act as the "Personal Privacy Protection Act"; prohibiting a public agency from requiring, publicly disclosing, or requesting specified personal information; providing construction and applicability; providing for the right of civil action and award of damages; providing penalties, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2022

01/07/22  
SENATE Filed

01/12/22  
SENATE Referred to Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Community Affairs; Rules

SB 1944	<b>Local Governmental Actions Against Public or Private Waste Entities</b>	Baxley	01/12/22	02/07/22 05:18PM
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(S: 1241 ) Local Governmental Actions Against Public or Private Waste Entities; Prohibiting counties and municipalities from seeking liquidated damages, administrative fees, or other similar charges against certain waste entities during certain declared emergencies; providing for the administration of such damages, fees, or other similar charges against certain waste entities during other times, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2022

01/10/22  
SENATE Filed

01/12/22  
SENATE Referred to Environment and Natural Resources; Community Affairs; Rules

HB 6003	<b>Legal Rights of the Natural Environment</b>	Eskamani	09/17/21	09/26/21 02:08PM
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(I: 1854 )  
(C: 1900 6113 ) Legal Rights of the Natural Environment: Removes provisions prohibiting local governments from recognizing or granting certain legal rights to natural environment or granting such rights relating to natural environment to person or political subdivision. Effective Date: July 1, 2022

08/02/21  
HOUSE Filed

09/17/21  
HOUSE Referred to Civil Justice & Property Rights Subcommittee; Environment, Agriculture & Flooding Subcommittee; Judiciary Committee

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HOUSE Now in Civil Justice & Property Rights Subcommittee

<p>HB 6025</p>	<p><b>Preemption of Tree Pruning, Trimming, and Removal</b></p>	<p>Eskamani</p>	<p>09/22/21</p>	<p>09/26/21 01:53PM</p>
<p>(I: 316 ) (C: 1900 6113 )</p>	<p>Preemption of Tree Pruning, Trimming, and Removal: Repeals provisions relating to tree pruning, trimming, &amp; removal on residential property. Effective Date: July 1, 2022</p> <p>09/13/21 HOUSE Filed</p> <p>09/22/21 HOUSE Referred to Local Administration &amp; Veterans Affairs Subcommittee; Commerce Committee; State Affairs Committee</p> <p>09/22/21 HOUSE Now in Local Administration &amp; Veterans Affairs Subcommittee</p>			
<p>HB 6029</p>	<p><b>Traffic Infraction Detectors</b></p>	<p>Sabatini</p>	<p>09/29/21</p>	<p>09/26/21 02:08PM</p>
<p>(C: 870 )</p>	<p>Traffic Infraction Detectors: Repeals provisions relating to Mark Wandall Traffic Safety Program, authorization to use traffic infraction detectors, distribution of penalties, transitional implementation, &amp; placement &amp; installation. Effective Date: July 1, 2025</p> <p>09/17/21 HOUSE Filed</p> <p>09/29/21 HOUSE Referred to Tourism, Infrastructure &amp; Energy Subcommittee; Appropriations Committee; Commerce Committee</p> <p>09/29/21 HOUSE Now in Tourism, Infrastructure &amp; Energy Subcommittee</p>			
<p>HB 6033</p>	<p><b>Preemption of the Regulation of Vacation Rentals</b></p>	<p>Grieco</p>	<p>09/29/21</p>	<p>09/26/21 02:08PM</p>
	<p>Preemption of the Regulation of Vacation Rentals: Repeals provisions preempting regulation of vacation rentals to state. Effective Date: July 1, 2022</p> <p>09/22/21 HOUSE Filed</p> <p>09/29/21 HOUSE Referred to Regulatory Reform Subcommittee; Ways &amp; Means Committee; Commerce Committee</p>			

			09/29/21 HOUSE Now in Regulatory Reform Subcommittee	
HB 6063	<b>Preemption of Recyclable and Polystyrene Materials</b>	Grieco	11/05/21	10/22/21 11:16AM
(I: 320 ) (C: 1900 6113 )	Preemption of Recyclable and Polystyrene Materials: Removes prohibition of local regulation of auxiliary containers, wrappings, & disposable plastic bags; repeals preemption of use or sale of polystyrene products to DACS. Effective Date: July 1, 2022			
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PIE1	<b>Implementation of the constitutional prohibition against lobbying by a public officer</b>	Public Integrity & Elections Committee	12/01/21	11/24/21 12:05AM
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