

# APA Florida Bill Tracking Report January 12 2018

Sorted by Bill Number

<a href="#">HB 3</a>	<b>Economic Development and Tourism Promotion Accountability</b>	Grant (M)
<p>Economic Development and Tourism Promotion Accountability: Authorizes &amp; requires Auditor General to conduct certain audits; provides transparency &amp; accountability provisions applicable to economic development agencies &amp; tourism promotion agencies; provides penalties; requires county governing board to review certain proposed contracts &amp; certifications. Effective Date: July 1, 2018</p> <p><b>Current Committee of Reference:</b> Ways &amp; Means Committee</p> <p>11/22/2017 HOUSE Now in Ways &amp; Means Committee</p> <p>1/5/2018 HOUSE On Committee agenda - Ways &amp; Means Committee, 01/09/18, 4:30 pm, 17 H</p> <p>1/9/2018 HOUSE Favorable with CS by Ways &amp; Means Committee; 15 Yeas, 5 Nays</p> <p><b>Similar</b></p> <p><a href="#">SB 1714</a> Economic Development and Tourism Promotion Accountability (Perry)</p>		

<a href="#">HB 7</a>	<b>Local Government Fiscal Transparency</b>	Burton
<p>Local Government Fiscal Transparency: Revises Legislative Auditing Committee duties; specifies purpose of local government fiscal transparency requirements; requires local governments to post certain voting record information on websites; requires property appraisers &amp; local governments to post certain property tax information &amp; history on websites; requires public notices for public hearings &amp; meetings prior to certain increases of local government tax levies; specifies noticing &amp; advertising requirements; requires local governments to conduct debt affordability analyses under specified conditions; provides method for local governments that do not operate website to post certain required information. Effective Date: July 1, 2018</p> <p><b>Current Committee of Reference:</b> No Current Committee</p> <p>10/10/2017 HOUSE Placed on Calendar, on 2nd reading</p> <p>1/8/2018 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar, 01/11/18</p> <p>1/11/2018 HOUSE Read Second Time; Placed on Third Reading, 01/12/18</p> <p><b>Similar</b></p> <p><a href="#">SB 1426</a> Local Government Fiscal Transparency (Lee (T))</p>		

<a href="#">HB 11</a>	<b>Government Accountability</b>	Metz
<p>Government Accountability: Requires Governor &amp; Commissioner of Education, or their designees, to notify Legislative Auditing Committee of entity's failure to comply with certain auditing &amp; financial reporting requirements; excludes water management districts from certain audit requirements; revises reporting requirements applicable to Florida Clerks of Court Operations Corporation; revises certain lodging rates for purpose of reimbursement to specified employees; provides requirements for statewide travel management system; revises responsibilities of specified entities to include establishment &amp; maintenance of certain internal controls; revises auditing requirements for certain agencies, councils, &amp; state schools; requires the Legislative Auditing Committee to determine whether governmental entity should be subject to state action under certain circumstances; requires counties &amp; municipalities to maintain certain budget documents on entities' websites for specified period; provides annual financial audit requirements for Florida Virtual School. Effective Date: July 1, 2018</p> <p><b>Current Committee of Reference:</b> No Current Committee</p> <p>1/8/2018 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar, 01/11/18</p> <p>1/11/2018 HOUSE Read Second Time; Amendment Adopted (105187); Placed on Third Reading, 01/12/18</p> <p>1/11/2018 HOUSE Engrossed Text (E1) Filed</p> <p><b>Compare</b></p> <p><a href="#">HB 1019</a> Financial Reporting (La Rosa)</p> <p><a href="#">HB 1279</a> School District Accountability (Sullivan)</p> <p><a href="#">SB 1804</a> School District Accountability (Stargel)</p> <p><b>Similar</b></p> <p><a href="#">SB 354</a> Government Accountability (Stargel)</p>		

<a href="#">HB 13</a>	<b>Sports Franchise Facilities</b>	Avila
<p>Sports Franchise Facilities: Prohibits sports franchise from constructing, reconstructing, renovating, or improving facility on leased public land; requires lease of facility on public land by sports franchise or sale of public land for sports franchise facility be at fair market value; provides requirements for contract to fund construction, reconstruction, renovation, or improvement of facility; specifies act does not impair certain contracts. Effective Date: July 1, 2018</p> <p><b>Current Committee of Reference:</b> No Current Committee</p> <p>10/10/2017 HOUSE Placed on Calendar, on 2nd reading</p> <p>1/8/2018 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar, 01/11/18</p>		

1/11/2018 HOUSE Read Second Time; Placed on Third Reading, 01/12/18

**Similar**

[SB 352](#) Sports Franchise Facilities (Garcia)

**HB 15** **Deregulation of Professions and Occupations** Beshears

Deregulation of Professions and Occupations: Removes regulations on specified DBPR professions, including labor organizations, hair braiders, hair wrappers & body wrappers, & boxing timekeepers & announcers; revises certain requirements for barbers, nail specialists, business organizations that provide architecture services and interior design, landscape architects, & geologists. Effective Date: July 1, 2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** No Current Committee

10/10/2017 HOUSE Placed on Calendar, on 2nd reading

1/8/2018 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar, 01/11/18

1/11/2018 HOUSE Read Second Time; Placed on Third Reading, 01/12/18

**Similar**

[SB 526](#) Deregulation of Professions and Occupations (Brandes)

**HB 17** **Community Redevelopment Organizations** Raburn

Community Redevelopment Organizations: Provides reporting requirements; revises requirements for operating community redevelopment agencies; prohibits creation of community redevelopment agencies after date certain; provides phase-out period; creates criteria for determining whether community redevelopment agency is inactive; provides hearing procedures; authorizes certain financial activity from inactive community redevelopment agencies; revises requirements for use of redevelopment trust fund proceeds; revises county & municipal government reporting requirements; revises criteria for finding that county or municipality failed to file report; requires DFS to provide report to DEO concerning community redevelopment agencies with no revenues, no expenditures, & no debts. Effective Date: October 1, 2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** No Current Committee

11/22/2017 HOUSE Placed on Calendar, on 2nd reading

1/8/2018 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar, 01/11/18

1/11/2018 HOUSE Read Second Time; Placed on Third Reading, 01/12/18

**Similar**

[SB 432](#) Community Redevelopment Agencies (Lee (T))

**HB 53** **Coral Reefs** Jacobs

Coral Reefs: Establishes Southeast Florida Coral Reef Ecosystem Conservation Area. Effective Date: July 1, 2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** No Current Committee

1/9/2018 HOUSE On Committee agenda - Government Accountability Committee, 01/11/18, 10:30 am, 17 H

1/11/2018 HOUSE Favorable by Government Accountability Committee; 21 Yeas, 0 Nays

1/11/2018 HOUSE Placed on Calendar, on 2nd reading

**Identical**

[SB 232](#) Coral Reefs (Book)

**HB 65** **Percentage of Elector Votes Required to Approve Constitutional Amendment or Revision** Roth

Percentage of Elector Votes Required to Approve Constitutional Amendment or Revision: Proposes amendment to State Constitution to increase percentage of elector votes required to approve amendment or revision to State Constitution from 60 percent to 66 & 2/3 percent.

**Current Committee of Reference:** Oversight, Transparency & Administration Subcommittee

8/21/2017 HOUSE Filed

8/30/2017 HOUSE Referred to Oversight, Transparency & Administration Subcommittee; Rules & Policy Committee; Public Integrity & Ethics Committee

8/30/2017 HOUSE Now in Oversight, Transparency & Administration Subcommittee

**Identical**

[SB 978](#) Percentage of Elector Votes Required to Approve an Amendment or a Revision (Baxley)

**SB 66** **Prohibited Discrimination** Rouson

Prohibited Discrimination; Creating the "Florida Competitive Workforce Act"; adding sexual orientation and gender identity as impermissible grounds for discrimination in public lodging establishments and public food service establishments; revising the purposes of the Florida Civil Rights Act of 1992 to conform to changes made by the act, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** Governmental Oversight and Accountability

8/9/2017 SENATE Filed

8/28/2017 SENATE Referred to Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Commerce and Tourism; Judiciary; Rules

**Similar**

[HB 347](#) Prohibited Discrimination (Diamond)

**Identical**

[SB 698](#) Prohibited Discrimination (Book)

**[HB 79](#) Public Meetings Roth**

Public Meetings: Specifies conditions under which members of board or commission of state agency or authority or of agency or authority of county, municipal corporation, or political subdivision may participate in fact-finding exercises or excursions. Effective Date: upon becoming a law

**Current Committee of Reference:** Oversight, Transparency & Administration Subcommittee

8/22/2017 HOUSE Filed

8/30/2017 HOUSE Referred to Oversight, Transparency & Administration Subcommittee; Local, Federal & Veterans Affairs Subcommittee; Government Accountability Committee

8/30/2017 HOUSE Now in Oversight, Transparency & Administration Subcommittee

**Similar**

[SB 192](#) Public Meetings (Baxley)

**[SB 84](#) Municipal Conversion of Independent Special Districts Lee (T)**

Municipal Conversion of Independent Special Districts; Adding a minimum population standard as a criteria that must be met before qualified electors of an independent special district commence a certain municipal conversion proceeding, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law

**Current Committee of Reference:** Community Affairs

8/9/2017 SENATE Filed

8/28/2017 SENATE Referred to Community Affairs; Ethics and Elections; Rules

**[SB 110](#) Language Requirements for State Agency Websites and Advertisements Campbell**

Language Requirements for State Agency Websites and Advertisements; Requiring specified information to be published on state agency websites in certain languages; requiring state agencies to disseminate certain advertisements to the public in languages other than English through specified media outlets in certain counties; requiring the Office of Economic and Demographic Research to publish certain information on its website, etc. Effective Date: 10/1/2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** Governmental Oversight and Accountability

8/9/2017 SENATE Filed

8/28/2017 SENATE Referred to Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Appropriations; Rules

**[HB 131](#) Coastal Management Peters**

Coastal Management: Revises criteria for state & local participation in authorized projects & studies relating to beach management & erosion control; revises procedures for prioritizing & funding beach restoration, beach management, & inlet management projects; requires certain funds from Land Acquisition Trust Fund be used for beach preservation & restoration projects. Effective Date: July 1, 2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** Natural Resources & Public Lands Subcommittee

9/1/2017 HOUSE Filed

9/14/2017 HOUSE Referred to Natural Resources & Public Lands Subcommittee; Agriculture & Natural Resources Appropriations Subcommittee; Government Accountability Committee

9/14/2017 HOUSE Now in Natural Resources & Public Lands Subcommittee

**Identical**

[SB 174](#) Coastal Management (Hukill)

**[SB 156](#) Florida Black Bears Stewart**

Florida Black Bears; Creating the "Florida Black Bear Protection Act"; prohibiting the Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission from allowing the recreational hunting of Florida black bears mothering cubs that weigh less than 100 pounds under a black bear hunting permit; prohibiting prescribed burns in certain designated habitats during specified times, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** Environmental Preservation and Conservation

8/16/2017 SENATE Filed

8/28/2017 SENATE Referred to Environmental Preservation and Conservation; Criminal Justice; Appropriations Subcommittee on the Environment and Natural Resources; Appropriations

**Identical**

[HB 559](#) Florida Black Bears (Olszewski)

**SB 158**

**Florida Communities Trust**

Brandes

Florida Communities Trust; Revising the permissible activities and projects that may be undertaken, coordinated, or funded by the Florida Communities Trust to include flood mitigation projects; specifying the purpose of flood mitigation projects under the trust; specifying a maximum grant award for such projects; requiring the Department of Environmental Protection to establish by rule an application process for such grants, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** Environmental Preservation and Conservation

8/16/2017 SENATE Filed

8/28/2017 SENATE Referred to Environmental Preservation and Conservation; Appropriations Subcommittee on the Environment and Natural Resources; Appropriations

**Identical**

[HB 1097](#) Florida Communities Trust (Stevenson)

**SB 170**

**Rural Economic Development Initiative**

Grimsley

Rural Economic Development Initiative; Revising the duties, responsibilities, and membership of the Rural Economic Development Initiative; deleting a provision limiting the number of rural areas of opportunity that may be designated; deleting a provision listing the economic development incentives for which the Governor may waive criteria requirements or similar provisions, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law

**Current Committee of Reference:** Agriculture

1/8/2018 SENATE On Committee agenda - Agriculture, 01/11/18, 9:00 am, 301 S

1/11/2018 SENATE Favorable with CS by Agriculture; 6 Yeas, 0 Nays

1/11/2018 SENATE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed

**Similar**

[HB 1403](#) Rural Economic Development Initiative (Avila)

**SB 174**

**Coastal Management**

Hukill

Coastal Management; Revising the criteria to be considered by the Department of Environmental Protection in determining and assigning annual funding priorities for beach management and erosion control projects; requiring that certain projects be considered separate and apart from other specified projects; revising requirements for the comprehensive long-term management plan; requiring certain funds from the Land Acquisition Trust Fund to be used for projects that preserve and repair state beaches, etc. Effective Date: Except as otherwise provided in this act, this act shall take effect July 1, 2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** Appropriations

10/16/2017 SENATE On Committee agenda - Appropriations Subcommittee on the Environment and Natural Resources, 10/25/17, 1:00 pm, 301 S

10/25/2017 SENATE Favorable by Appropriations Subcommittee on the Environment and Natural Resources; 7 Yeas, 0 Nays

10/26/2017 SENATE Now in Appropriations

**Identical**

[HB 131](#) Coastal Management (Peters)

**HB 175**

**School District Best Financial Management Practices**

Daniels

School District Best Financial Management Practices: Requires school districts to annually perform specified self-assessment; requires district school superintendents to provide certain recommendations & district school boards to receive & discuss self-assessment results & recommendations at a publicly noticed meeting; provides reporting requirements. Effective Date: July 1, 2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** No Current Committee

10/3/2017 HOUSE Referred to PreK-12 Quality Subcommittee; PreK-12 Appropriations Subcommittee; Education Committee

10/3/2017 HOUSE Now in PreK-12 Quality Subcommittee

11/13/2017 HOUSE Withdrawn prior to introduction

**SB 182**

**Small Business Roadway Construction Mitigation Grant Program**

Rodriguez (J)

Small Business Roadway Construction Mitigation Grant Program; Requiring the Department of Transportation to create a Small Business Roadway Construction Mitigation Grant Program; requiring the program to disburse grants using funds allocated to the department by the Legislature to certain qualified businesses for the purpose of maintaining the businesses during a construction project of the department, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** Transportation

8/21/2017 SENATE Filed

8/28/2017 SENATE Referred to Transportation; Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; Appropriations

**Similar**

[HB 567](#) Small Business Roadway Construction Mitigation Grant Program (Duran)

**SB 188 Public School Transportation Steube**

Public School Transportation; Requiring district school boards to provide transportation to certain students; revising the speed and road conditions that meet the requirements for a hazardous walking condition; requiring a district school superintendent to request a review of a hazardous walking condition upon receipt of a written request from a parent of a student, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** Education

8/21/2017 SENATE Filed

8/28/2017 SENATE Referred to Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Pre-K - 12 Education; Appropriations

**Similar**

[HB 1299](#) Public School Transportation (Raburn)

**SB 192 Public Meetings Baxley**

Public Meetings; Specifying conditions under which members of any board or commission of any state agency or authority or of any agency or authority of any county, municipal corporation, or political subdivision may participate in fact-finding exercises or excursions, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law

**Current Committee of Reference:** No Current Committee

1/8/2018 SENATE On Committee agenda - Rules, 01/11/18, 9:00 am, 110 S

1/11/2018 SENATE Favorable by Rules; 11 Yeas, 0 Nays

1/11/2018 SENATE Placed on Calendar, on 2nd reading

**Similar**

[HB 79](#) Public Meetings (Roth)

**SB 204 Land Acquisition Trust Fund Bradley**

Land Acquisition Trust Fund; Revising the specified appropriation for spring restoration, protection, and management projects; requiring a specified appropriation for certain projects related to the St. Johns River and its tributaries or the Keystone Heights Lake Region, etc. APPROPRIATION: Indeterminate Effective Date: 7/1/2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** Appropriations

11/27/2017 SENATE On Committee agenda - Appropriations Subcommittee on the Environment and Natural Resources, 12/07/17, 9:00 am, 301 S

12/7/2017 SENATE Favorable by Appropriations Subcommittee on the Environment and Natural Resources; 6 Yeas, 0 Nays

12/7/2017 SENATE Now in Appropriations

**HB 207 Growth Management McClain**

Growth Management: Requires local governments to address protection of private property rights in their comprehensive plans; requires comprehensive plan to include private property rights element; requires counties & municipalities to adopt or amend land development regulations consistent with private property rights element; provides deadlines; requires state land planning agency to approve private property rights element if it is substantially in specified form. Effective Date: July 1, 2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** Agriculture & Property Rights Subcommittee

9/28/2017 HOUSE Filed

10/12/2017 HOUSE Referred to Agriculture & Property Rights Subcommittee; Local, Federal & Veterans Affairs Subcommittee; Commerce Committee

10/12/2017 HOUSE Now in Agriculture & Property Rights Subcommittee

**Similar**

[SB 362](#) Growth Management (Perry)

**SB 216 Schools of Hope Book**

Schools of Hope; Revising enrollment requirements for a hope operator to receive a loan under the Schools of Hope Revolving Loan Program; requiring hope operators to employ school administrators and instructional and noninstructional personnel who meet specified certification requirements, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** Education

8/24/2017 SENATE Filed

9/22/2017 SENATE Referred to Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Pre-K - 12 Education; Appropriations

<a href="#">SB 232</a>	<b>Coral Reefs</b>	Book
	Coral Reefs; Establishing the Southeast Florida Coral Reef Ecosystem Conservation Area, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2018	
	<b>Current Committee of Reference:</b> Appropriations	
	11/27/2017	SENATE On Committee agenda - Appropriations Subcommittee on the Environment and Natural Resources, 12/07/17, 9:00 am, 301 S
	12/7/2017	SENATE Favorable by Appropriations Subcommittee on the Environment and Natural Resources; 6 Yeas, 0 Nays
	12/7/2017	SENATE Now in Appropriations
	<b>Identical</b>	
	<a href="#">HB 53</a>	Coral Reefs (Jacobs)
<a href="#">HB 237</a>	<b>Advanced Well Stimulation Treatment</b>	Peters
	Advanced Well Stimulation Treatment: Prohibits performance of advanced well stimulation treatments; provides that permits for drilling or operating wells do not authorize performance of advanced well treatments; provides applicability. Effective Date: upon becoming a law	
	<b>Current Committee of Reference:</b> Agriculture & Natural Resources Appropriations Subcommittee	
	10/5/2017	HOUSE Filed
	10/12/2017	HOUSE Referred to Agriculture & Natural Resources Appropriations Subcommittee; Natural Resources & Public Lands Subcommittee; Appropriations Committee
	10/12/2017	HOUSE Now in Agriculture & Natural Resources Appropriations Subcommittee
	<b>Compare</b>	
	<a href="#">SB 834</a>	Well Stimulation (Farmer)
	<b>Identical</b>	
	<a href="#">SB 462</a>	Advanced Well Stimulation Treatment (Young)
<a href="#">HB 243</a>	<b>Charter County and Regional Transportation System Surtax</b>	Avila
	Charter County and Regional Transportation System Surtax: Requires certain counties to use surtax proceeds for specified purposes related to fixed guideway rapid transit systems & bus systems; authorizes use of surtax proceeds for certain purposes; prohibits use of such proceeds for certain purposes. Effective Date: July 1, 2018	
	<b>Current Committee of Reference:</b> Government Accountability Committee	
	1/5/2018	HOUSE On Committee agenda - Ways & Means Committee, 01/09/18, 4:30 pm, 17 H
	1/9/2018	HOUSE Favorable by Ways & Means Committee; 14 Yeas, 6 Nays
	1/9/2018	HOUSE Now in Government Accountability Committee
	<b>Similar</b>	
	<a href="#">SB 688</a>	Charter County and Regional Transportation System Surtax (Garcia)
<a href="#">SB 272</a>	<b>Local Tax Referenda</b>	Brandes
	Local Tax Referenda; Revising the voter approval threshold required to pass a referendum to adopt or amend local government discretionary sales surtaxes when the referendum is held at any date other than a general election, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2018	
	<b>Current Committee of Reference:</b> Appropriations Subcommittee on Finance and Tax	
	10/30/2017	SENATE Now in Appropriations Subcommittee on Finance and Tax
	12/7/2017	Bill to be Discussed During the Office of EDR's Revenue Estimating Impact Conference, 12/08/17, 9:30 am, 117 K (No Votes Will Be Taken)
	1/11/2018	HOUSE On Committee agenda - Appropriations Subcommittee on Finance and Tax, 01/16/18, 10:00 am, 401 S
	<b>Similar</b>	
	<a href="#">HB 317</a>	Local Tax Referenda (Ingoglia)
<a href="#">HB 273</a>	<b>Public Records</b>	Rodrigues (R)
	Public Records: Prohibits agency that receives request to inspect or copy record from responding to such request by filing civil action against individual or entity making request. Effective Date: July 1, 2018	
	<b>Current Committee of Reference:</b> No Current Committee	
	1/9/2018	HOUSE On Committee agenda - Government Accountability Committee, 01/11/18, 10:30 am, 17 H
	1/11/2018	HOUSE Favorable by Government Accountability Committee; 20 Yeas, 0 Nays
	1/11/2018	HOUSE Placed on Calendar, on 2nd reading
	<b>Identical</b>	
	<a href="#">SB 750</a>	Public Records (Perry)
<a href="#">SB 292</a>	<b>Private Property Rights</b>	Rodriguez (J)
	Private Property Rights; Exempting from the definition of "public utility" property owners who own and operate a	

renewable energy source device and who produce renewable energy from that device and provide and sell such renewable energy to users on that property, under certain circumstances, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** Communications, Energy, and Public Utilities

9/18/2017 SENATE Filed

9/29/2017 SENATE Referred to Communications, Energy, and Public Utilities; Community Affairs; Rules

<b><a href="#">HB 317</a></b>	<b>Local Tax Referenda</b>	Ingoglia
Local Tax Referenda: Requires local government discretionary sales surtax referenda to be held on specified dates & approved by specified percentage of voters. Effective Date: July 1, 2018		
<b>Current Committee of Reference:</b> Government Accountability Committee		
11/29/2017	Bill to be Discussed During the Office of EDR's Revenue Estimating Impact Conference, 11/30/17, 8:30 am, 117 K (No Votes Will Be Taken)	
12/5/2017	HOUSE Favorable by Ways & Means Committee; 18 Yeas, 0 Nays	
12/5/2017	HOUSE Now in Government Accountability Committee	
<b>Similar</b>		
<a href="#">SB 272</a>	Local Tax Referenda (Brandes)	

<b><a href="#">SB 324</a></b>	<b>Impact Fees</b>	Young
Impact Fees; Specifying the earliest time of collection that a local government may require for impact fees, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2018		
<b>Current Committee of Reference:</b> Appropriations Subcommittee on Finance and Tax		
12/7/2017	SENATE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed	
12/13/2017	SENATE Now in Appropriations Subcommittee on Finance and Tax	
1/10/2018	Bill to be Discussed During the Office of EDR's Revenue Estimating Impact Conference, 01/12/18, 9:00 am, 117 K (No Votes Will Be Taken)	
<b>Similar</b>		
<a href="#">HB 697</a>	Impact Fees (Miller)	

<b><a href="#">HB 337</a></b>	<b>Community Development Districts</b>	Cortes (J)
Community Development Districts: Requires community development districts to obtain a valuation before acquiring certain property. Effective Date: July 1, 2018		
<b>Current Committee of Reference:</b> Local, Federal & Veterans Affairs Subcommittee		
10/16/2017	HOUSE Filed	
10/26/2017	HOUSE Referred to Local, Federal & Veterans Affairs Subcommittee; Government Accountability Committee	
10/26/2017	HOUSE Now in Local, Federal & Veterans Affairs Subcommittee	
<b>Identical</b>		
<a href="#">SB 1686</a>	Community Development Districts (Torres, Jr.)	

<b><a href="#">HB 339</a></b>	<b>Land Acquisition Trust Fund</b>	Harrell
Land Acquisition Trust Fund: Provides appropriation for certain projects related to Indian River Lagoon Comprehensive Conservation & Management Plan; authorizes DEP to make grants for such projects; directs DEP to submit annual report to Governor & Legislature. Effective Date: July 1, 2018		
<b>Current Committee of Reference:</b> Agriculture & Natural Resources Appropriations Subcommittee		
10/16/2017	HOUSE Filed	
10/26/2017	HOUSE Referred to Agriculture & Natural Resources Appropriations Subcommittee; Natural Resources & Public Lands Subcommittee; Appropriations Committee	
10/26/2017	HOUSE Now in Agriculture & Natural Resources Appropriations Subcommittee	
<b>Similar</b>		
<a href="#">SB 786</a>	Land Acquisition Trust Fund (Mayfield)	

<b><a href="#">HB 347</a></b>	<b>Prohibited Discrimination</b>	Diamond
Prohibited Discrimination: Provides that sexual orientation & gender identity are impermissible grounds for discrimination in public lodging establishments & public food service establishments; revises provisions of Florida Civil Rights Act of 1992 and Fair Housing Act to include sexual orientation & gender identity; provides exception for constitutionally protected free exercise of religion. Effective Date: July 1, 2018		
<b>Current Committee of Reference:</b> Careers & Competition Subcommittee		
10/16/2017	HOUSE Filed	
10/26/2017	HOUSE Referred to Careers & Competition Subcommittee; Judiciary Committee; Commerce Committee	
10/26/2017	HOUSE Now in Careers & Competition Subcommittee	
<b>Similar</b>		

[SB 66](#) Prohibited Discrimination (Rouson)  
[SB 698](#) Prohibited Discrimination (Book)

**[SB 348](#) Disposable Plastic Bags** Rodriguez (J)  
 Disposable Plastic Bags; Defining the term "coastal community"; authorizing certain municipalities to establish pilot programs to regulate or ban disposable plastic bags; directing participating municipalities to collect data and submit reports to the municipal governing bodies and the Department of Environmental Protection, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law  
**Current Committee of Reference:** Environmental Preservation and Conservation  
 9/25/2017 SENATE Filed  
 10/16/2017 SENATE Referred to Environmental Preservation and Conservation; Community Affairs; Commerce and Tourism; Rules

**[SB 352](#) Sports Franchise Facilities** Garcia  
 Sports Franchise Facilities; Prohibiting a sports franchise from constructing, reconstructing, renovating, or improving a facility on leased public land; requiring that a lease of a facility on public land by a sports franchise or a sale of public land for a sports franchise facility be at fair market value, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2018  
**Current Committee of Reference:** Commerce and Tourism  
 9/26/2017 SENATE Filed  
 10/16/2017 SENATE Referred to Commerce and Tourism; Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; Appropriations  
**Similar**  
[HB 13](#) Sports Franchise Facilities (Avila)

**[HB 353](#) Autonomous Vehicles** Fischer  
 Autonomous Vehicles: Authorizes person to operate, or engage autonomous technology to operate, autonomous vehicle in autonomous mode; provides that autonomous technology is deemed operator of autonomous vehicle operating in autonomous mode; provides construction & applicability; defines "human operator." Effective Date: July 1, 2018  
**Current Committee of Reference:** Appropriations Committee  
 11/1/2017 HOUSE On Committee agenda - Transportation & Infrastructure Subcommittee, 11/08/17, 4:00 pm, 102  
 11/8/2017 HOUSE Favorable by Transportation & Infrastructure Subcommittee; 13 Yeas, 0 Nays  
 11/8/2017 HOUSE Now in Appropriations Committee  
**Compare**  
[SB 712](#) Autonomous Vehicles (Brandes)

**[SB 362](#) Growth Management** Perry  
 Growth Management; Requiring local governments to address the protection of private property rights in their comprehensive plans; requiring the comprehensive plan to include a private property rights element that sets forth principles, guidelines, standards, and strategies to achieve certain objectives; providing a deadline by which each local government must adopt a private property rights element; requiring the state land planning agency to approve the private property rights element adopted by each local government if it is substantially in a specified form, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2018  
**Current Committee of Reference:** Community Affairs  
 9/28/2017 SENATE Filed  
 10/16/2017 SENATE Referred to Community Affairs; Environmental Preservation and Conservation; Rules  
**Similar**  
[HB 207](#) Growth Management (McClain)

**[SB 370](#) Land Acquisition Trust Fund** Bradley  
 Land Acquisition Trust Fund; Requiring a specified annual appropriation to the Florida Forever Trust Fund, etc. APPROPRIATION: \$100,000,000.00 Effective Date: 7/1/2018  
**Current Committee of Reference:** Appropriations  
 12/7/2017 SENATE Now in Appropriations  
 1/8/2018 SENATE On Committee agenda - Appropriations, 01/11/18, 1:00 pm, 412 K  
 1/11/2018 SENATE Favorable with CS by Appropriations; 17 Yeas, 0 Nays  
**Identical**  
[HB 1353](#) Land Acquisition Trust Fund (Beshears)

**[SB 378](#) Parking Garages** Steube



Parking Garages; Prohibiting a county, municipality, or other local governmental entity from adopting or maintaining in effect an ordinance or a rule which has the effect of prohibiting a driver from, or authorizing the issuance of a citation to a driver for, back-in parking a motor vehicle in a parking space located in a parking garage; providing that any such ordinance or rule in effect on a specified date is void, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** Community Affairs

10/2/2017 SENATE Filed

10/25/2017 SENATE Referred to Community Affairs; Transportation; Rules

**SB 384**

**Electric Vehicles**

Brandes

Electric Vehicles; Requiring the Florida Transportation Commission to review all sources of revenue for transportation infrastructure and maintenance projects and prepare a report to the Governor and the Legislature when the commission determines that electric vehicles make up a certain percentage or more of the total number of vehicles registered in this state; requiring a long-range transportation plan to consider infrastructure and technological improvements necessary to accommodate the increased use of autonomous technology and electric vehicles, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development

12/5/2017 SENATE Favorable with CS by Transportation; 7 Yeas, 0 Nays

12/6/2017 SENATE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed

12/13/2017 SENATE Now in Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development

**Identical**

HB 981 Electric and Hybrid Vehicles (Olszewski)

**SB 388**

**Anchoring Limitation Areas**

Farmer

Anchoring Limitation Areas; Revising the anchoring limitation areas within the state to include additional specified areas, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** Environmental Preservation and Conservation

10/3/2017 SENATE Filed

10/25/2017 SENATE Referred to Environmental Preservation and Conservation; Community Affairs; Rules

**Similar**

HB 1001 City of Hollywood, Broward County (Geller)

**HB 405**

**Linear Facilities**

Williamson

Linear Facilities: Revises definition of "development" to exclude certain utility work on rights-of-way or corridors & creation or termination of distribution & transmission corridors; requires DEP to consider certain variance standard for certification of power plants & transmission corridors; specifies PSC authority to locate transmission lines underground. Effective Date: upon becoming a law

**Current Committee of Reference:** No Current Committee

1/9/2018 HOUSE On Committee agenda - Commerce Committee, 01/11/18, 10:30 am, 212 K

1/11/2018 HOUSE Favorable by Commerce Committee; 21 Yeas, 1 Nay

1/11/2018 HOUSE Placed on Calendar, on 2nd reading

**Identical**

SB 494 Linear Facilities (Lee (T))

**SB 432**

**Community Redevelopment Agencies**

Lee (T)

Community Redevelopment Agencies; Prohibiting a person from lobbying a community redevelopment agency until he or she has registered as a lobbyist with that agency; authorizing community redevelopment agencies to adopt rules to govern the registration of lobbyists; requiring ethics training for community redevelopment agency commissioners, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development

10/30/2017 SENATE On Committee agenda - Community Affairs, 11/07/17, 10:00 am, 301 S

11/7/2017 SENATE Favorable by Community Affairs; 5 Yeas, 1 Nay

11/8/2017 SENATE Now in Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development

**Similar**

HB 17 Community Redevelopment Organizations (Raburn)

**HB 439**

**Public Meetings and Records**

Donalds

Public Meetings and Records: Expands exemption from public meetings requirements to allow specified entities to meet in private with attorney to discuss imminent litigation if certain conditions are met; specifies when litigation is

considered imminent; provides for future legislative review & repeal of exemption; provides statement of public necessity. Effective Date: July 1, 2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** Oversight, Transparency & Administration Subcommittee

10/25/2017 HOUSE Filed

11/1/2017 HOUSE Referred to Oversight, Transparency and Administration Subcommittee; Government Accountability Committee

11/1/2017 HOUSE Now in Oversight, Transparency & Administration Subcommittee

**Similar**

[SB 560](#) Public Meetings and Records/ Imminent Litigation (Steube)

**[HB 459](#) Public Records Massullo, Jr.**

Public Records: Provides that certain information related to agency contracts is not confidential or exempt from public records requirements; removes or revises numerous provisions relating to exemptions from public records requirements for trade secrets. Effective Date: upon becoming a law

**Current Committee of Reference:** Oversight, Transparency & Administration Subcommittee

10/26/2017 HOUSE Filed

11/1/2017 HOUSE Referred to Oversight, Transparency & Administration Subcommittee; Government Accountability Committee

11/1/2017 HOUSE Now in Oversight, Transparency & Administration Subcommittee

**Compare**

[SB 958](#) Public Records (Mayfield)

**Similar**

[SB 956](#) Public Records (Mayfield)

**Linked**

[HB 461](#) Pub. Rec./Trade Secrets Held by an Agency (Massullo, Jr.)

**[HB 461](#) Pub. Rec./Trade Secrets Held by an Agency Massullo, Jr.**

Pub. Rec./Trade Secrets Held by an Agency: Provides exemption from public record requirements for trade secret held by agency; provides notice requirements; provides process for responding to public record requests; provides exception to exemption; provides that agency employee is not liable for release of records in compliance with act; provides for future legislative review & repeal of exemption; provides statement of public necessity. Effective Date: on the same date that HB 459 or similar legislation takes effect

**Current Committee of Reference:** Oversight, Transparency & Administration Subcommittee

10/26/2017 HOUSE Filed

11/1/2017 HOUSE Referred to Oversight, Transparency & Administration Subcommittee; Government Accountability Committee

11/1/2017 HOUSE Now in Oversight, Transparency & Administration Subcommittee

**Compare**

[SB 956](#) Public Records (Mayfield)

**Similar**

[SB 958](#) Public Records (Mayfield)

**Linked**

[HB 459](#) Public Records (Massullo, Jr.)

**[SB 462](#) Advanced Well Stimulation Treatment Young**

Advanced Well Stimulation Treatment; Prohibiting the performance of advanced well stimulation treatments; clarifying that permits for drilling or operating a well do not authorize the performance of advanced well stimulation treatments, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law

**Current Committee of Reference:** Environmental Preservation and Conservation

10/9/2017 SENATE Filed

10/25/2017 SENATE Referred to Environmental Preservation and Conservation; Appropriations Subcommittee on the Environment and Natural Resources; Appropriations

**Compare**

[SB 834](#) Well Stimulation (Farmer)

**Identical**

[HB 237](#) Advanced Well Stimulation Treatment (Peters)

**[SB 464](#) Little Wekiva River Bracy**

Little Wekiva River; Requiring a specified annual appropriation to the St. Johns River Water Management District from the Land Acquisition Trust Fund for certain purposes related to the Little Wekiva River; reducing such

appropriation by a specified amount for debt service; requiring an appropriation to acquire certain lands associated with the Little Wekiva River, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** No Current Committee

- 10/25/2017 SENATE Referred to Environmental Preservation and Conservation; Appropriations Subcommittee on the Environment and Natural Resources; Appropriations
- 11/17/2017 SENATE Withdrawn from Environmental Preservation and Conservation; Appropriations Subcommittee on the Environment and Natural Resources; Appropriations
- 11/17/2017 SENATE Withdrawn prior to introduction

**SB 494      **Linear Facilities**      Lee (T)**

Linear Facilities; Revising the definition of the term “development” to exclude work by certain utility providers on utility infrastructure on certain rights-of-way or corridors; requiring the consideration of a certain variance standard when including conditions for the certification of an electrical power plant; clarifying that the Public Service Commission has exclusive jurisdiction to require underground transmission lines, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law

**Current Committee of Reference:** Community Affairs

- 11/27/2017 SENATE On Committee agenda - Community Affairs, 12/05/17, 10:00 am, 301 S
- 12/5/2017 SENATE Temporarily Postponed by Community Affairs
- 1/11/2018 SENATE On Committee agenda - Community Affairs, 01/16/18, 4:00 pm, 301 S

**Identical**

HB 405      Linear Facilities (Williamson)

**SB 506      **Election of Secretary of State/Membership of Cabinet**      Bean**

Election of Secretary of State/Membership of Cabinet; Proposing amendments to the State Constitution to provide for the election of the Secretary of State and his or her inclusion as a member of the Cabinet, etc.

**Current Committee of Reference:** Ethics and Elections

- 10/11/2017 SENATE Filed
- 10/26/2017 SENATE Referred to Ethics and Elections; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Rules

**HB 511      **Charter Schools**      Shaw**

Charter Schools: Requires charter schools that receive capital outlay funding used for certain purposes to ensure that new facilities comply with State Requirements for Educational Facilities of the Florida Building Code. Effective Date: July 1, 2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** No Current Committee

- 11/8/2017 HOUSE Referred to PreK-12 Quality Subcommittee; PreK-12 Appropriations Subcommittee; Education Committee
- 11/8/2017 HOUSE Now in PreK-12 Quality Subcommittee
- 11/14/2017 HOUSE Withdrawn prior to introduction

**Identical**

SB 1554      Charter Schools (Rodriguez (J))

**HB 521      **Tree and Timber Trimming, Removal, and Harvesting**      Edwards**

Tree and Timber Trimming, Removal, and Harvesting: Preempts to state regulation of trimming, removal, or harvesting of trees & timber on private property; prohibits certain local governmental actions relating to trimming or removal of trees or timber & burial of vegetative debris on private property. Effective Date: July 1, 2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** Local, Federal & Veterans Affairs Subcommittee

- 11/3/2017 HOUSE Filed
- 11/15/2017 HOUSE Referred to Local, Federal & Veterans Affairs Subcommittee; Agriculture & Property Rights Subcommittee; Government Accountability Committee
- 11/15/2017 HOUSE Now in Local, Federal & Veterans Affairs Subcommittee

**Identical**

SB 574      Tree and Timber Trimming, Removal, and Harvesting (Steube)

**HB 525      **High-Speed Passenger Rail**      Grall**

High-Speed Passenger Rail: Requires railroad company operating high-speed passenger rail system to be responsible for certain maintenance, improvement, & upgrade costs; specifies that governmental entity is not responsible for such costs unless it consents in writing. Effective Date: July 1, 2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** Transportation & Infrastructure Subcommittee

- 11/3/2017 HOUSE Filed
- 11/15/2017 HOUSE Referred to Transportation & Infrastructure Subcommittee; Transportation & Tourism Appropriations Subcommittee; Government Accountability Committee

11/15/2017 HOUSE Now in Transportation & Infrastructure Subcommittee

**Similar**

[SB 572](#) High-speed Passenger Rail (Mayfield)

**SB 526** **Deregulation of Professions and Occupations** Brandes

Deregulation of Professions and Occupations; Repealing provisions relating to licensure and permit requirements for business agents; prohibiting a business organization from engaging in certain practices until it is qualified by a qualifying agent; authorizing the executive director or the chair of the board to authorize a temporary qualifying agent for a specified timeframe under certain circumstances; requiring the board to allow an applicant to qualify one or more business organizations or to operate using a fictitious name under certain circumstances, etc.

Effective Date: 07/01/2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** Regulated Industries

10/13/2017 SENATE Filed

10/26/2017 SENATE Referred to Regulated Industries; Commerce and Tourism; Appropriations; Rules

**Similar**

[HB 15](#) Deregulation of Professions and Occupations (Beshears)

**HB 535** **Statewide Alternative Transportation Authority** Avila

Statewide Alternative Transportation Authority: Adds alternative transportation authority as part of operations of DOT; provides requirements for operation & fund expenditure; exempts authority from certain departmental policies; revises State Transportation Trust Fund allocations for Transportation Regional Incentive Program; specifies annual allocations to TBARTA & Statewide Alternative Transportation Authority for certain purposes; requires matching funds for TBARTA; removes provision authorizing department, through Florida Rail Enterprise, to use specified funds for certain purposes; creates Statewide Alternative Transportation Authority; provides requirements for use of specified funds; provides requirements for county funding requests; requires matching funds for certain distributions; prohibits use of funds to subsidize certain projects. Effective Date: July 1, 2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** Transportation & Tourism Appropriations Subcommittee

12/6/2017 HOUSE Favorable with CS by Transportation & Infrastructure Subcommittee; 13 Yeas, 0 Nays

12/8/2017 HOUSE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed

12/11/2017 HOUSE Now in Transportation & Tourism Appropriations Subcommittee

**Similar**

[SB 1200](#) Statewide Alternative Transportation Authority (Young)

**SB 542** **Public Financing of Construction Projects** Rodriguez (J)

Public Financing of Construction Projects; Prohibiting state-financed constructors from commencing construction of certain structures in coastal areas without first conducting a sea level impact projection study and having such study published and approved by the Department of Environmental Protection; requiring the department to publish such studies on its website, subject to certain conditions, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** Environmental Preservation and Conservation

10/18/2017 SENATE Filed

11/2/2017 SENATE Referred to Environmental Preservation and Conservation; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Appropriations Subcommittee on the Environment and Natural Resources; Appropriations

**HB 559** **Florida Black Bears** Olszewski

Florida Black Bears: Prohibits FWCC from allowing recreational hunting of certain Florida black bears; provides penalty for certain harvesting of saw palmetto berries; authorizes FWCC to designate certain habitats; prohibits prescribed burns in such habitats during specified times. Effective Date: July 1, 2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** Natural Resources & Public Lands Subcommittee

11/7/2017 HOUSE Filed

11/15/2017 HOUSE Referred to Natural Resources & Public Lands Subcommittee; Agriculture & Property Rights Subcommittee; Government Accountability Committee

11/15/2017 HOUSE Now in Natural Resources & Public Lands Subcommittee

**Identical**

[SB 156](#) Florida Black Bears (Stewart)

**SB 560** **Public Meetings and Records/ Imminent Litigation** Steube

Public Meetings and Records/ Imminent Litigation ; Expanding an exemption from public meetings requirements to allow specified entities to meet in private with an attorney to discuss imminent litigation if certain conditions are met; requiring the transcript of a private meeting concerning imminent litigation to be made public upon the occurrence of a certain circumstance, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** Rules

1/5/2018 SENATE On Committee agenda - Governmental Oversight and Accountability, 01/10/18, 9:00 am, 401 S  
 1/10/2018 SENATE Favorable by Governmental Oversight and Accountability; 6 Yeas, 0 Nays  
 1/11/2018 SENATE Now in Rules

**Similar**

[HB 439](#) Public Meetings and Records (Donalds)

**SB 572 High-speed Passenger Rail** Mayfield

High-speed Passenger Rail; Designating the "Florida High-Speed Passenger Rail Safety Act"; providing powers and duties of the Florida Department of Transportation; requiring the Florida Division of Emergency Management to offer, under certain circumstances, the local communities and local emergency services located along the rail corridor training specifically designed to help them respond to an accident involving rail passengers or hazardous materials; requiring a railroad company operating a high-speed passenger rail system to be solely responsible for certain maintenance, improvement, and upgrade costs, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** Community Affairs

11/14/2017 SENATE Favorable with CS by Transportation; 6 Yeas, 0 Nays  
 11/15/2017 SENATE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed  
 11/27/2017 SENATE Now in Community Affairs

**Similar**

[HB 525](#) High-Speed Passenger Rail (Grall)

**SB 574 Tree and Timber Trimming, Removal, and Harvesting** Steube

Tree and Timber Trimming, Removal, and Harvesting; Preempting to the state the regulation of the trimming, removal, or harvesting of trees and timber on private property; prohibiting local governments from prohibiting the burial of vegetative debris on certain properties, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** Community Affairs

10/20/2017 SENATE Filed  
 11/2/2017 SENATE Referred to Community Affairs; Environmental Preservation and Conservation; Rules

**Identical**

[HB 521](#) Tree and Timber Trimming, Removal, and Harvesting (Edwards)

**HB 575 Metropolitan Planning Organizations** Beshears

Metropolitan Planning Organizations: Revises M.P.O. voting membership requirements according to population; prohibits entire county commission from being members of governing board; revises percentage of membership which may be composed of county commissioners; requires adoption of certain bylaws; revises member reappointment provisions; requires compliance with certain provisions by specified date. Effective Date: July 1, 2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** Government Accountability Committee

1/8/2018 HOUSE On Committee agenda - Local, Federal & Veterans Affairs Subcommittee, 01/10/18, 3:30 pm, 12 H  
 1/10/2018 HOUSE Favorable by Local, Federal & Veterans Affairs Subcommittee; 13 Yeas, 1 Nay  
 1/10/2018 HOUSE Now in Government Accountability Committee

**Compare**

[HB 807](#) Metropolitan Planning Organizations (Diamond)

[SB 984](#) Metropolitan Planning Organizations (Brandes)

**Identical**

[SB 1516](#) Metropolitan Planning Organizations (Perry)

**HB 585 Tourist Development Tax** Fine

Tourist Development Tax: Authorizes counties imposing tax to use tax revenues for specified purposes. Effective Date: July 1, 2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** Ways & Means Committee

1/8/2018 HOUSE On Committee agenda - Tourism & Gaming Control Subcommittee, 01/10/18, 8:30 am, 212 K  
 1/10/2018 HOUSE Favorable by Tourism & Gaming Control Subcommittee; 9 Yeas, 4 Nays  
 1/10/2018 HOUSE Now in Ways & Means Committee

**Similar**

[SB 658](#) Tourist Development Tax (Brandes)

**HB 589 Public Meetings** Newton

Public Meetings: Specifies that certain boards and commissions are subject to public meetings requirements; revises public meeting notice requirements; provides that member of public has right to speak at public meeting;

requires members of board or commission to respond to questions made at public meetings within a specified timeframe; repeals provision relating to reasonable opportunity to be heard at public meetings; provides penalties.

Effective Date: July 1, 2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** Oversight, Transparency & Administration Subcommittee

11/8/2017 HOUSE Filed

11/15/2017 HOUSE Referred to Oversight, Transparency & Administration Subcommittee; Local, Federal & Veterans Affairs Subcommittee; Government Accountability Committee

11/15/2017 HOUSE Now in Oversight, Transparency & Administration Subcommittee

**Similar**

[SB 1092](#) Public Meetings (Rader)

**[HB 593](#) Homestead Exemptions Porter**

Homestead Exemptions: Requires Legislature to appropriate moneys, beginning in specified fiscal year, to offset reductions in ad valorem tax revenue experienced by rural communities within rural area of opportunity which result from specified additional exemption; specifies how moneys are to be distributed; specifies mechanism for reversion of funds in specified situations. Effective Date: on the effective date of House Joint Resolution 7105 (2017)

**Current Committee of Reference:** Appropriations Committee

11/8/2017 HOUSE Filed

11/15/2017 HOUSE Referred to Appropriations Committee; Ways & Means Committee

11/15/2017 HOUSE Now in Appropriations Committee

**Similar**

[SB 772](#) Homestead Exemption Implementation (Grimsley)

**[HB 611](#) Regional Agency and Regional Planning Council Meetings Geller**

Regional Agency and Regional Planning Council Meetings: Provides requirements for establishing quorum for meetings of certain agencies & councils when voting member appears via telephone, real-time videoconferencing, or similar real-time electronic or video communication; requires notice of intent to appear via telephone, real-time videoconferencing, or similar real-time electronic or video communication by specified time. Effective Date: July 1, 2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** Oversight, Transparency & Administration Subcommittee

11/8/2017 HOUSE Filed

11/15/2017 HOUSE Referred to Oversight, Transparency & Administration Subcommittee; Local, Federal & Veterans Affairs Subcommittee; Government Accountability Committee

11/15/2017 HOUSE Now in Oversight, Transparency & Administration Subcommittee

**Identical**

[SB 1380](#) Regional Agency and Regional Planning Council Meetings (Rodriguez (J))

**[HB 613](#) Legislation by Initiative Geller**

Legislation by Initiative: Proposes amendment to State Constitution to allow proposal of laws by initiative without legislative or gubernatorial approval; prescribe requirements for subject matter, proposal, & approval of such initiatives; require extraordinary vote of each house of Legislature to amend or repeal laws approved by voters; require Legislature to adopt procedures for initiatives; provide for Supreme Court review of initiative petitions; require ballot statements for such initiatives to include statement of economic impact.

**Current Committee of Reference:** Oversight, Transparency & Administration Subcommittee

11/8/2017 HOUSE Filed

11/15/2017 HOUSE Referred to Oversight, Transparency & Administration Subcommittee; Rules & Policy Committee; Government Accountability Committee

11/15/2017 HOUSE Now in Oversight, Transparency & Administration Subcommittee

**Identical**

[SB 1702](#) Legislation by Initiative (Torres, Jr.)

**[SB 658](#) Tourist Development Tax Brandes**

Tourist Development Tax; Authorizing counties imposing the tax to use the tax revenues, under certain circumstances, for specified purposes and costs relating to public facilities, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** Appropriations Subcommittee on Finance and Tax

11/27/2017 SENATE On Committee agenda - Community Affairs, 12/05/17, 10:00 am, 301 S

12/5/2017 SENATE Favorable by Community Affairs; 6 Yeas, 0 Nays

12/5/2017 SENATE Now in Appropriations Subcommittee on Finance and Tax

**Similar**

[HB 585](#) Tourist Development Tax (Fine)

**SB 688 Charter County and Regional Transportation System Surtax Garcia**

Charter County and Regional Transportation System Surtax; Requiring counties, except under certain circumstances, to use surtax proceeds only for specified purposes; prohibiting the use of such proceeds for nontransit purposes, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** Appropriations Subcommittee on Finance and Tax

11/27/2017 SENATE On Committee agenda - Community Affairs, 12/05/17, 10:00 am, 301 S

12/5/2017 SENATE Favorable by Community Affairs; 5 Yeas, 0 Nays

12/5/2017 SENATE Now in Appropriations Subcommittee on Finance and Tax

**Similar**

[HB 243](#) Charter County and Regional Transportation System Surtax (Avila)

**HB 697 Impact Fees Miller**

Impact Fees: Revises minimum requirements for adoption of impact fees. Effective Date: July 1, 2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** Local, Federal & Veterans Affairs Subcommittee

1/10/2018 HOUSE Favorable with CS by Local, Federal & Veterans Affairs Subcommittee; 14 Yeas, 0 Nays

1/10/2018 Bill to be Discussed During the Office of EDR's Revenue Estimating Impact Conference, 01/12/18, 9:00 am, 117 K (No Votes Will Be Taken)

1/11/2018 HOUSE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed

**Similar**

[SB 324](#) Impact Fees (Young)

**SB 698 Prohibited Discrimination Book**

Prohibited Discrimination; Creating the "Florida Competitive Workforce Act"; adding sexual orientation and gender identity as impermissible grounds for discrimination in public lodging establishments and public food service establishments; adding sexual orientation and gender identity as impermissible grounds for discrimination with respect to the sale or rental of housing, provision of brokerage services, financing of housing or in residential real estate transactions, and land use decisions and in permitting of development, respectively, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** No Current Committee

10/30/2017 SENATE Filed

11/1/2017 SENATE Withdrawn prior to introduction

**Similar**

[HB 347](#) Prohibited Discrimination (Diamond)

**Identical**

[SB 66](#) Prohibited Discrimination (Rouson)

**HB 703 Water Management District Surplus Lands Burgess**

Water Management District Surplus Lands: Revises circumstances when water management districts must publish intention to sell surplus lands; revises process for selling certain lower valued surplus lands. Effective Date: July 1, 2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** Agriculture & Natural Resources Appropriations Subcommittee

12/4/2017 HOUSE On Committee agenda - Natural Resources & Public Lands Subcommittee, 12/06/17, 2:00 pm, 12 H

12/6/2017 HOUSE Favorable by Natural Resources & Public Lands Subcommittee; 13 Yeas, 0 Nays

12/6/2017 HOUSE Now in Agriculture & Natural Resources Appropriations Subcommittee

**Compare**

[SB 808](#) Public Records/Surplus Lands (Baxley)

**Similar**

[SB 806](#) Water Management District Surplus Lands (Baxley)

**Linked**

[HB 705](#) Pub. Rec./Water Management District Surplus Lands (Burgess)

**HB 705 Pub. Rec./Water Management District Surplus Lands Burgess**

Pub. Rec./Water Management District Surplus Lands: Provides exemption for certain records relating to sale of surplus lands; authorizes disclosure of such records under certain circumstances; provides for future legislative review & repeal. Effective Date: on the same date that HB 703 or similar legislation takes effect

**Current Committee of Reference:** Government Accountability Committee

1/10/2018 HOUSE Favorable with CS by Oversight, Transparency & Administration Subcommittee; 12 Yeas, 1 Nay

1/10/2018 HOUSE Committee Substitute Text (C2) Filed  
 1/12/2018 HOUSE Now in Government Accountability Committee

**Compare**

[SB 806](#) Water Management District Surplus Lands (Baxley)

**Similar**

[SB 808](#) Public Records/Surplus Lands (Baxley)

**Linked**

[HB 703](#) Water Management District Surplus Lands (Burgess)

**[SB 712](#) Autonomous Vehicles Brandes**

Autonomous Vehicles; Exempting an autonomous vehicle being operated in autonomous mode from a certain prohibition on the operation of a motor vehicle if the vehicle is actively displaying certain content that is visible from the driver's seat while the vehicle is in motion; authorizing a fully autonomous vehicle to operate in this state regardless of whether a licensed human operator is physically present in the vehicle; authorizing the Secretary of Transportation to enroll the state in any federal pilot program or project for the collection and study of data for the review of automated driving systems, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** Transportation

11/1/2017 SENATE Filed  
 11/15/2017 SENATE Referred to Transportation; Banking and Insurance; Rules

**Compare**

[HB 353](#) Autonomous Vehicles (Fischer)

**[HB 725](#) Permit Fees Williamson**

Permit Fees: Requires governing body of county & municipality to post its permit & inspection fee schedules & link to annual building permit & inspection utilization report on its website; provides reporting requirements. Effective Date: July 1, 2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** Local, Federal & Veterans Affairs Subcommittee

1/8/2018 HOUSE On Committee agenda - Local, Federal & Veterans Affairs Subcommittee, 01/10/18, 3:30 pm, 12 H  
 1/10/2018 HOUSE Favorable with CS by Local, Federal & Veterans Affairs Subcommittee; 13 Yeas, 1 Nay  
 1/11/2018 HOUSE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed

**Similar**

[SB 1144](#) Permit Fees (Perry)

**[SB 726](#) Smoking Marijuana for Medical Use Farmer**

Smoking Marijuana for Medical Use; Redefining terms to authorize the production, processing, transportation, sale, possession, and administration of marijuana in a form for smoking for medical use, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** Health Policy

11/2/2017 SENATE Filed  
 11/15/2017 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Appropriations; Rules

**[HB 727](#) Property Tax Exemptions Grall**

Property Tax Exemptions: Increases property tax exemption for residents who are widows, widowers, blind, or totally and permanently disabled. Effective Date: upon becoming a law

**Current Committee of Reference:** Ways & Means Committee

11/27/2017 HOUSE Referred to Ways & Means Committee; Government Accountability Committee  
 11/27/2017 HOUSE Now in Ways & Means Committee  
 12/7/2017 Bill to be Discussed During the Office of EDR's Revenue Estimating Impact Conference, 12/08/17, 9:30 am, 117 K (No Votes Will Be Taken)

**Identical**

[SB 934](#) Property Tax Exemptions (Hukill)

**[SB 750](#) Public Records Perry**

Public Records; Prohibiting an agency that receives a request to inspect or copy a record from responding to such request by filing a civil action against the individual or entity making the request, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** Judiciary

1/5/2018 SENATE On Committee agenda - Governmental Oversight and Accountability, 01/10/18, 9:00 am, 401 S  
 1/10/2018 SENATE Favorable by Governmental Oversight and Accountability; 5 Yeas, 1 Nays  
 1/11/2018 SENATE Now in Judiciary

**Identical**

[HB 273](#) Public Records (Rodrigues (R))



<a href="#">HB 765</a>	<b>Truth in Millage Notices</b>	Ingoglia
<p>Truth in Millage Notices: Authorizes property appraiser to make proposed property tax &amp; non-ad valorem assessment notices available on property appraiser's website; requires that property appraiser's website provide option for taxpayer to request &amp; receive e-mail notification when such notices are posted on website; requires property appraiser to mail postcard containing specified information for first 3 years in which he or she implements web-based noticing system. Effective Date: July 1, 2018</p> <p><b>Current Committee of Reference:</b> Ways &amp; Means Committee</p> <p>1/8/2018 HOUSE On Committee agenda - Local, Federal &amp; Veterans Affairs Subcommittee, 01/10/18, 3:30 pm, 12 H</p> <p>1/10/2018 HOUSE Favorable by Local, Federal &amp; Veterans Affairs Subcommittee; 14 Yeas, 0 Nays</p> <p>1/10/2018 HOUSE Now in Ways &amp; Means Committee</p>		
<a href="#">SB 772</a>	<b>Homestead Exemption Implementation</b>	Grimsley
<p>Homestead Exemption Implementation; Requiring the Legislature to appropriate moneys, beginning in a specified fiscal year, to offset reductions in ad valorem tax revenue experienced by rural communities within a rural area of opportunity which result from a specified additional exemption; requiring each rural community to apply to the Department of Revenue each year to participate in the distribution of the appropriation and provide documentation supporting the region's estimated reduction in ad valorem tax revenue, etc. Effective Date: On the effective date of the amendment to the State Constitution proposed by HJR 7105 (2017), if such amendment to the State Constitution is approved at the general election held in November 2018, and shall apply to the 2019 tax roll</p> <p><b>Current Committee of Reference:</b> Community Affairs</p> <p>11/6/2017 SENATE Filed</p> <p>11/17/2017 SENATE Referred to Community Affairs; Appropriations Subcommittee on Finance and Tax; Appropriations</p> <p><b>Similar</b></p> <p><a href="#">HB 593</a> Homestead Exemptions (Porter)</p>		
<a href="#">HB 773</a>	<b>Vacation Rentals</b>	La Rosa
<p>Vacation Rentals: Requires uniform application of local law, ordinance, or regulation relating to vacation rental; revises applicability to include certain amendments to local law, ordinance, or regulation. Effective Date: upon becoming a law</p> <p><b>Current Committee of Reference:</b> Government Accountability Committee</p> <p>11/21/2017 HOUSE Filed</p> <p>12/8/2017 HOUSE Referred to Government Accountability Committee; Commerce Committee</p> <p>12/8/2017 HOUSE Now in Government Accountability Committee</p> <p><b>Compare</b></p> <p><a href="#">SB 1640</a> Vacation Rentals (Simmons)</p>		
<a href="#">SB 778</a>	<b>Sports Development</b>	Lee (T)
<p>Sports Development; Repealing provisions relating to state funding for sports facility development by a unit of local government, or by a certified beneficiary or other applicant, on property owned by the local government, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2018</p> <p><b>Current Committee of Reference:</b> Commerce and Tourism</p> <p>11/6/2017 SENATE Filed</p> <p>11/17/2017 SENATE Referred to Commerce and Tourism; Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; Appropriations; Rules</p> <p><b>Similar</b></p> <p><a href="#">HB 6005</a> Sports Development (Avila)</p>		
<a href="#">SB 786</a>	<b>Land Acquisition Trust Fund</b>	Mayfield
<p>Land Acquisition Trust Fund; Providing an appropriation for certain projects related to the Indian River Lagoon Comprehensive Conservation and Management Plan; authorizing the Department of Environmental Protection to make grants for such projects, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2018</p> <p><b>Current Committee of Reference:</b> Environmental Preservation and Conservation</p> <p>11/7/2017 SENATE Filed</p> <p>11/17/2017 SENATE Referred to Environmental Preservation and Conservation; Appropriations Subcommittee on the Environment and Natural Resources; Appropriations</p> <p><b>Similar</b></p> <p><a href="#">HB 339</a> Land Acquisition Trust Fund (Harrell)</p>		
<a href="#">HB 789</a>	<b>Listings for Vacation Rental Property</b>	Stevenson

Listings for Vacation Rental Property: Requires person engaged in leasing, renting, letting, or granting of licenses for use of vacation rentals to display valid certificate of registration number in each rental listing or advertisement; provides penalties for noncompliance. Effective Date: July 1, 2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** Careers & Competition Subcommittee

11/21/2017 HOUSE Filed

12/8/2017 HOUSE Referred to Careers & Competition Subcommittee; Commerce Committee

12/8/2017 HOUSE Now in Careers & Competition Subcommittee

**Compare**

[SB 1640](#) Vacation Rentals (Simmons)

**[SB 790](#) Lieutenant Governor Lee (T)**

Lieutenant Governor; Proposing amendments to the State Constitution to require the Lieutenant Governor to serve as the Secretary of State, to specify the secretary's duties, and to authorize the Lieutenant Governor to cast tiebreaking votes on any measure on which the Senate is equally divided, etc.

**Current Committee of Reference:** Ethics and Elections

11/7/2017 SENATE Filed

11/17/2017 SENATE Referred to Ethics and Elections; Judiciary; Rules

**[HB 791](#) Regulatory Reform Diaz**

Regulatory Reform: Establishes Red Tape Reduction Advisory Council within EOG; requires Administrative Procedures Committee to establish regulatory baseline of agency rules; provides that new rule may not cause the total number of rules to exceed regulatory baseline; requires agency proposing new rule to submit rule replacement request to committee; provides that rule replacement request or exemption request may not be approved until initial regulatory baseline has been reduced by specified amount. Effective Date: July 1, 2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** Oversight, Transparency & Administration Subcommittee

11/21/2017 HOUSE Filed

12/8/2017 HOUSE Referred to Oversight, Transparency & Administration Subcommittee; Appropriations Committee; Government Accountability Committee

12/8/2017 HOUSE Now in Oversight, Transparency & Administration Subcommittee

**Similar**

[SB 1268](#) Regulatory Reform (Perry)

**[SB 792](#) Chief Financial Officer Lee (T)**

Chief Financial Officer; Proposing an amendment to the State Constitution to revise the duties and responsibilities of the Chief Financial Officer, etc.

**Current Committee of Reference:** Ethics and Elections

11/7/2017 SENATE Filed

11/17/2017 SENATE Referred to Ethics and Elections; Judiciary; Rules

**Identical**

[HB 1421](#) Duties of the Chief Financial Officer (Stevenson)

**[SB 806](#) Water Management District Surplus Lands Baxley**

Water Management District Surplus Lands; Revising the circumstances when a water management district must publish its intention to sell surplus lands; revising the process for selling certain lower valued surplus lands, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** Environmental Preservation and Conservation

11/8/2017 SENATE Filed

11/17/2017 SENATE Referred to Environmental Preservation and Conservation; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Rules

1/11/2018 SENATE On Committee agenda - Environmental Preservation and Conservation, 01/16/18, 10:00 am, 37 S

**Compare**

[HB 705](#) Pub. Rec./Water Management District Surplus Lands (Burgess)

**Similar**

[HB 703](#) Water Management District Surplus Lands (Burgess)

**Linked**

[SB 808](#) Public Records/Surplus Lands (Baxley)

**[HB 807](#) Metropolitan Planning Organizations Diamond**

Metropolitan Planning Organizations: Provides voting membership requirements for certain metropolitan planning organizations designated on or after specified date. Effective Date: July 1, 2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** Transportation & Infrastructure Subcommittee

11/22/2017 HOUSE Filed

12/8/2017 HOUSE Referred to Transportation & Infrastructure Subcommittee; Local, Federal & Veterans Affairs Subcommittee; Government Accountability Committee

12/8/2017 HOUSE Now in Transportation & Infrastructure Subcommittee

**Compare**

[HB 575](#) Metropolitan Planning Organizations (Beshears)

[SB 1516](#) Metropolitan Planning Organizations (Perry)

**Similar**

[SB 984](#) Metropolitan Planning Organizations (Brandes)

**[SB 808](#)**

**Public Records/Surplus Lands**

Baxley

Public Records/Surplus Lands; Providing an exemption for valuations, certain records, and sales offers for sales related to surplus lands; authorizing disclosure of such records under certain circumstances; providing a statement of public necessity, etc. Effective Date: On the same date that SB 806 or similar legislation takes effect, if such legislation is adopted in the same legislative session or an extension thereof and becomes a law

**Current Committee of Reference:** Environmental Preservation and Conservation

11/8/2017 SENATE Filed

11/17/2017 SENATE Referred to Environmental Preservation and Conservation; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Rules

1/11/2018 SENATE On Committee agenda - Environmental Preservation and Conservation, 01/16/18, 10:00 am, 37 S

**Compare**

[HB 703](#) Water Management District Surplus Lands (Burgess)

**Similar**

[HB 705](#) Pub. Rec./Water Management District Surplus Lands (Burgess)

**Linked**

[SB 806](#) Water Management District Surplus Lands (Baxley)

**[SB 828](#)**

**Prohibition Against Hydraulic Fracturing and Other Forms of Well Stimulation**

Farmer

Prohibition Against Hydraulic Fracturing and Other Forms of Well Stimulation; Proposing an amendment to the State Constitution to establish public policy against certain types of well stimulation in order to protect the state's water resources and to prohibit extreme well stimulation, etc.

**Current Committee of Reference:** Environmental Preservation and Conservation

11/9/2017 SENATE Filed

11/29/2017 SENATE Referred to Environmental Preservation and Conservation; Appropriations Subcommittee on the Environment and Natural Resources; Appropriations

**[SB 834](#)**

**Well Stimulation**

Farmer

Well Stimulation; Citing this act as the "Stop Fracking Act"; prohibiting persons from engaging in extreme well stimulation; prohibiting the Department of Environmental Protection from issuing permits that authorize extreme well stimulation; prohibiting the department from authorizing certain permitholders to engage in extreme well stimulation on or after a specified date, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** Environmental Preservation and Conservation

11/9/2017 SENATE Filed

11/29/2017 SENATE Referred to Environmental Preservation and Conservation; Appropriations Subcommittee on the Environment and Natural Resources; Appropriations

**Compare**

[HB 237](#) Advanced Well Stimulation Treatment (Peters)

[SB 462](#) Advanced Well Stimulation Treatment (Young)

**[HB 883](#)**

**Community Development Districts**

Ingoglia

Community Development Districts: Specifies procedure for establishing & adding parcels to new community development districts; provides notice & filing requirements; specifies that expansion of district's boundaries does not alter voting methods; authorizes use of existing procedures for adding parcels to community development districts. Effective Date: July 1, 2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** Local, Federal & Veterans Affairs Subcommittee

12/13/2017 HOUSE Referred to Local, Federal & Veterans Affairs Subcommittee; Government Accountability Committee

12/13/2017 HOUSE Now in Local, Federal & Veterans Affairs Subcommittee

1/11/2018 HOUSE On Committee agenda - Local, Federal & Veterans Affairs Subcommittee, 01/16/18, 11:30 am, 12 H

**Similar**

[SB 1348](#) Community Development Districts (Perry)

**[SB 884](#) Public Lodging Steube**

Public Lodging; Prohibiting transient lodging establishments from requiring minimum stays of greater than one night; authorizing the Division of Hotels and Restaurants of the Department of Business and Professional Regulation to adopt rules, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** No Current Committee

11/14/2017 SENATE Filed

11/17/2017 SENATE Withdrawn prior to introduction

**Similar**

[SB 1138](#) Public Lodging Minimum-stay Requirements (Steube)

**[SB 934](#) Property Tax Exemptions Hukill**

Property Tax Exemptions; Increasing the property tax exemption for residents who are widows, widowers, blind, or totally and permanently disabled, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law

**Current Committee of Reference:** Community Affairs

12/4/2017 SENATE Referred to Community Affairs; Appropriations Subcommittee on Finance and Tax; Appropriations

12/7/2017 Bill to be Discussed During the Office of EDR's Revenue Estimating Impact Conference, 12/08/17, 9:30 am, 117 K (No Votes Will Be Taken)

1/11/2018 SENATE On Committee agenda - Community Affairs, 01/16/18, 4:00 pm, 301 S

**Identical**

[HB 727](#) Property Tax Exemptions (Grall)

**[SB 956](#) Public Records Mayfield**

Public Records; Providing that certain information related to agency contracts is not confidential or exempt from public records requirements; deleting provisions exempting certain information from public records requirements under the Florida Emergency Planning and Community Right-to-Know Act; deleting provisions relating to a public records exemption for trade secrets held by Space Florida; deleting a requirement that certain trade secret information submitted to the Agency for Health Care Administration be clearly designated as such, etc. Effective Date: On the same date that SB 958 or similar legislation takes effect, if such legislation is adopted in the same legislative session or an extension thereof and becomes a law

**Current Committee of Reference:** Governmental Oversight and Accountability

11/17/2017 SENATE Filed

12/4/2017 SENATE Referred to Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Appropriations; Rules

**Compare**

[HB 461](#) Pub. Rec./Trade Secrets Held by an Agency (Massullo, Jr.)

**Similar**

[HB 459](#) Public Records (Massullo, Jr.)

**Linked**

[SB 958](#) Public Records (Mayfield)

**[SB 958](#) Public Records Mayfield**

Public Records/Trade Secrets; Providing an exemption from public records requirements for a trade secret held by an agency; providing that an agency employee is not liable for the release of records in compliance with the act; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemption; providing a statement of public necessity, etc. Effective Date: On the same date that SB 956 or similar legislation takes effect, if such legislation is adopted in the same legislative session or an extension thereof and becomes a law

**Current Committee of Reference:** Governmental Oversight and Accountability

11/17/2017 SENATE Filed

12/4/2017 SENATE Referred to Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Appropriations; Rules

**Compare**

[HB 459](#) Public Records (Massullo, Jr.)

**Similar**

[HB 461](#) Pub. Rec./Trade Secrets Held by an Agency (Massullo, Jr.)

**Linked**

[SB 956](#) Public Records (Mayfield)

**[SB 984](#) Metropolitan Planning Organizations Brandes**

Metropolitan Planning Organizations; Requiring the voting membership of a metropolitan planning organization (M.P.O.) that is designated before a specified date to consist of a certain number of apportioned members, subject

to certain requirements; requiring the voting membership of an M.P.O. designated on or after a specified date as a result of a combination or merger of previously separate M.P.O.'s to consist of a certain number of members, subject to certain requirements, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** Transportation

11/21/2017 SENATE Filed

12/13/2017 SENATE Referred to Transportation; Community Affairs; Rules

**Compare**

[HB 575](#) Metropolitan Planning Organizations (Beshears)

[SB 1516](#) Metropolitan Planning Organizations (Perry)

**Similar**

[HB 807](#) Metropolitan Planning Organizations (Diamond)

**[HB 987](#) Affordable Housing Cortes (B)**

Affordable Housing; Prohibits local governments for a specified time from imposing certain fees related to affordable housing in excess of amounts established by law; specifying the amount to be assessed for such fees for specified dwellings; provides for appropriations. Effective Date: July 1, 2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** Local, Federal & Veterans Affairs Subcommittee

12/20/2017 HOUSE Now in Local, Federal & Veterans Affairs Subcommittee

1/10/2018 Bill to be Discussed During the Office of EDR's Revenue Estimating Impact Conference, 01/12/18, 9:00 am, 117 K (No Votes Will Be Taken)

1/11/2018 HOUSE On Committee agenda - Local, Federal & Veterans Affairs Subcommittee, 01/16/18, 11:30 am, 12 H

**Similar**

[SB 1328](#) Affordable Housing (Perry)

**[SB 990](#) Rural Communities Montford**

Rural Communities; Designating the "Florida Rural Community Jobs and Business Resiliency Act"; requiring the Department of Economic Opportunity to accept an application seeking approval as a rural growth fund; prohibiting the department from reducing the investment authority of an application or denying an application for reasons other than the ones listed; providing that a taxpayer who makes an investor contribution is vested with a credit against state premium tax liability; specifying that an out-of-state business relocating employees to this state must satisfy a specific definition within a certain timeframe before a new principal place of business operations is recognized, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** Commerce and Tourism

11/21/2017 SENATE Filed

12/13/2017 SENATE Referred to Commerce and Tourism; Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; Appropriations

1/11/2018 SENATE On Committee agenda - Commerce and Tourism, 01/16/18, 1:30 pm, 110 S

**Similar**

[HB 1415](#) Rural Communities (Beshears)

**[SB 992](#) The C-51 Reservoir Project Book**

C-51 Reservoir Project; Revising requirements related to the operation of water storage and use for Phase I and Phase II of the C-51 reservoir project if state funds are appropriated for such phases; authorizing the South Florida Water Management District to enter into certain capacity allocation agreements and to request a waiver for repayment of certain loans; authorizing the Department of Environmental Protection to waive such loan repayment under certain conditions, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** Environmental Preservation and Conservation

11/21/2017 SENATE Filed

12/13/2017 SENATE Referred to Environmental Preservation and Conservation; Appropriations Subcommittee on the Environment and Natural Resources; Appropriations

**[SB 1006](#) Disaster Response and Preparedness Montford**

Disaster Response and Preparedness; Modifying requirements for the state comprehensive emergency management plan and statewide public awareness programs administered by the Division of Emergency Management; authorizing any individual to bring a service animal or comfort animal to a special needs shelter; requiring Florida College System institutions and state universities that provide transportation assistance in an emergency evacuation to coordinate the use of vehicles and personnel with local emergency management agencies, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** Military and Veterans Affairs, Space, and Domestic Security

11/27/2017 SENATE Filed

12/13/2017 SENATE Referred to Military and Veterans Affairs, Space, and Domestic Security; Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; Appropriations

**Identical**

[HB 1443](#) Disaster Response and Preparedness (Alexander)

**[SB 1014](#) Recyclable Materials Stewart**

Recyclable Materials; Deleting a preemption of local law relating to regulation of auxiliary containers, wrappings, or disposable plastic bags, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** Community Affairs

11/28/2017 SENATE Filed

12/13/2017 SENATE Referred to Community Affairs; Environmental Preservation and Conservation; Rules

**Identical**

[HB 6039](#) Auxiliary Containers, Wrappings, and Disposable Plastic Bags Used by Retail Establishments (Richardson)

**[HB 1023](#) Public Educational Facilities Duran**

Public Educational Facilities: Provides requirements for determining capacity of facilities in certain schools as reported in Florida Inventory of School Houses; requires Commissioner of Education to grant exemption from State Requirements for Educational Facilities to district school board under certain circumstances. Effective Date: July 1, 2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** PreK-12 Appropriations Subcommittee

12/15/2017 HOUSE Filed

1/3/2018 HOUSE Referred to PreK-12 Appropriations Subcommittee; PreK-12 Quality Subcommittee; Appropriations Committee

1/3/2018 HOUSE Now in PreK-12 Appropriations Subcommittee

**Similar**

[SB 1656](#) Public Educational Facilities (Lee (T))

**[HB 1033](#) Dockless Bicycle Sharing Toledo**

Dockless Bicycle Sharing: Provides insurance requirements for bicycle sharing company; provides requirements for dockless bicycles made available for reservation by such company; provides company responsibilities; provides for preemption. Effective Date: July 1, 2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** Careers & Competition Subcommittee

1/3/2018 HOUSE Referred to Careers & Competition Subcommittee; Commerce Committee

1/3/2018 HOUSE Now in Careers & Competition Subcommittee

1/11/2018 HOUSE On Committee agenda - Careers & Competition Subcommittee, 01/16/18, 3:00 pm, 216 C

**Similar**

[SB 1304](#) Dockless Bicycle Sharing (Young)

**[HB 1053](#) Medical Marijuana Retail Facilities DuBose**

Medical Marijuana Retail Facilities: Permits licensed medical marijuana retail facilities to dispense medical marijuana & marijuana delivery devices under certain conditions; requires DOH to issue licenses to such facilities. Effective Date: upon becoming a law

**Current Committee of Reference:** Health Quality Subcommittee

12/21/2017 HOUSE Filed

1/3/2018 HOUSE Referred to Health Quality Subcommittee; Health Care Appropriations Subcommittee; Health & Human Services Committee

1/3/2018 HOUSE Now in Health Quality Subcommittee

**Similar**

[SB 1336](#) Medical Marijuana Retail Facilities (Thurston, Jr.)

**[HB 1077](#) Open and Expired Building Permits Diamond**

Open and Expired Building Permits: Authorizes Construction Industry Licensing Board to take specified actions against certain entities; provides requirements related to open and expired permits, including expiration, uncompleted permitted projects, penalties, amendment of Florida Building Code, powers of local governmental entities, applications, & notice requirements. Effective Date: July 1, 2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** Careers & Competition Subcommittee

12/21/2017 HOUSE Filed

1/3/2018 HOUSE Referred to Careers & Competition Subcommittee; Local, Federal & Veterans Affairs Subcommittee; Commerce Committee

1/3/2018 HOUSE Now in Careers & Competition Subcommittee

**Identical**

[SB 1322](#) Open and Expired Building Permits (Powell)

**[SB 1092](#) Public Meetings**

Rader

Public Meetings; Specifying that a board or commission of any entity created by general or special law is subject to public meetings requirements; providing that a member of the public has the right to speak at a public meeting of a board or commission; requiring a board or commission to prescribe a form on which members of the public wishing to exercise their right to speak must provide certain information; repealing provisions relating to the reasonable opportunity to be heard at public meetings, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** Governmental Oversight and Accountability

12/5/2017 SENATE Filed

12/13/2017 SENATE Referred to Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Community Affairs; Rules

**Similar**

[HB 589](#) Public Meetings (Newton)

**[HB 1097](#) Florida Communities Trust**

Stevenson

Florida Communities Trust: Revises activities & projects that may be undertaken, coordinated, & funded by Florida Communities Trust to include specified flood mitigation projects; provides for maximum grant award & exceptions, application process & priority ranking, & reporting requirements; requires grant recipient reports to be publicly available. Effective Date: July 1, 2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** Natural Resources & Public Lands Subcommittee

12/28/2017 HOUSE Filed

1/7/2018 HOUSE Referred to Natural Resources & Public Lands Subcommittee; Agriculture & Natural Resources Appropriations Subcommittee; Government Accountability Committee

1/7/2018 HOUSE Now in Natural Resources & Public Lands Subcommittee

**Identical**

[SB 158](#) Florida Communities Trust (Brandes)

**[HB 1103](#) Regional Rural Development Grants**

Albritton

Regional Rural Development Grants: Provides that regional rural development grants may be used to hire regional economic development organization professional staff; provides maximum amount of grant funding that specified economic development organizations may receive in year; revises amount of required matching funds; requires certain contracts to include certain information & be placed on certain websites; provides that improving access to & availability of broadband Internet service may be included in project that is eligible for rural infrastructure grant funds. Effective Date: July 1, 2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** Agriculture & Property Rights Subcommittee

12/28/2017 HOUSE Filed

1/7/2018 HOUSE Referred to Agriculture & Property Rights Subcommittee; Transportation & Tourism Appropriations Subcommittee; Commerce Committee

1/7/2018 HOUSE Now in Agriculture & Property Rights Subcommittee

**Compare**

[HB 1193](#) Rural Economic Development (Latvala)

[SB 1496](#) Rural Economic Development (Gainer)

**Similar**

[SB 1646](#) Regional Rural Development Grants (Montford)

**[HB 1121](#) Annexation of Property**

Silvers

Annexation of Property: Revises term "enclave"; revises when vote of electors of area proposed to be annexed is not required; provides procedure for municipality to annex certain property; specifies municipalities that may annex certain enclaves when two or more municipalities provide services to enclave. Effective Date: July 1, 2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** Local, Federal & Veterans Affairs Subcommittee

1/2/2018 HOUSE Filed

1/7/2018 HOUSE Referred to Local, Federal & Veterans Affairs Subcommittee; Agriculture & Property Rights Subcommittee; Government Accountability Committee

1/7/2018 HOUSE Now in Local, Federal & Veterans Affairs Subcommittee

**Similar**

[SB 1722](#) Annexation of Property (Torres, Jr.)

**[SB 1130](#) Land Acquisition Trust Fund within the Department of State**

Powell

Land Acquisition Trust Fund within the Department of State; Re-creating the Land Acquisition Trust Fund within the Department of State without modification; abrogating provisions relating to the termination of the trust fund, to conform, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** Environmental Preservation and Conservation

12/6/2017 SENATE Filed

12/18/2017 SENATE Referred to Environmental Preservation and Conservation; Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; Appropriations

1/11/2018 SENATE On Committee agenda - Environmental Preservation and Conservation, 01/16/18, 10:00 am, 37 S

**Similar**

[HB 7033](#) Trust Funds/Re-creation/Land Acquisition Trust Fund/DOS  
(Transportation & Tourism Appropriations Subcommittee)

**[SB 1138](#) Public Lodging Minimum-stay Requirements Steube**

Public Lodging Minimum-stay Requirements; Prohibiting hotels and motels from requiring minimum stays of greater than one night; authorizing the Division of Hotels and Restaurants of the Department of Business and Professional Regulation to adopt rules, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** Regulated Industries

12/6/2017 SENATE Filed

12/18/2017 SENATE Referred to Regulated Industries; Commerce and Tourism; Rules

**Similar**

[SB 884](#) Public Lodging (Steube)

**[SB 1144](#) Permit Fees Perry**

Permit Fees; Requiring a local government authorized to charge certain fees to post its permit fee and inspection fee schedule on its website with a link to a specified building permit and inspection report; requiring the governing body of a local government, before making any adjustment to a fee schedule, to publish a building permit and inspection report and post it on the local government's website, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** Community Affairs

12/6/2017 SENATE Filed

12/18/2017 SENATE Referred to Community Affairs; Appropriations Subcommittee on Finance and Tax; Appropriations

1/11/2018 SENATE On Committee agenda - Community Affairs, 01/16/18, 4:00 pm, 301 S

**Similar**

[HB 725](#) Permit Fees (Williamson)

**[HB 1149](#) Environmental Regulation Payne**

Environmental Regulation: Provides examples of reclaimed water use that may create impact offset; revises required provisions of water resource implementation rule; requires DEP & water management districts to develop & enter into certain memorandum of agreement; prohibits counties & municipalities from requiring recycling of contaminated recyclable material; provides that counties, municipalities, & recyclable material contractors are not required to collect, transport, or process contaminated recyclable material; provides that local government may not require further verification from department for certain projects; revises types of dock & pier replacements & repairs that are exempt from such verification & certain permitting requirements. Effective Date: upon becoming a law

**Current Committee of Reference:** Natural Resources & Public Lands Subcommittee

1/3/2018 HOUSE Filed

1/7/2018 HOUSE Referred to Natural Resources & Public Lands Subcommittee; Agriculture & Natural Resources Appropriations Subcommittee; Government Accountability Committee

1/7/2018 HOUSE Now in Natural Resources & Public Lands Subcommittee

**Identical**

[SB 1308](#) Environmental Regulation (Perry)

**[HB 1151](#) Developments of Regional Impact La Rosa**

Developments of Regional Impact: Repeals, creates, and revises provisions for statewide guidelines, standards, & requirements for developments of regional impact relating to authorizations to develop; applications for approval of development; concurrent plan amendments; preapplication procedures; preliminary development agreements; conceptual agency reviews; local notice & regional reports; developments inside & outside areas of critical state concern; local government development orders; construction of mitigation facilities; impact fee & exaction credits; comprehensive development applications & master plan development orders; abandonment of developments; dense urban land area exemptions; Florida Quality Developments & Quality Developments Review Board; Administration Commission guidelines & standards; state land planning agency agreements; Florida Land & Water Adjudicatory Commission requirements; local government permit approvals & extensions, reviews & certifications;



uniform reviews of developments by state land planning agency & regional planning agencies. Effective Date: upon becoming a law

**Current Committee of Reference:** Agriculture & Property Rights Subcommittee

1/3/2018 HOUSE Filed

1/7/2018 HOUSE Referred to Agriculture & Property Rights Subcommittee; Local, Federal & Veterans Affairs Subcommittee; Commerce Committee

1/7/2018 HOUSE Now in Agriculture & Property Rights Subcommittee

**Identical**

[SB 1244](#) Developments of Regional Impact (Lee (T))

**[HB 1173](#) Lands Used for Governmental Purposes**

Raschein

Lands Used for Governmental Purposes: Provides for acquisition, lease, & conveyance of lands used to buffer military installations; immediate acquisition of lands that prevent or satisfy private property rights claims within areas of critical state concern; land authorities to contribute tourist impact tax revenues to counties for certain affordable housing. Effective Date: upon becoming a law

**Current Committee of Reference:** Local, Federal & Veterans Affairs Subcommittee

1/3/2018 HOUSE Filed

1/7/2018 HOUSE Referred to Local, Federal & Veterans Affairs Subcommittee; Ways & Means Committee; Government Accountability Committee

1/7/2018 HOUSE Now in Local, Federal & Veterans Affairs Subcommittee

**Identical**

[SB 1622](#) Lands Used for Governmental Purposes (Flores)

**[SB 1188](#) The Strategic Intermodal System**

Rouson

Strategic Intermodal System; Specifying that the Strategic Intermodal System and the Emerging Strategic Intermodal System include existing or planned corridors that are managed lanes of transit, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** Transportation

12/7/2017 SENATE Filed

12/18/2017 SENATE Referred to Transportation; Community Affairs; Rules

**Identical**

[HB 1277](#) Strategic Intermodal System (Willhite)

**[HB 1193](#) Rural Economic Development**

Latvala

Rural Economic Development: Increases maximum grant amount under Regional Rural Development Grants Program for organizations in rural areas of opportunity; revises amount of grant which organizations in rural areas of opportunity are required to match. Effective Date: July 1, 2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** Agriculture & Property Rights Subcommittee

1/4/2018 HOUSE Filed

1/7/2018 HOUSE Referred to Agriculture & Property Rights Subcommittee; Transportation & Tourism Appropriations Subcommittee; Commerce Committee

1/7/2018 HOUSE Now in Agriculture & Property Rights Subcommittee

**Compare**

[HB 1103](#) Regional Rural Development Grants (Albritton)

[SB 1646](#) Regional Rural Development Grants (Montford)

**Identical**

[SB 1496](#) Rural Economic Development (Gainer)

**[SB 1200](#) Statewide Alternative Transportation Authority**

Young

Statewide Alternative Transportation Authority; Adding an alternative transportation authority as part of the operations of the Department of Transportation; requiring the responsibility for expending certain funds to be delegated by the department secretary to the executive director of the authority, subject to certain requirements; beginning in a specified timeframe, revising annual allocations in the State Transportation Trust Fund for the Transportation Regional Incentive Program; repealing provisions relating to fund participation and the Florida Rail Enterprise, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** Transportation

12/8/2017 SENATE Filed

12/18/2017 SENATE Referred to Transportation; Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; Appropriations

**Similar**

[HB 535](#) Statewide Alternative Transportation Authority (Avila)

**[SB 1244](#) Developments of Regional Impact** Lee (T)  
 Developments of Regional Impact; Revising the statewide guidelines and standards for developments of regional impact; specifying that amendments to a development order for an approved development may not alter the dates before which a development would be subject to downzoning, unit density reduction, or intensity reduction, except under certain conditions; requiring local governments to file a notice of abandonment under certain conditions, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law  
**Current Committee of Reference:** Community Affairs  
 12/12/2017 SENATE Filed  
 1/11/2018 SENATE Referred to Community Affairs; Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; Appropriations  
**Identical**  
[HB 1151](#) Developments of Regional Impact (La Rosa)

**[SB 1268](#) Regulatory Reform** Perry  
 Regulatory Reform; Establishing the Red Tape Reduction Advisory Council within the Executive Office of the Governor; requiring the Administrative Procedures Committee to establish a regulatory baseline of agency rules; providing that a proposed rule may not cause the total number of rules to exceed the regulatory baseline; requiring an agency proposing a rule to submit a rule replacement request to the committee; providing that a rule replacement request or an exemption request may not be approved until the initial regulatory baseline has been reduced by a specified amount, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2018  
**Current Committee of Reference:** Governmental Oversight and Accountability  
 12/15/2017 SENATE Filed  
 1/11/2018 SENATE Referred to Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government; Appropriations  
**Similar**  
[HB 791](#) Regulatory Reform (Diaz)

**[HB 1299](#) Public School Transportation** Raburn  
 Public School Transportation: Requires district school boards to provide transportation to certain students; revises speed & road conditions that meet hazardous walking condition criteria; requires district school superintendent to request review of hazardous walking condition under certain circumstance; requires school district to initiate specified proceedings. Effective Date: July 1, 2018  
**Current Committee of Reference:** No Current Committee  
 1/7/2018 HOUSE Filed  
**Similar**  
[SB 188](#) Public School Transportation (Steube)

**[SB 1304](#) Dockless Bicycle Sharing** Young  
 Dockless Bicycle Sharing; Dockless Bicycle Sharing; Providing insurance requirements for a bicycle sharing company; providing requirements for dockless bicycles made available for reservation by such company, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law  
**Current Committee of Reference:** Banking and Insurance  
 12/19/2017 SENATE Filed  
 1/11/2018 SENATE Referred to Banking and Insurance; Community Affairs; Rules  
**Similar**  
[HB 1033](#) Dockless Bicycle Sharing (Toledo)

**[SB 1308](#) Environmental Regulation** Perry  
 Environmental Regulation; Revising the required provisions of the water resource implementation rule; requiring the Department of Environmental Protection and the water management districts to develop and enter into a memorandum of agreement providing for a coordinated review of any reclaimed water project requiring a reclaimed water facility permit, an underground injection control permit, and a consumptive use permit; prohibiting counties and municipalities from requiring the recycling of contaminated recyclable material, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law  
**Current Committee of Reference:** Environmental Preservation and Conservation  
 12/19/2017 SENATE Filed  
 1/11/2018 SENATE Referred to Environmental Preservation and Conservation; Appropriations Subcommittee on the Environment and Natural Resources; Appropriations

**Identical**

[HB 1149](#) Environmental Regulation (Payne)

**[SB 1322](#) Open and Expired Building Permits**

Powell

Open and Expired Building Permits; Authorizing the Construction Industry Licensing Board to take specified actions against any certificateholder or registrant if a contractor, a financially responsible officer, or a certain business organization is found guilty of failing to properly close any permit or satisfy any applicable permit requirement; requiring the Florida Building Commission to adopt rules and amend the applicable Florida Building Code to enact procedures designed to encourage property owners and contractors to close permits properly; providing that failure to receive written notice does not relieve the contractor or property owner from taking the necessary actions to legally close a permit, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** Regulated Industries

12/21/2017 SENATE Filed

1/11/2018 SENATE Referred to Regulated Industries; Community Affairs; Rules

**Identical**

[HB 1077](#) Open and Expired Building Permits (Diamond)

**[SB 1328](#) Affordable Housing**

Perry

Affordable Housing; Revising the criteria that counties and municipalities must use when evaluating real property as part of their inventory for disposal of lands; prohibiting local governments from charging certain impact fees for a specified period; creating the Hurricane Housing Recovery Program to provide funds for specified purposes related to affordable housing; providing a process for certain entities to dispose of surplus lands for use for the construction of affordable housing, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** Community Affairs

12/21/2017 SENATE Filed

1/11/2018 SENATE Referred to Community Affairs; Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; Appropriations

**Similar**

[HB 987](#) Affordable Housing (Cortes (B))

**[SB 1336](#) Medical Marijuana Retail Facilities**

Thurston, Jr.

Medical Marijuana Retail Facilities; Revising definitions of the terms “edibles,” “low-THC cannabis,” “marijuana,” and “marijuana delivery device” to include items that are dispensed by a medical marijuana retail facility; prohibiting qualified physicians and caregivers from being employed by or having an economic interest in a medical marijuana retail facility; revising provisions to authorize medical marijuana retail facilities to dispense marijuana, marijuana delivery devices, and edibles under certain conditions; requiring the Department of Health to license medical marijuana retail facilities, beginning on a specified date, for a specified purpose, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law

**Current Committee of Reference:** Health Policy

12/21/2017 SENATE Filed

1/11/2018 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; Appropriations

**Similar**

[HB 1053](#) Medical Marijuana Retail Facilities (DuBose)

**[SB 1348](#) Community Development Districts**

Perry

Community Development Districts; Authorizing adjacent lands located within the county or municipality which a petitioner anticipates adding to the boundaries of a new community development district to also be identified in a petition to establish the new district under certain circumstances; requiring the county or municipality to process the addition of the parcel to the district as an amendment to the ordinance that establishes the district once the petition is determined sufficient and complete, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** Community Affairs

12/22/2017 SENATE Filed

1/11/2018 SENATE Referred to Community Affairs; Judiciary; Rules

**Similar**

[HB 883](#) Community Development Districts (Ingoglia)

**[HB 1353](#) Land Acquisition Trust Fund**

Beshears

Land Acquisition Trust Fund: Requires specified annual appropriation to Florida Forever Trust Fund. Effective Date: July 1, 2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** No Current Committee

1/8/2018 HOUSE Filed

**Identical**

[SB 370](#) Land Acquisition Trust Fund (Bradley)

**[SB 1380](#) Regional Agency and Regional Planning Council Meetings**

Rodriguez (J)

Regional Agency and Regional Planning Council Meetings; Providing requirements for establishing a quorum for meetings of certain agencies and councils when a voting member appears via telephone, real-time videoconferencing, or similar real-time electronic or video communication; requiring notice of intent to appear via telephone, real-time videoconferencing, or similar real-time electronic or video communication by a specified time, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** No Current Committee

12/27/2017 SENATE Filed

**Identical**

[HB 611](#) Regional Agency and Regional Planning Council Meetings (Geller)

**[SB 1400](#) Vacation Rentals**

Steube

Vacation Rentals; Designating the "Florida Vacation Rental Act"; preempting regulation and control of vacation rentals to the state; specifying authority of the Division of Hotels and Restaurants over regulation of vacation rentals; requiring vacation rentals to obtain a license; specifying that vacation rentals are to be treated as transient rentals regarding certain tax and landlord and tenant provisions; requiring the division to inspect vacation rentals when necessary to respond to emergencies and epidemiological conditions, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** No Current Committee

12/28/2017 SENATE Filed

**[HB 1403](#) Rural Economic Development Initiative**

Avila

Revises legislative intent; redefines term "rural area of opportunity"; revises duties, responsibilities, & membership of REDI; deletes provision limiting number of rural areas of opportunity that may be designated; deletes provision listing economic development incentives for which Governor may waive criteria requirements or similar provisions; deletes requirement that certain catalyst projects be identified as such by Enterprise Florida, Inc. Effective Date: upon becoming a law.

**Current Committee of Reference:** No Current Committee

1/9/2018 HOUSE Filed

**Similar**

[SB 170](#) Rural Economic Development Initiative (Grimsley)

**[HB 1415](#) Rural Communities**

Beshears

Cites act as "Florida Rural Community Jobs & Business Resiliency Act"; requires DEO to accept application seeking approval as rural growth fund; prohibits DEO from approving more than certain amount of investment authority or investor contributions; requires DEO to provide tax credit certificate; provides that taxpayer who makes investor contribution is vested with credit against state premium tax liability; provides for revocation of tax credit certificate; provides for rural growth fund to exit program; requires report. Effective Date: July 1, 2018.

**Current Committee of Reference:** No Current Committee

1/9/2018 HOUSE Filed

**Similar**

[SB 990](#) Rural Communities (Montford)

**[SB 1426](#) Local Government Fiscal Transparency**

Lee (T)

Local Government Fiscal Transparency; Expanding the scope of the Legislative Auditing Committee review to include compliance with local government fiscal transparency requirements; creating the "Local Government Fiscal Transparency Act"; requiring local governments to post certain voting record information on their websites, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** No Current Committee

1/2/2018 SENATE Filed

**Similar**

[HB 7](#) Local Government Fiscal Transparency (Burton)

**[HB 1443](#) Disaster Response and Preparedness**

Alexander

Disaster Response and Preparedness: Directs Division of Emergency Management to include specified persons in state emergency management plan & public awareness programs, provide guidance regarding Federal Government reimbursements, develop specified informational materials & evacuation strategies, & establish &

maintain certain registry; requires certain shelters to accept service & comfort animals; requires FCS institutions & state universities to participate in emergency management activities under certain conditions; excludes certain students from school performance calculations & provides for payment of school district salaries during state of emergency. Effective Date: July 1, 2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** No Current Committee

1/9/2018 HOUSE Filed

**Identical**

[SB 1006](#) Disaster Response and Preparedness (Montford)

**[SB 1470](#) Construction of Housing Along the State Highway System Gibson**

Construction of Housing Along the State Highway System; Requiring that the construction of certain multiple housing developments be considered a single construction project, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** No Current Committee

1/3/2018 SENATE Filed

**Similar**

[HB 1085](#) Construction of Housing Within a Certain Distance of the State Highway System (Watson (B))

**[SB 1496](#) Rural Economic Development Gainer**

Rural Economic Development; Increasing the maximum grant amount under the Regional Rural Development Grants Program for organizations in rural areas of opportunity; revising the amount of a grant which organizations in rural areas of opportunity are required to match, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** No Current Committee

1/3/2018 SENATE Filed

**Compare**

[HB 1103](#) Regional Rural Development Grants (Albritton)

[SB 1646](#) Regional Rural Development Grants (Montford)

**Identical**

[HB 1193](#) Rural Economic Development (Latvala)

**[SB 1506](#) Water Management Farmer**

Water Management; Requiring district water management plans for districts including Outstanding Florida Springs to include certain maximum sustainable groundwater withdrawal estimates; revising the criteria for determining whether certain water supply development projects are given first consideration for funding assistance to include consideration of whether a project maximizes water conservation, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** No Current Committee

1/3/2018 SENATE Filed

**[SB 1516](#) Metropolitan Planning Organizations Perry**

Metropolitan Planning Organizations; Revising voting membership requirements for metropolitan planning organizations according to population; requiring metropolitan planning organizations to comply with certain provisions by a specified date, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** No Current Committee

1/4/2018 SENATE Filed

**Compare**

[HB 807](#) Metropolitan Planning Organizations (Diamond)

[SB 984](#) Metropolitan Planning Organizations (Brandes)

**Identical**

[HB 575](#) Metropolitan Planning Organizations (Beshears)

**[SB 1622](#) Lands Used for Governmental Purposes Flores**

Lands Used for Governmental Purposes; Specifying the authority of the Division of State Lands within the Department of Environmental Protection to acquire lands from an annual list provided by the Department of Economic Opportunity and the Florida Defense Support Task Force for the purpose of buffering military installations against encroachment; authorizing land authorities to contribute tourist impact tax revenues to counties for the construction, redevelopment, and preservation of certain affordable housing, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law

**Current Committee of Reference:** No Current Committee

1/5/2018 SENATE Filed

**Identical**

[HB 1173](#) Lands Used for Governmental Purposes (Raschein)

**[SB 1640](#) Vacation Rentals** Simmons

Vacation Rentals; Requiring persons engaged in certain public lodging-related transactions to display a valid certificate of registration number in rental listings or advertisements; revising the inspection responsibilities of the Division of Hotels and Restaurants regarding vacation rentals; authorizing the division to refuse to issue or renew or to suspend or revoke the license of a public lodging establishment subject to a local final order directing the establishment to cease operations, etc. Effective Date: Except as otherwise expressly provided in this act and except for this section, which shall take effect upon this act becoming a law, this act shall take effect October 1, 2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** No Current Committee  
1/5/2018 SENATE Filed

**Compare**

- [HB 773](#) Vacation Rentals (La Rosa)
- [HB 789](#) Listings for Vacation Rental Property (Stevenson)

**[SB 1646](#) Regional Rural Development Grants** Montford

Regional Rural Development Grants; Providing that regional rural development grants may be used to hire regional economic development organization professional staff; authorizing the use of matching grant funds to provide technical assistance to certain entities; requiring that contracts or agreements involving the expenditure of grant funds be placed on a certain website for a specified time period; requiring that a plain language version of certain contracts or agreements be placed on a certain website; providing that improving access to and availability of broadband Internet service may be included in a project that is eligible for rural infrastructure grant funds, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** No Current Committee  
1/5/2018 SENATE Filed

**Compare**

- [HB 1193](#) Rural Economic Development (Latvala)
- [SB 1496](#) Rural Economic Development (Gainer)

**Similar**

- [HB 1103](#) Regional Rural Development Grants (Albritton)

**[SB 1664](#) Onsite Sewage Treatment and Disposal Systems** Simmons

Onsite Sewage Treatment and Disposal Systems; Requiring the Department of Environmental Protection and other entities, as part of a basin management action plan, to develop onsite sewage treatment and disposal system remediation plans and public wastewater treatment plant remediation plans under certain conditions; specifying that the installation, repair, modification, or upgrade of certain onsite sewage treatment and disposal systems must conform to remediation plan requirements, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** No Current Committee  
1/5/2018 SENATE Filed

**[SB 1672](#) Charter Schools** Farmer

Charter Schools; Revising the fiscal responsibility requirements for the charter school application and review process; requiring private property taken by eminent domain for a public school purpose or use to be used only for traditional public schools; authorizing, rather than requiring, a school district to distribute specified funding to eligible charter schools in its district, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** No Current Committee  
1/5/2018 SENATE Filed

**[SB 1686](#) Community Development Districts** Torres, Jr.

Community Development Districts; Requiring community development districts to obtain a just valuation before acquiring property that includes land or is permanently affixed to land, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** No Current Committee  
1/5/2018 SENATE Filed

**Identical**

- [HB 337](#) Community Development Districts (Cortes (J))

**[SB 1722](#) Annexation of Property** Torres, Jr.

Annexation of Property; Revising the definition of the term "enclave"; prohibiting an area from being annexed if more than a specified percent of the land in the area is owned by individuals, corporations, or legal entities, unless

the owners of more than a specified percent of the land in the area consent to such annexation, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** No Current Committee

1/5/2018 SENATE Filed

**Similar**

[HB 1121](#) Annexation of Property (Silvers)

**[SB 1776](#) Vegetable Gardens Bradley**

Vegetable Gardens; Prohibiting local governments from regulating vegetable gardens on residential properties except as otherwise provided by law, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** No Current Committee

1/5/2018 SENATE Filed

**[SB 1794](#) Kiosks and Pushcarts Rodriguez (J)**

Kiosks and Pushcarts; Authorizing kiosks and pushcarts, including advertising displayed on such kiosks and pushcarts, to be installed within the right-of-way limits of any municipal, county, or state road, except a limited access highway, subject to certain requirements and restrictions, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** No Current Committee

1/5/2018 SENATE Filed

**[HB 2499](#) St. Cloud Downtown Revitalization Phase I La Rosa**

St. Cloud Downtown Revitalization Phase I: Provides an appropriation for the St. Cloud Downtown Revitalization Phase I. APPROPRIATION: \$2,200,000.00 Effective Date: July 1, 2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** Transportation & Tourism Appropriations Subcommittee

11/13/2017 HOUSE Filed

11/27/2017 HOUSE Referred to Transportation & Tourism Appropriations Subcommittee; Appropriations Committee

11/27/2017 HOUSE Now in Transportation & Tourism Appropriations Subcommittee

**[HB 6005](#) Sports Development Avila**

Sports Development: Repeals provision relating to state funding for sports facility development by unit of local government, or by certified beneficiary or other applicant, on property owned by local government. Effective Date: July 1, 2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** Careers & Competition Subcommittee

8/22/2017 HOUSE Filed

8/30/2017 HOUSE Referred to Careers & Competition Subcommittee; Commerce Committee

8/30/2017 HOUSE Now in Careers & Competition Subcommittee

**Similar**

[SB 778](#) Sports Development (Lee (T))

**[HB 6039](#) Auxiliary Containers, Wrappings, and Disposable Plastic Bags Used by Retail Establishments Richardson**

Auxiliary Containers, Wrappings, and Disposable Plastic Bags Used by Retail Establishments: Removes state preemption on regulation of certain auxiliary containers, wrappings, & disposable plastic bags. Effective Date: July 1, 2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** Local, Federal & Veterans Affairs Subcommittee

11/28/2017 HOUSE Filed

12/8/2017 HOUSE Referred to Local, Federal & Veterans Affairs Subcommittee; Careers & Competition Subcommittee; Government Accountability Committee

12/8/2017 HOUSE Now in Local, Federal & Veterans Affairs Subcommittee

**Identical**

[SB 1014](#) Recyclable Materials (Stewart)

**[HB 7001](#) Supermajority Vote for State Taxes or Fees Ways & Means Committee**

Supermajority Vote for State Taxes or Fees: Proposes amendment to State Constitution to prohibit a state tax or fee from being imposed or raised except through legislation approved by two-thirds of each house of legislature; requires a state tax or fee imposed or raised to be contained in separate bill that contains no other subject. Effective Date: Not Specified

**Current Committee of Reference:** No Current Committee

1/5/2018 HOUSE On Committee agenda - Appropriations Committee, 01/09/18, 4:30 pm, 212 K

1/9/2018 HOUSE Favorable by Appropriations Committee; 20 Yeas, 8 Nays

1/9/2018 HOUSE Placed on Calendar, on 2nd reading

**Compare**

[SB 1742](#) Supermajority Vote Required to Increase State Tax Revenues by Increasing Taxes (Stargel)

**[HB 7007](#) Ethics Reform** Public Integrity & Ethics Committee

Ethics Reform: Repeals provisions relating to state, state university, & community college employee lobbyists; prohibits certain public service announcements; prohibits public officer/agency employee from soliciting specified employment/contractual relationships; authorizes Commission on Ethics to investigate certain disclosures; prohibits certain compensated representation for specified period following vacation of office; deletes provision prohibiting former legislators from acting as lobbyists before certain entities & persons for specified period following vacation of office; prohibits certain officers & employees from soliciting employment/contractual relationships from or negotiating same with certain employers; requires lobbyist to electronically register with commission; revises lobbyist registration, compensation report, principal designation cancellation, & investigation requirements. Effective Date: July 1, 2018

**Current Committee of Reference:** No Current Committee

11/9/2017 HOUSE Filed (Formerly PCB PIE1)

**Compare**

[SB 1534](#) Government Integrity (Mayfield)

**[PIE1](#) State Ethics Reform** Public Integrity & Ethics Committee

PCB PIE 18-01 -- State Ethics Reform

**Current Committee of Reference:** Public Integrity & Ethics Committee

11/3/2017 HOUSE On Committee agenda - Public Integrity & Ethics Committee, 11/07/17, 2:00 pm, 404 H

11/7/2017 HOUSE Submitted as Committee Bill with 1 Amendment by Public Integrity & Ethics Committee; 18 Yeas, 0 Nays

11/9/2017 HOUSE Committee Bill Filed as H 7007

**[PIE2](#) Local Government Ethics Reform** Public Integrity & Ethics Committee

PCB PIE 18-02 -- Local Government Ethics Reform

**Current Committee of Reference:** Public Integrity & Ethics Committee

11/3/2017 HOUSE On Committee agenda - Public Integrity & Ethics Committee, 11/07/17, 2:00 pm, 404 H

11/7/2017 HOUSE Submitted as Committee Bill with 1 Amendment by Public Integrity & Ethics Committee; 18 Yeas, 0 Nays

11/9/2017 HOUSE Committee Bill filed as HB 7003