

Week 5 & 6 Overview

*General Session:
Tuesday, March 2 - Friday, April 30*



2021 Legislative Session

Martin County
Board of County Commissioners



Governor DeSantis Appointed Dr. Mark Rains as Florida's Next Chief Science Officer (CSO)

The CSO leads the Office of Environmental Accountability and Transparency. The office is charged with ensuring that key water quality objectives are clearly communicated to the public, as well as organizing agency resources and scientific expertise, data and research to focus on and solve complex environmental challenges. Dr. Rains currently serves as a professor, and chair and director of the School of Geosciences at the University of South Florida. He earned his bachelor's degree in Ecology, Behavior and Evolution from the University of California at San Diego, his master's degree in Forest Resources from the University of Washington and his Ph.D. in Hydrologic Sciences from the University of California at Davis. Dr. Rains is also a certified professional wetland scientist. He will be replacing Dr. Thomas K. Frazer.

Senate and House Pass Budget Bills

The House and the Senate have each passed their initial budget proposal. Both are expected to be drastically rewritten during the conference committee process. They do not include specifics on how Florida will spend \$10 billion in Covid relief funding and an updated revenue estimate expected to bring lawmakers an additional \$2 billion. The House version totals \$97 billion. The Senate budget totals \$95 billion, leaving \$5 billion in state reserves.

Affordable Housing

A separate budget-aligned tax rewrite passed by the House and sent to DeSantis' desk would redirect about 53 percent of the \$423 million that would have gone to the affordable housing trust fund and transfer it to a series of environmental programs. Under the plan, there would not be future cuts to the affordable housing trust fund.

Week 5 & 6 Martin County Bill Report

Ordered by Bill Number

HB 0001 **Combating Public Disorder** by Fernandez-Barquin

Combating Public Disorder: Authorizes elected officials to file appeal to Administration Commission if municipality makes reduction to budget of municipal law enforcement agency; provides for cause of action against municipality for failing to provide law enforcement protection during riot; revises penalties for certain riot related offenses; prohibits cyberintimidation by publication; prohibits specified assemblies from engaging in disorderly & violent conduct; creates affirmative defense to civil action where plaintiff participated in riot or unlawful assembly. Effective Date: upon becoming a law

Current Committee of Reference: No Current Committee

Actions

04/06/2021 SENATE On Committee agenda - Appropriations, 04/09/21, 8:30 am, 412 K
04/06/2021 SENATE On Committee agenda - Appropriations, 04/10/21, 9:00 am, 412 K
04/09/2021 SENATE Meeting Cancelled - Appropriations, 04/10/21, 9:00 am, 412 K
04/09/2021 SENATE Favorable by Appropriations; 11 Yeas, 9 Nays
04/09/2021 SENATE Placed on Calendar, on 2nd reading
04/09/2021 SENATE Placed on Special Order Calendar, 04/14/21

Similar

[SB 0484](#) Combating Public Disorder (Burgess)

HB 0031 **Clerks of the Court** by Clemons

Clerks of the Court: Requires certain service charges to be distributed in specified manner; specifies amount of charges for certain services rendered & instruments that are not court records; revises distribution of revenue from filing fees at start of certain appellate proceedings; requires clerks of court to submit requests for reimbursement for jury-related costs to Clerks of Court Operations Corporation; requires corporation to submit certain information to JAC & to submit request for payment to CFO; removes provision authorizing commission to apportion funds among counties for certain purposes. Effective Date: July 1, 2021

Current Committee of Reference: No Current Committee

Actions

04/06/2021 HOUSE On Committee agenda - Appropriations Committee, 04/08/21, 5:30 pm, 212 K
04/08/2021 HOUSE Favorable by Appropriations Committee; 26 Yeas, 0 Nays
04/09/2021 HOUSE Placed on Calendar, on 2nd reading

Identical

[SB 0382](#) Clerks of the Court (Hooper)

HB 0035 **Legal Notices** by Fine

Legal Notices: Provides for website publication of legal notices; provides criteria for such publication; authorizes fiscally constrained county to use publicly accessible website to publish legally required advertisements & public notices; requires government agency to provide specified notice to residents concerning alternative methods of receiving legal notices. Effective Date: July 1, 2022

Current Committee of Reference: No Current Committee

Actions

Compare

[SB 0402](#) Legal Notices (Rodrigues (R))

HB 0053 **Public Works Projects** by DiCeglie

Public Works Projects: Revises prohibition relating to solicitation for construction services paid for with state appropriated funds; prohibits state or any political subdivision that contracts for public works project from taking specified action against certain persons that are engaged in public works project or have submitted bid for such project. Effective Date: July 1, 2021

Current Committee of Reference: House State Affairs Committee

Actions

Similar

[SB 1076](#) Public Works Projects (Brodeur)

HB 0055

Building Design by Overdorf

Building Design: Provides that regulations relating to building design elements may not be applied to certain dwellings; provides exceptions. Effective Date: July 1, 2021

Current Committee of Reference: No Current Committee

Actions

Identical

[SB 0284](#) Building Design (Perry)

HB 0059

Growth Management by McClain

Growth Management: Requires comprehensive plans & certain land development regulations of municipalities established after certain date to incorporate certain development orders; requires local governments to include property rights element in their comprehensive plans; provides statement of rights; requires local government to adopt property rights element by specified date; provides that certain property owners are not required to consent to development agreement changes; provides requirements & procedures for right of first refusal; authorizes certain developments of regional impact agreements to be amended. Effective Date: July 1, 2021

Current Committee of Reference: No Current Committee

Actions

04/07/2021 SENATE In Messages

04/07/2021 SENATE Received; Referred to Rules

04/08/2021 SENATE Withdrawn from Rules; Placed on Calendar, on 2nd Reading; Substituted for SB 0496; Read Second Time; Read Third Time; Passed (Vote: 38 Yeas / 0 Nays); Immediately certified

04/08/2021 HOUSE Ordered enrolled

04/08/2021 HOUSE Enrolled Text (ER) Filed

Similar

[SB 0496](#) Growth Management (Perry)

HB 0061

Percentage of Elector Votes Required to Approve Constitutional Amendment or Revision by 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 to or revision of State Constitution from 60 percent to 66 & 2/3 percent, except that repeal of amendment or revision need only be approved by same percentage of elector votes as was required at time of passage of such amendment or revision. Effective Date: Not Specified

Current Committee of Reference: House Judiciary Committee

Actions

Identical

[SB 1238](#) Percentage of Elector Votes Required to Approve an Amendment or a Revision (Rodriguez (A))

SB 0064**Reclaimed Water** by Albritton

Reclaimed Water; Requiring certain domestic wastewater utilities to submit to the Department of Environmental Protection by a specified date a plan for eliminating nonbeneficial surface water discharge within a specified timeframe; requiring domestic wastewater utilities applying for permits for new or expanded surface water discharges to prepare a specified plan for eliminating nonbeneficial discharges as part of its permit application; providing that potable reuse is an alternative water supply and that projects relating to such reuse are eligible for alternative water supply funding; requiring counties, municipalities, and special districts to authorize graywater technologies under certain circumstances and to provide incentives for the implementation of such technologies, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law

Current Committee of Reference: No Current Committee

Actions

04/08/2021 HOUSE Received; Referred to Calendar

04/08/2021 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar, 04/13/21

Similar

[HB 0263](#) Reclaimed Water (Maggard)

SB 0076**Property Insurance** by Boyd

Property Insurance; Providing that, for certain attorney fees awarded for claims arising under surplus lines property insurance policies, a strong presumption is created that a lodestar fee is sufficient and reasonable; providing that certain provisions relating to homeowners' policies, offers of replacement cost coverage, and offers of law and ordinance coverage do not prohibit insurers from providing specified property insurance policies by including roof covering reimbursement schedules; revising property insurance coverages for which a notice of claim must be given to the insurer within a specified timeframe; requiring notice of intent to initiate litigation, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2021

Current Committee of Reference: No Current Committee

Actions

04/07/2021 SENATE Read Third Time; Passed (Vote: 27 Yeas / 13 Nays); Immediately certified

04/07/2021 HOUSE In Messages

Compare

[SB 0212](#) Contingency Risk Multipliers (Brandes)

[HB 0305](#) Insurance (Rommel)

SB 0078**Dues and Uniform Assessments** by Rodrigues (R)

Dues and Uniform Assessments; Requiring that a public employee who desires to join an employee organization sign a membership authorization form; requiring an employee organization to revoke an employee's membership upon receipt of the employee's request for revocation; providing that certain deductions commence upon the employer's receipt and confirmation of the employee's signed deduction authorization form; specifying the time period that an employee's authorization to deduct dues and uniform assessments remains in effect, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law

Current Committee of Reference: Senate Rules

Actions

04/06/2021 SENATE Temporarily Postponed by Rules

04/09/2021 SENATE On Committee agenda - Rules, 04/14/21, 9:00 am, 412 K

Identical

[HB 0947](#) Dues and Uniform Assessments (Plakon)

SB 0084**Retirement** by Rodrigues (R)

Retirement; Providing for compulsory membership in the Florida Retirement System Investment Plan for specified employees initially enrolled on or after a specified date; modifying provisions governing participation in the investment plan for individuals who are eligible to participate in the State University System Optional Retirement Program to conform to changes made by the act; modifying provisions governing the administration of the investment plan to reflect compulsory membership for specified employees, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2021

Current Committee of Reference: No Current Committee

Actions

04/07/2021 SENATE Read Second Time; Placed on Third Reading, 04/08/21

04/08/2021 SENATE Read Third Time; Passed (Vote: 24 Yeas / 16 Nays); Immediately certified

04/08/2021 HOUSE In Messages

HB 0133 **Surrendered Newborn Infants** by Harding

Surrendered Newborn Infants: Authorizes certain hospitals, emergency medical services stations, & fire stations to use newborn infant safety devices to accept surrendered newborn infants under certain circumstances; requires such entities to physically check & test devices at specified intervals; provides additional locations to which prohibition on initiation of criminal investigations based solely on surrendering of newborn infant applies; requires DOH to review & approve newborn infant safety devices. Effective Date: July 1, 2021

Current Committee of Reference: No Current Committee

Actions

Similar

[SB 0122](#) Surrendered Newborn Infants (Baxley)

HB 0195 **Fiscal Accountability for Nongovernmental Entities** by Persons-Mulicka

Fiscal Accountability for Nongovernmental Entities: Revises required contents of agency agreements that provide state or federal financial assistance to certain entities; requires nonstate entities that receive federal or state financial assistance funds to comply with specified audit requirements; requires report to DMS; provides limitation on amount of state-appropriated funds nongovernmental entity may expend on administrative expenses; requires nongovernmental entity to use private entity funds before using state-appropriated funds. Effective Date: July 1, 2021

Current Committee of Reference: House State Affairs Committee

Actions

Compare

[SB 0506](#) Transparency in Government Spending (Garcia)

HB 0209 **Big Cypress Basin** by Botana

Big Cypress Basin: Revises membership of Big Cypress Basin governing board; requires SFWMD to revise boundaries of basin based on specified study & to ensure that distribution of basin ad valorem taxes are used for projects & flood control operations & maintenance within counties in which they were collected. Effective Date: July 1, 2021

Current Committee of Reference: No Current Committee

Actions

Similar

[SB 0406](#) Big Cypress Basin (Rodriguez (R))

HB 0217 **Conservation Area Designations** by Hunschofsky

Conservation Area Designations: Designates Southeast Florida Coral Reef Ecosystem Conservation Area as Kristin Jacobs Coral Reef Ecosystem Conservation Area; directs DEP to erect suitable markers. Effective Date: July 1, 2021

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

04/07/2021 SENATE Withdrawn from Appropriations; Placed on Calendar, on 2nd reading; Substituted for SB 0588; Read Second Time; Read Third Time; Passed (Vote: 40 Yeas / 0 Nays); Immediately certified

04/07/2021 HOUSE Ordered enrolled

04/07/2021 HOUSE Enrolled Text (ER) Filed

Identical

SB 0588 Conservation Area Designations/Kristin Jacobs Coral Reef Ecosystem Conservation Area (Book)

HB 0223**Marina Evacuations** by Plasencia

Marina Evacuations: Prohibits vessels under specified weight from remaining in certain marinas that have been deemed unsuitable for refuge during hurricane after issuance of hurricane watch; requires marina owner, operator, employee, or agent to remove specified vessels; provides that such owner, operator, employee, or agent may charge vessel owner reasonable fee for such removal & may not be held liable for any damages as result of such removal; provides that owners or operators of certain vessels may be subject to fine that deepwater seaport issuing evacuation order may impose & collect. Effective Date: July 1, 2021

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

04/07/2021 SENATE In Messages

04/08/2021 SENATE Received; Referred to Rules

Similar

SB 0578 Marina Evacuations (Wright)

HB 0231**Services for Veterans and Their Families** by Zika

Services for Veterans and Their Families: Authorizes DVA to establish Florida Veterans' Care Coordination Program to provide behavioral health care referral & care coordination services for veterans & their families; authorizes DVA to contract with certain nonprofit entity to enter into agreements with Florida 211 Network participants to provide such services; provides for statewide delivery of specified services by program teams; requires Florida 211 Network participants to collect program implementation data & submit such data to DVA; requires DVA to submit report to Governor & Legislature. Effective Date: July 1, 2021

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

04/08/2021 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar, 04/15/21

Similar

SB 0260 Services for Veterans and Their Families (Harrell)

HB 0263**Reclaimed Water** by Maggard

Reclaimed Water: Requires certain wastewater utilities to submit, implement, & update plans eliminating nonbeneficial surface water discharge; directs DEP to approve plans & make related determinations & submit reports to Legislature; provides administrative & civil penalties; authorizes DEP to convene technical advisory groups; provides that potable reuse is alternative water supply & eligible for expedited permitting & priority funding; directs DEP & water management districts to develop coordinated permit review; requires local governmental entities to authorize use of & provide incentives for graywater technologies; provides that residential graywater systems meet certain water conservation requirements. Effective Date: upon becoming a law

Current Committee of Reference: No Current Committee

Actions

04/06/2021 HOUSE Favorable by State Affairs Committee; 22 Yeas, 0 Nays

04/06/2021 HOUSE Placed on Calendar, on 2nd reading

04/08/2021 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar, 04/13/21

Similar

[SB 0064](#) Reclaimed Water (Albritton)

SB 0266 Home-based Businesses by Perry

Home-based Businesses; Specifying conditions under which a business is considered a home-based business; providing requirements for home-based businesses; authorizing a home-based business to operate in a residential zone under certain circumstances; specifying that home-based businesses are subject to certain business taxes; prohibiting a local government from taking certain actions relating to home-based businesses, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2021

Current Committee of Reference: Senate Rules

Actions

04/09/2021 SENATE On Committee agenda - Rules, 04/14/21, 9:00 am, 412 K

Similar

[HB 0403](#) Home-based Businesses (Giallombardo)

HB 0267 State Preemption of Seaport Regulations by Roach

State Preemption of Seaport Regulations: Prohibits local ballot initiative or referendum from restricting maritime commerce in state seaports; provides that such local ballot initiative, referendum, or action adopted therein is prohibited, void, & expressly preempted to state; prohibits municipalities & certain special districts from restricting maritime commerce in state seaports with respect to federally authorized passenger cruise vessel; provides that certain actions relating to such restrictions are prohibited, void, & expressly preempted to state; clarifies remaining authority of certain local entities; provides directive to Division of Law Revision. Effective Date: upon becoming a law

Current Committee of Reference: House Commerce Committee

Actions

Identical

[SB 0426](#) State Preemption of Seaport Regulations (Boyd)

SB 0268 Preemption of Local Occupational Licensing by Perry

Preemption of Local Occupational Licensing; Preempting licensing of occupations to the state; prohibiting local governments from imposing additional licensing requirements or modifying licensing unless specified conditions are met; specifying that certain specialty contractors are not required to register with the Construction Industry Licensing Board; authorizing counties and municipalities to issue certain journeyman licenses, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2021

Current Committee of Reference: No Current Committee

Actions

04/06/2021 SENATE Favorable by Rules; 11 Yeas, 5 Nays

04/07/2021 SENATE Placed on Calendar, on 2nd reading

Identical

[HB 0735](#) Preemption of Local Occupational Licensing (Harding)

SB 0286 Fire Sprinklers by Perry

Fire Sprinklers; Revising the definition of the term "Contractor V"; authorizing certain fire protection

system contractors to design certain systems; revising the definition of the term “fire protection system”, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2021

Current Committee of Reference: No Current Committee

Actions

04/07/2021 SENATE Read Second Time; Read Third Time; Passed (Vote: 40 Yeas / 0 Nays); Immediately certified

04/07/2021 HOUSE In Messages

Compare

HB 1209 Department of Financial Services (Fetterhoff)

Identical

HB 0137 Fire Sprinklers (Harding)

HB 0287 Liability of Persons Providing Areas for Public Outdoor Recreational Purposes by Shoaf

Liability of Persons Providing Areas for Public Outdoor Recreational Purposes: Limits liability for persons who enter into written agreements with state agencies to provide areas for public outdoor recreational purposes without charge. Effective Date: July 1, 2021

Current Committee of Reference: No Current Committee

Actions

04/08/2021 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar, 04/13/21

Similar

SB 0920 Liability of Persons Providing Areas for Public Outdoor Recreational Purposes (Bradley)

HB 0305 Insurance by Rommel

Insurance: Prohibits certain practices by contractors; authorizes OIR to examine insurer affiliates; requires Citizens Property Insurance Corp. include costs of catastrophe reinsurance to its projected 100-year probable maximum loss in rate calculations; places salary caps on new employees of corporation; requires corporation to implement increase that does not exceed certain percent beginning on certain dates; prohibits corporation from seeking approval by office of rate reduction; provides limits on salaries of employees of corporation; provides that claims, supplemental claims, & reopened claims under property insurance policies for loss or damage caused by perils are barred unless notice is given within specified timeframe; revises timeframe for notice for loss or damage caused by windstorm or hurricane. Effective Date: July 1, 2021

Current Committee of Reference: House Commerce Committee

Actions

04/06/2021 HOUSE Favorable by Civil Justice & Property Rights Subcommittee; 11 Yeas, 7 Nays

04/06/2021 HOUSE Now in Commerce Committee

Compare

SB 0076 Property Insurance (Boyd)

HB 0313 Firefighter Inquiries and Investigations by Busatta Cabrera

Firefighter Inquiries and Investigations: Provides that firefighters have certain rights during informal inquiry & not just interrogation; provides that firefighter may not be subjected to certain disciplinary action during informal inquiry or interrogation. Effective Date: July 1, 2021

Current Committee of Reference: No Current Committee

Actions

04/08/2021 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar, 04/15/21

Similar

HB 0327 Pub. Rec./Disaster Response by Rommel

Pub. Rec./Disaster Response: Creates exemption from public records requirements for address & telephone number of persons provided emergency shelter & held by agency that provided emergency shelter; provides for future legislative review & repeal of exemption; provides statement of public necessity. Effective Date: upon becoming a law

Current Committee of Reference: No Current Committee

Actions

04/07/2021 SENATE In Messages

04/08/2021 SENATE Received; Referred to Rules

Identical

SB 0418 Public Records/Persons Seeking Shelter (Burgess)

HB 0331 Displacement of Private Waste Companies by McClure

Displacement of Private Waste Companies: Requires local governments to pay specified amount of compensation to displaced private waste companies at end of specified notice period; removes provision authorizing local governments to pay specified amount of compensation to private waste companies as alternative to delaying displacement for specified period. Effective Date: July 1, 2021

Current Committee of Reference: No Current Committee

Actions

04/08/2021 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar, 04/13/21

Compare

SB 0694 Waste Management (Rodrigues (R))

SB 0332 Unlicensed Contracting by Perry

Unlicensed Contracting; Revising the criminal penalties for persons who engage in contracting without proper registration or certification, etc. Effective Date: 10/1/2021

Current Committee of Reference: Senate Appropriations

Actions**Identical**

HB 1169 Unlicensed Contracting (Stevenson)

HB 0333 Everglades Protection Area by Aloupis, Jr.

Everglades Protection Area: Prohibits DEP from granting permits for drilling of wells for oil or gas & structures intended for drilling for, or production of, oil, gas, or other petroleum products within Everglades Protection Area. Effective Date: July 1, 2021

Current Committee of Reference: House State Affairs Committee

Actions**Compare**

HB 0283 State Renewable Energy Goals (Eskamani)

SB 0720 State Renewable Energy Goals (Berman)

Identical

SB 0722 Everglades Protection Area (Rodriguez (A))

HB 0337 Impact Fees by DiCeglie

Impact Fees: Requires local governments & special districts to credit against collection of impact fees any contribution related to public facilities; specifies conditions under which credits may not be applied; specifies conditions under which local government, school district, or special district may increase impact fee; requires specified entities to file affidavit attesting that impact fees were appropriately collected & expended; requires school districts to report specified items regarding impact fees. Effective Date: upon becoming a law

Current Committee of Reference: House State Affairs Committee

Actions

Similar

[SB 0750](#) Impact Fees (Gruters)

SB 0360 Fire Prevention and Control by Hooper

Fire Prevention and Control; Authorizing the use of radio communication enhancement systems to comply with minimum radio signal strength requirements; prohibiting the authority having jurisdiction from requiring certain radio communication enhancement systems in apartments or buildings of a certain height; revising the transitory period for compliance; providing an exception to the prohibition against installing or transporting certain radio equipment using law enforcement or fire rescue frequencies, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2021

Current Committee of Reference: Senate Appropriations

Actions

Compare

[HB 0587](#) Public Safety Emergency Communications Systems (Snyder)

[HB 1209](#) Department of Financial Services (Fetterhoff)

[SB 1408](#) Department of Financial Services (Burgess)

[SB 1902](#) Public Safety Emergency Communications Systems (Rodrigues (R))

Similar

[HB 0415](#) Fire Department Communications (Botana)

SB 0378 Payment for Construction Services by Bradley

Payment for Construction Services; Increasing the interest rate for certain payments for purchases of construction services; specifying that a person, firm, or corporation who fails to make certain payments relating to public projects commits a misapplication of construction funds and is subject to criminal penalties; increasing the interest rate for overdue payments for the purchase of construction services; expanding the list of actions for which a licensee may be disciplined by the Construction Industry Licensing Board; requiring the board to suspend certain licenses for a minimum period of time under certain circumstances, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2021

Current Committee of Reference: No Current Committee

Actions

Similar

[HB 0585](#) Payment for Construction Services (DiCeglie)

SB 0382 Clerks of the Court by Hooper

Clerks of the Court; Specifying the amount of charges for certain services rendered by, and instruments filed with, the clerk of the circuit court which are not court records; revising the distribution of revenue from filing fees from the institution of certain appellate proceedings; requiring the clerks of the court to submit requests for reimbursement for jury-related costs to the Florida Clerks of Court Operations Corporation within specified timeframes, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2021

Current Committee of Reference: Senate Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice

Actions

Identical

HB 0031 Clerks of the Court (Clemons)

SB 0386 Courts by Wright

Courts; Revising a presumption regarding a monthly payment amount under a payment plan for court-related assessments; authorizing a court to waive, modify, and convert certain fees, costs, and service charges into community service under specified circumstances; revising the disposition of civil penalties received by a county court, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2021

Current Committee of Reference: Senate Appropriations

Actions**Compare**

SB 0356 Fines and Fees (Jones)

HB 0557 Payments to Clerks of the Circuit Courts (LaMarca)

HB 0387 Improvements to Real Property by Fine

Improvements to Real Property: Provides authorized and prohibited activities related to qualifying improvements to residential properties to be financed by non-ad valorem assessments; requires local government or program administrator to develop written disclosure forms & cancelation forms, & conduct telephone calls to property owner providing specified information; provides criteria that must be met before local government or program administrator may enroll PACE contractors to offer financing for residential properties; specifies types of contracts that are unenforceable; requires local governments that have authorized qualifying improvement programs to post specified information on their websites on annual basis. Effective Date: July 1, 2021

Current Committee of Reference: House Commerce Committee

Actions**Compare**

SB 1208 Resiliency Energy Environment Florida (REEF) Program (Rodriguez (A))

HB 0397 Cardiovascular Emergency Protocols and Training by DiCeglie

Cardiovascular Emergency Protocols and Training: Requires DOH to send list of certain providers of adult cardiovascular services to specified persons & entities; requires DOH to develop specified assessment tool; requires development & implementation of protocols; requires 911 public safety telecommunicators to receive CPR training; requires DOH to establish procedure to monitor training; authorizes DOH to adjust state grants & shared revenue funds to certain entities based on their adherence to training requirements. Effective Date: July 1, 2021

Current Committee of Reference: House Health Care Appropriations Subcommittee

Actions

04/07/2021 HOUSE On Committee agenda - Health Care Appropriations Subcommittee, 04/09/21, 11:30 am, 17 H

04/09/2021 HOUSE Favorable with CS by Health Care Appropriations Subcommittee; 12 Yeas, 0 Nays

Similar

SB 0766 Cardiovascular Emergency Protocols and Training (Rouson)

SB 0400 Public Records by Rodrigues (R)

Public Records; Prohibiting an agency that receives a request to inspect or copy a record from responding to such request by filing an action for declaratory relief against the requester, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2021

Current Committee of Reference: No Current Committee

Actions

04/06/2021 SENATE Favorable by Rules; 17 Yeas, 0 Nays
04/07/2021 SENATE Placed on Calendar, on 2nd reading
04/09/2021 SENATE Placed on Special Order Calendar, 04/14/21

Identical

[HB 0913](#) Requests for Public Records (McClure)

HB 0401 Florida Building Code by Fetterhoff

Florida Building Code: Authorizes substantially affected person to file petition with Florida Building Commission to review local government regulations; provides requirements for such petition; provides requirements for commission when considering petition; requires commission to issue nonbinding advisory opinion within specified timeframe; authorizes commission to issue errata to code; prohibits local government from requiring certain contracts for issuance of building permit; requires evaluation entities that meet certain criteria to comply with certain standards. Effective Date: July 1, 2021

Current Committee of Reference: House Commerce Committee

Actions

Compare

[SB 1146](#) Florida Building Code (Brodeur)

SB 0402 Legal Notices by Rodrigues (R)

Legal Notices; Revising requirements for newspapers that are qualified to publish legal notices; authorizing the Internet publication of legal notices on certain websites in lieu of print publication in a newspaper; requiring the Florida Press Association to consult with the Black Press Association of Florida for a specified purpose; authorizing a governmental agency to opt for Internet-only publication of legal notices with any newspaper of general circulation within the state if certain conditions are met; authorizing a newspaper to charge for Internet-only publication, subject to specified limitations, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2022

Current Committee of Reference: Senate Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice

Actions

04/08/2021 SENATE Temporarily Postponed by Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice
04/08/2021 SENATE On Committee agenda - Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice, 04/13/21, 2:00 pm, 37 S

Compare

[HB 0035](#) Legal Notices (Fine)

HB 0403 Home-based Businesses by Giallombardo

Home-based Businesses: Specifies conditions under which business is considered home-based business; authorizes home-based business to operate in residential zone; prohibits local government from certain actions relating to licensure & regulation of home-based business; authorizes specified business owners to challenge certain local government actions; authorizes prevailing party to recover specified attorney fees & costs. Effective Date: July 1, 2021

Current Committee of Reference: No Current Committee

Actions

Similar

[SB 0266](#) Home-based Businesses (Perry)

SB 0406 Big Cypress Basin by Rodrigues (R)

Big Cypress Basin; Revising the membership of the Big Cypress Basin governing board; requiring the

South Florida Water Management District to revise the boundaries of the Big Cypress Basin based on a specified study at a specified time; requiring the South Florida Water Management District to ensure that the distribution of basin ad valorem taxes collected within the Big Cypress Basin be used for projects and flood control operations and maintenance within the counties in which they were collected, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2021

Current Committee of Reference: Senate Appropriations Subcommittee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government

Actions

04/08/2021 SENATE Subcommittee Recommendation: Favorable with CS by Appropriations Subcommittee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; 11 Yeas, 0 Nays

Similar

[HB 0209](#) Big Cypress Basin (Botana)

HB 0415

Fire Department Communications by Botana

Fire Department Communications: Authorizes use of radio communication enhancement systems to comply with minimum radio signal strength requirements; prohibits authority having jurisdiction from requiring certain radio communication enhancement systems in apartments or buildings of certain height; revises date by which existing apartment buildings that are not in compliance must initiate application for appropriate permit; provides exception to prohibition against installing or transporting certain radio equipment using law enforcement or fire rescue frequencies. Effective Date: July 1, 2021

Current Committee of Reference: No Current Committee

Actions

04/06/2021 HOUSE Favorable with CS by Commerce Committee; 20 Yeas, 1 Nay

04/07/2021 HOUSE Committee Substitute Text (C2) Filed

04/09/2021 HOUSE Placed on Calendar, on 2nd reading

Compare

[HB 0587](#) Public Safety Emergency Communications Systems (Snyder)

[HB 1209](#) Department of Financial Services (Fetterhoff)

[SB 1408](#) Department of Financial Services (Burgess)

[SB 1902](#) Public Safety Emergency Communications Systems (Rodrigues (R))

Similar

[SB 0360](#) Fire Prevention and Control (Hooper)

SB 0418

Public Records/Persons Seeking Shelter by Burgess

Public Records/Persons Provided Public Emergency Shelter; Creating an exemption from public records requirements for the addresses and telephone numbers of persons provided public emergency shelter during a storm or catastrophic event and held by the agency that provided the emergency shelter; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemption; providing a statement of public necessity, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law

Current Committee of Reference: Senate Rules

Actions

04/06/2021 SENATE Favorable with CS by Governmental Oversight and Accountability; 5 Yeas, 0 Nays

04/07/2021 SENATE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed

04/09/2021 SENATE Now in Rules

Identical

[HB 0327](#) Pub. Rec./Disaster Response (Rommel)

HB 0421 Relief From Burdens on Real Property Rights by Tuck

Relief From Burdens on Real Property Rights: Revises notice of claim requirements for property owners; creates presumption that certain settlement offers protect public interest; specifies property owners retain option to have court determine awards of compensation; authorizes property owners to bring claims against governmental entities in certain circumstances; provides property owners are not required to submit formal development applications or proceed through formal application processes to bring claims in specified circumstances. (Combined HB 421 & HB 1101) Effective Date: July 1, 2021

Current Committee of Reference: House Judiciary Committee

Actions**Compare**

[SB 1380](#) Relief from Burdens on Real Property Rights (Rodrigues (R))

Identical

[SB 1876](#) Relief from Burdens on Real Property Rights (Albritton)

SB 0426 State Preemption of Seaport Regulations by Boyd

State Preemption of Seaport Regulations; Prohibiting a local ballot initiative or referendum from restricting maritime commerce in the seaports of this state; providing that such a local ballot initiative, referendum, or action adopted therein is prohibited, void, and expressly preempted to the state; prohibiting municipalities and certain special districts from restricting maritime commerce in the seaports of this state with respect to any federally authorized passenger cruise vessel; providing that certain actions relating to such restrictions are prohibited, void, and expressly preempted to the state; clarifying remaining authority of certain local entities, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law

Current Committee of Reference: Senate Rules

Actions

04/09/2021 SENATE On Committee agenda - Rules, 04/14/21, 9:00 am, 412 K

Identical

[HB 0267](#) State Preemption of Seaport Regulations (Roach)

HB 0487 Small Scale Development Amendments by Duggan

Small Scale Development Amendments: Revises acreage thresholds adopting an amendment using a small scale development amendment. Effective Date: July 1, 2021

Current Committee of Reference: No Current Committee

Actions

04/07/2021 SENATE In Messages

04/08/2021 SENATE Received; Referred to Rules

Compare

[SB 1274](#) Growth Management (Perry)

SB 0496 Growth Management by Perry

Growth Management; Specifying requirements for certain comprehensive plans effective, rather than adopted, after a specified date and for associated land development regulations; requiring local governments to include a property rights element in their comprehensive plans; prohibiting a local government's property rights element from conflicting with the statement of rights contained in the act; providing that the consent of certain property owners is not required for development agreement changes under certain circumstances, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2021

Current Committee of Reference: No Current Committee

Actions

04/07/2021 SENATE Temporarily Postponed on Second Reading

04/07/2021 SENATE Retained on Special Order Calendar

04/08/2021 SENATE Read Second Time; Substituted for HB 0059; Laid on Table, Refer to HB 0059

Similar

[HB 0059](#) Growth Management (McClain)

SB 0518 Drones by Diaz

Drones; Expanding the authorized uses of drones by a state agency or political subdivision to include the assessment of damage due to natural disasters, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2021

Current Committee of Reference: Senate Rules

Actions

Compare

[SB 0044](#) Drones (Wright)

[HB 1049](#) Use of Drones by Government Agencies (Giallombardo)

Identical

[HB 0433](#) Use of Drones by Government Agencies (Andrade)

SB 0522 Vacation Rentals by Diaz

Vacation Rentals; Requiring advertising platforms to collect and remit taxes for certain transactions; revising an exemption to the prohibition against certain local regulation of vacation rentals; preempting the regulation of advertising platforms to the state; requiring advertising platforms to adopt an antidiscrimination policy and to inform their users of the policy's provisions; authorizing the department to adopt emergency rules; providing requirements and an expiration for such rules, etc.
APPROPRIATION: \$882,716 Effective Date: Except as otherwise expressly provided in this act, this act shall take effect upon becoming a law

Current Committee of Reference: Senate Rules

Actions

04/09/2021 SENATE On Committee agenda - Rules, 04/14/21, 9:00 am, 412 K

Compare

[HB 1481](#) Vacation Rentals (Goff-Marcil)

[SB 1988](#) Vacation Rentals (Pizzo)

Similar

[HB 0219](#) Vacation Rentals (Fischer)

HB 0527 Visiting County and Municipal Detention Facilities by Benjamin

Visiting County and Municipal Detention Facilities: Authorizes specified persons to visit county & municipal detention facilities. Effective Date: July 1, 2021

Current Committee of Reference: No Current Committee

Actions

04/06/2021 HOUSE Favorable with CS by Judiciary Committee; 18 Yeas, 0 Nays

04/06/2021 HOUSE Committee Substitute Text (C2) Filed

04/08/2021 HOUSE Placed on Calendar, on 2nd reading

Compare

[SB 0206](#) Visiting County and Municipal Detention Facilities (Pizzo)

HB 0541 Veterans' Preference in Employment by Buchanan

Veterans' Preference in Employment: Authorizes state & political subdivisions to waive certain postsecondary educational requirements for employment for certain servicemembers & veterans; revises list of positions that are exempt from veterans' preference requirements; requires each political subdivision to develop & implement veterans' recruitment plan; modifies point preferences given to veterans & their family members when numerically based selection process is used for hiring. Effective Date: July 1, 2021

Current Committee of Reference: No Current Committee

Actions

04/08/2021 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar, 04/13/21

Similar

[SB 0922](#) Veterans' Preference in Employment (Burgess)

HB 0557

Payments to Clerks of the Circuit Courts by LaMarca

Payments to Clerks of the Circuit Courts: Provides requirements related to procedures for payment plans for certain fines & fees; methods by which clerks of circuit courts must accept payments for certain fees, charges, costs, & fines; entering into payment plans; conversion of certain fines & fees into community service; notices relating to payment plans; waiver of certain fees for individuals who enroll in automatic electronic debit payment plans; development of uniform payment plan form; notification to DHSMV; timeframe for issuing certain notices; & notification form & uniform traffic citation contents. Effective Date: July 1, 2021

Current Committee of Reference: House Judiciary Committee

Actions

Compare

[SB 0298](#) Electronic Payment of Governmental Fees (Taddeo)

[SB 0386](#) Courts (Wright)

[SB 0838](#) Clerks of the Circuit Court (Boyd)

[HB 0903](#) Clerks of the Circuit Court (Barnaby)

Similar

[SB 0356](#) Fines and Fees (Jones)

HB 0563

Tax Exemption for Affordable Housing by Rodriguez (Ant)

Tax Exemption for Affordable Housing: Authorizes counties & municipalities to adopt ordinances to grant ad valorem tax exemptions to property owners whose properties are used for affordable housing; provides parameters for exemption; specifies procedures in event property is transferred for other purposes or exemption is improperly granted as result of certain acts by property appraiser. Effective Date: July 1, 2021

Current Committee of Reference: House Local Administration & Veterans Affairs Subcommittee

Actions

Identical

[SB 0674](#) Tax Exemption for Affordable Housing (Rodriguez (A))

HB 0571

Ad Valorem Tax Exemption for Nonprofit Homes for the Aged by Smith (D)

Ad Valorem Tax Exemption for Nonprofit Homes for the Aged: Exempts from ad valorem taxation certain entities wholly owned by nonprofit corporation. Effective Date: January 1, 2022

Current Committee of Reference: House State Affairs Committee

Actions

Identical

SB 0578 Marina Evacuations by Wright

Marina Evacuations; Prohibiting vessels under a specified weight from remaining in certain marinas that have been deemed unsuitable for refuge during a hurricane after the issuance of a hurricane watch; requiring a marina owner, operator, employee, or agent to remove specified vessels under certain circumstances; providing that such owner, operator, employee, or agent may charge the vessel owner a reasonable fee for such removal and may not be held liable for any damages as a result of such removal, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2021

Current Committee of Reference: No Current Committee

Actions

04/09/2021 SENATE Placed on Special Order Calendar, 04/14/21

Similar

HB 0223 Marina Evacuations (Plasencia)

HB 0579 Evidentiary Standards for Actions Arising During an Emergency by Melo

Evidentiary Standards for Actions Arising During an Emergency: Provides that specified actions taken by business during declared emergencies may not be used as evidence in certain civil causes of action. Effective Date: July 1, 2021

Current Committee of Reference: No Current Committee

Actions

04/08/2021 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar, 04/13/21

Compare

SB 0882 Determinations of Employment Status (Rodriguez (A))

HB 0585 Payment for Construction Services by DiCeglie

Payment for Construction Services: Increases interest rate for certain payments for purchases of construction services; specifies that person, firm, or corporation who fails to make certain payments relating to public projects commits misapplication of construction funds & is subject to criminal penalties; expands list of actions for which licensee may be disciplined by Construction Industry Licensing Board; requires board to suspend certain licenses for minimum period of time; specifies that certain licensed contractor, subcontractor, sub-subcontractor, or other person is subject to certain discipline if convicted of misapplication of construction funds. Effective Date: July 1, 2021

Current Committee of Reference: House Commerce Committee

Actions

Similar

SB 0378 Payment for Construction Services (Bradley)

SB 0588 Conservation Area Designations/Kristin Jacobs Coral Reef Ecosystem Conservation Area by Book

Conservation Area Designations/Kristin Jacobs Coral Reef Ecosystem Conservation Area; Designating the Southeast Florida Coral Reef Ecosystem Conservation Area as the Kristin Jacobs Coral Reef Ecosystem Conservation Area; directing the Department of Environmental Protection to erect suitable markers, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2021

Current Committee of Reference: Senate Appropriations

Actions

04/07/2021 SENATE Read Second Time; Substituted for HB 0217; Laid on Table, Refer to HB 0217

Identical

HB 0597 Homestead Exemption for Seniors 65 and Older by Woodson

Homestead Exemption for Seniors 65 and Older: Revises provisions to require certain taxpayers to submit claim for homestead exemption only one time if certain conditions are met; deletes provision related to submission of supporting documentation for exemption renewal; requires property appraiser to provide specified information related to income limitations on annual basis. Effective Date: July 1, 2021

Current Committee of Reference: House State Affairs Committee

Actions

Identical

SB 1256 Homestead Exemption for Seniors 65 and Older (Polsky)

SB 0628 Urban Agriculture by Rouson

Urban Agriculture; Authorizing farm equipment used to transport farm products to be stored, maintained, or repaired within specified boundaries; exempting farm equipment used in urban agriculture from provisions requiring farm equipment to be located within specified boundaries; providing that nonresidential farm buildings, fences, or signs located on lands used for urban agriculture are not exempt from the Florida Building Code or local governmental regulations; creating the "Urban Agriculture Pilot Project Act"; authorizing the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services to approve municipal urban agricultural pilot projects, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2021

Current Committee of Reference: No Current Committee

Actions

04/06/2021 SENATE Favorable with CS by Rules; 16 Yeas, 0 Nays

04/07/2021 SENATE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed

04/09/2021 SENATE Placed on Calendar, on 2nd reading

04/09/2021 SENATE Placed on Special Order Calendar, 04/14/21

Identical

HB 1013 Urban Agriculture (Rayner)

HB 0667 Building Inspections by Mooney, Jr.

Building Inspections: Requires certain counties & enforcement agencies allow requests for inspections to be submitted electronically; provides acceptable methods of electronic submission; authorizes enforcement agencies to perform virtual inspections; requires refund of fees in certain circumstances; requires surcharges be recalculated under certain conditions. Effective Date: July 1, 2021

Current Committee of Reference: House Commerce Committee

Actions

Similar

SB 1382 Building Inspections (Perry)

SB 0674 Tax Exemption for Affordable Housing by Rodriguez (A)

Tax Exemption for Affordable Housing; Authorizing counties and municipalities to adopt ordinances to grant ad valorem tax exemptions to property owners whose properties are used for the governmental or public purpose of providing affordable housing to certain persons or families; specifying procedures in the event property is transferred for other purposes; specifying procedures in the event an exemption is improperly granted as a result of certain acts by the property appraiser, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2021

Current Committee of Reference: Senate Community Affairs

Actions

Identical

HB 0563 Tax Exemption for Affordable Housing (Rodriguez (Ant))

SB 0694 Waste Management by Rodrigues (R)

Waste Management; requiring the Department of Environmental Protection to review and update its report on retail bags and submit the updated report to the Legislature by a specified date; requiring a local government to pay a specified amount of compensation to a displaced private waste company at the end of a specified notice period; removing a provision authorizing a local government to pay a specified amount of compensation to a private waste company as an alternative to delaying displacement for a specified period; removing a provision authorizing a local government and private waste company to negotiate such compensation and notice, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2021

Current Committee of Reference: Senate Appropriations

Actions

Compare

HB 0331 Displacement of Private Waste Companies (McClure)

HB 0699 Campaign Financing by Payne

Campaign Financing: Provides limitation on contributions made to political committees sponsoring constitutional amendment proposed by initiative; specifies conditions upon which limitation no longer applies; prohibits candidate from donating surplus funds to charitable organization that employs candidate; provides candidate may give certain surplus funds to state or political subdivision to be disbursed in specified manner. Effective Date: July 1, 2021

Current Committee of Reference: No Current Committee

Actions

04/08/2021 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar, 04/13/21

Compare

SB 1890 Campaign Financing (Rodrigues (R))

HB 0735 Preemption of Local Occupational Licensing by Harding

Preemption of Local Occupational Licensing: Preempts licensing of occupations to state; prohibits local governments from imposing or modifying licensing requirements; specifies certain local licensing may not be enforced; specifies certain specialty contractors are not required to register with Construction Industry Licensing Board; prohibits local governments from requiring certain specialty contractors to obtain license; specifies job scopes for which local government may not require license; authorizes counties & municipalities to issue journeyman licenses. Effective Date: July 1, 2021

Current Committee of Reference: No Current Committee

Actions

04/07/2021 SENATE In Messages

04/08/2021 SENATE Received; Referred to Rules

Identical

SB 0268 Preemption of Local Occupational Licensing (Perry)

SB 0750 Impact Fees by Gruters

Impact Fees; Requiring local governments and special districts to credit against the collection of impact fees any contribution that relates to the improvement of public facilities or infrastructure; providing limitations on impact fee increases; providing for retroactive operation; requiring specified entities to submit an affidavit attesting that impact fees were appropriately collected and expended; requiring school districts to report specified information regarding impact fees, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law

Current Committee of Reference: Senate Appropriations

Actions**Similar**

[HB 0337](#) Impact Fees (DiCeglie)

SB 0766 Cardiovascular Emergency Protocols and Training by Rouson

Cardiovascular Emergency Protocols and Training; Requiring the Department of Health to send a list of certain providers of adult cardiovascular services to the medical directors of licensed emergency medical services providers by a specified date each year; requiring the department to develop a sample heart attack-triage assessment tool; requiring the medical director of each licensed emergency medical services provider to develop and implement certain protocols for heart attack patients; requiring certain 911 public safety telecommunicators to receive biennial telecommunicator cardiopulmonary resuscitation training, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2021

Current Committee of Reference: Senate Community Affairs

Actions**Similar**

[HB 0397](#) Cardiovascular Emergency Protocols and Training (DiCeglie)

HB 0773 Sanitary Sewer Laterals by McClure

Sanitary Sewer Laterals: Authorizes each county & municipality to develop specifications to repair leaking, damaged, or clogged sanitary sewer laterals on residential & commercial properties if certain criteria are met; authorizes counties & municipalities to access sanitary sewer laterals to clean, repair, & replace them for certain purposes; provides notification requirements. Effective Date: July 1, 2021

Current Committee of Reference: House State Affairs Committee

Actions**Compare**

[SB 1058](#) Sanitary Sewer Lateral Inspection Programs (Burgess)

HB 0781 Public Records by Robinson (W)

Public Records: Prohibits county recorders from removing certain names from specified register & website, with exception; provides requirements for requesting removal of information from such website; authorizes release of restricted information to certain persons; provides for penalty of perjury; authorizes county recorders to enter into limited access license agreement; provides criminal penalties; provides requirements for requests to maintain exemptions; provides procedures for county property appraisers & county tax collectors to remove exempt information; provides that exempt status of certain home addresses is maintained only during certain period; requires certain daily schedule to include specified notification. Effective Date: July 1, 2021

Current Committee of Reference: House State Affairs Committee

Actions

04/06/2021 HOUSE Favorable by Civil Justice & Property Rights Subcommittee; 17 Yeas, 0 Nays

04/06/2021 HOUSE Now in State Affairs Committee

Similar

[SB 0844](#) Public Records (Hooper)

HB 0805 Volunteer Ambulance Services by Caruso

Volunteer Ambulance Services: Authorizes certain medical staff of volunteer ambulance service to use red lights on privately owned vehicle; authorizes vehicles of volunteer ambulance services to display red lights & operate emergency lights & sirens; authorizes privately owned vehicles belonging to medical staff of volunteer ambulance service to display red warning signals; exempts first responder agencies from certificate of public convenience & necessity requirements; provides county & municipal governments may not limit, prohibit, or prevent volunteer ambulance services from responding to

emergencies or providing emergency medical services or transport; prohibits county & municipal governments from requiring volunteer ambulance services to obtain license or certificate or pay fee. Effective Date: July 1, 2021

Current Committee of Reference: House Health & Human Services Committee

Actions

Similar

[SB 1084](#) Volunteer Ambulance Services (Pizzo)

HB 0821 Licensure Requirements for Land Surveyors and Mappers by Mariano

Licensure Requirements for Land Surveyors and Mappers: Authorizes exiled professional to substitute specified lawful practice of profession for education requirement for examination; revises education requirements for licensure; provides that specified work experience or completion of specified apprenticeship program may be substituted for education requirements for licensure as land surveyor or mapper; provides applicant who holds license from other state, jurisdiction, or territory, & has certain experience in practice of surveying & mapping may take licensure examination to practice as land surveyor or mapper in this state. Effective Date: July 1, 2021

Current Committee of Reference: House Commerce Committee

Actions

Similar

[SB 1342](#) Licensure Requirements for Land Surveyors and Mappers (Perry)

HB 0839 Express Preemption of Fuel Retailers and Related Transportation Infrastructure by Fabricio

Express Preemption of Fuel Retailers and Related Transportation Infrastructure: Prohibits municipality, county, special district, or political subdivision from taking certain actions to prohibit siting, development, or redevelopment of fuel retailers & related transportation infrastructure & from requiring fuel retailers to install or invest in particular fueling infrastructure. Effective Date: upon becoming a law

Current Committee of Reference: House Commerce Committee

Actions

Similar

[SB 0856](#) Express Preemption of Fuel Retailers and Related Transportation Infrastructure (Hutson)

SB 0844 Public Records by Hooper

Public Records; Prohibiting a county recorder from removing a grantor name, grantee name, or party name from the index on the publicly available website unless the information is subject to a specified public records exemption; prescribing requirements for a person claiming a public records exemption to request removal of information from a publicly available website; requiring that a request for maintenance of an exemption be notarized and confirm the individual's status; requiring the daily schedule of deeds and conveyances to include notification of any information therein which is subject to a request for removal, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2021

Current Committee of Reference: Senate Rules

Actions

Similar

[HB 0781](#) Public Records (Robinson (W))

HB 0853 Local Government Ethics Reform by Sirois

Local Government Ethics Reform: Provides contractual relationships held by business entities are deemed held by public officers or employees in certain situations; provides ethics training requirements; prohibits persons from voting or participating in official capacity on specified matters; requires certain persons to file disclosure; requires annual report by DFS. Effective Date: July 1, 2021

Current Committee of Reference: No Current Committee

Actions

04/08/2021 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar, 04/15/21

HB 0859

Expiration of Permits and Agreements During Natural Emergencies by Grant

Expiration of Permits and Agreements During Natural Emergencies: Tolls & extends expiration of specified consumptive use water permits & certain development permits & agreements during natural emergency declared by Governor; provides retroactive applicability. Effective Date: upon becoming a law

Current Committee of Reference: No Current Committee

Actions

04/06/2021 HOUSE Favorable with CS by State Affairs Committee; 21 Yeas, 0 Nays

04/06/2021 HOUSE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed

04/08/2021 HOUSE Placed on Calendar, on 2nd reading

Similar

SB 0912 Tolling and Extension of Permits and Other Authorizations During States of Emergency (Albritton)

HB 0883

County and Municipal Code Enforcement by Overdorf

County and Municipal Code Enforcement: Prohibits code inspectors and code enforcement officers of certain boards of county commissioners from initiating investigations of potential violations of codes & ordinances or initiating enforcement proceedings by way of anonymous complaints; provides exception; requires complainants to provide specified information; provides exception; specifies actions county may take if person falsely claims certain fears to make false complaint; provides exception; prohibits code inspectors designated by governing bodies of municipalities from initiating investigations of potential violations of codes & ordinances by way of anonymous complaints; requires persons who report potential violations of codes & ordinances to provide specified information to governing body before investigation occurs; provides exception. Effective Date: July 1, 2021.

Current Committee of Reference: House State Affairs Committee

Actions

Similar

SB 0060 County and Municipal Code Enforcement (Bradley)

HB 0889

Nonprofit Property Tax Exemptions by Borrero

Nonprofit Property Tax Exemptions: Specifies that portions of property not used for certain purposes are not exempt from ad valorem taxation; specifies that exemptions on certain portions of property from ad valorem taxation are not affected so long as the predominant use of the property is for specified purposes. Effective Date: July 1, 2021

Current Committee of Reference: No Current Committee

Actions

04/06/2021 HOUSE Favorable by State Affairs Committee; 20 Yeas, 0 Nays

04/06/2021 HOUSE Placed on Calendar, on 2nd reading

Identical

SB 1214 Nonprofit Taxation (Gruters)

HB 0891

Limitation of Liability for Voluntary Engineering or Architectural Services by Tuck

Limitation of Liability for Voluntary Engineering or Architectural Services: Defines term "structures specialist"; exempts engineers, architects, & structures specialists from liability for certain voluntary engineering or architectural services under certain circumstances. Effective Date: July 1, 2021

Current Committee of Reference: House Judiciary Committee

Actions

Identical

[SB 1060](#) Limitation of Liability for Voluntary Engineering or Architectural Services (Bradley)

HB 0903 Clerks of the Circuit Court by Barnaby

Clerks of the Circuit Court: Clarifies responsibility of person released from incarceration regarding enrolling in payment plan for outstanding court obligations; requires clerk to establish terms of payment plans; specifies circumstances under which moneys held in reserve may be used; provides procedures for release of funds; revises provisions governing transfer of certain funds from Clerks of Court Trust Fund to General Revenue Fund; requires clerks to develop uniform payment plan form; requires orders & notifications for traffic citations & suspensions to include information regarding payment plans; designates clerk as entity responsible for collecting payment of court obligations. Effective Date: October 1, 2021

Current Committee of Reference: No Current Committee

Actions

04/06/2021 HOUSE On Committee agenda - Appropriations Committee, 04/08/21, 5:30 pm, 212 K

04/08/2021 HOUSE Favorable by Appropriations Committee; 25 Yeas, 0 Nays

04/09/2021 HOUSE Placed on Calendar, on 2nd reading

Compare

[SB 0356](#) Fines and Fees (Jones)

[HB 0557](#) Payments to Clerks of the Circuit Courts (LaMarca)

Similar

[SB 0838](#) Clerks of the Circuit Court (Boyd)

SB 0912 Tolling and Extension of Permits and Other Authorizations During States of Emergency by Albritton

Tolling and Extension of Permits and Other Authorizations During States of Emergency; Adding specified consumptive use permits issued under part II of ch. 373, F.S., and specified development permits and development agreements to the list of permits and other authorizations tolled and extended during a state of emergency declared by the Governor for a natural emergency; providing for retroactive application, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law

Current Committee of Reference: No Current Committee

Actions

04/07/2021 SENATE Read Second Time; Read Third Time; Passed (Vote: 40 Yeas / 0 Nays); Immediately certified

04/07/2021 HOUSE In Messages

Similar

[HB 0859](#) Expiration of Permits and Agreements During Natural Emergencies (Grant)

SB 0920 Liability of Persons Providing Areas for Public Outdoor Recreational Purposes by Bradley

Liability of Persons Providing Areas for Public Outdoor Recreational Purposes; Providing that owners may not be subject to liability if they are generating certain revenues and those revenues are used exclusively for specified purposes; expanding the applicability of the limitation of liability for persons who provide areas to the public for outdoor recreational purposes without charge, etc. Effective Date: 7/1 /2021

Current Committee of Reference: No Current Committee

Actions

04/08/2021 HOUSE Received; Referred to Calendar

04/08/2021 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar, 04/13/21

Similar

[HB 0287](#) Liability of Persons Providing Areas for Public Outdoor Recreational Purposes (Shoaf)

SB 0922 Veterans' Preference in Employment by Burgess

Veterans' Preference in Employment; Authorizing the state and its political subdivisions to waive certain postsecondary educational requirements for employment for servicemembers and veterans who meet specified criteria; revising the list of positions that are exempt from veterans' preference requirements; requiring, rather than authorizing, each political subdivision to develop and implement a veterans' recruitment plan for specified purposes; modifying point preferences given to veterans and their family members when a numerically based selection process is used for hiring, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2021

Current Committee of Reference: No Current Committee

Actions

04/08/2021 HOUSE Received; Referred to Calendar

04/08/2021 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar, 04/13/21

Similar

[HB 0541](#) Veterans' Preference in Employment (Buchanan)

HB 0945 Emergency Manangement Powers of Political Subdivisions by Rommel

Emergency Manangement Powers of Political Subdivisions: Specifies requirements for purpose & scope of emergency orders; provides for automatic expiration of emergency orders; authorizes extension of emergency orders for specified duration; requires majority vote of governing body for such extension; authorizes governing body to convene & vote remotely; authorizes Governor & Legislature to invalidate emergency orders upon certain determinations; prohibits issuance of certain emergency orders. Effective Date: July 1, 2021

Current Committee of Reference: House State Affairs Committee

Actions

04/06/2021 HOUSE Committee Substitute Text (C2) Filed

04/08/2021 HOUSE Now in State Affairs Committee

Compare

[SB 2006](#) Emergency Management (Burgess)

[HB 7047](#) Emergency Management (Pandemics & Public Emergencies Committee)

Similar

[SB 1924](#) Emergency Management Powers of Political Subdivisions (Diaz)

HB 0949 Communicable and Infectious Diseases by Fetterhoff

Communicable and Infectious Diseases: Provides presumption to specified workers that impairment of health caused by infectious disease happened in line of duty; requires certain actions in order to be entitled to presumption; requires United States Food & Drug Administration to approve certain vaccines or immunizations. Effective Date: July 1, 2021

Current Committee of Reference: House Appropriations Committee

Actions

Similar

[HB 0963](#) Communicable and Infectious Diseases (Omphroy)

[SB 1422](#) Communicable and Infectious Diseases (Thurston, Jr.)

Identical

[SB 1314](#) Communicable and Infectious Diseases (Gruters)

SB 0952 Water Management Districts by Burgess

Water Management Districts; Authorizing water management districts to purchase commodities and contractual services from the contracts of other specified entities under certain circumstances, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2021

Current Committee of Reference: No Current Committee

Actions

04/07/2021 SENATE Temporarily Postponed on Second Reading

04/07/2021 SENATE Retained on Special Order Calendar

04/08/2021 SENATE Temporarily Postponed on Second Reading

04/08/2021 SENATE Retained on Special Order Calendar

Similar

[HB 0169](#) Purchase of Commodities and Services by Water Management Districts (Maggard)

HB 0965 Florida Housing Finance Corporation by Roth

Florida Housing Finance Corporation: Provides corporation, rather than SBA, act as state fiscal agency to make certain determinations; revises authority for interest rates of corporation bonds; removes authority of SBA to authorize different interest rate for bonds; removes requirement that classifications be consistent with rules adopted by SBA; removes cap on contributions that service providers may make to candidate for member of SBA. Effective Date: July 1, 2021

Current Committee of Reference: House State Affairs Committee

Actions**Similar**

[SB 1160](#) Florida Housing Finance Corporation (Rodriguez (A))

HB 1013 Urban Agriculture by Rayner

Urban Agriculture: Authorizes farm equipment to be stored, maintained, or repaired within specified boundaries; exempts urban agriculture equipment from certain requirements; provides that structures located on lands used for urban agriculture are not exempt from specified regulations; authorizes DACS to approve municipal urban agricultural pilot projects; requires municipalities to submit annual reports to DACS; requires DACS to submit annual report to Legislature; provides that urban agriculture is subject to specified regulation. Effective Date: July 1, 2021

Current Committee of Reference: House State Affairs Committee

Actions**Identical**

[SB 0628](#) Urban Agriculture (Rouson)

HB 1049 Use of Drones by Government Agencies by Giallombardo

Use of Drones by Government Agencies: Expands authorized uses of drones by law enforcement agencies & other specified entities for specified purposes; requires governmental entities or units to take specified protective measures when using drones; requires governmental agency using drone technology to ensure that specified information remains within borders of U.S. Effective Date: July 1, 2021

Current Committee of Reference: House Judiciary Committee

Actions**Compare**

[HB 0433](#) Use of Drones by Government Agencies (Andrade)

[SB 0518](#) Drones (Diaz)

Similar

[SB 0044](#) Drones (Wright)

HB 1051 Environmental Compliance Costs by Fernandez-Barquin

Environmental Compliance Costs: Redefines term "environmental compliance costs" to include costs or expenses prudently incurred by an electric utility in complying with specified reclaimed water reuse requirements. Effective Date: July 1, 2021

Current Committee of Reference: No Current Committee

Actions

04/06/2021 HOUSE Favorable by Commerce Committee; 19 Yeas, 0 Nays

04/06/2021 HOUSE Placed on Calendar, on 2nd reading

04/08/2021 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar, 04/15/21

Identical

[SB 0964](#) Environmental Compliance Costs (Diaz)

SB 1076 Public Works Projects by Brodeur

Public Works Projects; Revising a prohibition relating to any solicitation for construction services paid for with state or locally appropriated funds; revising the definition of the term "public works project"; prohibiting the state or any political subdivision that contracts for a public works project from taking specified action against certain persons that are engaged in a public works project or have submitted a bid for such a project, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2021

Current Committee of Reference: Senate Rules

Actions

Similar

[HB 0053](#) Public Works Projects (DiCeglie)

SB 1082 Diesel Exhaust Fluid by Albritton

Diesel Exhaust Fluid; Requiring specified public airports to require a diesel exhaust fluid safety mitigation and exclusion plan for certain fixed-base operators; requiring public airports to make such plans available for review during inspections by the Department of Transportation after a specified date; requiring the department to convene a workgroup of public airport representatives by a specified date to develop specified uniform industry standards, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2021

Current Committee of Reference: Senate Appropriations

Actions

Similar

[HB 0077](#) Diesel Exhaust Fluid (Overdorf)

HB 1101 Relief From Burdens on Real Property Rights by Persons-Mulicka

Relief From Burdens on Real Property Rights: Revises definitions of terms "action of governmental entity" & "real property" & revises definition of term "land" for purposes of private property rights protection. Effective Date: July 1, 2021

Current Committee of Reference: House Local Administration & Veterans Affairs Subcommittee

Actions

Compare

[SB 1876](#) Relief from Burdens on Real Property Rights (Albritton)

Identical

[SB 1380](#) Relief from Burdens on Real Property Rights (Rodriguez (R))

HB 1145 Administrative Procedures by McClain

Administrative Procedures: Applies certain provisions applicable to all rules other than emergency rules to repromulgated rules; requires certain notices to include certain information; requires certain notices; revises circumstances under which proposed rule's adverse impact on small businesses is considered to exist; revises requirements for agency's consideration of lower cost regulatory alternative; provides that failure of agency to meet certain deadlines applicable to rule required to be repromulgated constitutes repeal of rule; provides that repromulgated rule is adopted upon filing with DOS & becomes effective after specified time. Effective Date: July 1, 2021

Current Committee of Reference: House State Affairs Committee

Actions**Compare**

[HB 0065](#) Regulatory Reform (Sabatini)
[SB 0152](#) Regulatory Reform (Diaz)
[SB 1626](#) Administrative Procedures (Albritton)

SB 1146 Florida Building Code by Brodeur

Florida Building Code; Authorizing fee owners or fee owners' contractors to select private providers to provide inspection services for onsite sewage treatment and disposal systems if certain requirements are met; prohibiting the Department of Health from requiring that pools serving assisted living facilities be compliant with rules relating to swimming pool lifeguards; prohibiting a local government from requiring certain contracts for the application for or issuance of a building permit; authorizing a county, a municipality, a school district, or an independent special district to use a private provider to provide building code inspection services for certain purposes, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2021

Current Committee of Reference: Senate Appropriations

Actions**Compare**

[HB 0401](#) Florida Building Code (Fetterhoff)

SB 1182 Limitation on the Assessment of Real Property/Residential Purposes by Brandes

Limitation on the Assessment of Real Property/Residential Purposes; Proposing amendments to the State Constitution, effective January 1, 2023, to authorize the Legislature, by general law, to prohibit the consideration of any change or improvement made to real property used for residential purposes to improve the property's resistance to flood damage in determining the assessed value of such property for ad valorem taxation purposes, etc.

Current Committee of Reference: Senate Finance and Tax

Actions

04/09/2021 SENATE On Committee agenda - Finance and Tax, 04/14/21, 9:00 am, 110 S

Compare

[HB 1379](#) Property Assessments for Elevated Properties (Chaney)

Identical

[HB 1377](#) Limitation on Assessment of Real Property Used for Residential Purposes (Chaney)

Linked

[SB 1186](#) Property Assessments for Elevated Properties (Brandes)

SB 1186 Property Assessments for Elevated Properties by Brandes

Property Assessments for Elevated Properties; Specifying that changes to elevate certain homestead and nonhomestead residential property, respectively, do not increase the assessed value of the property under certain circumstances; requiring property owners to provide certification for such property; prohibiting certain areas from being included in square footage calculation, etc. Effective Date: On the effective date of the amendment to the State Constitution proposed by SJR 1182 or a similar joint resolution having substantially the same specific intent and purpose, if such amendment to the State Constitution is approved at the general election held in November 2022 or at an earlier special election specifically authorized by law for that purpose

Current Committee of Reference: Senate Finance and Tax

Actions

04/09/2021 SENATE On Committee agenda - Finance and Tax, 04/14/21, 9:00 am, 110 S

Compare

[HB 1377](#) Limitation on Assessment of Real Property Used for Residential Purposes (Chaney)

Similar

[HB 1379](#) Property Assessments for Elevated Properties (Chaney)

Linked

[SB 1182](#) Limitation on the Assessment of Real Property/Residential Purposes (Brandes)

HB 1209 Department of Financial Services by Fetterhoff

Department of Financial Services: Requires State Risk Management Trust Fund to provide insurance for firefighter cancer-related benefits; prohibits individuals working for entities covered by State Risk Management Trust Fund from engaging in retaliatory conduct against sexual harassment victims; prohibits persons from acting as or advertising themselves as being funeral directors, embalmers, direct disposers, or preneed sales agents unless licensed; authorizes contractor repairing existing fire alarm systems to begin work after filing application for required permit; provides exemption from diligent effort requirement for surplus lines agents exporting contracts or endorsements providing flood coverage; extends deadline for buildings to comply with minimum radio signal strength requirement under Florida Fire Prevention Code. Effective Date: July 1, 2021

Current Committee of Reference: House Commerce Committee

Actions

04/07/2021 HOUSE Favorable with CS by State Administration & Technology Appropriations Subcommittee; 14 Yeas, 0 Nays

04/07/2021 HOUSE Committee Substitute Text (C2) Filed

04/09/2021 HOUSE Now in Commerce Committee

Compare

[HB 0137](#) Fire Sprinklers (Harding)

[SB 0286](#) Fire Sprinklers (Perry)

[SB 0360](#) Fire Prevention and Control (Hooper)

[HB 0415](#) Fire Department Communications (Botana)

[HB 0587](#) Public Safety Emergency Communications Systems (Snyder)

[HB 0717](#) Consumer Protection (Clemons)

[SB 0742](#) Insurance (Perry)

[HB 0815](#) Insurance (Gregory)

[HB 0823](#) Alarm System Contractors (Mariano)

[SB 0998](#) Contractor Advertising (Brodeur)

[SB 1408](#) Department of Financial Services (Burgess)

SB 1214 Nonprofit Taxation by Gruters

Nonprofit Taxation; Specifying that portions of property not used for certain purposes are not exempt from ad valorem taxation; specifying that exemptions for certain portions of property from ad valorem taxation are not affected so long as such portions of property are used for specified purposes, etc.
Effective Date: 7/1/2021

Current Committee of Reference: Senate Appropriations

Actions**Identical**

HB 0889 Nonprofit Property Tax Exemptions (Borrero)

SB 1254 Ad Valorem Assessments by Bean

Ad Valorem Assessments; Adding exceptions to the definition of the term “change of ownership” for purposes of a certain homestead assessment limitation; providing that changes, additions, or improvements, including ancillary improvements, to nonhomestead residential property damaged or destroyed by misfortune or calamity must be assessed upon substantial completion; providing that certain changes, additions, or improvements must be reassessed at just value in subsequent years, etc.
Effective Date: 7/1/2021

Current Committee of Reference: Senate Appropriations

Actions**Compare**

HB 1519 Homestead Exemptions (Duggan)

SB 1274 Growth Management by Perry

Growth Management; Authorizing landowners with development orders existing before the incorporation of a municipality to elect to abandon such orders and develop the vested density and intensity contained therein under specified conditions; revising the required acreage thresholds under which a small scale development amendment may be adopted, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2021

Current Committee of Reference: Senate Rules

Actions**Compare**

HB 0487 Small Scale Development Amendments (Duggan)

SB 1314 Communicable and Infectious Diseases by Gruters

Communicable and Infectious Diseases; Providing a presumption to specified workers that an impairment of health caused by an infectious disease happened in the line of duty; requiring certain vaccines or immunizations to be approved by the United States Food and Drug Administration, etc.
Effective Date: 7/1/2021

Current Committee of Reference: Senate Community Affairs

Actions**Similar**

HB 0963 Communicable and Infectious Diseases (Omphroy)

SB 1422 Communicable and Infectious Diseases (Thurston, Jr.)

Identical

HB 0949 Communicable and Infectious Diseases (Fetterhoff)

SB 1330 Ad Valorem Tax Exemption for Nonprofit Homes for the Aged by Rodriguez (A)

Ad Valorem Tax Exemption for Nonprofit Homes for the Aged; Exempting from ad valorem taxation certain entities wholly owned by a nonprofit corporation, etc. Effective Date: 1/1/2022

Current Committee of Reference: Senate Finance and Tax

Actions

04/09/2021 SENATE On Committee agenda - Finance and Tax, 04/14/21, 9:00 am, 110 S

Identical

[HB 0571](#) Ad Valorem Tax Exemption for Nonprofit Homes for the Aged (Smith (D))

HB 1377

Limitation on Assessment of Real Property Used for Residential Purposes by Chaney

Limitation on Assessment of Real Property Used for Residential Purposes: Proposes amendment to State Constitution to authorize Legislature to prohibit consideration of changes or improvements made to real property used for residential purposes to improve property's resistance to flood damage in determining assessed value of such property for ad valorem taxation purposes.

Current Committee of Reference: House State Affairs Committee

Actions

04/06/2021 HOUSE On Committee agenda - Ways & Means Committee, 04/08/21, 5:30 pm, 17 H

04/08/2021 HOUSE Favorable by Ways & Means Committee; 14 Yeas, 0 Nays

04/08/2021 HOUSE Now in State Affairs Committee

Compare

[SB 1186](#) Property Assessments for Elevated Properties (Brandes)

Identical

[SB 1182](#) Limitation on the Assessment of Real Property/Residential Purposes (Brandes)

Linked

[HB 1379](#) Property Assessments for Elevated Properties (Chaney)

HB 1379

Property Assessments for Elevated Properties by Chaney

Property Assessments for Elevated Properties: Specifies changes to elevate homestead & nonhomestead residential property do not increase assessed value of property; requires property owners to provide certification for such property; prohibits certain areas from being included in square footage calculation. Effective Date: on the effective date of the amendment to the State Constitution proposed by HJR 1377 or a similar joint resolution having substantially the same specific intent and purpose

Current Committee of Reference: House State Affairs Committee

Actions

04/06/2021 HOUSE On Committee agenda - Ways & Means Committee, 04/08/21, 5:30 pm, 17 H

04/08/2021 HOUSE Bill to be Discussed During the Office of EDR's Revenue Estimating Impact Conference, 04/09/21, 9:00 am, 117 K (No Votes Will Be Taken)

04/08/2021 HOUSE Favorable by Ways & Means Committee; 15 Yeas, 0 Nays

04/08/2021 HOUSE Now in State Affairs Committee

Compare

[SB 1182](#) Limitation on the Assessment of Real Property/Residential Purposes (Brandes)

Similar

[SB 1186](#) Property Assessments for Elevated Properties (Brandes)

Linked

[HB 1377](#) Limitation on Assessment of Real Property Used for Residential Purposes (Chaney)

SB 1382**Building Inspections** by Perry

Building Inspections; Requiring that certain counties allow requests for inspections to be submitted electronically; requiring that local enforcement agencies allow requests for inspections to be submitted electronically; authorizing enforcement agencies to perform virtual inspections, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2021

Current Committee of Reference: Senate Appropriations

Actions**Similar**

[HB 0667](#) Building Inspections (Mooney, Jr.)

HB 1431**Swimming Pool Specialty Contracting Services** by McClure

Swimming Pool Specialty Contracting Services: Revises types of buildings for which individuals who are not required to obtain certain registrations or certifications may perform contracting services without local license; authorizes persons under supervision of specified licensed contractors to perform specialty contracting services for commercial or residential swimming pools, interactive water features, hot tubs, or spas; provides that such supervision does not require contract between those persons. Effective Date: July 1, 2021.

Current Committee of Reference: No Current Committee

Actions

04/06/2021 HOUSE Favorable by Commerce Committee; 19 Yeas, 0 Nays

04/06/2021 HOUSE Placed on Calendar, on 2nd reading

Similar

[SB 0338](#) Specialty Contracting Services (Gruters)

HB 1519**Homestead Exemptions** by Duggan

Homestead Exemptions: Provides exceptions to definition of term "change of ownership" for certain homestead assessment limitation; provides person or family unit receiving or claiming benefit of ad valorem tax exemptions or tax credits in another state is not entitled to homestead exemption unless person or family unit demonstrates to property appraiser certain conditions have been met; provides homestead exemption forms prescribed by DOR may include information relating to ad valorem tax exemptions or tax credits in another state. Effective Date: July 1, 2021

Current Committee of Reference: No Current Committee

Actions

04/06/2021 HOUSE Favorable by State Affairs Committee; 21 Yeas, 0 Nays

04/06/2021 HOUSE Placed on Calendar, on 2nd reading

04/08/2021 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar, 04/15/21

Compare

[SB 1254](#) Ad Valorem Assessments (Bean)

SB 1560**Broadband Internet Service** by Ausley

Broadband Internet Service; Revising the duties of the Florida Office of Broadband within the Department of Economic Opportunity; requiring the office to develop geographic information system maps in collaboration with specified entities and consistent with certain federal reporting standards by a specified date; requiring the department to annually update such maps and establish a mechanism to receive and verify governmental and public input related to broadband Internet service; establishing the Broadband Deployment Task Force within the office for a specified purpose; requiring the office to establish a process to identify eligible households to receive federal Emergency Broadband Benefit Program funds under certain circumstances, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2021

Current Committee of Reference: Senate Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism,

Actions

04/08/2021 SENATE Subcommittee Recommendation: Favorable with CS by Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; 11 Yeas, 0 Nays

Compare

HB 0753 Broadband Internet Deployment (Clemons)

HB 1339 Broadband Internet Service (Goff-Marcil)

SB 1568 Department of Health by Rodriguez (A)

Department of Health; Revising the purpose of the department's targeted outreach program for certain pregnant women; requiring the department to provide, for a specified purpose, continued oversight of newborns exposed to HIV; revising provisions related to administrative fines for violations relating to onsite sewage treatment and disposal systems and septic tank contracting; exempting certain specialty hospitals from prohibitions relating to the employment of dentists and dental hygienists and the control of dental equipment and materials by nondentists; revising provisions relating to licensure by endorsement of midwives, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2021

Current Committee of Reference: Senate Appropriations

Actions**Compare**

SB 0818 Mental Health Professionals (Burgess)

HB 1565 Department of Health (Drake)

SB 1876 Relief from Burdens on Real Property Rights by Albritton

Relief from Burdens on Real Property Rights; Revising the definitions of the terms "action of a governmental entity" and "real property"; revising notice of claim requirements for property owners; authorizing property owners to bring actions to declare prohibited exactions invalid; revising the definition of the terms "land" or "real property", etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2021

Current Committee of Reference: Senate Rules

Actions**Compare**

HB 1101 Relief From Burdens on Real Property Rights (Persons-Mulicka)

SB 1380 Relief from Burdens on Real Property Rights (Rodrigues (R))

Identical

HB 0421 Relief From Burdens on Real Property Rights (Tuck)

SB 1924 Emergency Management Powers of Political Subdivisions by Diaz

Emergency Management Powers of Political Subdivisions; Specifying that a political subdivision has the burden of proving the proper exercise of its police power in the issuance of certain emergency orders; authorizing the Governor or the Legislature to invalidate emergency measures issued by a political subdivision under specified conditions; providing for the automatic expiration of emergency orders issued by a political subdivision; authorizing the extension of such orders if certain conditions are met; prohibiting a political subdivision from issuing a subsequent order for the same emergency that is substantially similar to the expired order, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2021

Current Committee of Reference: Senate Rules

Actions

04/06/2021 SENATE Temporarily Postponed by Rules

Compare

SB 2006	Emergency Management (Burgess)
HB 7047	Emergency Management (Pandemics & Public Emergencies Committee)

Similar

HB 0945	Emergency Manangement Powers of Political Subdivisions (Rommel)
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SB 1954 **Statewide Flooding and Sea Level Rise Resilience** by Rodrigues (R)

Statewide Flooding and Sea-level Rise Resilience; Establishing the Resilient Florida Grant Program within the Department of Environmental Protection; requiring the department to complete a comprehensive statewide flood vulnerability and sea level rise data set and assessment by specified dates; requiring the department to develop an annual Statewide Flooding and Sea Level Rise Resilience Plan and submit the plan to the Governor and Legislature by a specified date; requiring the department to implement a scoring system for assessing projects eligible for inclusion in the plan, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law

Current Committee of Reference: No Current Committee

Actions

04/07/2021	SENATE Read Second Time; Amendment Adopted (132074); Read Third Time; Passed (Vote: 40 Yeas / 0 Nays); The Senate requests that the House pass the bill as passed by the Senate or agree to include the bill in the Budget Conference; Immediately certified
04/07/2021	SENATE Engrossed Text (E1) Filed
04/07/2021	HOUSE In Messages
04/07/2021	HOUSE Received; Referred to Calendar
04/07/2021	HOUSE Placed on Calendar, on 2nd reading
04/08/2021	HOUSE Substituted for HB 7019; Read Second Time; Read Third Time; Passed (Vote: 118 Yeas / 0 Nays); Immediately certified
04/08/2021	SENATE Ordered enrolled
04/08/2021	SENATE Enrolled Text (ER) Filed

Compare

HB 0901	Inland and Coastal Flood Control Funding Assessment (Bartleman)
SB 1252	Inland and Coastal Flood Control Funding Assessment (Berman)
SB 2500	Appropriations (Appropriations)
HB 5001	General Appropriations Act (Appropriations Committee)
HB 5401	Documentary Stamp Tax Distributions (Agriculture & Natural Resources Appropriations Subcommittee)
HB 7021	Resilient Florida Trust Fund/DEP (Environment, Agriculture & Flooding Subcommittee)

Identical

HB 7019	Statewide Flooding and Sea Level Rise Resilience (Environment, Agriculture & Flooding Subcommittee)
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Linked

SB 2512	Documentary Stamp Tax Distributions (Appropriations)
SB 2514	Resilient Florida Trust Fund (Appropriations)

SB 2006 **Emergency Management** by Burgess

Emergency Management; Authorizing the Legislative Budget Commission to convene to transfer certain funds to the Emergency Preparedness and Response Fund; requiring that the state comprehensive emergency management plan provide for certain public health emergency communications and include the Department of Health's public health emergency plan; redefining the term "essentials" to include personal protective equipment used during public health emergencies; specifying that a political

subdivision has the burden of proving the proper exercise of its police power in the issuance of certain emergency orders, etc. Effective Date: Except as otherwise expressly provided in this act, this act shall take effect July 1, 2021

Current Committee of Reference: Senate Rules

Actions

04/06/2021 SENATE Favorable with CS by Rules; 12 Yeas, 5 Nays

04/07/2021 SENATE Committee Substitute Text (C2) Filed

Compare

HB 0945	Emergency Management Powers of Political Subdivisions (Rommel)
HB 1353	Personal Protective Equipment (Yarborough)
HB 1595	Emergency Preparedness and Response Fund (Williamson)
SB 1760	Personal Protective Equipment (Albritton)
SB 1892	Emergency Preparedness and Response Fund (Diaz)
SB 1924	Emergency Management Powers of Political Subdivisions (Diaz)
HB 7047	Emergency Management (Pandemics & Public Emergencies Committee)

HB 5401

Documentary Stamp Tax Distributions by Agriculture & Natural Resources Appropriations Subcommittee

Documentary Stamp Tax Distributions: Revises & deletes distributions of documentary stamp taxes collected; provides that specified distributions may not be transferred to General Revenue Fund; authorizes revenues in Water Protection & Sustainability Program Trust Fund to be distributed to a specified program. Effective Date: on the same date that House Bill 7019 and House Bill 7021 or similar legislation takes effect

Current Committee of Reference: No Current Committee

Actions

04/07/2021 HOUSE Read Second Time; Placed on Third Reading, 04/08/21

04/08/2021 HOUSE Read Third Time; Substituted for SB 2512; Laid on Table, Refer to SB 2512

Compare

SB 1954	Statewide Flooding and Sea Level Rise Resilience (Rodrigues (R))
SB 2500	Appropriations (Appropriations)
SB 2514	Resilient Florida Trust Fund (Appropriations)
HB 5001	General Appropriations Act (Appropriations Committee)

Similar

SB 2512	Documentary Stamp Tax Distributions (Appropriations)
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Linked

HB 7019	Statewide Flooding and Sea Level Rise Resilience (Environment, Agriculture & Flooding Subcommittee)
HB 7021	Resilient Florida Trust Fund/DEP (Environment, Agriculture & Flooding Subcommittee)

HB 7019

Statewide Flooding and Sea Level Rise Resilience by Environment, Agriculture & Flooding Subcommittee

Statewide Flooding and Sea Level Rise Resilience: Establishes Resilient Florida Grant Program within DEP to fund costs of community resilience planning; requires DEP to complete data set & assessment, develop annual Statewide Flooding & Sea Level Rise Resilience Plan & submit plan to Governor & Legislature; authorizes local governments, WMDs, & flood control districts to annually submit proposed projects to DEP; authorizes DEP to provide funding to regional resilience entities, subject to

appropriation; establishes Florida Flood Hub for Applied Research & Innovation; requires Hub to annually submit report to Governor & Legislature; requires OEDR to include flood control information in assessments. Effective Date: upon becoming a law

Current Committee of Reference: No Current Committee

Actions

04/07/2021 HOUSE Read Second Time; Amendment Adopted (541943); Placed on Third Reading, 04/08/21
04/07/2021 HOUSE Engrossed Text (E1) Filed
04/08/2021 HOUSE Read Third Time; Substituted for SB 1954; Laid on Table, Refer to SB 1954

Compare

[HB 0901](#) Inland and Coastal Flood Control Funding Assessment (Bartleman)
[SB 1252](#) Inland and Coastal Flood Control Funding Assessment (Berman)
[SB 2512](#) Documentary Stamp Tax Distributions (Appropriations)
[SB 2514](#) Resilient Florida Trust Fund (Appropriations)

Identical

[SB 1954](#) Statewide Flooding and Sea Level Rise Resilience (Rodrigues (R))

Linked

[HB 5401](#) Documentary Stamp Tax Distributions (Agriculture & Natural Resources Appropriations Subcommittee)
[HB 7021](#) Resilient Florida Trust Fund/DEP (Environment, Agriculture & Flooding Subcommittee)

HB 7021

Resilient Florida Trust Fund/DEP by Environment, Agriculture & Flooding Subcommittee

Resilient Florida Trust Fund/DEP: Creates Resilient Florida Trust Fund within DEP; provides for purpose of fund; provides for future review & termination or re-creation of fund. Effective Date: on the same date that HB 7019 or similar legislation takes effect

Current Committee of Reference: No Current Committee

Actions

04/07/2021 HOUSE Read Second Time; Placed on Third Reading, 04/08/21
04/08/2021 HOUSE Read Third Time; Substituted for SB 2514; Laid on Table, Refer to SB 2514

Compare

[SB 1954](#) Statewide Flooding and Sea Level Rise Resilience (Rodrigues (R))
[SB 2512](#) Documentary Stamp Tax Distributions (Appropriations)

Identical

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Linked

[HB 5401](#) Documentary Stamp Tax Distributions (Agriculture & Natural Resources Appropriations Subcommittee)
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