



Legislation and Communications Committee

Report on Activities from Sacramento

Item 6c

April 8, 2024

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Subject

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Purpose

To provide a legislative update as we begin legislative session.

Sacramento Legislative Calendar

Legislative Calendar

- April 26: Last day for fiscal bills to move out of policy committee
- May 3: Last day for non-fiscal bills to move out of policy committee

State Fiscal Outlook

Sacramento Budget Update



GM Lobby Visits In Sacramento

Sacramento General Manager Highlights



Sacramento Legislative Highlights

2-Year Bills of Interest: Climate Bonds

AB 1567 (Garcia): Safe Drinking Water, Wildfire Prevention, Drought Preparation, Flood Protection, Extreme Heat Mitigation and Workforce Development Bond Act of 2024



Sacramento Legislative Highlights

2-Year Bills of Interest: Climate Bonds (cont'd)

SB 867 (Allen): Drought, Flood, and Water Resilience, Wildfire and Forest Resilience, Coastal Resilience, Extreme Heat Mitigation, Biodiversity and Nature-Based Climate Solutions, and Clean Energy Bond Act of 2024



Sacramento Legislative Highlights

2-Year Bills of Interest: Water Rights

- AB 460 (Bauer-Kahan) State Water Resources Control Board: water rights and usage: interim relief: procedures.
- AB 1337 (Wicks) State Water Resources Control Board: water diversion curtailment.

Sacramento Legislative Highlights

Colorado River Conservation - Support

- AB 2610 (Garcia) Protected species:
authorized take: Salton Sea Management
Program: System Conservation
Implementation Agreement

Prop 218 Clean-Up - Support

- AB 1827 (Papan): Local government: fees and charges: water: higher-consumptive water parcels
- AB 2257 (Wilson): Local government: property-related water and sewer fees and assessments: remedies

Water Quality

- AB 903 (Skinner) Environmental health: product safety: perfluoroalkyl and polyfluoroalkyl substances

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Conservation Regulation Clean-Up Bills

- AB 3121 (Hart) Urban retail water suppliers: written notice: conservation order: dates
- SB 1110 (Ashby): Urban retail water suppliers: informational order: conservation order
- SB 1185 (Niello): Water conservation: water use objectives.
- SB 1330 (Archuleta): Urban retail water supplier: water use

Connection and Capacity Charges

- AB 1820 (Schiavo): Housing development projects: applications: fees and exactions
- SB 937 (Wiener): Development projects: permits and other entitlements: fees and charges
- SB 1210 (Skinner): New housing construction: electrical, gas, sewer, and water service connections: charges.

