

Legislation, Regulatory Affairs, and Communications Committee

Report on Activities from Sacramento

Item 6d September 12, 2023

Legislative Deadlines

Sept. l Last day for fiscal committees

Sept. 5–14 Floor Session Only

Sept. 14 Last day of session

Oct. 14 Last day for Governor to sign bills



Sacramento Legislative Highlights

Proposed Climate Bond

Climate Bond Funding: SB 867 (Allen) and ABI567 (Garcia)

Metropolitan Bond Request

- \$1.8 Billion for Recycled Water Projects
- \$850 Million for Dam Safety
- \$500 Million for Regional Conveyance
- \$250 Million for Urban Conservation

Sacramento Legislative Highlights

Bills of Interest to Metropolitan

- AB 399 (Boerner) Water Ratepayers Protections Act of 2023: County Water Authority Act: exclusion of territory
- AB 1373 (Garcia) Energy
- ACA I (Aguiar-Curry) Local government financing: affordable housing and public infrastructure: voter approval.
- ACA 13 (Ward) Voting thresholds

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Bills of Interest to Metropolitan

- AB 1572 (Friedman): Potable water: nonfunctional turf
- AB 1573 (Friedman): Water conservation: landscape design: model ordinance





Next Session Highlights

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Sacramento Legislative Highlights

- Bond Measures
- Water Rights
- Floodflow Streamlining
- SMARA Extension
- SWRCB Science Advisory Panel



