



Legislation and Communications Committee

Report on Activities from Sacramento

Item 6c

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Subject

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Purpose

To provide a legislative update as we begin legislative session.

Sacramento
Legislative
Highlights

Legislative Calendar

Apr 24, Last day for policy committees to pass fiscal bills

May 1, Last for policy committees to meet prior to June 1

New Senior Legislative Representative



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Trevor Taylor

Sacramento Board Advocacy Day

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- SWP Water Rights
- Subsidence Repairs
- Sepulveda Feeder Pump Stations Project
- Golden Mussel Control

Advanced Clean Fleets

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Legislative Update

- AB 35 (Alvarez) Safe Drinking Water, Wildfire Prevention, Drought Preparedness, and Clean Air Bond Act of 2024: Administrative Procedure Act: exemption: program guidelines and selection criteria.
- AB 2215 (Calderon) Water rights: permits: State Water Project
- SB 872 (McNerney) Climate change: funding priorities.

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Legislative Update: Wildfire Response

- AB 2013 (Bennett) Fire risk areas: water suppliers: emergency preparedness plan.
- SB 1153 (Caballero) Disaster preparedness: urban retail water suppliers and public water systems: wildfire.
- SB 1417 (Perez) Disaster preparedness: public water systems.

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Legislative Update: Invasive Mussels

- AB 1772 (Papan) Fish and wildlife: aquatic invasive species: golden mussels.
- AB 1894 (Rubio) Fish and wildlife: invasive mussels.
- AB 2032 (Ransom) Fish and wildlife: restricted species permits.

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Legislative Update: Tribal Community

- AB 1881 (Ramos) California Indian Freedom Act of 2026.
- AB 2218 (Kalra) Water policy: California Native American tribes.
- SB 1326 (Wahab) California Environmental Quality Act: tribal cultural resources: mitigation measures.

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Legislative Update

- AB 2026 (Aguiar-Curry) Water diversion: groundwater recharge: permit.
- AB 2739 (Soria) Community Water Affordability Program
- SB 1085 (Caballero) Water supply planning: California Environmental Quality Act determination.

