

Legislation and Communications Committee

Report on Activities from Sacramento

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Subject

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Purpose

To provide an update on relevant state legislative issues

Sacramento Legislative Calendar

Legislative Calendar

Mar 17: Deadline for submission of Assembly spot bill amendments

Mar 26: Deadline for submission of Senate spot bill amendments

Legislative Update

Metropolitan Sponsored Bill

• AB 580 (Wallis) Surface Mining and Reclamation Act Exemption

Member Agency Proposals

- AB 259 (Rubio) Open meetings: local agencies: teleconferences
- SB 394 (Allen) Water theft: fire hydrants

Eastern MWD Proposal

AB 523 (Irwin) Metropolitan water districts: alternate representative

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Legislative Update

CA Water Plan Update

• SB 72 (Caballero): The California Water Plan: longterm supply targets

Water Quality

SB 454 (McNerney): State Water Resources Control
Board: PFAS Mitigation Program

Low Income Rate Assistance

- AB 532 (Ransom): Water rate assistance program
- SB 350 (Durazo): Water Rate Assistance Program

Legislative Update

Recycled Water

- SB 31 (McNerney): Water quality: recycled water Water Rights
- AB 362 (Ramos): Water policy: California tribal communities

Wildfire Response

• AB 367 (Bennett): County water districts: County of Ventura: fire suppression

