

Legislation, Regulatory Affairs, and Communications Committee

Report on Activities from Sacramento

Item 6b April 10, 2023

Legislative Deadlines

March 31 – April 9:

Legislative spring recess

April 10:

Legislature reconvenes

April 28:

Policy committee deadline

for fiscal bills

May 5:

Policy committee deadline

for non-fiscal bills

Sacramento Legislative Highlights

Bills of Interest:

- SB 366 (Caballero): The California Water Plan: long-term supply targets
- SB 659 (Ashby) California Water Supply Solutions Act of 2023
- AB 1613 (Bains): Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta: Salinity Intrusion Delta Act
- SB 687 (Eggman): Water Quality Control Plan: Delta Conveyance Project
- AB 1573 (Friedman): Water conservation: landscape design: model ordinance
- SB 57 (Gonzalez): Utilities: disconnection of residential service

Water Rights Bills

Sacramento Legislative Highlights

- AB 406 (Bauer-Kahan): State Water Resources Control Board: water rights and usage: interim relief: procedures
- AB 676 (Bennett): Water: general state policy
- AB 1272 (Wood): State Water Resources Control Board: drought planning
- AB 1337 (Wicks): State Water Resources Control Board: water shortage enforcement
- SB 389 (Allen): State Water Resources Control Board: determination of water right

Water bonds

Sacramento Legislative Highlights

- AB 1567 (Garcia): Safe Drinking Water, Wildfire, Drought Preparation, Flood Protection, Extreme Heat Mitigation, and Workforce Development Bond Act of 2023.
- SB 867 (Allen): Drought and Water Resilience, Wildfire and Forest Resilience, Coastal Resilience, Extreme Heat Mitigation, Biodiversity and Nature-based Climate Solutions, Climate Smart Agriculture, and Park Creation and Outdoor Access Bond of 2024.
- AB 305 (Villapudua): California Flood Protection Bond Act of 2024
- SB 638 (Eggman): Climate Resiliency and Flood Protection Bond Act of 2024

