MEMO

DATE: April 5, 2007

TO: Regional Council

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SUBJECT: 2007 State and Federal Legislation Matrix

BACKGROUND:

The attached legislative bill matrix provides summaries of state and federal legislation relevant to SCAG activities and items of interest.

These legislative bills are organized by subject matter in the following categories: Air Quality, Aviation, Energy, Environment, Housing, Solid Waste, Transit, Transportation, Tribes and Water. We also have new sections which contain implementing legislation that follows the passage of the infrastructure bonds in 2006. These sections are labeled accordingly as Transportation Bonds, Housing Bonds, and Water Bonds.

Although it is early in the legislative session, to the extent available the bill summaries include known on-record positions for other statewide organizations following these issues, such as the California League of Cities, California State Association of Counties, CALCOG, and others.

Att.

FISCAL IMPACT:

This information item has no fiscal impact on SCAG.

Reviewed by: *Division Manager*

Reviewed by: *Department Director*

Reviewed by: *Chief Financial Officer*

Private file: AirQuality

'AB 255

AUTHOR: De Leon (D)
TITLE: Air Pollution: Clean Air and Energy Independence Fund
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 02/05/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
COMMITTEE: Assembly Transportation Committee
HEARING: 03/26/2007 1:30 pm
SUMMARY:

Creates the Clean Air and Energy Independence Fund and continuously appropriate moneys in the fund to the State Air Resources Board to be used towards specified purposes, including incentives for alternative fuel and alternative fuel vehicles. Increases the smog abatement fee by a specified amount and could allocate the increase to the Clean Air and Energy Independence Fund.

STATUS:

02/20/2007 To ASSEMBLY Committee on TRANSPORTATION.

Private file: Aviation

S HR 313

SPONSOR: Pearce (R)
TITLE: Greater Access to Air Transportation
INTRODUCED: 01/05/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: House Transportation & Infrastructure Committee
SUMMARY:

Promotes greater access to air transportation for all persons.

STATUS:

01/05/2007 INTRODUCED.
01/05/2007 To HOUSE Committee on TRANSPORTATION AND INFRASTRUCTURE.

S HR 1356

SPONSOR: Oberstar (DFL)
TITLE: Federal Aviation Administration Appropriations
INTRODUCED: 03/06/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Multiple Committees
SUMMARY:

Authorizes appropriations for the Federal Aviation Administration for fiscal years 2008 through 2010; improves aviation safety and capacity; provides stable, cost-based funding for the national aviation system; relates to other purposes.

STATUS:

03/06/2007 INTRODUCED.
03/06/2007 To HOUSE Committee on TRANSPORTATION AND INFRASTRUCTURE.
03/06/2007 Additionally referred to HOUSE Committee on SCIENCE.
03/06/2007 Additionally referred to HOUSE Committee on WAYS AND MEANS.

JS S 509

SPONSOR: Inouye (D)
TITLE: Improved Aviation Security
INTRODUCED: 02/06/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: SENATE
SUMMARY:

Provides improved aviation security; provides for other purposes.

STATUS:

03/05/2007 From SENATE Committee on COMMERCE, SCIENCE, AND TRANSPORTATION: Reported as amended.
03/05/2007 In SENATE. Placed on SENATE Legislative Calendar.

Private file: Energy

CA AB 94

AUTHOR: Levine (D)
TITLE: Renewable Energy
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 12/20/2006

DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Assembly Utilities and Commerce Committee
SUMMARY:
Revises the intent language so that the amount of electricity generated per year from eligible renewable energy resources is increased to an amount that equals at least 33% of the total electricity sold to retail customers in California per year by a specified date. Requires that each retail seller increase its total procurement of eligible renewable energy resources by at least an additional 1% of retail sales per year so that 33% of its retail sales are procured from eligible renewable energy resources.
STATUS:

02/01/2007	To ASSEMBLY Committees on UTILITIES AND COMMERCE and NATURAL RESOURCES.

S HR 6

SPONSOR: Rahall (D)
TITLE: Alternative Energy Resources
INTRODUCED: 01/04/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: SENATE
SUMMARY:
Relates to reducing our Nation's dependency on foreign oil by investing in clean, renewable, and alternative energy resources, promoting new energy technologies, developing greater efficiency, and creating a Strategic Energy Efficiency and Renewable Reserve to invest in alternative energy.
STATUS:

01/22/2007	In SENATE. Read second time.
01/22/2007	In SENATE. Placed on SENATE Legislative Calendar.

S HR 547

SPONSOR: Gordon (D)
TITLE: Alternative Fuel Markets
INTRODUCED: 01/18/2007
LAST AMEND: 02/08/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Senate Environment and Public Works Committee
SUMMARY:
Facilitates the development of markets for alternative fuels and Ultra Low Sulfur Diesel fuel through research, development, and demonstration and data collection.
STATUS:

02/17/2007	In SENATE. Read second time.
02/17/2007	To SENATE Committee on ENVIRONMENT AND PUBLIC WORKS.

US HR 1300

SPONSOR: Hoyer (D)
TITLE: Nations Reduced Reliancetional on Foreign Oil
INTRODUCED: 03/01/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Multiple Committees
SUMMARY:
To strengthen national security and promote energy independence by reducing the Nation's reliance on foreign oil, improving vehicle technology and efficiency, increasing the distribution of alternative fuels, bolstering rail infrastructure, and expanding access to public transit.
STATUS:

03/01/2007	INTRODUCED.
03/01/2007	To HOUSE Committee on ENERGY AND COMMERCE.
03/01/2007	Additionally referred to HOUSE Committee on ARMED SERVICES.
03/01/2007	Additionally referred to HOUSE Committee on OVERSIGHT AND GOVERNMENT REFORM.
03/01/2007	Additionally referred to HOUSE Committee on RULES.
03/01/2007	Additionally referred to HOUSE Committee on SCIENCE.
03/01/2007	Additionally referred to HOUSE Committee on WAYS AND MEANS.
03/01/2007	Additionally referred to HOUSE Committee on HOUSE ADMINISTRATION.
03/01/2007	Additionally referred to HOUSE Committee on TRANSPORTATION AND INFRASTRUCTURE.

US HR 1506

SPONSOR: Markey (D)
TITLE: Fuel Economy Standards for Automobiles
INTRODUCED: 03/13/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: House Energy and Commerce Committee
SUMMARY:

To increase fuel economy standards for automobiles, and for other purposes.

STATUS:

03/13/2007	INTRODUCED.
03/13/2007	To HOUSE Committee on ENERGY AND COMMERCE.

US S 6

SPONSOR: Reid (D)
TITLE: Reducing Foreign and Unsustainable Energy Sources
INTRODUCED: 01/04/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Senate Finance Committee
SUMMARY:

A bill to enhance the security of the United States by reducing the dependence of the United States on foreign and unsustainable energy sources and the risks of global warming, and for other purposes.

STATUS:

01/04/2007	INTRODUCED.
01/04/2007	In SENATE. Read second time.
01/04/2007	To SENATE Committee on FINANCE.

US S 23

SPONSOR: Harkin (D)
TITLE: Renewable Fuel And Energy Security
INTRODUCED: 01/04/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Senate Commerce, Science & Transportation Committee
SUMMARY:

Promotes renewable fuel and energy security of the United States, and for other purposes.

STATUS:

01/04/2007	INTRODUCED.
01/04/2007	In SENATE. Read second time.
01/04/2007	To SENATE Committee on COMMERCE, SCIENCE, AND TRANSPORTATION.

US S 155

SPONSOR: Bunning (R)
TITLE: Coal to Liquid Fuel Activities
INTRODUCED: 01/04/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Senate Finance Committee
SUMMARY:

Promotes coal to liquid fuel activities.

STATUS:

01/04/2007	INTRODUCED.
01/04/2007	In SENATE. Read second time.
01/04/2007	To SENATE Committee on FINANCE.

US S 183

SPONSOR: Stevens (R)
TITLE: Corporate Average Fuel Economy
INTRODUCED: 01/04/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Senate Commerce, Science & Transportation Committee
SUMMARY:

Requires the establishment of a corporate average fuel economy standard for passenger automobiles of forty miles per gallon 2017, and for other purposes.

STATUS:

01/04/2007	INTRODUCED.
01/04/2007	In SENATE. Read second time.
01/04/2007	To SENATE Committee on COMMERCE, SCIENCE, AND TRANSPORTATION.

Private file: Environment

CA AB 6

AUTHOR: Houston (R)
TITLE: Greenhouse Gases: Market-Based Compliance Mechanisms
INTRODUCED: 12/04/2006
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Assembly Natural Resources Committee
SUMMARY:

Requires the State Air Resources Board to adopt market-based compliance mechanisms to reduce emissions of greenhouse gases.

STATUS:

	02/01/2007	To ASSEMBLY Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.

AB 99	**AUTHOR:**	Feuer (D)
	TITLE:	Vehicular Air Pollution and Clean Alternative Fuel
	INTRODUCED:	12/21/2006
	DISPOSITION:	Pending
	LOCATION:	ASSEMBLY
	SUMMARY:	
	Makes legislative findings and declarations regarding the use of clean, alternative fuels. Declares the intent of the Legislature to ensure that no less than 50% of all new cars made available for sale in the state are powered by clean alternative fuels.	
	STATUS:	
	12/21/2006	INTRODUCED.

A AB 109	**AUTHOR:**	Nunez (D)
	TITLE:	Global Warming Solutions Act of 2006: Annual Report
	FISCAL COMMITTEE:	yes
	URGENCY CLAUSE:	no
	INTRODUCED:	01/05/2007
	DISPOSITION:	Pending
	LOCATION:	Assembly Natural Resources Committee
	SUMMARY:	
	Requires the State Air Resources Board to report to the Legislature annually the status and progress of implementing the Global Warming Solutions Act of 2006. Requires the state to adopt a statewide greenhouse gas emissions limit equivalent to the statewide greenhouse gas emissions levels in 1990 to be achieved by 2020.	
	STATUS:	
	02/01/2007	To ASSEMBLY Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.

CA AB 118	**AUTHOR:**	Nunez (D)
	TITLE:	Alternative Fuels: Funding
	INTRODUCED:	01/09/2007
	DISPOSITION:	Pending
	LOCATION:	ASSEMBLY
	SUMMARY:	
	Declares legislative intent to provide ongoing funding for alternative fuel research, development, and deployment in order to advance the state's leadership in clean technologies, meet the state's clean air and greenhouse gas emission reduction standards, develop public-private partnerships, and ensure a reliable fuel supply.	
	STATUS:	
	01/09/2007	INTRODUCED.

CA AB 242	**AUTHOR:**	Blakeslee (R)
	TITLE:	Energy Policy: Emissions of Greenhouse Gases
	FISCAL COMMITTEE:	no
	URGENCY CLAUSE:	no
	INTRODUCED:	02/01/2007
	DISPOSITION:	Pending
	LOCATION:	ASSEMBLY
	SUMMARY:	
	Makes legislative findings and declarations regarding the policy and intent of the state with regard to reductions in emissions of greenhouse gases.	
	STATUS:	
	02/01/2007	INTRODUCED.

CA AB 493	**AUTHOR:**	Ruskin (D)
	TITLE:	Motor Vehicle Greenhouse Gas Emissions: Incentives
	INTRODUCED:	02/20/2007
	DISPOSITION:	Pending
	COMMITTEE:	Assembly Transportation Committee
	HEARING:	03/26/2007 1:30 pm
	SUMMARY:	
	Requires the State Air Resources Board to create and implement a clean vehicle incentive program meeting specified requirements, that would provide rebates to, and require surcharges from, purchasers of new motor vehicles based on the vehicle's greenhouse gas emissions to mitigate against	

emissions of greenhouse gases from motor vehicles. Creates the Clean Vehicle Incentive Account to be administered by the state board.

STATUS:

03/15/2007 To ASSEMBLY Committee on TRANSPORTATION.

A AB 505

AUTHOR: Plescia (R)
TITLE: Income and Corporation Taxes: Credits: Hybrid
INTRODUCED: 02/20/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: ASSEMBLY
SUMMARY:

Authorizes a credit against the Personal Income Tax and the Corporation Tax in an amount equal to a percentage of the aggregate amount paid by a taxpayer during the taxable year for a qualified hybrid vehicle.

STATUS:

02/20/2007 INTRODUCED.

CA AB 616

AUTHOR: Jones (D)
TITLE: Smog Check: Annual Inspection
INTRODUCED: 02/21/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Assembly Transportation Committee
SUMMARY:

Requires the Department of Consumer Affairs to incorporate annual inspection of motor vehicles 15 or greater model years old into the motor vehicle inspection and maintenance program. Requires funds generated through additional inspection fees to be deposited into the High Polluter Repair or Removal Account.

STATUS:

03/01/2007 To ASSEMBLY Committee on TRANSPORTATION.

CA AB 747

AUTHOR: Levine (D)
TITLE: Greenhouse Gas Emission: Fuel Standard
INTRODUCED: 02/22/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: ASSEMBLY
SUMMARY:

Requires the State Air Resources Board to reduce the carbon intensity of the state's transportation fuels. Requires the board to implement a low-carbon fuel standard applicable to refiners, blenders, producers and importers of transportation fuel. Requires the Public Utilities Commission to address how investor-owned utilities can contribute to reduction in greenhouse gas emission in the transportation code.

STATUS:

02/22/2007 INTRODUCED.

CA AB 1077

AUTHOR: Lieber (D)
TITLE: Air Resources Board: Plug-in Hybrid Vehicles
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 02/23/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: ASSEMBLY
SUMMARY:

Enacts the Plug-in Hybrid Electric Vehicle Leadership Act of 2007. Establishes a Plug-in Hybrid Electric Vehicle Coordinating Council to meet and be an ongoing focal point for coordination between entities and organizations working on plug-in hybrid electric vehicle-related activities. Requires the Air Resources Board to develop certification testing protocols for emissions and fuel consumption for the different types of plug-in vehicles.

STATUS:

02/23/2007 INTRODUCED.

CA AB 1190

AUTHOR: Horton (R)
TITLE: Fuel Tax: Exemptions and Credits
INTRODUCED: 02/23/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Assembly Revenue and Taxation Committee
SUMMARY:

Decreases the rate of taxes imposed by the Use Fuel Tax Law and the Diesel Fuel Tax Law for Category 2 fuel. Creates a high-carbon fuel tax for Category 3 fuel. Decreases the combined state and federal tax rate limits, as applicable to each type of fuel. Authorizes the Board of Equalization to adjust the rate of high-carbon fuel tax to ensure that the total amount of revenues derived from the tax rate.

STATUS:

03/15/2007 To ASSEMBLY Committee on REVENUE AND TAXATION.

:A AB 1209

AUTHOR: Karnette (D)
TITLE: Air Resources Board: Bond Allocation Criteria
INTRODUCED: 02/23/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: ASSEMBLY
SUMMARY:

Relates to the Highway Safety, Traffic Reduction, Air Quality, and Port Security Bond Act. Requires a specified amount of funds to be made available, upon appropriation by the Legislature to the Air Resources Board for emission reductions from activities related to the movement of freight along State trade corridors. Requires the state board to develop guidelines meeting specified requirements for funding allocations.

STATUS:

02/23/2007 INTRODUCED.

CA AB 1488

AUTHOR: Mendoza (D)
TITLE: Air Pollution: Smog Check Program: Diesel Vehicles
INTRODUCED: 02/23/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: ASSEMBLY
SUMMARY:

Requires the State Air Resources Board to develop and adopt, by regulation, a pilot program to integrate lightweight diesel vehicles into the smog check program. Considers a set percentage of eligible vehicles that would be tested, although vehicle owners would not be subject to disciplinary action based on test results. Requires a related fee.

STATUS:

02/23/2007 INTRODUCED.

CA SB 19

AUTHOR: Lowenthal (D)
TITLE: Trade Corridor: Projects to Reduce Emissions: Funding
INTRODUCED: 12/04/2006
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Senate Rules Committee
SUMMARY:

Declares the intent of the Legislature to enact legislation that establishes conditions and criteria for projects funded under provisions of the Highway Safety, Traffic Reduction, Air Quality, and Port Security Bond Act of 2006.

STATUS:

01/18/2007 To SENATE Committee on RULES.

CA SB 70

AUTHOR: Florez (D)
TITLE: Biodiesel
INTRODUCED: 01/17/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
COMMITTEE: Senate Business, Professions & Economic Development Committee
HEARING: 03/26/2007 2:00 pm
SUMMARY:

Specifies standards for biodiesel and biodiesel blends. Requires at least on sign stating the concentration of biodiesel. Creates a voluntary CO2 labeling program for petroleum, biodiesel, and finished fuel blends containing biodiesel.

STATUS:

01/25/2007 To SENATE Committees on BUSINESS, PROFESSIONS AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT and RULES.

CA SB 71

AUTHOR: Florez (D)
TITLE: Alternative Fuels: Biodiesel
INTRODUCED: 01/17/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
COMMITTEE: Senate Transportation and Housing Committee
HEARING: 03/27/2007 1:30 pm

SUMMARY:

Requires all vehicles owned or leased by the state, by a city, county or city and county, or by a mass transit district, that uses diesel fuel to instead use B20 biodiesel fuel or a higher blend of biodiesel. Requires the State Air Resources Board to establish a program to implement and monitor the requirements.

STATUS:

01/25/2007	To SENATE Committees on TRANSPORTATION AND HOUSING and ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY.

S S 280

SPONSOR:	Lieberman (D)
TITLE:	Greenhouse Gas Emissions
INTRODUCED:	01/12/2007
DISPOSITION:	Pending
LOCATION:	Senate Environment and Public Works Committee

SUMMARY:

Provides for a program to accelerate the reduction of greenhouse gas emissions in the United States by establishing a market-driven system of greenhouse gas treatable allowances.

STATUS:

01/12/2007	INTRODUCED.
01/12/2007	In SENATE. Read second time.
01/12/2007	To SENATE Committee on ENVIRONMENT AND PUBLIC WORKS.

Private file: Housing

:A AB 414

AUTHOR:	Jones (D)
TITLE:	Local Planning: Residential Development
FISCAL COMMITTEE:	no
URGENCY CLAUSE:	no
INTRODUCED:	02/16/2007
DISPOSITION:	Pending
COMMITTEE:	Assembly Local Government Committee
HEARING:	04/11/2007 1:30 pm

SUMMARY:

Limits the manner in which a jurisdiction utilizes, in identifying land suitable for residential development to meet the jurisdiction's share of the regional housing need, vacant sites zoned for nonresidential use that allows residential development and for which the applicable zoning and development standards allow substantially all of the site to be developed without residential use.

STATUS:

02/26/2007	To ASSEMBLY Committees on LOCAL GOVERNMENT and HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT.

:A AB 723

AUTHOR:	DeVore (R)
TITLE:	Environmental Quality Act
INTRODUCED:	02/22/2007
DISPOSITION:	Pending
LOCATION:	ASSEMBLY

SUMMARY:

Relates to the California Environmental Quality Act. Declares the intent of the Legislature to enact legislation to declare a CEQA Holiday exemption for a period of 5 years for the construction of agricultural employee housing, affordable housing and urban infill housing projects.

STATUS:

02/22/2007	INTRODUCED.

CA AB 842

AUTHOR:	Jones (D)
TITLE:	Regional Plans: Housing and Traffic Reduction
INTRODUCED:	02/22/2007
DISPOSITION:	Pending
LOCATION:	ASSEMBLY

SUMMARY:

Creates eligibility standards for the funds that will be made available from the Highway Safety, Traffic Reduction, Air Quality and Port Security Bond Act of 2006 and the Housing and Emergency Shelter Trust of Fund of 2006. Requires that a project be located within a regional plan to reduce the vehicle miles traveled per household.

STATUS:

02/22/2007	INTRODUCED.

A AB 971	**AUTHOR:**	Portantino (D)
	TITLE:	Housing: Density Bonuses
	INTRODUCED:	02/22/2007
	DISPOSITION:	Pending
	LOCATION:	ASSEMBLY
	SUMMARY:	
	Relates to changes in the Planning and Zoning Law which requires, when a developer of housing proposes a housing development within the jurisdiction of the local government, the city, county, or city and county to provide the developer with a density bonus and other incentives or concessions for the production of lower income housing units or the donation of land within the development.	
	STATUS:	
	02/22/2007	INTRODUCED.

CA AB 997	**AUTHOR:**	Arambula (D)
	TITLE:	Infill Capital Outlay Project and Planning Grants
	INTRODUCED:	02/22/2007
	DISPOSITION:	Pending
	LOCATION:	ASSEMBLY
	SUMMARY:	
	Requires the Department of Housing and Community Development to administer the Regional Planning, Housing, and Infill Incentive Account. Requires specified amounts from the account to be available to fund grants to cities, counties, cities and counties, redevelopment agencies, incorporated mutual water companies, special districts, and nonprofit organizations for capital outlay projects that will serve development on land the meets the definition.	
	STATUS:	
	02/22/2007	INTRODUCED.

CA AB 1096	**AUTHOR:**	DeVore (R)
	TITLE:	Environmental Quality Act
	INTRODUCED:	02/23/2007
	DISPOSITION:	Pending
	LOCATION:	ASSEMBLY
	SUMMARY:	
	Declares the intent of the Legislature to enact legislation to declare a holiday exemption from the Environmental Quality Act for a period of 5 years for the construction of agricultural employee housing, affordable housing and urban infill housing projects.	
	STATUS:	
	02/23/2007	INTRODUCED.

CA AB 1221	**AUTHOR:**	Ma (D)
	TITLE:	Transit Village Developments: Tax Financing
	INTRODUCED:	02/23/2007
	DISPOSITION:	Pending
	LOCATION:	ASSEMBLY
	SUMMARY:	
	Allows a city or county that prepares a transit village plan, with the agreement with each government agency that operates every transit station in the transit district, to engage in tax increment financing to fulfill the goals of a transit development plan.	
	STATUS:	
	02/23/2007	INTRODUCED.

CA AB 1254	**AUTHOR:**	Caballero (D)
	TITLE:	Property Tax Revenue Allocations
	INTRODUCED:	02/23/2007
	DISPOSITION:	Pending
	LOCATION:	Assembly Local Government Committee
	SUMMARY:	
	Requires the county auditor to reduce the total amount of ad valorem property tax revenue otherwise required to be allocated to the county Educational Revenue Augmentation Fund (ERAF) by the countywide affordable housing amount, and to increase the amount of ad valorem property tax revenue otherwise required to be allocated to a qualified local agency, by that agency's affordable housing amount.	
	STATUS:	
	03/15/2007	To ASSEMBLY Committee on LOCAL GOVERNMENT.

AB 1256

AUTHOR: Caballero (D)
TITLE: Density Bonus: Exemption: Local Inclusionary Ordinance
INTRODUCED: 02/23/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Assembly Local Government Committee
SUMMARY:
Exempts a city, county, or city and county from complying with the density bonus requirement, and the incentive and concession requirement related to low income housing development under the Planning and Zoning Law if the local government has in effect a local inclusionary ordinance, as specified, that meets certain requirements.
STATUS:
03/15/2007 To ASSEMBLY Committees on LOCAL GOVERNMENT and HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT.

A AB 1449

AUTHOR: Saldana (D)
TITLE: Density Bonus
INTRODUCED: 02/23/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: ASSEMBLY
SUMMARY:
Relates to density bonuses under the Planning and Zoning Law. Revises the eligibility requirements for construction of moderate income housing units to conform to the requirements in existing law for low and very low income housing units.
STATUS:
02/23/2007 INTRODUCED.

CA SB 12

AUTHOR: Lowenthal (D)
TITLE: Planning and Zoning: SOCAL Association
FISCAL COMMITTEE: no
URGENCY CLAUSE: yes
INTRODUCED: 12/04/2006
LAST AMEND: 01/29/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
FILE: 1
LOCATION: Assembly Second Reading File
SUMMARY:
Substantially revises the procedure for the Southern California Association of Governments, or delegate subregion, as applicable, to develop a final allocation plan for distributing the existing and projected regional housing need to cities and counties within the region or subregion.
STATUS:
03/14/2007 From ASSEMBLY Committee on LOCAL GOVERNMENT: Do pass.

CA SB 303

AUTHOR: Ducheny (D)
TITLE: Local Government: Housing
INTRODUCED: 02/16/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
COMMITTEE: Senate Transportation and Housing Committee
HEARING: 03/27/2007 1:30 pm
SUMMARY:
Requires each county or city general plan to encompass a specified planning and projection period. Requires the housing element statement be relative to the maintenance, preservation, improvement, and development of housing for very low, low- and moderate income households, and special needs housing. Requires an estimate of the maximum number of housing units for specified categories that can be constructed, rehabilitated or conserved over a specified period. Relates to infill procedures.
STATUS:
02/28/2007 To SENATE Committees on TRANSPORTATION AND HOUSING and RULES.

CA SB 934

AUTHOR: Lowenthal (D)
TITLE: Housing and Infrastructure Zones
INTRODUCED: 02/23/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Senate Local Government Committee
SUMMARY:
Establishes a pilot project allowing for the formation of 100 housing and infrastructure zones in the state. Authorizes Economic Development and Infrastructure Development Bank to finance the purchase, construction, expansion, improvement, seismic retrofit, or rehabilitation of real or other tangible

property, including interchanges, ramps and bridges, material streets, parking facilities, transit facilities, sewage treatment and water reclamation plants and interceptor pipes.

STATUS:

03/15/2007	To SENATE Committees on LOCAL GOVERNMENT and TRANSPORTATION AND HOUSING.

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SPONSOR: Schumer (D)
TITLE: Operating and Capital Assistance
INTRODUCED: 02/26/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Senate Banking, Housing and Urban Affairs Committee
SUMMARY:

Ensures that operating and capital assistance is provided for certain previously assisted public housing dwelling units.

STATUS:

02/26/2007	INTRODUCED.
02/26/2007	In SENATE. Read second time.
02/26/2007	To SENATE Committee on BANKING, HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS.

Private file: HousingBonds

:A AB 29

AUTHOR: Hancock (D)
TITLE: Infill Development: Incentive Grants
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 12/04/2006
LAST AMEND: 03/05/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
COMMITTEE: Assembly Local Government Committee
HEARING: 04/11/2007 1:30 pm
SUMMARY:

Relates to infill development. Requires certain of the Housing and Emergency Shelter Trust Funds to be made available to the Department of Housing and Community Development for the purposes of making infrastructure grants for construction or acquisition of capital assets to qualifying cities, counties, and cities and counties. Requires a project to meet certain, listed criteria in order to be eligible for grant funding.

STATUS:

03/05/2007	From ASSEMBLY Committee on LOCAL GOVERNMENT with author's amendments.
03/05/2007	In ASSEMBLY. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on LOCAL GOVERNMENT.

CA AB 792

AUTHOR: Garcia (R)
TITLE: Affordable Housing Program
INTRODUCED: 02/22/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: ASSEMBLY
SUMMARY:

Establishes the Environmentally Sustainable Affordable Housing Program consisting of the Construction Liability Insurance Reform Pilot Program, the Green Building, Energy Efficiency and Building Design Program, and the Affordable Housing for Teachers Program. Requires the department to fund these programs.

STATUS:

02/22/2007	INTRODUCED.

CA AB 1017

AUTHOR: Ma (D)
TITLE: Housing and Energy Shelter Trust Fund Act of 2006
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 02/22/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: ASSEMBLY
SUMMARY:

Requires that funds made available under the Housing and Emergency Shelter Bond Act for certain purposes be allocated in conformance with certain requirements, including that a funded project be consistent with the general plan of the jurisdiction in which the project is located that not less than an

unspecified percent of the funds allocated to the project be used to assist families of low income in achieving first-time home ownership.

STATUS:

02/22/2007 INTRODUCED.

AB 1053

AUTHOR: Nunez (D)
TITLE: Housing and Emergency Shelter Trust Fund Act
FISCAL COMMITTEE: no
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 02/23/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: ASSEMBLY
SUMMARY:

Relates to the Housing and Emergency Shelter Trust Fund Act of 2006. Relates to finance of existing housing programs, capital outlay related to infill development, brownfield cleanup that promotes infill development, and housing-related parks. Sets forth the intent of the Legislature that funds derived under the bond act be expended in a specified manner.

STATUS:

02/23/2007 INTRODUCED.

A AB 1231

AUTHOR: Garcia (R)
TITLE: Infill Development: Incentive Grants
INTRODUCED: 02/23/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: ASSEMBLY
SUMMARY:

Requires the Department of Housing and Community Development to use funds allocated from the Regional Planning, Housing, and Infill Incentive Account to make infrastructure grants for construction or acquisition of capital assets to qualifying cities, counties, and cities and counties. Requires the grants to be used for infrastructure that is directly related to identified infill housing projects.

STATUS:

02/23/2007 INTRODUCED.

:A AB 1536

AUTHOR: Smyth (R)
TITLE: Housing and Emergency Shelter Trust Fund Act of 2006
INTRODUCED: 02/23/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: ASSEMBLY
SUMMARY:

States the intent of the Legislature to enact legislation requiring the Department of Parks and Recreation to be the agency authorized to administer the housing-related parks grants in urban, suburban, and rural areas, and to be authorized to administer the grants for park creation, development, or rehabilitation to encourage infill development.

STATUS:

02/23/2007 INTRODUCED.

CA SB 46

AUTHOR: Perata (D)
TITLE: Housing and Emergency Shelter Trust Fund Act
FISCAL COMMITTEE: no
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 12/22/2006
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Senate Rules Committee
SUMMARY:

Makes technical, nonsubstantive changes to the Housing and Emergency Shelter Trust Fund Act of 2006 which authorizes the issuance of bonds to finance various existing housing programs, capital outlay related to infill development, brownfield cleanup that promotes infill development, and housing-related parks.

STATUS:

01/18/2007 To SENATE Committee on RULES.

CA SB 292

AUTHOR: Wiggins (D)
TITLE: State Bond Funds: Allocation
INTRODUCED: 02/15/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Senate Rules Committee

SUMMARY:
Establishes the Housing and Emergency Shelter Trust Fund of 2006. Provides for urban greening projects that reduce energy consumption, conserve water, improve air and water quality, and provide for other community benefit, including revolving loan programs. Enacts legislation to develop conditions and criteria for the appropriation and expenditure of such bond funds.
STATUS:
02/20/2007 To SENATE Committee on RULES.

SB 522

AUTHOR: Dutton (R)
TITLE: Infill Housing: Incentives
INTRODUCED: 02/22/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Senate Rules Committee
SUMMARY:
Relates to the finance of existing housing programs, capital outlay related to infill development, brownfield cleanup and housing-related parks. Sets forth findings and declarations regarding expenditure of the funds deposited in the Regional Planning, Housing and Infill Incentive Account.
STATUS:
02/28/2007 To SENATE Committee on RULES.

SB 546

AUTHOR: Ducheny (D)
TITLE: Department of Housing and Community Development: Funds
INTRODUCED: 02/22/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Senate Transportation and Housing Committee
SUMMARY:
Requires a specified report at the Department of Housing and Community Development to include certain information relating to the programs funded under the Housing and Emergency Shelter Trust Fund Act of 2002 and the Housing and Emergency Shelter Trust Fund Act of 2006.
STATUS:
03/08/2007 To SENATE Committee on TRANSPORTATION AND HOUSING.

A SB 753

AUTHOR: Correa (D)
TITLE: Affordable Housing Fund: Mobilehome Park Purchase Fund
INTRODUCED: 02/23/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Senate Transportation and Housing Committee
SUMMARY:
Transfers an unspecified sum from the Affordable Housing Innovation Fund to the Mobilehome Park Purchase Fund to provide loans to qualified nonprofit housing sponsors, resident organizations, or low-income residents for the purpose of preserving affordable housing in mobilehome parks.
STATUS:
03/08/2007 To SENATE Committee on TRANSPORTATION AND HOUSING.

Private file: SolidWaste

JS HR 70

SPONSOR: Davis Jo (R)
TITLE: Out of State Municipal Solid Waste Regulations
INTRODUCED: 01/04/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: House Energy and Commerce Committee
SUMMARY:
Authorizes States to regulate the receipt and disposal of out-of-State municipal solid waste.
STATUS:
01/04/2007 INTRODUCED.
01/04/2007 To HOUSE Committee on ENERGY AND COMMERCE.

US HR 274

SPONSOR: Davis Jo (R)
TITLE: Municipal Solid Waste
INTRODUCED: 01/05/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: House Energy and Commerce Committee
SUMMARY:
Imposes certain limitations on the receipt of out-of-state municipal solid waste.
STATUS:

	01/05/2007	INTRODUCED.
	01/05/2007	To HOUSE Committee on ENERGY AND COMMERCE.

; HR 720

SPONSOR: Oberstar (DFL)
TITLE: Water Pollution Control
INTRODUCED: 01/30/2007
LAST AMEND: 03/09/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Senate Environment and Public Works Committee
SUMMARY:
Authorizes appropriations for State water pollution control revolving funds.
STATUS:

03/12/2007	In SENATE. Read second time.
03/12/2007	To SENATE Committee on ENVIRONMENT AND PUBLIC WORKS.

S S 719

SPONSOR: Lautenberg (D)
TITLE: Surface Transportation Board
INTRODUCED: 02/28/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Senate Commerce, Science & Transportation Committee
SUMMARY:
Amends section 10501 of title 49, United States Code, to exclude solid waste disposal from the jurisdiction of the Surface Transportation Board.
STATUS:

02/28/2007	INTRODUCED.
02/28/2007	In SENATE. Read second time.
02/28/2007	To SENATE Committee on COMMERCE, SCIENCE, AND TRANSPORTATION.

Private file: Transit

:A AB 387

AUTHOR: Duvall (R)
TITLE: Design-Build: Transit Contracts
INTRODUCED: 02/15/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Assembly Transportation Committee
SUMMARY:
Amends law that authorizes transit operators to enter into design-build contract according to specified procedures. Provides that the prequalification process is optional for technology or surveillance procurements designed to enhance safety, disaster preparedness, and homeland security efforts. Authorizes transit operators to enter into design-build contract for transit projects that involve state highway construction or local street and road projects.
STATUS:

03/12/2007	To ASSEMBLY Committees on TRANSPORTATION and BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONS.

CA AB 889

AUTHOR: Lieu (D)
TITLE: Metro Green Line Construction Authority
INTRODUCED: 02/22/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: ASSEMBLY
SUMMARY:
Establishes the Metro Green Line Construction Authority for the purpose of awarding and overseeing final design and construction contracts for completion of the Los Angeles-Metro Green Line light rail project that would establish a coastal extension of the Green Line to the north and south, including an initial segment to the Los Angles International Airport.
STATUS:

02/22/2007	INTRODUCED.

CA AB 901

AUTHOR: Nunez (D)
TITLE: Highway Safety
INTRODUCED: 02/22/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: ASSEMBLY
SUMMARY:
Amends existing law, the Highway Safety, Traffic Reduction, Air Quality, and Port Security Bond Act of

2006. Makes various findings regarding public transportation and would declare the intent of the Legislature to provide accountability measures in the allocation of those proceeds.

STATUS:

02/22/2007 INTRODUCED.

A AB 981

AUTHOR: Ma (D)
TITLE: High Speed Rail Authority
INTRODUCED: 02/22/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Assembly Transportation Committee
SUMMARY:

Amends existing law that creates the High Speed Rail Authority with duties relating to the development and implementation of an intercity high speed rail system. Requires the authority to elect a chairperson and a vice chairperson to preside in the chairperson's absence and the authority to elect one or more vice chairpersons.

STATUS:

03/12/2007 To ASSEMBLY Committee on TRANSPORTATION.

CA AB 1221

AUTHOR: Ma (D)
TITLE: Transit Village Developments: Tax Financing
INTRODUCED: 02/23/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: ASSEMBLY
SUMMARY:

Allows a city or county that prepares a transit village plan, with the agreement with each government agency that operates every transit station in the transit district, to engage in tax increment financing to fulfill the goals of a transit development plan.

STATUS:

02/23/2007 INTRODUCED.

CA AB 1228

AUTHOR: Solorio (D)
TITLE: High-Speed Passenger Train Bond Act
INTRODUCED: 02/23/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: ASSEMBLY
SUMMARY:

Relates to the Safe, Reliable High-Speed Passenger Train Bond Act for the 21st Century. Provides that Anaheim is to be the Southern terminus of the initial segment of the high-speed train system. provides for the Anaheim-Irvine segment, the bill would provide that no general obligation bond funds shall be available for construction, but that those funds shall be available only for eligible planning, environmental, and engineering costs.

STATUS:

02/23/2007 INTRODUCED.

CA AB 1240

AUTHOR: Benoit (R)
TITLE: Riverside County Transportation Commission
INTRODUCED: 02/23/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: ASSEMBLY
SUMMARY:

Authorizes the Riverside County Transportation Commission to enter into those design-build contracts for the purpose of constructing commuter rail lines and would designate that commission as a transit operator for those purposes.

STATUS:

02/23/2007 INTRODUCED.

CA SB 442

AUTHOR: Ackerman (R)
TITLE: Public Contracts: Transit Projects: Design-Build
INTRODUCED: 02/21/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
COMMITTEE: Senate Transportation and Housing Committee
HEARING: 04/10/2007 1:30 pm
SUMMARY:

Amends existing law that authorizes transit operators to enter into a design-build contract. Specifies that such provisions apply only to transit projects, and that transit projects do not include highway construction or local street and road projects. Specifies that project include, but are not limited to,

high-occupancy vehicle lane connecting State Route 22 to Interstates 405 and 604.

STATUS:

02/28/2007 To SENATE Committee on TRANSPORTATION AND HOUSING.

A SB 650

AUTHOR: Padilla (D)
TITLE: Vehicles: Maximum Length: Exceptions
INTRODUCED: 02/22/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
COMMITTEE: Senate Transportation and Housing Committee
HEARING: 04/10/2007 1:30 pm
SUMMARY:

Extends to 65 feet the maximum vehicle length with exception for an articulated bus or articulated trolley coach.

STATUS:

03/08/2007 To SENATE Committee on TRANSPORTATION AND HOUSING.

CA SB 724

AUTHOR: Kuehl (D)
TITLE: Public Utilities Commission: Rate Setting
INTRODUCED: 02/23/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Senate Rules Committee
SUMMARY:

Authorizes the Public Utilities Commission to determine whether a proceeding requires a hearing, and if so, to determine whether the matter requires a quasi-legislative, adjudication, or a rate setting hearing.

STATUS:

03/08/2007 To SENATE Committee on RULES.

US HR 238

SPONSOR: Waxman (D)
TITLE: Funding for San Fernando Valley Metro Rail Project
INTRODUCED: 01/04/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: SENATE
SUMMARY:

Repeals a prohibition on the use of certain funds for tunneling in certain areas with respect to the Los Angeles to San Fernando Valley Metro Rail project, California.

STATUS:

02/07/2007 In HOUSE. Discharged from HOUSE Committee on TRANSPORTATION AND INFRASTRUCTURE.
02/07/2007 In HOUSE. Passed HOUSE. *****To SENATE.

US S 497

SPONSOR: Boxer (D)
TITLE: Los Angeles to San Fernando Valley Metro Rail Project
INTRODUCED: 02/06/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Senate Banking, Housing and Urban Affairs Committee
SUMMARY:

Repeals a prohibition on the use of certain funds for tunneling in certain areas with respect to the Los Angeles to San Fernando Valley Metro Rail project, California.

STATUS:

02/06/2007 INTRODUCED.
02/06/2007 In SENATE. Read second time.
02/06/2007 To SENATE Committee on BANKING, HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS.

Private file: Transportation

CA AB 57

AUTHOR: Soto (D)
TITLE: Highways: Safe Routes to School Construction Program
INTRODUCED: 12/04/2006
DISPOSITION: Pending
COMMITTEE: Assembly Transportation Committee
HEARING: 03/26/2007 1:30 pm
SUMMARY:

Deletes the January 1, 2008, repeal date of the Safe Routes to School construction program, thereby extending the provisions indefinitely. Deletes the January 1, 2008, repeal date of provisions authorizing state and local entities to secure and expend federal funds for programs related to bicycles and

pedestrian safety and traffic-calming measures in high-hazard locations.
STATUS:
02/01/2007 To ASSEMBLY Committee on TRANSPORTATION.

AB 256

AUTHOR: Huff (R)
TITLE: State Highway Operation and Protection Programs
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 02/05/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Assembly Transportation Committee
SUMMARY:
Relates to the state highway operation and protection program. Appropriates to the department, from funds in the State Highway Account the amount identified for traffic safety projects.
STATUS:
03/12/2007 In ASSEMBLY Committee on TRANSPORTATION: Not heard.

A AB 642

AUTHOR: Wolk (D)
TITLE: Design-Build: Counties, Cities & Special Districts
INTRODUCED: 02/21/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: ASSEMBLY
SUMMARY:
Authorizes any county, with the approval of the board of supervisors, to enter into design-build contracts in accordance with specified provisions. Expands design-build contracts to include water resource facilities and wastewater treatment projects.
STATUS:
02/21/2007 INTRODUCED.

CA AB 663

AUTHOR: Galgiani (D)
TITLE: Pupils: Parent Involvement
INTRODUCED: 02/21/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Assembly Governmental Organization Committee
SUMMARY:
States the intent of the Legislature to enact legislation that would encourage school districts to establish parent involvement programs that have proven effective in increasing the involvement of parents who do not speak English.
STATUS:
03/15/2007 To ASSEMBLY Committee on GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATION.

CA AB 784

AUTHOR: Karnette (D)
TITLE: Transportation Bonds
INTRODUCED: 02/22/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: ASSEMBLY
SUMMARY:
Amends the Highway Safety, Traffic Reduction, Air Quality, and Port Security Bond Act of 2006. Adopts guidelines and policies to ensure timely use of these bond funds by requiring construction on a project to begin no later than a certain date. Provides that applicants for bond funds not comply with competitive bidding requirements.
STATUS:
02/22/2007 INTRODUCED.

CA AB 867

AUTHOR: Davis (D)
TITLE: Transportation Analysis Zones
INTRODUCED: 02/22/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: ASSEMBLY
SUMMARY:
Requires each metropolitan planning organization and each transportation planning agency, in developing the regional transportation plan, to factor the mobility of low-income and minority residents into its computer analysis of regional transportation analysis zones. Requires results of such analysis to be availed to the public.
STATUS:
02/22/2007 INTRODUCED.

AB 899	**AUTHOR:**	Parra (D)
	TITLE:	Transportation Facilities
	INTRODUCED:	02/22/2007
	DISPOSITION:	Pending
	LOCATION:	ASSEMBLY
	SUMMARY:	
	Relates to existing law that authorizes the Department of Transportation and regional transportation agencies to enter into up to 4 comprehensive development lease agreements with public and private entities, or consortia of those entities, for certain transportation projects that may charge certain users of those projects tolls and user fees, subject to various terms and requirements.	
	STATUS:	
	02/22/2007	INTRODUCED.
A AB 1003	**AUTHOR:**	Jeffries (R)
	TITLE:	Department of Transportation
	FISCAL COMMITTEE:	yes
	URGENCY CLAUSE:	no
	INTRODUCED:	02/22/2007
	DISPOSITION:	Pending
	LOCATION:	Assembly Transportation Committee
	SUMMARY:	
	Provides that a local or regional agency that is contributing an unspecified portion of a state highway project's costs from local revenues may request the Department of Transportation to provide dedicated personnel or other resources pursuant to a special agreement between the agency and the department in order to expedite the department's review of the project.	
	STATUS:	
	03/12/2007	To ASSEMBLY Committee on TRANSPORTATION.
CA AB 1295	**AUTHOR:**	Spitzer (R)
	TITLE:	Transportation Facilities: Tolls: Riverside County
	INTRODUCED:	02/23/2007
	DISPOSITION:	Pending
	LOCATION:	ASSEMBLY
	SUMMARY:	
	States the intent of the Legislature to enact legislation relative to high-occupancy toll (HOT) lanes and value pricing programs in Riverside County.	
	STATUS:	
	02/23/2007	INTRODUCED.
CA AB 1306	**AUTHOR:**	Huff (R)
	TITLE:	Sales Taxes on Gasoline
	INTRODUCED:	02/23/2007
	DISPOSITION:	Pending
	LOCATION:	ASSEMBLY
	SUMMARY:	
	Reduces the portion of gasoline sales tax revenues that are deposited in the Public Transportation Account by eliminating what is commonly known as the spillover formula. Increase revenues from the sales tax on gasoline that are deposited in the General Fund. Requires those revenues to be transferred to the Transportation Investment Fund.	
	STATUS:	
	02/23/2007	INTRODUCED.
CA AB 1322	**AUTHOR:**	Duvall (R)
	TITLE:	Transportation Facilities: Public-Private Partnerships
	INTRODUCED:	02/23/2007
	DISPOSITION:	Pending
	LOCATION:	ASSEMBLY
	SUMMARY:	
	Relates to transportation facilities constructed by public-private partnerships. Makes changes to provision whereby negotiated lease agreements must be submitted to the legislature for approval or rejection, with approval to be achieved by enactment of a statute.	
	STATUS:	
	02/23/2007	INTRODUCED.
CA AB 1499	**AUTHOR:**	Garrick (R)

TITLE: Department of Transportation: Design-Build
INTRODUCED: 02/23/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: ASSEMBLY
SUMMARY:
Authorizes the Department of Transportation to use the design-build procurement process for its state highway construction contracts.
STATUS:
02/23/2007 INTRODUCED.

A SB 45

AUTHOR: Perata (D)
TITLE: Transportation Funds for Capital Projects
FISCAL COMMITTEE: no
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 12/22/2006
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Senate Rules Committee
SUMMARY:
States the intent of the Legislature to enact legislation that would establish the application process for allocations from the Transit System Safety, Security, and Disaster Response Account.
STATUS:
01/18/2007 To SENATE Committee on RULES.

CA SB 56

AUTHOR: Runner G (R)
TITLE: Highway Construction Contracts
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 01/10/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Senate Transportation and Housing Committee
SUMMARY:
Declares the intent of the Legislation to authorize a demonstration program that would allow a careful examination of the benefits and challenges of using a design-build method of procurement for transportation projects. Authorizes certain state and local transportation entities to use a design-build process for contracting on transportation projects. Requires a transportation entity to implement a labor compliance program for design-build projects. Establishes a procedure for submitting bids.
STATUS:
01/25/2007 To SENATE Committees on TRANSPORTATION AND HOUSING and RULES.

CA SB 61

AUTHOR: Runner G (R)
TITLE: Transportation: Public Private-Partnerships
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 01/16/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Senate Transportation and Housing Committee
SUMMARY:
Authorizes the Department of Transportation or regional transportation agency nominating a project to pay a stipend to proposers of a project under certain conditions. Authorizes the department or regional transportation agencies to enter into agreement under which a private entity constructs a transportation project that is operated without the charging of a toll or user fee, but where the private entity receives compensation in the form of a shadow toll or other type of payment.
STATUS:
01/25/2007 To SENATE Committee on TRANSPORTATION AND HOUSING.

CA SB 184

AUTHOR: Alquist (D)
TITLE: Transportation Projects
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 02/06/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
COMMITTEE: Senate Transportation and Housing Committee
HEARING: 03/27/2007 1:30 pm
SUMMARY:
Limits provisions of existing law that authorizes a regional or local entity that is the sponsor of, or is eligible to receive funding for, a project contained in the state transportation improvement program to

expend its own funds for any component of a project within its jurisdiction that is included in an adopted state transportation improvement program, and for which the commission has not made an allocation to projects advanced for expenditure by an eligible entity.

STATUS:

02/15/2007 To SENATE Committee on TRANSPORTATION AND HOUSING.

SB 427

AUTHOR: Harman (R)
TITLE: Environmental Quality Act: Impact Reports
INTRODUCED: 02/21/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Senate Environmental Quality Committee
SUMMARY:

Authorizes a lead agency to prepare a short form environmental impact report for a project subject to the Cal. Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) if the project meets specified criteria, including that the project is a qualified urban use, provides housing or employment near specified areas, and incorporates specified mitigation measures.

STATUS:

02/28/2007 To SENATE Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY.

A SB 445

AUTHOR: Torlakson (D)
TITLE: Road User Task Force
INTRODUCED: 02/21/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
COMMITTEE: Senate Transportation and Housing Committee
HEARING: 04/10/2007 1:30 pm
SUMMARY:

Creates the Road User Task Force.

STATUS:

02/28/2007 To SENATE Committee on TRANSPORTATION AND HOUSING.

:A SB 717

AUTHOR: Perata (D)
TITLE: Transportation Investment Fund
INTRODUCED: 02/23/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
COMMITTEE: Senate Transportation and Housing Committee
HEARING: 04/10/2007 1:30 pm
SUMMARY:

Continues the Transportation Investment Fund in existence and specifies the use of revenues deposited in that fund from gasoline sales tax revenues subject to Article XIX B beginning in the 2008-09 fiscal year.

STATUS:

03/08/2007 To SENATE Committees on TRANSPORTATION AND HOUSING and REVENUE AND TAXATION.

:A SB 826

AUTHOR: Padilla (D)
TITLE: Solid Waste: Environmental Justice
INTRODUCED: 02/23/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Senate Environmental Quality Committee
SUMMARY:

Requires the Integrated Waste Management Board to adopt state minimum stands to identify and mitigate environmental justice impacts in disproportionately affected communities in which solid waste facilities are located, including providing advance notice regarding permitting or enforcement, and specified mitigation measures.

STATUS:

03/08/2007 To SENATE Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY.

CA SB 872

AUTHOR: Ackerman (R)
TITLE: State-Local Partnership Program
INTRODUCED: 02/23/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Senate Transportation and Housing Committee
SUMMARY:

Creates the State-Local Partnership Program and appropriates a specified amount per year for 5 years beginning in the 2010-11 fiscal year. Provides for allocation of state funds to eligible highway and mass transit guideway projects nominated by local agencies are to be funded with at least 50% of local funds

derived from a locally imposed transportation sales tax.

STATUS:

03/15/2007 To SENATE Committee on TRANSPORTATION AND HOUSING.

\ SB 974

AUTHOR: Lowenthal (D)
TITLE: Ports: Congestion Relief: Environmental Mitigation
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 02/23/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Senate Transportation and Housing Committee
SUMMARY:

Requires the Ports of Los Angeles and Long Beach to transmit 1/2 of the funds derived from imposition of the fee to the Southern California Port Congestion Relief Trust Fund. Requires the Port of Oakland to transmit 1/2 of the funds derived from imposition of the fee to the Northern California Port Congestion Relief Trust Fund and 1/2 to the Northern California Port Mitigation Relief Trust Fund.

STATUS:

03/15/2007 To SENATE Committees on TRANSPORTATION AND HOUSING and ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY.

:A SB 1016

AUTHOR: Wiggins (D)
TITLE: Diversion: Alternative Compliance System
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 02/23/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Senate Environmental Quality Committee
SUMMARY:

Enacts the Alternative Diversion Compliance System Act. Requires each city, county, and regional agency to implement the diversion programs set forth in its source reduction and recycling element. Requires each city, county, and regional agency to prepare an initial update of its source reduction and recycling element and the household hazardous waste element to reflect all diversion programs that the jurisdiction is implementing.

STATUS:

03/15/2007 To SENATE Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY.

CA SB 1020

AUTHOR: Padilla (D)
TITLE: Solid Waste: Diversion
INTRODUCED: 02/23/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Senate Environmental Quality Committee
SUMMARY:

Requires, on and after January 1, 2012, that a city or county divert from landfill disposal or transformation no less than 75% of all solid waste, through source reduction, recycling, and composting activities.

STATUS:

03/15/2007 To SENATE Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY.

US HR 238

SPONSOR: Waxman (D)
TITLE: Funding for San Fernando Valley Metro Rail Project
INTRODUCED: 01/04/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: SENATE
SUMMARY:

Repeals a prohibition on the use of certain funds for tunneling in certain areas with respect to the Los Angeles to San Fernando Valley Metro Rail project, California.

STATUS:

02/07/2007 In HOUSE. Discharged from HOUSE Committee on TRANSPORTATION AND INFRASTRUCTURE.

02/07/2007 In HOUSE. Passed HOUSE. *****To SENATE.

US HR 1053

SPONSOR: Miller Ga (R)
TITLE: California Transportation Projects
INTRODUCED: 02/14/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: House Transportation & Infrastructure Committee

SUMMARY:

Authorizes the Secretary of Transportation to carry out certain transportation projects in the State of California to relieve congestion on State Route 91.

STATUS:

02/14/2007	INTRODUCED.
02/14/2007	To HOUSE Committee on TRANSPORTATION AND INFRASTRUCTURE.

US HR 1195

SPONSOR:	Oberstar (DFL)
TITLE:	Safe Accountable Flexible Efficient Transportation Act
INTRODUCED:	02/27/2007
DISPOSITION:	Pending
LOCATION:	House Transportation & Infrastructure Committee

SUMMARY:

Amends the Safe, Accountable, Flexible, Efficient Transportation Equity Act: A Legacy for Users to make technical corrections; relates to other purposes.

STATUS:

02/27/2007	INTRODUCED.
02/27/2007	To HOUSE Committee on TRANSPORTATION AND INFRASTRUCTURE.

US HR 1493

SPONSOR:	Mica (R)
TITLE:	Secretary of Transportation Grant Authorizations
INTRODUCED:	03/13/2007
DISPOSITION:	Pending
LOCATION:	House Transportation & Infrastructure Committee

SUMMARY:

To authorize the Secretary of Transportation to make grants to public transportation agencies, over-the-road bus operators, railroads, and other certain entities to improve security, and for other purposes.

STATUS:

03/13/2007	INTRODUCED.
03/13/2007	To HOUSE Committee on TRANSPORTATION AND INFRASTRUCTURE.

US HR 1516

SPONSOR:	Oberstar (DFL)
TITLE:	To Authorize Appropriations For Activities Under T
INTRODUCED:	03/14/2007
DISPOSITION:	Pending
LOCATION:	House Transportation & Infrastructure Committee

SUMMARY:

To authorize appropriations for activities under the Federal railroad safety laws for fiscal years 2008 through 2011, and for other purposes.

STATUS:

03/14/2007	INTRODUCED.
03/14/2007	To HOUSE Committee on TRANSPORTATION AND INFRASTRUCTURE.

US S 184

SPONSOR:	Inouye (D)
TITLE:	Rail and Surface Transportation Security
INTRODUCED:	01/04/2007
DISPOSITION:	Pending
LOCATION:	SENATE

SUMMARY:

Provides improved rail and surface transportation security.

STATUS:

02/15/2007	From SENATE Committee on COMMERCE, SCIENCE, AND TRANSPORTATION: Reported with an amendment in the nature of a substitute.
02/15/2007	In SENATE. Placed on SENATE Legislative Calendar.

US S 234

SPONSOR:	Kerry (D)
TITLE:	Television White Spaces
INTRODUCED:	01/09/2007
DISPOSITION:	Pending
LOCATION:	Senate Commerce, Science & Transportation Committee

SUMMARY:

Requires the FCC to issue a final order regarding television white spaces.

STATUS:

01/09/2007	INTRODUCED.

01/09/2007	In SENATE. Read second time.
01/09/2007	To SENATE Committee on COMMERCE, SCIENCE, AND TRANSPORTATION.

IS S 294

SPONSOR: Lautenberg (D)
TITLE: Reauthorizing Amtrak
INTRODUCED: 01/16/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Senate Commerce, Science & Transportation Committee
SUMMARY:
A bill to reauthorize Amtrak, and for other purposes.
STATUS:

01/16/2007	INTRODUCED.
01/16/2007	In SENATE. Read second time.
01/16/2007	To SENATE Committee on COMMERCE, SCIENCE, AND TRANSPORTATION.

Private file: TransportationBonds

CA AB 412

AUTHOR: Smyth (R)
TITLE: Transportation: Project Delivery Deadlines
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 02/16/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Assembly Transportation Committee
SUMMARY:
Requires the Transportation Commission, in order to ensure the timely use of Highway Safety, Traffic Reduction, Air Quality, and Port Security Bond Act Funds, to specify project delivery deadlines for each program category for which the commission has the authority under the bond act to allocate funds.
STATUS:

02/26/2007	To ASSEMBLY Committee on TRANSPORTATION.

CA AB 784

AUTHOR: Karnette (D)
TITLE: Transportation Bonds
INTRODUCED: 02/22/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: ASSEMBLY
SUMMARY:
Amends the Highway Safety, Traffic Reduction, Air Quality, and Port Security Bond Act of 2006. Adopts guidelines and policies to ensure timely use of these bond funds by requiring construction on a project to begin no later than a certain date. Provides that applicants for bond funds not comply with competitive bidding requirements.
STATUS:

02/22/2007	INTRODUCED.

CA AB 995

AUTHOR: Nava (D)
TITLE: Ports Infrastructure, Security, and Air Quality
INTRODUCED: 02/22/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: ASSEMBLY
SUMMARY:
States the intent of the Legislature to advance certain goals and policies relating to the Highway Safety, Traffic Reduction, Air Quality, and Port Security Fund of 2006.
STATUS:

02/22/2007	INTRODUCED.

CA SB 9

AUTHOR: Lowenthal (D)
TITLE: Trade Corridor Improvement: Transportation Project
INTRODUCED: 12/04/2006
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Senate Rules Committee
SUMMARY:
Amends existing law, the Highway Safety, Traffic Reduction, Air Quality, and Port Security Bond Act. Requires a sum to be transferred to the Trade Corridors Improvement Fund. Provides for infrastructure improvements along federally designated Trade Corridors of National Significance. Sets forth the intent of the Legislature to enact legislation that establishes a process for the selection of transportation

projects.
STATUS:
01/18/2007 To SENATE Committee on RULES.

SB 19

AUTHOR: Lowenthal (D)
TITLE: Trade Corridor: Projects to Reduce Emissions: Funding
INTRODUCED: 12/04/2006
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Senate Rules Committee
SUMMARY:
Declares the intent of the Legislature to enact legislation that establishes conditions and criteria for projects funded under provisions of the Highway Safety, Traffic Reduction, Air Quality, and Port Security Bond Act of 2006.
STATUS:
01/18/2007 To SENATE Committee on RULES.

A SB 45

AUTHOR: Perata (D)
TITLE: Transportation Funds for Capital Projects
FISCAL COMMITTEE: no
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 12/22/2006
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Senate Rules Committee
SUMMARY:
States the intent of the Legislature to enact legislation that would establish the application process for allocations from the Transit System Safety, Security, and Disaster Response Account.
STATUS:
01/18/2007 To SENATE Committee on RULES.

CA SB 47

AUTHOR: Perata (D)
TITLE: Transportation Bonds
INTRODUCED: 12/22/2006
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Senate Rules Committee
SUMMARY:
States the intent of the Legislature to enact provisions governing project eligibility, matching fund requirements, and the application process relative to allocation of bond proceeds of the Highway Safety, Traffic Reduction, Air Quality, and Port Security Bond Act of 2006 to the State-Local Partnership Program.
STATUS:
01/18/2007 To SENATE Committee on RULES.

CA SB 262

AUTHOR: Runner G (R)
TITLE: Transportation: Trade Corridors Improvement
INTRODUCED: 02/14/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Senate Transportation and Housing Committee
SUMMARY:
Requires the Transportation Commission, when allocating certain funds to projects, to consider the impact of a project on goods movement and port operations in the Southern California region and the potential of a project to benefit the inland port concept in order to relieve congestion at and in the vicinity of the Port of Los Angeles and the Port of Long Beach.
STATUS:
02/20/2007 To SENATE Committee on TRANSPORTATION AND HOUSING.

CA SB 286

AUTHOR: Dutton (R)
TITLE: Transportation Bonds: Implementation
INTRODUCED: 02/15/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Senate Transportation and Housing Committee
SUMMARY:
Requires bond funds for local street and road purposes to be allocated in cycles. Requires the Controller to use the population figures from the Department of Finance in making allocations to cities.
STATUS:
02/20/2007 To SENATE Committee on TRANSPORTATION AND HOUSING.

SB 307

AUTHOR: Dutton (R)
TITLE: Goods Movement
INTRODUCED: 02/16/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Senate Rules Committee
SUMMARY:
States the intent of the Legislature to incorporate the Southern California National Freight Gateway Strategy into the Goods Movement Action Plan.
STATUS:
02/28/2007 To SENATE Committee on RULES.

SB 716

AUTHOR: Perata (D)
TITLE: Transit Operations
INTRODUCED: 02/23/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Senate Rules Committee
SUMMARY:
States the intent of the Legislature to establish the process through which transit operators may apply for an allocation of funds from the Public Transportation Modernization, Improvement, and Service Enhancement Account.
STATUS:
03/08/2007 To SENATE Committee on RULES.

A SB 745

AUTHOR: Oropeza (D)
TITLE: Transportation Funding: Port Security
INTRODUCED: 02/23/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Senate Rules Committee
SUMMARY:
States the intent of the Legislature to require the Office of Emergency Services to develop criteria for allocating general obligation bonds for port, harbor, and ferry terminal security.
STATUS:
03/08/2007 To SENATE Committee on RULES.

:A SB 748

AUTHOR: Corbett (D)
TITLE: Transportation
INTRODUCED: 02/23/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Senate Transportation and Housing Committee
SUMMARY:
States the purposes of the State-Local Partnership Program to be allocated by the Transportation Commission to eligible transportation projects nominated by transportation agencies. Requires the Transportation Commission to adopt guidelines for the program.
STATUS:
03/08/2007 To SENATE Committee on TRANSPORTATION AND HOUSING.

Private file: Tribes

CA AB 169

AUTHOR: Levine (D)
TITLE: Joint Powers Authorities: Indian Tribes
FISCAL COMMITTEE: no
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 01/23/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Assembly Local Government Committee
SUMMARY:
Provides that 16 federally recognized Indian tribal governments may participate in the Southern California Association of Governments, a joint powers authority, for specified purposes and subject to specified conditions in the 6 - county region of the Southern California Association of Governments.
STATUS:
03/12/2007 To ASSEMBLY Committee on LOCAL GOVERNMENT.

Private file: Water

CA AB 19

AUTHOR: DeVore (R)

TITLE: Water Quality: Santa Ana Region
INTRODUCED: 12/04/2006
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Assembly Environmental Safety and Toxic Materials Committee
SUMMARY:
Establishes the Santa Ana Regional Water Quality Improvement Project and the Santa Ana Regional Water Quality Improvement Board. Authorizes a city or county to allow a discharger within its jurisdiction, upon the request of the discharger, to become subject to regulation by the Santa Ana Regional Water Quality Improvement Board. Authorizes the developer of a development project to agree to pay a fee to the appropriate city or county, based on the acreage and density of the proposed development project.
STATUS:
02/01/2007 To ASSEMBLY Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL SAFETY AND TOXIC MATERIALS.

CA AB 141

AUTHOR: Saldana (D)
TITLE: Water Quality: Baja California Border Region
FISCAL COMMITTEE: no
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 01/17/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: ASSEMBLY
SUMMARY:
Declares that it is the intent of the Legislature to enact legislation to improve water quality in the state in the California-Baja border region.
STATUS:
01/17/2007 INTRODUCED.

CA AB 224

AUTHOR: Wolk (D)
TITLE: Water Supply Planning
INTRODUCED: 01/29/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Assembly Water, Parks and Wildlife Committee
SUMMARY:
Requires the Department of Water Resources to prepare and deliver to all State Water Project contractors, all city and county planning departments, and all regional and metropolitan planning departments within the project service area, a report that accurately sets forth, under a range of hydrologic conditions, the then-existing overall delivery capability of the project facilities and the allocation of that capacity to each contractor.
STATUS:
02/26/2007 To ASSEMBLY Committees on WATER, PARKS AND WILDLIFE and NATURAL RESOURCES.

CA SB 27

AUTHOR: Simitian (D)
TITLE: Clean Drinking Water: Water Supply Security
INTRODUCED: 12/04/2006
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Senate Natural Resources and Water Committee
SUMMARY:
Enacts the Clean Drinking Water, Water Supply Security, and Environmental Improvement Bond Act of 2007 which, if approved by the voters would authorize, for purposes of financing a water conveyance and environmental improvement program, the issuance, pursuant to General Obligation Bond Law, of bonds.
STATUS:
02/01/2007 To SENATE Committees on NATURAL RESOURCES AND WATER, ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY and RULES.

US HR 122

SPONSOR: Dreier (R)
TITLE: Reclamation Wastewater and Groundwater Study
INTRODUCED: 01/04/2007
LAST AMEND: 03/05/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Senate Energy and Natural Resources Committee
SUMMARY:
Amends the Reclamation Wastewater and Groundwater Study and Facilities Act to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to participate in the Inland Empire regional recycling project and in the

Cucamonga Valley Water District recycling project.

STATUS:

03/06/2007	In SENATE. Read second time.
03/06/2007	To SENATE Committee on ENERGY AND NATURAL RESOURCES.

S HR 700

SPONSOR:	McNerney (D)
TITLE:	Federal Water Pollution Control Act
INTRODUCED:	01/29/2007
LAST AMEND:	03/08/2007
DISPOSITION:	Pending
LOCATION:	Senate Environment and Public Works Committee

SUMMARY:

To amend the Federal Water Pollution Control Act to extend the pilot program for alternative water source projects.

STATUS:

03/09/2007	In SENATE. Read second time.
03/09/2007	To SENATE Committee on ENVIRONMENT AND PUBLIC WORKS.

Private file: WaterBonds

CA AB 41

AUTHOR:	La Malfa (R)
TITLE:	Water Resources: Bond Proceeds
FISCAL COMMITTEE:	no
URGENCY CLAUSE:	no
INTRODUCED:	12/04/2006
DISPOSITION:	Pending
LOCATION:	ASSEMBLY

SUMMARY:

Relates to the Disaster Preparedness and Flood Prevention Bond Act of 2006, the Safe Drinking Water, Water Quality and Supply, Flood Control, River and Coastal Protection Bond Act of 2006. Declares that funds derived from these bond acts be expended in the most cost-efficient and effective manner possible.

STATUS:

12/04/2006	INTRODUCED.

CA AB 1253

AUTHOR:	Caballero (D)
TITLE:	Regional and Local Land Use Plans
INTRODUCED:	02/23/2007
DISPOSITION:	Pending
LOCATION:	ASSEMBLY

SUMMARY:

Declares the Legislature's intent to enact legislation governing the eligibility and application process for those funds that are available for the development of regional and local land use plans.

STATUS:

02/23/2007	INTRODUCED.

CA AB 1297

AUTHOR:	Arambula (D)
TITLE:	Water: Regional Water Management Plans
INTRODUCED:	02/23/2007
DISPOSITION:	Pending
LOCATION:	ASSEMBLY

SUMMARY:

Provides that not more than a percentage of the amounts listed on the allocation schedule for the 12 identified water regions be made available to any identified region that has not adopted an integrated regional water management plan, for the purpose of developing the plan.

STATUS:

02/23/2007	INTRODUCED.

CA AB 1303

AUTHOR:	Smyth (R)
TITLE:	Urban Greening Act of 2007
INTRODUCED:	02/23/2007
DISPOSITION:	Pending
LOCATION:	ASSEMBLY

SUMMARY:

Requires the Department of Parks and Recreation to establish a local assistance program to offer grants

to an eligible city, county or district authorized to provide park, recreational or open-space services.

STATUS:

02/23/2007 INTRODUCED.

AB 1602

AUTHOR: Nunez (D)
TITLE: Environment: Sustainable Communities
INTRODUCED: 02/23/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: ASSEMBLY
SUMMARY:

Establishes the sustainable communities and urban greening grant program. Grants to local public agencies and nonprofit organizations for the purpose of improving the sustainability and liability of communities through the development of green infrastructure that provides multiple benefits, including improved air and water quality, energy and water conservation, climate change mitigation and recreational and other community benefits.

STATUS:

02/23/2007 INTRODUCED.

SB 27

AUTHOR: Simitian (D)
TITLE: Clean Drinking Water: Water Supply Security
INTRODUCED: 12/04/2006
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Senate Natural Resources and Water Committee
SUMMARY:

Enacts the Clean Drinking Water, Water Supply Security, and Environmental Improvement Bond Act of 2007 which, if approved by the voters would authorize, for purposes of financing a water conveyance and environmental improvement program, the issuance, pursuant to General Obligation Bond Law, of bonds.

STATUS:

02/01/2007 To SENATE Committees on NATURAL RESOURCES AND WATER, ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY and RULES.

A SB 59

AUTHOR: Cogdill (R)
TITLE: Reliable Water Supply Bond Act of 2008
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 01/11/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Senate Natural Resources and Water Committee
SUMMARY:

Enacts the Reliable Water Supply Bond Act, which, if approved by the voters, would authorize, for purposes of financing a water supply program, the issuance of bonds. Requires the Secretary of State to submit the bond act to the voter.

STATUS:

01/25/2007 To SENATE Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES AND WATER.

CA SB 167

AUTHOR: Negrete McLeod (D)
TITLE: General Plans: Planning Grants and Incentives
FISCAL COMMITTEE: yes
URGENCY CLAUSE: no
INTRODUCED: 02/01/2007
LAST AMEND: 03/12/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
COMMITTEE: Senate Local Government Committee
HEARING: 03/21/2007 9:30 am
SUMMARY:

Requires the Governor's Office of Planning and Research to award grants and loans to cities and counties to prepare and adopt general plans, habitat conservation plans, zoning ordinances, design standards, regional blueprint projects, and municipal service reviews, including the costs of complying with the California Environmental Quality Act. Appropriates funds from the Safe Drinking Water, Water Quality and Supply, Flood Control, River and Coastal Protection Fund of 2006 for the 2007-08 fiscal year.

STATUS:

03/12/2007 From SENATE Committee on LOCAL GOVERNMENT with author's amendments.

03/12/2007 In SENATE. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on

A SB 732	**AUTHOR:**	Steinberg (D)
	TITLE:	Coastal Protection Bond Act of 2006
	INTRODUCED:	02/23/2007
	DISPOSITION:	Pending
	LOCATION:	Senate Natural Resources and Water Committee
	SUMMARY:	
	Relates to investor-owned public utility regulated by the Public Utilities Commission. Defines local public agency as a local public agency that is a city, county, city and county, special district, corporation, or mutual water company. Establishes the Forestland Conservation Program.	
	STATUS:	
	03/08/2007	To SENATE Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES AND WATER.

CA SB 763	**AUTHOR:**	Ridley-Thomas (D)
	TITLE:	Hazardous Substances: Brownfields Cleanup
	INTRODUCED:	02/23/2007
	DISPOSITION:	Pending
	LOCATION:	Senate Rules Committee
	SUMMARY:	
	Declares the intent of the Legislature to enact legislation to promote the timely cleanup of hazardous substances release sites that are brownfields, consistent with the passage of specified bond acts approved by the voters at the November 7, 2006, statewide general election.	
	STATUS:	
	03/08/2007	To SENATE Committee on RULES.

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