AGENDA

March 22, 2016

PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION MEETING

7:00 p.m.
City Council Chambers
311 Vernon Street
Roseville, California

1. Roll Call

2. Pledge of Allegiance

3. Approval of the February 23, 2016 Minutes

3.1. February 23, 2016 Minutes

4. Oral Communications/Public Comment

5. New Business

5.1. Review of the Amoruso Ranch Specific Plan and Draft EIR

Presentation by Development Services Senior Planner Tricia Stewart on the Amoruso Ranch Specific Plan and Draft EIR, for recommendation.

5.2. Environmental Utilities Monthly Update

Report by Environmental Utilities Director Richard Plecker summarizing monthly status of Environmental Utilities issues, for information.

5.3. Environmental Utilities Legislative Update

Presentation by Public Affairs Administrator Sean Bigley on the Legislative Update, for information.

5.4. Roseville Electric Utility Monthly Update

Report by Electric Utility Director Michelle Bertolino summarizing monthly status of Electric issues, for information.

5.5. Roseville Electric Utility New Solar Calculator Tool for Customers

Presentation by Energy Services Account Representative David Bradford on the New Solar Calculator Tool for Customers, for information.

6. Reports – Commission/Staff

7. Proposed Future Agenda Items

8. Adjournment

PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

Title: February 23, 2016 Minutes

Meeting Date: 3/22/2016
Item #: 3.1.

ATTACHMENTS:

Description

February 23, 2016 Minutes

MINUTES
Public Utilities Commission
February 23, 2016
7:00 p.m.

Council Chambers
311 Vernon Street
Roseville, CA 95678

Following the meeting introduction, Chair Granger welcomed new Commissioner Kerry Schmitz to the Public Utilities Commission.

1. Roll Call

PUC Commissioners Present:	Blandon Granger Gretchen Hildebrand James McHan Kerry Schmitz John Speight John Vertido
PUC Commissioners Absent:	Jim Viele
Staff Present:	Michelle Bertolino, Electric Utility Director Mark Wilhelm, Power Engineering Manager Vince Bottoni, Power Engineer Marty Bailey, Electric Retail Services Supervisor Shawn Matchim, Electric Regulatory Compliance Administrator Mike Bloom, Assistant Electric Utility Director Carol Margetich, EU Business Services Administrator Kelye McKinney, Assistant EU Director Jim Mulligan, Water Utility Manager Joe Mandell, Senior Deputy Attorney Karen Sainsbury, Recording Secretary

2. Pledge of Allegiance

3. Minutes of January 26, 2016

The minutes of January 26, 2016 were approved as submitted.

4. Oral Comments/Public Comment

None.

5. New Business

a. Environmental Utilities Monthly Update
Report by Business Services Administrator Carol Margetich summarizing monthly status of Environmental Utilities issues, for information.

b. Water Update
Presentation by Assistant Environmental Utilities Director Kelye McKinney and Water Utility Manager Jim Mulligan on the Water Update, for information.

c. Roseville Electric Utility Monthly Report
Report by Electric Utility Director Michelle Bertolino summarizing monthly status of Electric issues, for information.

d. Roseville Electric Utility Electric Vehicle System Impact
Presentation by Power Engineering Manager Mark Wilhelm, Power Engineer Vince Bottoni and Retail Services Supervisor Martin Bailey on Electric Vehicle System Impact, for information.

e. Roseville Electric Utility Strategic Initiatives Progress Report
Presentation by Electric Regulatory Compliance Administrator Shawn Matchim on the status of Roseville Electric Utility Strategic Initiatives, for information.

6. Reports – Commission/Staff

None.

7. Proposed Future Agenda Items

Commissioner Hildebrand requested an update on the Commissioner Workshop. Michelle Bertolino stated planning efforts are underway and Karen will check calendars for a date in April.

8. Adjournment

Commissioner Viele moved for adjournment of the February 23, 2016 Public Utilities Commission meeting. Commissioner Hildebrand seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously at 8:35 p.m.

Blandon Granger
Chairperson

Karen Sainsbury
Recording Secretary

PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

Title: Review of the Amoruso Ranch Specific Plan and Draft EIR

Meeting Date: 3/22/2016
Item #: 4.1.

ATTACHMENTS:

Description

Amoruso Ranch EIR Staff Report

CITY OF ROSEVILLE CALIFORNIA

PLANNING DIVISION STAFF REPORT
PUBLIC UTILTIES COMMISSION MEETING: March 22, 2016

Prepared by: Tricia Stewart, Senior Planner

ITEM 5A: REVIEW OF THE DRAFT ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT REPORT (EIR) FOR THE AMORUSO RANCH SPECIFIC PLAN (ARSP)

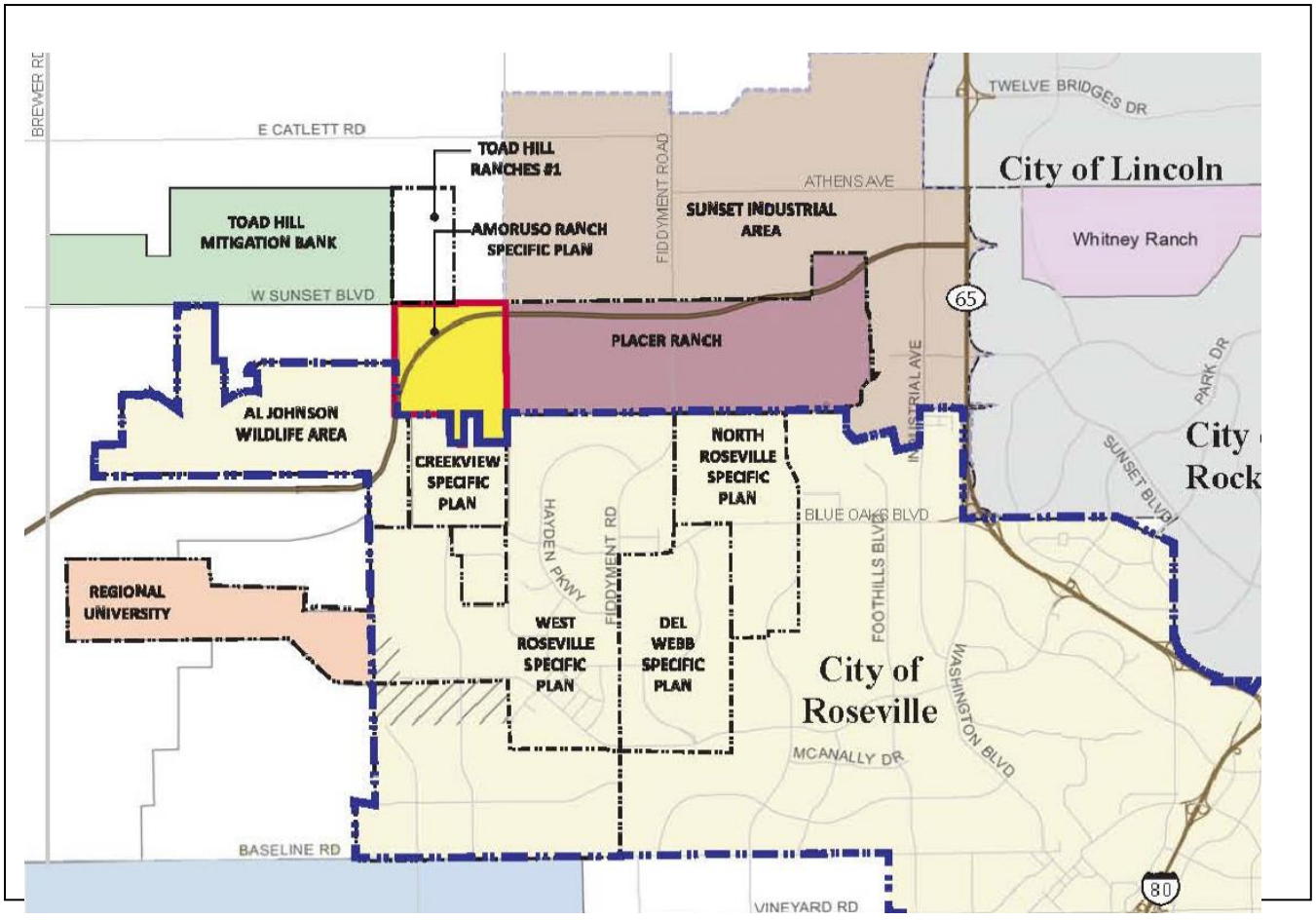
The purpose of this Public Hearing is to receive input from the public and the Public Utilities Commission with regard to the Public Utilities sections of the Draft Environmental Impact Report (DEIR) and the Amoruso Ranch Specific Plan (ARSP). Staff is requesting that the Public Utilities Commission provide comments on the DEIR as it pertains to public utilities. Comments received at the Public Utilities Commission meeting will be forwarded to the Planning Commission and City Council. All comments received on the DEIR will be responded to and incorporated into the Final EIR, which will be forwarded to the City Council.

The Draft EIR and Specific Plan documents (on CD) were mailed to Commissioners on March 16th. Additionally, to provide extra review time, a link to the Draft EIR was emailed to you on March 9th. Please bring the materials you need to the Public Hearing on March 22nd.

RECOMMENDATION: Staff recommends that the Public Utilities Commission accept public comments and provide staff with their comments, which will be provided to the City Council, on the Public Utilities Section (Exhibit A - Section 4.12) of the Draft EIR and the proposed Public Utilities Plans included in the Specific Plan (Exhibit B - Chapter 9). These include a discussion and environmental analysis of water, recycled water, wastewater, solid waste, electricity, natural gas and telecommunications.

APPLICANT/OWNER: Brookfield Development / Amoruso Family Trust

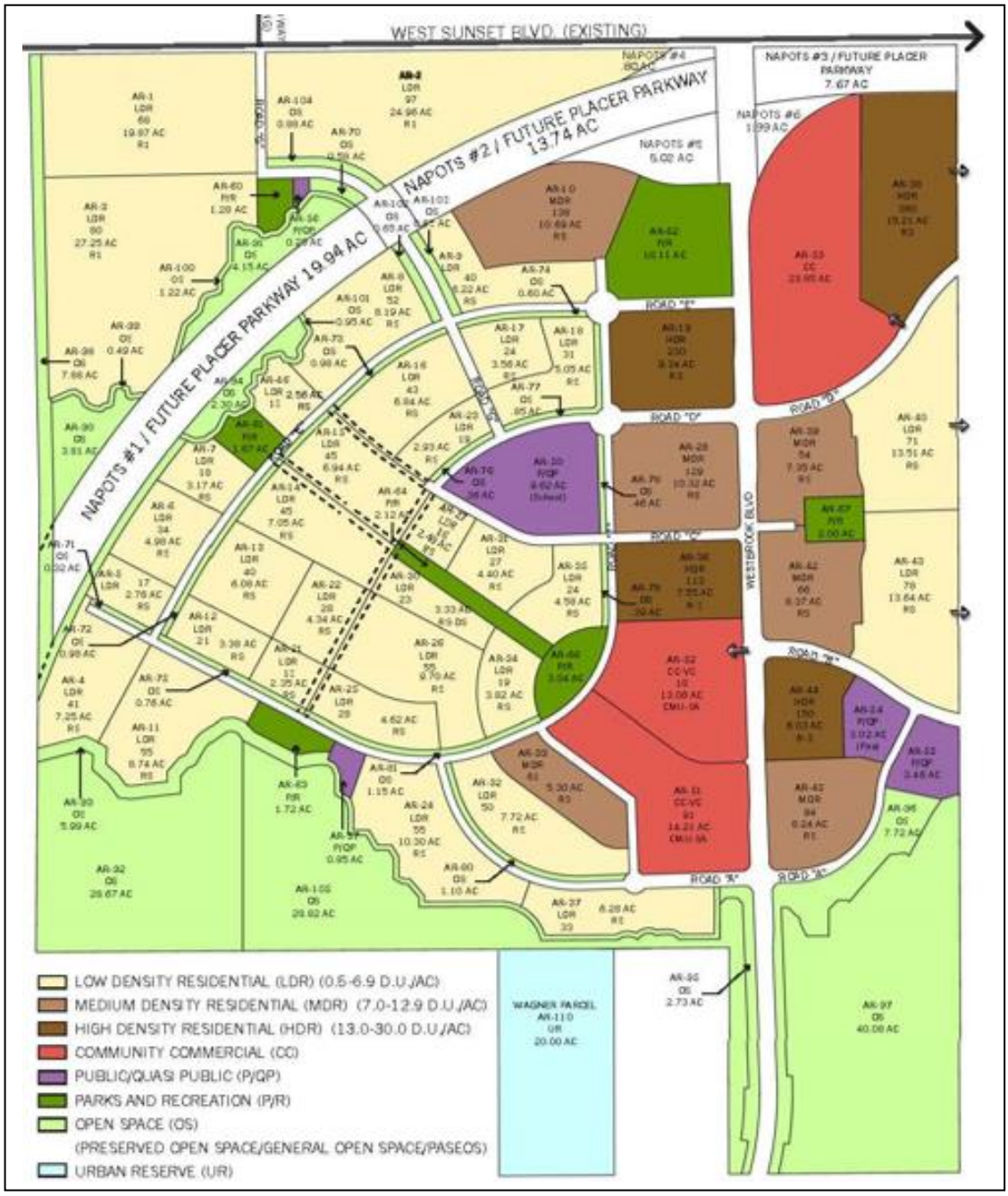
Figure 1: Location Map



REQUEST

The applicant currently requests consideration of the Amoruso Ranch Specific Plan (ARSP) project which includes the following: 1) Annexation and Sphere of Influence Amendment (ANN & SOI) to include the project site which totals approximately 694 acres; 2) General Plan Amendment (GPA) to update the General Plan consistent with the proposed project and to amend the horizon year from 2025 to 2035, 3) Specific Plan (SP) to establish residential, commercial, parks, open space, and public land use designations; 4) Zoning Map Amendment (ZO) to pre-zone the land; 5) Two Development Agreements between the City and Brookfield Residential (Applicant) and Amoruso Family Trust (Landowner); and 6) a Draft EIR. These entitlements are further described in Attachment 2 of this report.

Figure 2: Amoruso Specific Plan



BACKGROUND

In June 2010, a Feasibility Analysis to evaluate the project related to traffic, water, and fiscal impacts was prepared. The conclusions of the Feasibility Analysis were that the City could maintain its current levels of service with some challenges related to traffic and water impacts. It was determined that the cumulative project would not have a negative effect on the existing neighborhoods in Roseville and would not burden residents and businesses with the cost of development or inadequate phasing of infrastructure. Accordingly, in October 2010, the City Council directed staff to begin a process to evaluate the mixed-use development and annexation proposal for the ARSP.

A formal project application was submitted to the City by the applicant in May 2011, and at that time, the City began a detailed evaluation of the project, which included preparation of the technical environmental studies. In 2013, a Notice of Preparation (NOP) was released informing the public and responsible agencies that an Environmental Impact Report (EIR) would be prepared as the environmental document for the project per the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA). Thereafter, the applicant began preparation of the Specific Plan document while staff began working on the Draft EIR. The Draft EIR has been structured to contain a project-specific level of analysis for the ARSP.

In order to provide the public with an overview of the proposed project and outline the available opportunities to comment on the Draft EIR, a community meeting was held at the Martha Riley Community Center on February 22, 2016. On March 1, the Draft EIR was distributed for a public review period that ends April 15, 2016. A workshop outlining the project and the Draft EIR was made at the March 10th Planning Commission meeting. In addition, other public hearings are scheduled during the Draft EIR public review period for the Transportation Commission on March 15th, Design Committee on March 17th, Parks and Recreation Commission on April 4th, and a second Planning Commission on April 14th. This schedule allows Commissions to receive public testimony and comment on the Draft EIR during the public review period.

PROJECT DESCRIPTION

The project site is located northwest of the City of Roseville's corporate boundaries, south of West Sunset Boulevard in unincorporated Placer County, approximately 1.5 miles west of Fiddyment Road. One 20-acre parcel located towards the southeast corner of the site (Wagner Parcel – Figure 1 light blue parcel) is not a participant in the specific plan effort, but is included in the Annexation because it is within the existing Sphere of Influence, and is surrounded on the north by the proposed project, and on all other sides by the Creekview Specific Plan (CSP) (existing City). Annexation of the parcel will avoid creating an unincorporated island of land within the City. The Amoruso Ranch Specific Plan (ARSP) is the fourteenth specific plan to be processed by the City and encompasses approximately 694 acres with a mixture of land uses as outlined below:

- 2,827 dwelling units
    - **1302** Low Density Residential
    - **542** Medium Density Residential
    - **873** High Density Residential
- 27 acres (**109** units) Community Commercial – Village District
- 24 acres Community Commercial
- 17 acres Public/Quasi-Public (Elementary School, Electric Substation, etc.)
- 22 acres Neighborhood Parks
- 145 acres Open Space
- 20 acres (**1 unit**) Urban Reserve

Placer Parkway

Placer Parkway is a planned six-lane limited access roadway that will provide access from Highway 65 to Highway 99 in Sutter County and serve as a parallel facility to Interstate-80. Placer Parkway traverses the project site from the northeast corner to the southwest corner of the site. While Placer Parkway is not a part of the proposed project, the project helps facilitate this important regional facility by providing right-of-way. No interchange was included with Placer Parkway at Westbrook Boulevard as part of the initial Tier 1 Environmental Impact Report/Environmental Impact Statement (EIR/EIS) prepared by the Placer County Transportation Agency in conjunction with Caltrans and the Federal Highways Administration; however, the project's land use plan, does not preclude an interchange should one be determined to be needed in the future.

Road G which would provide access to the northwest corner of the project site, with a connection to West Sunset Boulevard, is being planned to be below grade so that the need to elevate the future Placer Parkway would be minimized.

A detailed project description is provided in Chapter 4 of the ARSP and Chapter 2 of the Draft EIR.

PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION REVIEW PROCESS

The purpose of the Public Utilities Commission's review is to provide comments to the City Council on the Public Utilities Section (Exhibit A - Section 4.12) of the Draft EIR and the proposed Utilities Plans of the Specific Plan (Exhibit B - Chapter 9). The Public Utilities Commission's responsibility is to review and comment on the analysis of public utilities related aspects of the proposal which includes water, recycled water, wastewater, solid waste, electricity, natural gas and telecommunications.

At the Hearing, staff will present an overview of the project, including a discussion of the public utilities information. Following this presentation, the Public Utilities Commission will have an opportunity to discuss the proposal, ask questions of staff, and receive public comment on the Draft EIR and ARSP Public Utility sections of the plan.

Comments received on the Draft EIR will be responded to and incorporated into the Final EIR, which will be forwarded to the City Council for consideration prior to the City Council's certification of the EIR. Additionally, the Public Utilities Commission's comments will be provided to the Planning Commission in their review of the Draft EIR and ARSP at their April 14th public hearing.

ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACTS

The Draft EIR provides an analysis of the utilities needed to serve the ARSP. A comprehensive discussion of all of the public utility issues examined is contained in the Draft EIR and is not included in this report. The following provides a summary of water, recycled water, wastewater, solid waste, electricity, natural gas and telecommunications.

Water

Consistent with City General Plan policies, the proposed project will be required to bring a new source and supply of surface water. Staff has been working with the Placer County Water Agency (PCWA) which has indicated that it has ample water to serve the proposed project.

The water supply source for the project will be PCWA's Middle Fork Project water conveyed from the proposed Ophir Water Treatment Plant through PCWAs water system. Water obtained through the wholesale agreement would be delivered to the City though the existing Tinker Intertie and then transported through City infrastructure to the project site. PCWA has stated their intent to complete construction the Ophir Water Treatment Plant by summer 2020. In the interim period, should the

project begin construction before the PCWA infrastructure is in place, the project will be supplied using existing available City supplies and water treatment plant capacity.

A benefit of this new PCWA surface water supply is that it would provide increased water reliability Citywide, not just to the project area. This is because the PCWA water supply is available in all hydrologic year types (normal and dry years) and it would be supplied from an existing diversion point on the upper American River, not dependent on Folsom Lake water levels. The City of Roseville is in the process of developing an agreement with PCWA for this new wholesale water supply. Prior to the approval of building permits, the EIR requires the agreement be in place between the City and PCWA. The project will provide its proportionate share of required funding for the acquisition and delivery of the new supply.

A complex analysis of the water related items has occurred since the inception of the project. Analysis has been conducted on water demands, water supply, groundwater impacts, water treatment, and distribution. A summary of the analysis is provided below. Copies of technical studies are included as Appendices to the Draft EIR.

Water Demands – The water demand for ARSP is 1,503 acre-feet per year (AFY). With the incorporation of water conservation measures and recycled water use, the demand for water will be reduced by 442 AFY resulting in an overall water demand of 1,061 AFY. Water conservation measures that will be implemented in the ARSP include measures such as recirculating hot water systems which would reduce water loss waiting for hot water.

Water demand will be provided through a combination of potable and non-potable (recycled) water sources. Non-potable (recycled water) will be used for irrigation in both wet and dry years. To address dry year or emergency scenarios, the ARSP is required to include one onsite aquifer storage and recovery (ASR) groundwater well on Parcel AR-55.

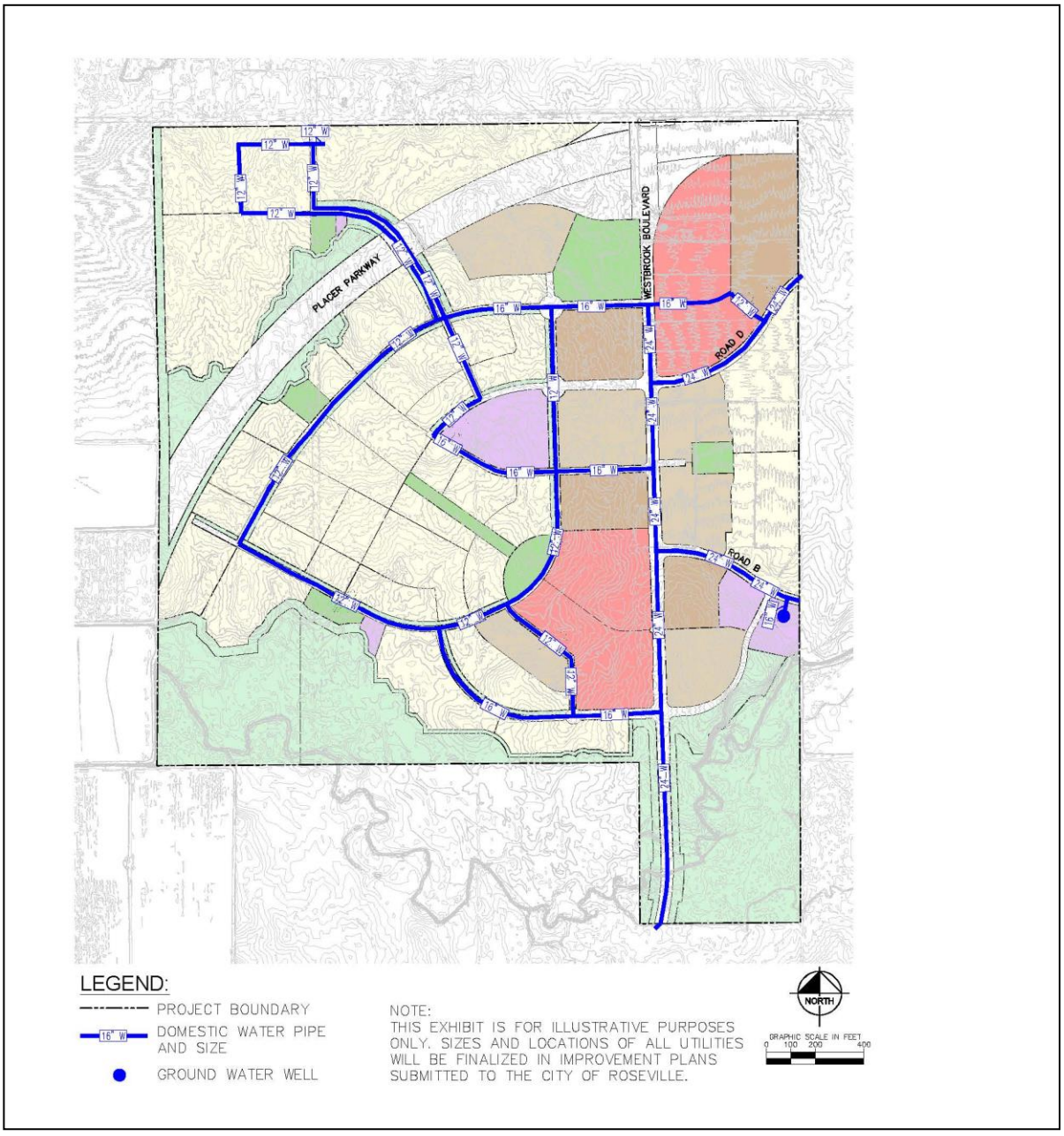
Water Supply – A water supply assessment (WSA) has been prepared for the project and is included as Appendix E to the Draft EIR. The potable water demand created by the proposed project was compared to the City's water supply. Because existing City water supply contracts are insufficient to serve the ARSP, a new source of water is needed for the ARSP project. The City is intending to obtain treated surface water supplies from the Placer County Water Agency (PCWA) to serve the ARSP through a future wholesale agreement. This is consistent with the City's General Plan Policy that new annexation areas bring a new surface water supply. As described in the WSA, PCWA has sufficient water supplies available to serve the project.

Groundwater - There are three existing agricultural wells on the project site. As part of this project, those wells will be destroyed at the time the project is constructed. Groundwater is not a primary source of supply to serve the ARSP. It is, however, part of the City's water supply portfolio for meeting demands in emergency and dry year conditions. Even though the new wholesale PCWA water supply is available in all hydrologic year types, the distribution system for the ARSP would include one on-site groundwater well designed with aquifer storage and recovery (ASR) capabilities. At a minimum, the ARSP on-site well is projected to have a delivery capacity of 1,500 to 1,800 gallons per minute (gpm) or 2.16 to 2.59 million gallons per day (MGD). Consistent with existing City practice, groundwater would be used to supplement city-wide supply needs during drier and driest years or be available for use in emergencies such as in the event of a transmission main disruption.

Water Distribution – Treated surface water for the project will be delivered to the City from PCWA at the existing Tinker pump station intertie located along Industrial Boulevard. The Tinker pump station is currently designed to wheel 10 MGD of PCWA water supply through the City for delivery to Cal American Water Company. This facility will require future expansion to deliver the additional water to serve this project. The Project will fund the expansion of this facility. Water delivered through the Tinker facility for the ARSP will then be wheeled through existing City infrastructure located along

Industrial and Baseline Roads and then supplied to the plan area through a 24-inch main line that extends from the south (CSP Area) and distributed through an infrastructure system that parallels the collector and arterial roadway system which will consist of 6-inch to 24-inch diameter mains. Connections to potential future development areas will be provided at the southern project boundary along Westbrook Boulevard as well as at the eastern ends of Roads "B" and "D". All water improvements will be constructed to the City's standards and infrastructure improvements will be phased.

Figure 3: Water Distribution Locations



Recycled Water

Recycled water is part of the overall water supply strategy for the ARSP as it has been for the other most recently approved specific plan areas (CSP, Sierra Vista Specific Plan (SVSP), and West Roseville Specific Plan (WRSP)). Recycled water will be used for landscape irrigation of parks, sports fields, schools, commercial and village center areas, publicly-landscaped areas (i.e., roadways

medians, and paseos), and multi-family residential uses within the ARSP. The only area that will not receive recycled water for landscaping will be for the area north of Placer Parkway. Given the distance, and the relatively small size of that portion of the plan area, the cost to provide recycled water was not feasible. Further, it would have a minimal impact on the overall potable water supply. The City has evaluated the ARSP as one of the several Urban Growth Areas (UGAs) that will require additional recycled water.

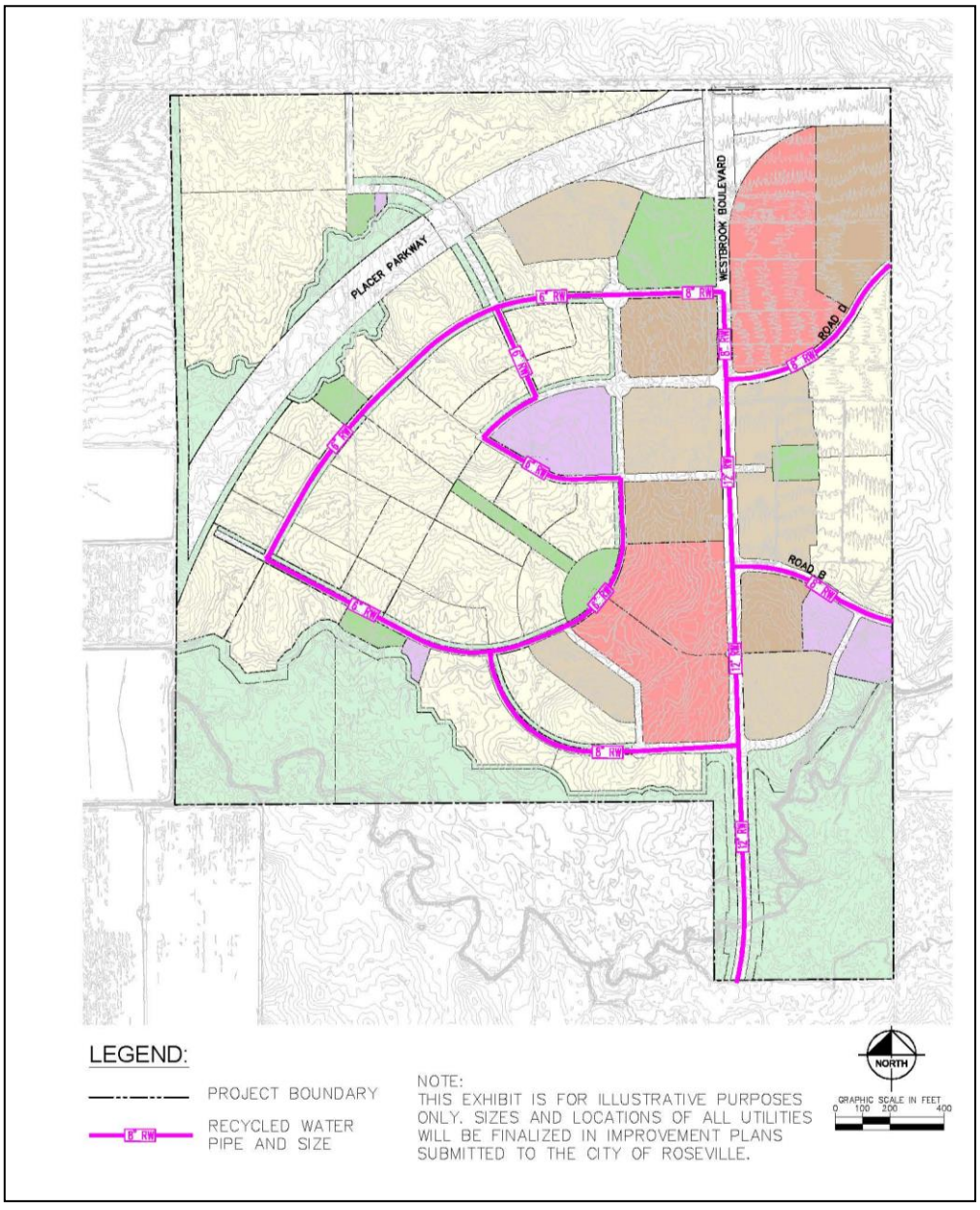


Figure 4: Recycled Water

The estimated annual recycled water demand in the ARSP is 220 AFY; however, through water conservation measures required within the plan area, this amount will be reduced by approximately 55 AFY.

The City will ultimately provide the ARSP with recycled water from the Pleasant Grove Wastewater Treatment Plant (PGWWTP). Recycled water will be supplied to the plan area via infrastructure within the WRSP and CSP and infrastructure will range from 6-inch to 24-inch lines that run parallel to the collector and arterial roadway system. In order to provide capacity to serve the ARSP, the ARSP is required to provide storage facilities for recycled water during one peak day, which has been determined to be one 24 hour period in July. The project will contribute funding to expand the existing recycled water tank and pump station located adjacent to the City's existing Roseville Energy Park. All recycled water improvements will be constructed to the City's standards and infrastructure improvements will be phased.

Wastewater

Sanitary sewer service will be provided by the City of Roseville. Wastewater generated within the ARSP will be treated at the City's PGWWTP located within the WRSP. The ARSP is projected to generate approximately 0.61 MGD average daily wastewater flow.

Wastewater flows from the project area will be directed to the PGWWTP through the southern portion of the project area in order to connect with an existing trunk line that will be provided with in the CSP area. The designed infrastructure within the CSP was sized to accommodate flow from the ARSP. On-site sewer collection pipes will range in size from 6–inch to 24-inch pipes. Two lift station facilities will be required as part of the ARSP which will be located on Public/Quasi-Public parcels AR-56 and AR-57. All wastewater improvements and wastewater generation rates will be consistent with the South Placer Regional Wastewater and Recycled Water Systems Evaluation and will be constructed to the City's standards using a phased approach.

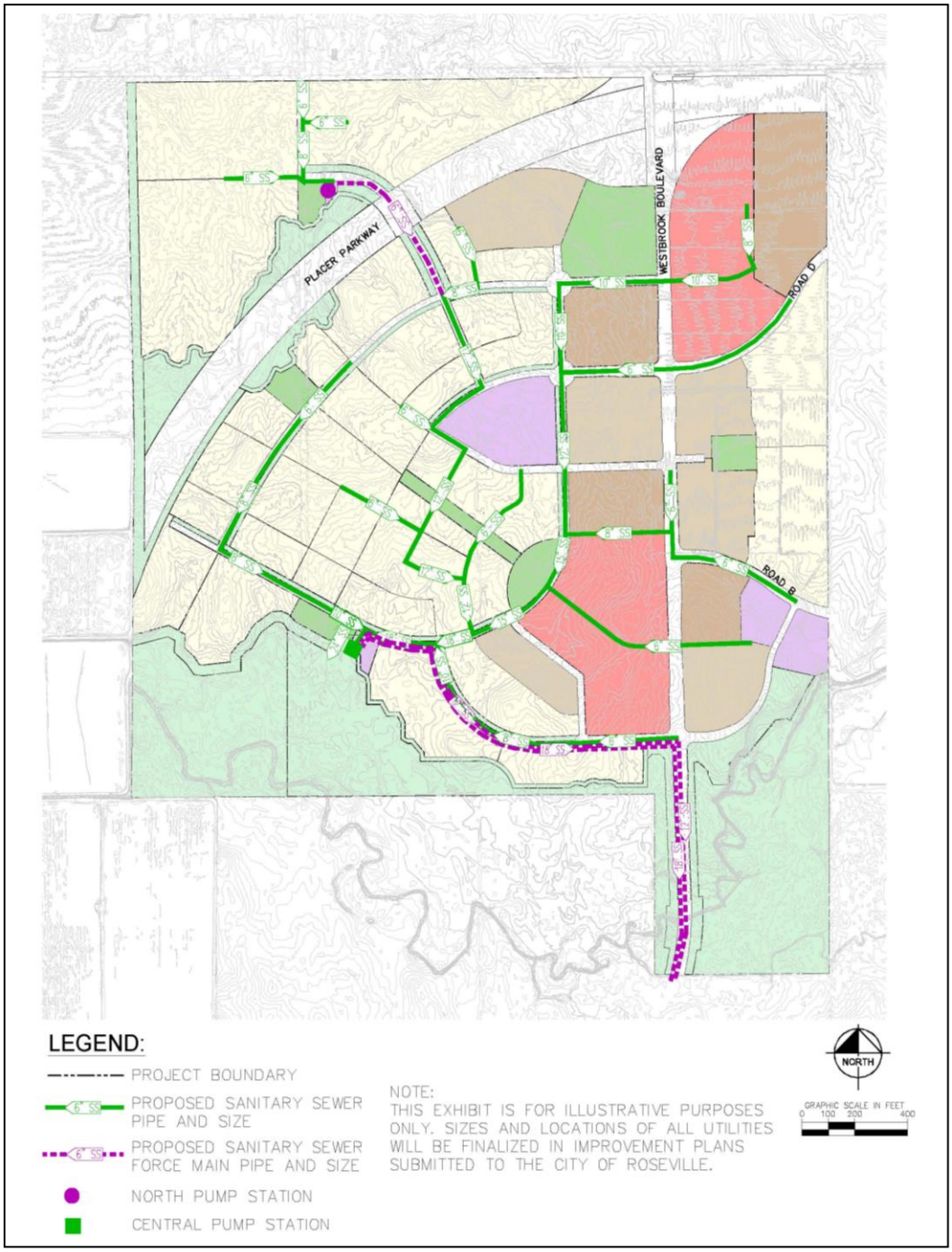


Figure 5: Wastewater

Solid Waste

The City of Roseville will provide solid waste services to the ARSP. Solid waste will be collected and delivered to the Western Placer Waste Management Authority (WPWMA) facility located north of the City at Athens Avenue and Fiddyment Road. The WPWMA owns a Materials Recovery Facility (MRF) which receives, separates, processes, and markets recyclable materials removed from the waste stream. Any residual waste is transported to the WPWMA landfill that is located on site.

At full buildout, the ARSP is anticipated to generate approximately 8,660 tons of solid waste annually. A solid waste recycling area is planned within the ARSP on AR-55 similar to other facilities located within the City of Roseville. This site will provide residents with a location to off-load recyclable materials.

Electricity

The proposed ARSP is currently within the service area of Pacific Gas & Electric (PG&E). If annexed, Roseville Electric would provide electric service to the ARSP area. Additional electricity resources needed to serve the ARSP, including state and federal mandated renewable electricity resources, will be purchased from outside sources or generated by new Roseville-owned generating facilities. As required by the State, Roseville will use energy efficiency programs to meet electricity demands before acquiring new electricity sources.

Peak electric demand in the plan area is estimated to be 21 megawatts (mW) at full build out. An approximately one acre electric substation is planned as part of the CSP that would be required to serve the ARSP. Easements within the ARSP will be dedicated for a future 60 kilovolt (kV) overhead line extension along the east side of Westbrook Boulevard south of Road "A," on the south side of Road "A" east of Westbrook Boulevard, and on the south side of Road "B" east of Road "A." Underground electrical distribution will be extended to the ARSP through a 12kV system to individual parcels in conjunction with roadway improvements. Street lighting, signal power and other ancillary power facilities will be provided along all public street frontages as part of the roadway frontage improvements. All electric facilities will be constructed to City's standards.

Natural Gas

PG&E will provide natural gas upon request and in accordance with the rules and tariffs of the California Public Utilities Commission. PG&E's long range plans provide for availability of gas service to accommodate increased demand. Service will be provided to the ARSP through extensions planned through the CSP. Delivery of gas service to individual projects in the ARSP will be reviewed by PG&E at the time of development proposal.

Cable Television and Telecommunication Services

Voice and data communication services will be provided to the ARSP by AT&T, Comcast and Wave Broadband. Distribution lines to individual parcels will be extended from the south through the CSP and will be installed at the time other dry utilities are installed as development occurs. Individual providers will review project plans for telephone, cable television and high-speed data line services at the time proposed.

DRAFT EIR PUBLIC UTILITIES IMPACTS

The Public Utilities impacts identified for the proposed project in the draft EIR are summarized in draft EIR Table 3-1 which is provided below. In addition, the table also identifies the significance of the impact, proposed mitigation measures, and the residual significance of the impact after mitigation.

Impact Number	Impact	Significance Before Mitigation	Mitigation Measure	Residual Significance
4.12.1 PUBLIC UTILITIES – WATER				
4.12.1-1	Availability of Water Supplies to Meet Demand	PS	MM 4.12.1-1 Secure Adequate Water Supply	LTS
4.12.1-2	Availability of PCWA Water Supplies to Meet Demand	LTS	None Required	LTS
4.12.1-3	Impact on American River and Delta Associated with the Diversion of the Amount of Surface Water Needed for Project	LTS	None Required	LTS
4.12.1-4	Capacity of Water Treatment System to Meet Potable Water Demand	Near Term – LTS Cumulative – S	Near Term – None Required Cumulative – None Available	Near Term – LTS Cumulative – SU
4.12.1-5	Construction or Expansion of Water Conveyance Facilities	LTS	None Required	LTS
4.12.1-6	Construction or Expansion of Water Storage Facilities	LTS	None Required	LTS
4.12.1-7	Groundwater Depletion or Interference with Groundwater Recharge Could Result in Lowering of Groundwater Table	LTS	None Required	LTS
4.12.1-8	Cumulative Water Supply and Water Treatment Impacts	S	None Available	SU
4.12.2 PUBLIC UTILITIES – RECYCLED WATER				
4.12.2-1	Availability of Recycled Water to Meet Demand and Installation of Recycled Water Infrastructure	LTS	None Required	LTS
4.12.2-2	Cumulative Recycled Water Impacts	LTS	None Required	LTS
4.12.3 PUBLIC UTILITIES – WASTEWATER				
4.12.3-1	Construction or Expansion of Wastewater Collection Facilities	LTS	None Required	LTS
4.12.3-2	Capacity of Wastewater Treatment Facility	PS	MM 4.12.3-1 Treatment Plant Capacity	LTS
4.12.3-3	Construction or Expansion of Wastewater Treatment Facilities	S	MM 4.12.3-2 Treatment Plant Expansion	SU

4.12.3-4	Exceed Wastewater Treatment Requirements of the RWQCB	PS	MM 4.12.3-1 Treatment Plant Capacity MM 4.12.3-2 Treatment Plant Expansion	LTS
4.12.3-5	Cumulative Wastewater Impacts	S	MM 4.12.3-1 Treatment Plant Capacity MM 4.12.3-2 Treatment Plant Expansion	SU
4.12.4 PUBLIC UTILITIES – SOLID WASTE				
4.12.4-1	Increase Demand for Solid Waste Services at the Materials Recovery Facility	LTS	None Required	LTS
4.12.4-2	Increased Demand for Solid Waste Services at the Landfill	LTS	None Required	LTS
4.12.4-3	Construction Debris Creating Increased Demand for Solid Waste Services	LTS	MM 4.12.4-1 Divert Construction Debris	LTS
4.12.4-4	Fail to Comply with Federal, State, and Local Statutes and Regulations Related to Solid Waste	LTS	None Required	LTS
4.12.4-5	Cumulative Solid Waste Impacts	S	None Available	SU
4.12.5 PUBLIC UTILITIES – ELECTRICITY, NATURAL GAS, AND TELECOMMUNICATION SERVICES				
4.12.5-1	Increased Demand for Electricity	LTS	None Required	LTS
4.12.5-2	Increase Demand for Natural Gas	LTS	None Required	LTS
4.12.5-3	Increased Demand on Cable Television and Telephone Services	LTS	None Required	LTS
4.12.5-4	Cumulative Impacts Regarding Electricity Service	LTS	None Required	LTS
4.12.5-5	Cumulative Impacts Regarding Natural Gas and Telecommunication Services	LTS	None Required	LTS

Significant Unavoidable Impacts: The Draft EIR concluded that the project as proposed would have impacts; however, with prescribed mitigation measures, would be reduced to a less than significant level on the City's public utilities. However, there were five areas related to water, wastewater, and solid waste impacts that could not be reduced to a less than significant level and are considered significant and unavoidable. These items are listed below with an explanation of why they are considered significant.

- **Capacity of Water Treatment System to Meet Potable Water Demand (Cumulative)** – The ARSP would contribute to the need to develop the Ophir Water Treatment Plant, the construction of which would result in significant environmental impacts; therefore, cumulative impacts are considered significant and unavoidable.

- **Cumulative Water Supply and Water Treatment Impacts** – The Draft EIR identified that the proposed ARSP, in conjunction with other development in south Placer County, would add to the

need for expanded water supply and treatment needs. Increasing water supply and expanding treatment could result in indirect growth effects (e.g., traffic, air and noise). The original Water Forum EIR identified that cumulative development could impact water supply and result in a decrease in deliveries to State Water Project (SWP) and Central Valley Project (CVP) customers, reduce water quality, impact vegetation and wildlife, impact the Sacramento River and Delta Water Quality, and impact recreation use, which could result in a significant unavoidable cumulative impact.

- **Construction or Expansion of Wastewater Treatment Facilities** – The ARSP would contribute to the need to expand the Pleasant Grove Wastewater Treatment Plan (PGWWTP). While a future plant expansion was analyzed in the West Roseville Specific Plan EIR, the ARSP contributes to the need for expansion and therefore is considered a significant and unavoidable impact.

- **Cumulative Wastewater Impacts** – While a potential expansion to both the PGWWTP and Dry Creek Wastewater Treatment Plan (DCWWTP) were identified in a previous Roseville Regional Wastewater Treatment Service Area Master Plan EIR, the future construction of additional wastewater treatment and collection facilities, where they do not currently exist, could result in indirect growth effects (e.g., traffic, air and noise) which cumulatively is considered significant and unavoidable.

- **Cumulative Solid Waste Impacts** – The ARSP would contribute to waste that goes to the Materials Recovery Facility (MRF) and the Western Regional Sanitary Landfill (WRSL). Considered cumulatively with other development in the region, the proposed project would shorten the lifespan of these facilities and as a result would require an expansion or alternate location for transport. Plans for expansion beyond 2058 have not been developed and therefore specific impacts cannot be determined. In addition, future expansion is not in the control of the City of Roseville. For these reasons, the ARSP's contribution to this cumulative impact is considered significant and unavoidable.

RECOMMENDATION:

Staff recommends that the Public Utility Commission provide comments, which will be provided to the Planning Commission and City Council for their consideration, on the Pubic Utilities Section (Exhibit A - Section 4.12) of the Draft EIR and the proposed Utilities Plan of the Specific Plan (Exhibit B - Chapter 9).

ATTACHMENTS:

In order to assist the Commission with the review of the project, staff has prepared several attachments to the staff report.

Attachment 1: Summary of Project Entitlements: Provides a brief overview of all the requested entitlements associated with the ARSP. Also included is the reviewing body of each of these entitlements.

Attachment 2: Color Copy of the Land Use Plan for ARSP

EXHIBITS:

A. Draft Environmental Impact Report (EIR) for the Amoruso Ranch Specific Plan and Annexation (SCH # 2008032017) – Mailed CD on March 16, 2016, includes all technical appendices to the EIR

B. Amoruso Ranch Specific Plan Document

The following summarizes the different entitlement requests associated with the proposed Amoruso Ranch Specific Plan (ARSP). Each entitlement is followed by a brief discussion of the request and the reviewing bodies that will act upon the proposal.

Draft Environmental Impact Report (EIR): In compliance with the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) a Draft Environmental Impact Report (DEIR) (SCH# 2013102057) is being considered as a portion of the requested entitlements. The Draft EIR provides the required environmental analysis for all of the entitlements described in this summary, and will form the basis of environmental analysis for future actions in the ARSP area.

Reviewing Bodies: Transportation Commission, Public Utilities Commission, Parks and Recreation Commission, Planning Commission, and City Council

Annexation: A majority of the ARSP project site is located outside the City limits and outside the City's Sphere of Influence in unincorporated Placer County. Before the project can develop as part of the City, the land must be annexed and sphere of influence amended. The 20-acre Urban Reserve parcel will be included in the Annexation, to avoid creating an island of unincorporated land.

Reviewing Bodies: Planning Commission, City Council, Local Agency Formation Commission

General Plan Amendment, Specific Plan Adoption, and Zoning Map Amendment: Because the area defined as the ARSP is presently outside the City limits in unincorporated Placer County, it is necessary to amend the General Plan, adopt a new specific plan, and pre-zone the property to reflect the proposed land use and zoning designations. These entitlements will change the present designations to those identified in the ARSP document.

General Plan Amendment: The General Plan will need to be amended to incorporate the ARSP into the document. The changes are summarized as follows:

- Increase the General Plan unit allocation by 2,827;
- Change text to add references to the ARSP;
- Change tables to update and insert ARSP data;
- Change General Plan horizon year from 2025 to 2035
- Change all figures to add the ARSP and relevant ARSP map layer information; and
- Modify the General Plan noise standard for non-transportation sources (point sources).

Reviewing Bodies: Planning Commission and City Council

Specific Plan Adoption: The City will consider adoption of the Amoruso Ranch Specific Plan, Residential Development Standards and Design Guidelines. The specific plan establishes a development framework for the area and addresses aspects of land use, housing, circulation, resource management, public utilities, public services, phasing, and implementation. Residential Development Standards have been included as Appendix A of the specific plan document, with samples of some residential product types that could develop in the ARSP. The Design Guidelines have been included as Appendix B of the specific plan document for the purpose of addressing special design considerations in ARSP which are not addressed in the City's Community Design Guidelines.

Reviewing Bodies: Design Committee, Planning Commission and City Council

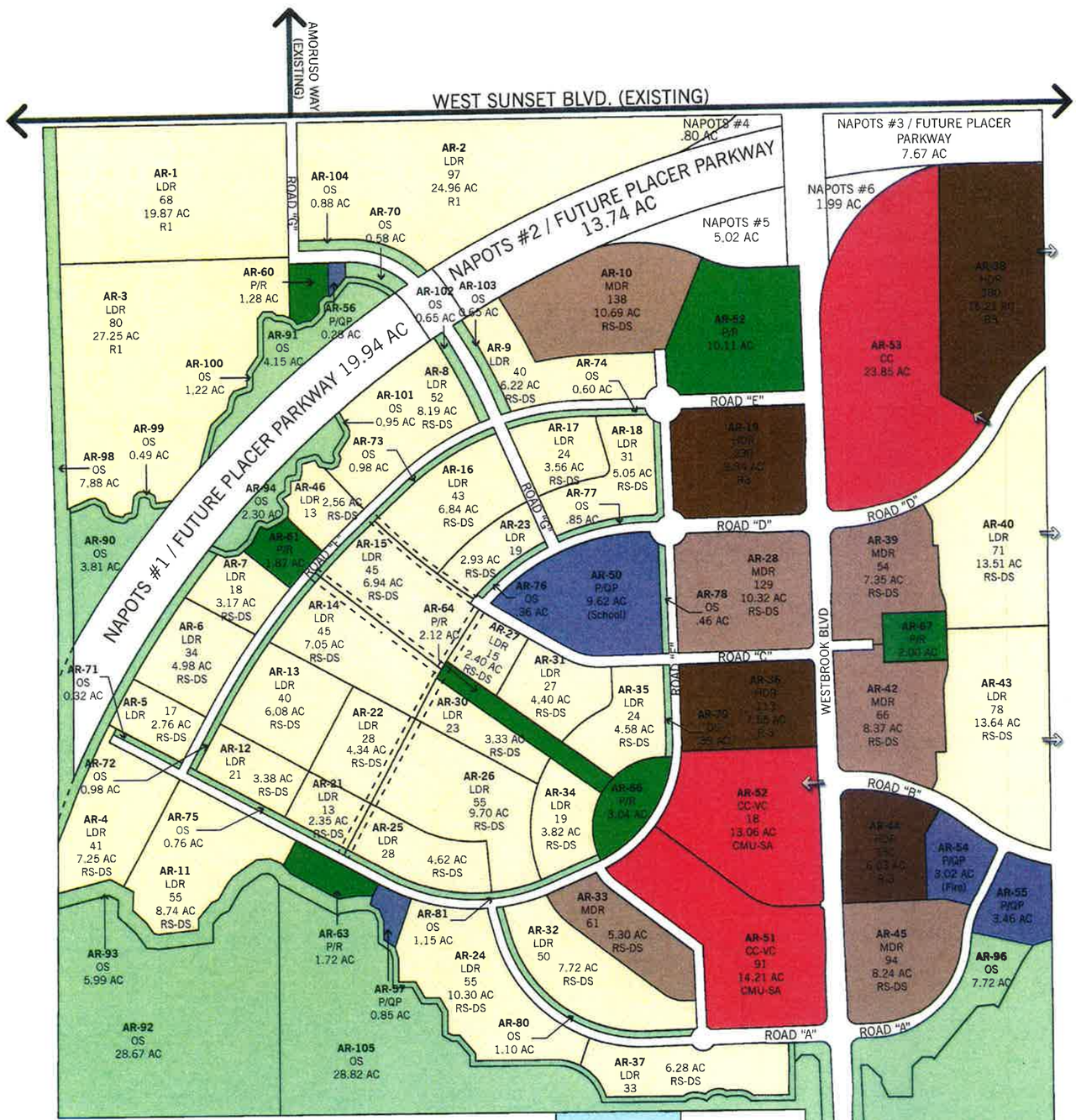
Zoning Map Amendment: The City will adopt a Zoning Map for ARSP to reflect the proposed zoning districts that will apply upon annexation of the land (pre-zone for annexation). The various zoning districts are listed by parcel in ARSP Land Use Table.

Reviewing Bodies: Planning Commission and City Council

Development Agreement: Two Development Agreements will be executed between the City and the developer and Landowner. The DAs will cover two separate geographic areas of the Specific Plan. The Development Agreements will enforce the obligations between the parties and enable an orderly development of the ARSP. The agreement is a binding contract that sets the terms, rules, conditions, regulations, entitlements, responsibilities, and other provisions relating to the development of the property comprising the ARSP. The agreements may only be amended by mutual consent of all parties.

Reviewing Bodies: Planning Commission and City Council

Note: Upon certification of the EIR and approval of the entitlements listed above, subsequent entitlements will be requested in the ARSP. These will include a Large Lot Tentative and Final Map to create real estate parcels corresponding to the Land Use Plan, individual Subdivision Maps to create single-family lots and smaller commercial parcels, Design Review Permits for commercial buildings, etc. All subsequent entitlements must be consistent with the ARSP and reviewed in accordance with City ordinances.



Map key	
AR-1:	Parcel Number
LDR:	General Plan Designation
100:	Allocated Dwelling Units
12.00 AC:	Parcel Acreage
RS-DS:	Zoning Designation

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March 2016

California's biggest reservoirs recover, putting water limits in question

With California's two largest reservoirs hitting historically average levels following a weekend of heavy storms, the state's chief water regulator is cautiously optimistic that the drought may finally be relaxing its grip.

If the wet weather continues, she said, the urban conservation mandates that turned lawns brown and have Californians taking shorter showers may be eased in the weeks ahead. "In May, we'll be either lifting it or changing it significantly," Felicia Marcus, chair of the State Water Resources Control Board, said Monday. "The more precipitation we get, the more snowpack we have, the better it is."

Over the weekend, the state's largest reservoir, Shasta Lake, surpassed its historic average for this time of year. The second largest, Lake Oroville, hit that mark Monday afternoon. It marks the first time since 2013 that the reservoirs have reached their historical averages for this time of year, said Doug Carlson, a spokesman for the Department of Water Resources.

"That is some cause for optimism, because it has been a long, long slog trying to come back up from the real lows that Oroville, for example, has hit in the past couple of years," Carlson said.

The two reservoirs represent a substantial portion of the state's water supply. The 6.07 million acre-feet of water recorded Sunday in Shasta and Oroville account for more than 40 percent of the total water now stored in California's largest reservoirs. Folsom Lake, a much smaller reservoir, has been at average levels since early February. That in itself was something of a milestone. Two months earlier, Folsom Lake stood at the lowest depth in its 60-year history.

Marcus said that when these reservoir levels are factored in with relatively normal Sierra snowpack, the state's water picture has grown bright enough for officials to consider relaxing the conservation orders in place since June. On Monday, water content in the Sierra snowpack was 92 percent of average, according to Department of Water Resources data.

Gov. Jerry Brown ordered the state's first-ever mandatory water cutbacks last spring, as the state's water supplies suffered in a fourth year of drought. Last month, Marcus' agency extended the conservation mandates through the end of October. They required cities and towns across the state to cut water use by a combined 25 percent, with heavier users targeted for the biggest reductions.

Marcus has said that regulators would revisit the mandates before summer to take into account the precipitation totals from winter and early spring. She said Monday that the weekend storms certainly point to tweaking the order if the trend continues.
"That could include differences between regions, obviously," she said. "It could include lifting it entirely."

In the meantime, she said it's imperative for Californians to keep conserving, since their local water suppliers still may face sanctions if they don't hit their targets. And, she noted, even with average water levels in Shasta, Oroville and Folsom, the state's total reservoir supply is not yet at normal.

As of Monday, the combined supply at all the state's largest reservoirs was around 78 percent of average, with Shasta, Folsom and Oroville included. Marcus said there's no guarantee enough storms will emerge to bring the entire system up to normal. No rain is forecast for greater Sacramento until Sunday night.

"That's what February taught us," Marcus said. "It felt glorious in December and January and people were saying, 'See? The drought's over,' then the tap got turned off. We had record heat, and it was frightening, so thank God for the 'Miracle March.' "

Sacramento-area residents – typically among the state's heaviest water users – have faced some of the stiffest cutbacks under the mandates. Most water agencies in the region are under orders to cut usage 25 to 33 percent over 2013.

Area water officials have been saying for weeks that the state should ease those restrictions given that recent storms have filled Folsom Lake – a primary source of the region's water – to the point that dam managers had to make releases to ward against floods.
Einar Maisch, general manager of the Placer County Water Agency, said it's going to be hard to convince customers the region is still in a drought "when Shasta and Oroville get to average, with snowpack above them."

"I'm very concerned (about trying) to tell our customers a story that they do not believe," he said. As it stands, Placer County Water's customers are supposed to cut usage 29 percent compared with 2013.

Marcus' office already has given some concessions to local districts. The extended regulations approved in February relaxed the conservation mandates for many inland communities, where hot, dry summers make it harder to keep lawns and trees alive. Many of the water agencies in greater Sacramento saw their targets fall by 3 percentage points.
Despite the rains, it's still uncertain how much of Northern California's water may be shipped to the farms and cities south of the Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta as the year progresses.

The Department of Water Resources, which delivers water through the State Water Project, has tentatively promised only 15 percent of what customers such as the Metropolitan Water District of Southern California have asked for. Last year, they received 20 percent.
Felicia Marcus, chair of State Water Resources Control Board.

State contractors expect only a modest increase, perhaps matching last year's allocation, said Terry Erlewine, general manager of the State Water Contractors. The big problem is that reservoirs that help supply the lower Central Valley, such as the San Luis Reservoir in Merced County, aren't doing nearly as well as Oroville, Shasta and Folsom.

"That's the part that's missing this year," Erlewine said.

There is one more immediate benefit to having so much water flowing through the system. It's turning turbines that supply electricity for the Sacramento region's power grid.

The Sacramento Municipal Utility District said Monday that it will drop its hydroelectric rate surcharge on customer bills effective next month, a byproduct of strong storms filling reservoirs in the utility's hydroelectric generation system in the Sierra Nevada. The current 1.3 percent surcharge went into effect in April 2015. SMUD said the impact was about $1.20 a month for residential customers.

Brandi Merlo, a spokeswoman for San Francisco-based Pacific Gas and Electric Co., said her company isn't ready to take the same step. PG&E customers are paying 1.4 percent more this year than they otherwise would be, but "it's still too early to know what the effects of the rain would be."

Source: Ryan Sabalow, Mark Glover and Dale Kasler, Sacramento Bee, March 14, 2016

News Release: Senator Dianne Feinstein Calls for Increased Pumping to Capture Water from Storms

"Between January 1 and March 6 last year, 1.3 million acre feet of water flowed through the Delta and 651,000 acre feet were pumped out. During the same period this year, 2.8 million acre feet of water flowed through the Delta, but only 627,000 acre feet were pumped out.

"Pumping less water even though river flows more than doubled means 180,000 to 200,000 acre-feet of water was allowed to flow out to the sea instead of being captured and stored—enough water to supply 360,000 homes for a year. It's inexcusable that pumping levels have been reduced without sufficient evidence of fish mortality, even while biological opinions would allow more pumping.

"January flows topped 50,000 cubic feet per second and peaked again in mid-February above 42,000 cubic feet per second. But rather than pumping as much water as possible under the biological opinions, pumping levels were ratcheted down for an entire month between mid-January and mid-February.

"In some instances these decisions were made even though available data suggested no smelt or salmon were anywhere near the pumps. I agree that pumping should be curtailed when these species are near the pumps, but in many cases the evidence simply didn't support that conclusion. In other cases, adult smelt were spotted as far as 17 miles from pumps, which led to reduced pumping levels.

"Even if so-called turbidity bridges were present and required some reductions, many other days of high flows were squandered. And it's important to note that so far in 2016, only three smelt have actually been caught in the pumps.

"This is clear evidence of the need for legislation to allow more water to be pumped during periods of high river flows while still adhering to environmental laws and the biological opinions and their adaptive management provisions. I believe now more than ever that the bill I submitted last month is necessary, appropriate and will result in real help during this historic drought.

"By requiring daily monitoring of fish near the pumps during times of high turbidity, real-time data can be used to inform decisions rather than relying on intuition. I hope the Senate Energy

and Natural Resources Committee will hold a mark-up of my bill as soon as possible so the Senate can debate it. It's time to act.

Effects of lower pumping

"Just last week I met with 25 emerging leaders in California's agriculture industry. One young farmer from Firebaugh told me that both he and his father lost their farms because of the drought, farms that employed 450 workers who harvested 4,800 acres of cantaloupes and honeydew melons.

"There are real-world consequences to the decisions being made in the Delta. That's why we need to make sure we're using every possible tool make the right choices. Basing pumping decisions on better science and real-time monitoring is the least we can do."

Source: Office of Senator Dianne Feinstein, March 12, 2016

- **Bill update**

  The State Legislature began the second half of the legislative session on January 4, 2016. Below is a summary of active 2-year bills from last year and newly introduced bills. The deadline to introduce bills was February 19, 2016 and staff is currently reviewing bills for potential issues and/or impacts to city operations. Formal positions on bills will begin to form in the next month or so. A summary of active federal legislation is also included.

State Legislation

Solid Waste Bills

CA AB 45

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author:	Mullin (D)
Title:	Household Hazardous Waste
Fiscal Committee:	yes
Urgency Clause:	no
Introduced:	12/01/2014
Last Amend:	01/21/2016
Disposition:	Pending
Location:	Senate Environmental Quality Committee
Summary:	Requires the Department of Resources Recycling to adopt model ordinance for a comprehensive program for the collection of household hazardous waste. Authorizes a local jurisdiction proposing to enact an ordinance for the collection and diversion of such waste to adopt a Department model. Requires

a determination as to whether a nonprofit organization has been created and funded to make grants to local entities for purposes related to the disposal of such waste.

Status: 02/04/2016 To SENATE Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY.

CA AB 1005

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Gordon (D)
Title: Beverage Container Recycling and Litter Reduction Act
Fiscal Committee: yes
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/26/2015
Last Amend: 01/04/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: Senate Environmental Quality Committee
Summary: Postpones the repeal date of the State Beverage Container Recycling and Litter Reduction Act which continuously appropriates from the Beverage Container Recycling Fund moneys for market development payments by the Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery.
Status: 02/04/2016 To SENATE Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY.

CA AB 1555

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Gomez (D)
Title: Greenhouse Gas Reduction Fund
Fiscal Committee: no
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 01/04/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: ASSEMBLY
Summary: States the intent of the Legislature to enact future legislation that would appropriate from the Greenhouse Gas Reduction Fund for the 2015-16 fiscal year that would be allocated to different entities in amounts to be determined in the future legislation for purposes including low carbon transportation and infrastructure, clean energy communities, and community climate

improvements, wetland and watershed restoration, and carbon sequestration.

Status: 01/04/2016 INTRODUCED.

CA AB 1817

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Stone (D)
Title: Solid Waste: Garbage and Refuse Disposal Districts
Fiscal Committee: no
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/08/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: Assembly Local Government Committee
Summary: Requires that a member of a Garbage and Refuse Disposal District Board receive compensation per day for each day of attendance at a meeting of the board or for each day of service rendered as director by request of the board, and authorizes a member of a district board to receive that compensation for no more than a specified number of days in a calendar month.
Status: 02/25/2016 To ASSEMBLY Committee on LOCAL GOVERNMENT.

CA AB 2039

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Ting (D)
Title: Solid Waste: Reduction
Fiscal Committee: no
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/16/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: ASSEMBLY
Summary: Provides that it is the intent of the Legislature to reduce waste in the state.
Status: 02/16/2016 INTRODUCED.

CA AB 2059

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Garcia E (D)
Title: Junk Dealers and Recyclers: Nonferrous Materials
Fiscal Committee: no
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/17/2016
Last Amend: 03/14/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: Assembly Business and Professions Committee
Summary: Exempts from a certain payment by cash or check requirement those sellers of junk or recycling materials who carry a surety bond of a specified minimum sum which exclusively covers the cost of loss to the owner of stolen scrap metal purchased by the dealer or recycler and the cost to local law enforcement of investigating a theft. Defines recoverable cost of loss to the verifiable owner of the scrap metal to be specified damages.
Status:
03/14/2016 From ASSEMBLY Committee on BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONS with author's amendments.
03/14/2016 In ASSEMBLY. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONS.

CA AB 2111

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Dahle (R)
Title: Household Hazardous Waste
Fiscal Committee: no
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/17/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: ASSEMBLY
Summary: Makes nonsubstantive changes to existing law which authorizes public agencies to operate household hazardous waste collection facilities, and specifies conditions for the transportation of household hazardous waste.
Status: 02/17/2016 INTRODUCED.

CA AB 2153

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Garcia (D)
Title: Household Hazardous Waste: Hazardous Waste Facilities
Fiscal Committee: yes
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/17/2016
Disposition: Pending
Committee: Assembly Environmental Safety and Toxic Materials Committee
Hearing: 04/12/2016 1:30 pm, State Capitol, Room 444
Summary: Amends existing law that authorizes a door-to-door household waste collection program or household hazardous waste residential pickup services that meets specified requirements to collect household hazardous waste to a hazardous waste facility. Extends that authorization to transport household hazardous waste.
Status: 02/29/2016 To ASSEMBLY Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL SAFETY AND TOXIC MATERIALS.

CA AB 2396

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: McCarty (D)
Title: Solid Waste: Annual Reports
Fiscal Committee: yes
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/18/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: Assembly Natural Resources Committee
Summary: Relates to the established integrated waste management program. Requires each state, county and regional agency to include in a specified annual report, a summary of compliance with specified requirements relative to recycling commercial solid waste and organic waste.
Status: 03/08/2016 To ASSEMBLY Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.

CA AB 2722

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Burke (D)
Title: Transformative Climate Communities Program
Fiscal Committee: yes
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/19/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: Assembly Natural Resources Committee
Summary: Creates the Transformative Climate Communities Program. Appropriates funds from the Greenhouse Gas Reduction Fund. Requires the council to award competitive grants to specified eligible entities for transformative climate community plans in disadvantaged communities.
Status: 03/10/2016 To ASSEMBLY Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.

CA AB 2891

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Assembly Environmental Safety and Toxic Materials Committee
Title: Household Hazardous Waste: Guidelines
Fiscal Committee: yes
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/29/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: ASSEMBLY
Summary: Requires the Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery to consult with the State Water Resources Control Board in preparing the guidelines and state policy to guide the efforts of local agencies to provide household hazardous waste collection, recycling, and disposal programs.
Status: 02/29/2016 INTRODUCED.

CA SB 778

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Allen (D)
Title: Automotive Repair: Oil Changes: Notification
Fiscal Committee: yes
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/27/2015
Last Amend: 01/04/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: ASSEMBLY
Summary: Requires an automotive repair dealer to notify a customer, who is purchasing an oil change, of the recommended oil drain interval, oil grade, and viscosity specified in the maintenance schedule of the vehicle's owner's manual. Requires, except as specified, an automotive repair dealer to use the oil drain interval specified in the maintenance schedule of the vehicle's owner's manual if the automotive repair dealer is recommending the date or mileage for the next oil change, as described.
Status: 01/25/2016 In SENATE. Read third time. Passed SENATE. *****To ASSEMBLY. (22-12)

CA SB 970

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Leyva (D)
Title: Organic Food Waste Diversion
Fiscal Committee: yes
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/08/2016
Disposition: Pending
Committee: Senate Environmental Quality Committee
Hearing: 04/06/2016 9:30 am, Room 3191
Summary: Requires the Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery to develop a pilot program that encourages cost-effective and efficient integrated organic food waste diversion projects.
Status: 02/18/2016 To SENATE Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY.

Wastewater Bills

CA AB 1588

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Mathis (R)
Title: Water and Wastewater Loan and Grant Program
Fiscal Committee: yes
Urgency Clause: yes
Introduced: 01/06/2016
Last Amend: 03/09/2016
Disposition: Pending
Committee: Assembly Water, Parks and Wildlife Committee
Hearing: 03/29/2016 9:00 am, State Capitol, Room 437
Summary: Requires the State Water Resources Control Board to establish a program to provide funding to counties to award low-interest loans and grants to eligible applicants for specified purposes relating to drinking water and wastewater treatment. Authorizes a county to apply for such funds. Creates the Water and Wastewater Loan and Grant Fund and provides the moneys in this fund are available to the Board to administer and implement the program. Transfers funds from the General Fund to the loan and grant fund.

Status:

03/09/2016	From ASSEMBLY Committee on WATER, PARKS AND WILDLIFE with author's amendments.
03/09/2016	In ASSEMBLY. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on WATER, PARKS AND WILDLIFE.

CA AB 1738

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: McCarty (D)
Title: Building Standards: Dark Graywater
Fiscal Committee: yes
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/01/2016
Disposition: Pending
Committee: Assembly Environmental Safety and Toxic Materials Committee
Hearing: 03/29/2016 1:30 pm, State Capitol, Room 444
Summary: Defines dark graywater as a specified wastewater that comes from kitchen sinks and dishwashers. Requires the Department of Housing and Community Development, at the next triennial building standards rulemaking cycle, to adopt and submit for approval building standards for the construction, installation, and alteration of dark graywater systems for indoor and outdoor uses.

Status: 02/18/2016 To ASSEMBLY Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL SAFETY AND TOXIC MATERIALS.

CA SB 1112

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Cannella (R)
Title: Utilities: Water and Sewer Systems Corporations
Fiscal Committee: yes
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/17/2016
Disposition: Pending
Committee: Senate Energy, Utilities and Communications Committee
Hearing: 03/29/2016 9:30 am, Room 3191
Summary: Requires a water or sewer system corporation with less than 2,000 service connections to receive approval before entering into specified transactions. Provides that is a water or sewer system corporation fails to receive approval, the transaction is voidable.
Status: 02/25/2016 To SENATE Committee on ENERGY, UTILITIES AND COMMUNICATIONS.

Water Bills

CA AB 501

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Levine (D)
Title: Resources: Delta Research
Fiscal Committee: yes
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/23/2015
Last Amend: 01/25/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: Senate Natural Resources and Water Committee
Summary: Relates to the Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta Reform Act of 2009. Requires a person conducting State-funded Delta Research to take specified actions with regard to the sharing of the primary data, metadata, and other supporting materials created or gathered in the course of that research. Relates to ineligibility. Relates to researcher State funding eligibility requirements. Provides conditions for Delta research grants. Relates to the provision of consistent procedural and technical requirements.
Status: 02/04/2016 To SENATE Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES AND WATER.

CA AB 581

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Gomez (D)
Title: Water Quality, Supply, and Infrastructure Improvement
Fiscal Committee: yes
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/24/2015
Last Amend: 01/04/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: Senate Natural Resources and Water Committee
Summary: Amends the Water Quality, Supply, and Infrastructure Improvement Act of 2014 that provides that it is the intent of the people that a project supported by the funds made available under the Act will include signage informing the public that the project received funds from the Act to require certain recipients of funding pursuant to the Act to post signs acknowledging the source of funds in accordance with guidelines that the Secretary of the Natural Resources Agency would be required to develop.
Status: 02/04/2016 To SENATE Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES AND WATER.

CA AB 938

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Rodriguez (D)
Title: Sustainable Groundwater Management Act: Basins
Fiscal Committee: yes
Urgency Clause: yes
Introduced: 02/26/2015
Last Amend: 03/09/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: Senate Natural Resources and Water Committee
Summary: Amends the Sustainable Groundwater Management Act. Authorizes a watermaster or local agency administering an adjudicated basin to elect that the basin be subject to the provisions of the Act. Authorizes a court with jurisdiction over the basin to issue and order to set a hearing to determine if the basin shall be subject to the Act. Requires written notice to the Department of Water Resources that the basin is subject to the Act. Requires the notice to be posted on the Department's Web site.
Status: 03/09/2016 From SENATE Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES AND WATER with author's amendments.

In SENATE. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on 03/09/2016 NATURAL RESOURCES AND WATER.

CA AB 1180

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Garcia (D)
Title: Rates and Charges for Water Service: Fees
Fiscal Committee: yes
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/27/2015
Last Amend: 01/13/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: Senate Energy, Utilities and Communications Committee
Summary: Authorizes certain water corporations to seek approval to operate pilot programs designed to evaluate customer interest in, and utilization of, certain bill payment options, including, but not limited to, credit card and debit card payment options. Provides that a water corporation shall be allowed to recover expenses incurred in providing its customers with such options, and to not impose a transaction fee on its customers for using such options. Requires an assessment on the use of credit cards.
Status: 02/04/2016 To SENATE Committees on ENERGY, UTILITIES AND COMMUNICATIONS and NATURAL RESOURCES AND WATER.

CA AB 1244

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Gray (D)
Title: Water Rights: Small Irrigation Use
Fiscal Committee: yes
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/27/2015
Last Amend: 01/26/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: Senate Natural Resources and Water Committee
Summary: Requires the State Water Resources Control Board, when adopting general conditions applicable to appropriations for small irrigation use until the Board determines that funds are available for that purpose, to consult with the Department of Food and Agriculture and the University of California Cooperative Extension, regarding relevant agricultural information, and with the Department of Fish and Wildlife, regarding potential impacts on fish and wildlife, for small irrigation use.

Status:	02/18/2016 To SENATE Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES AND WATER.

CA AB 1585

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author:	Alejo (D)
Title:	Monterey County Water Resources Agency: Lakes
Fiscal Committee:	yes
Urgency Clause:	yes
Introduced:	01/06/2016
Last Amend:	02/08/2016
Disposition:	Pending
Committee:	Assembly Water, Parks and Wildlife Committee
Hearing:	03/29/2016 9:00 am, State Capitol, Room 437
Summary:	Appropriates a specified amount of funds from an unspecified source to the Monterey County Water Resources Agency for the purpose of constructing a water conveyance tunnel between Lake Nacimiento and Lake San Antonio and spillway modifications at Lake San Antonio.
Status:	02/08/2016 From ASSEMBLY Committee on WATER, PARKS AND WILDLIFE with author's amendments.
	02/08/2016 In ASSEMBLY. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on WATER, PARKS AND WILDLIFE.

CA AB 1586

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author:	Mathis (R)
Title:	Environmental Quality Act: Temperance Flat Reservoir
Fiscal Committee:	no
Urgency Clause:	no
Introduced:	01/06/2016
Last Amend:	03/14/2016
Disposition:	Pending
Committee:	Assembly Natural Resources Committee
Hearing:	04/04/2016 1:30 pm, State Capitol, Room 447
Summary:	Prohibits the court, in an action or proceeding alleging a violation of the California Environmental Quality Act, from staying or enjoining the construction or operation of the

Temperance Flat Reservoir unless the court makes certain findings.

Status:

03/14/2016	From ASSEMBLY Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES with author's amendments.
03/14/2016	In ASSEMBLY. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.

CA AB 1587

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Mathis (R)
Title: Groundwater: Subsidence Abatement
Fiscal Committee: yes
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 01/06/2016
Last Amend: 03/15/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: Assembly Water, Parks and Wildlife Committee
Summary: Prohibits, during a period for which the Governor has issued a proclamation of a state of emergency based on drought and flood conditions, the State Water Resources Control Board from requiring a permit to recharge groundwater if the water may be diverted and used without injury to a lawful user of water, and the water may be diverted and used without unreasonable effect on other beneficial uses. Requires a specified report from the High-Speed Rail Authority on the subsidence of farms, homes, and land.

Status:

03/15/2016	From ASSEMBLY Committee on WATER, PARKS AND WILDLIFE with author's amendments.
03/15/2016	In ASSEMBLY. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on WATER, PARKS AND WILDLIFE.

CA AB 1588

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Mathis (R)
Title: Water and Wastewater Loan and Grant Program
Fiscal Committee: yes
Urgency Clause: yes
Introduced: 01/06/2016
Last Amend: 03/09/2016
Disposition: Pending
Committee: Assembly Water, Parks and Wildlife Committee
Hearing: 03/29/2016 9:00 am, State Capitol, Room 437

Summary: Requires the State Water Resources Control Board to establish a program to provide funding to counties to award low-interest loans and grants to eligible applicants for specified purposes relating to drinking water and wastewater treatment. Authorizes a county to apply for such funds. Creates the Water and Wastewater Loan and Grant Fund and provides the moneys in this fund are available to the Board to administer and implement the program. Transfers funds from the General Fund to the loan and grant fund.

Status:

03/09/2016	From ASSEMBLY Committee on WATER, PARKS AND WILDLIFE with author's amendments.
03/09/2016	In ASSEMBLY. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on WATER, PARKS AND WILDLIFE.

CA AB 1589

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Mathis (R)
Title: Environmental Quality Act: Exemption:Drought Mitigation
Fiscal Committee: yes
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 01/06/2016
Last Amend: 03/14/2016
Disposition: Pending
Committee: Assembly Natural Resources Committee
Hearing: 04/04/2016 1:30 pm, State Capitol, Room 447

Summary: Exempts from the requirements of the California Environmental Quality Act, for the duration of a state of emergency proclaimed by the Governor due to drought conditions, certain projects that are undertaken, carried out, or approved by a public agency to mitigate those drought conditions.

Status:

03/14/2016	From ASSEMBLY Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES with author's amendments.
03/14/2016	In ASSEMBLY. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.

CA AB 1590

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Mathis (R)
Title: State Water Resources Control Board: Appointments
Fiscal Committee: yes
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 01/06/2016
Last 03/10/2016

Amend:
Disposition: Pending
Committee: Assembly Water, Parks and Wildlife Committee
Hearing: 03/29/2016 9:00 am, State Capitol, Room 437
Summary: Requires that additional members be appointed to the State Water Resources Control Board by the Legislature. Requires that vacancies be immediately filled by the appointing power.
Status:
03/10/2016 From ASSEMBLY Committee on WATER, PARKS AND WILDLIFE with author's amendments.
03/10/2016 In ASSEMBLY. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on WATER, PARKS AND WILDLIFE.

CA AB 1647

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Waldron (R)
Title: Environmental Quality: Water Storage Facilities
Fiscal Committee: yes
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 01/12/2016
Disposition: Pending
Committee: Assembly Natural Resources Committee
Hearing: 04/04/2016 1:30 pm, State Capitol, Room 447
Summary: Exempts from the Environmental Quality Act a project to expand the storage capacity of an existing surface water storage facility, or to replace an existing surface water storage facility, that is owned and operated by a public entity if that public entity adopts, by resolution, findings and declarations that the project meets specified criteria.
Status: 02/04/2016 To ASSEMBLY Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.

CA AB 1649

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Salas (D)
Title: Water Quality, Supply, and Infrastructure Improvement
Fiscal Committee: no
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 01/12/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: ASSEMBLY
Summary: States the intent of the Legislature to enact legislation to ensure surface water storage is funded and built consistent with the goals of Proposition 1 and that the State Water

Commission fulfills the original intent of the water storage project provisions of Proposition 1.

Status: 01/12/2016 INTRODUCED.

CA AB 1694

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Lackey (R)
Title: Water Quality, Supply, and Infrastructure Improvement
Fiscal Committee: yes
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 01/21/2016
Last Amend: 03/15/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: Assembly Water, Parks and Wildlife Committee
Summary: Requires, in implementing grants for multibenefit stormwater management projects, that special consideration be given to projects that would use cisterns for water storage and flood protection. Appropriates a specified amount from the proceeds of the Water Quality, Supply, and Infrastructure Improvement Act of 2014 for the purpose of the grants for multibenefit stormwater management projects.

Status:
03/15/2016 From ASSEMBLY Committee on WATER, PARKS AND WILDLIFE with author's amendments.
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CA AB 1704

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Dodd (D)
Title: Water Rights
Fiscal Committee: yes
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 01/25/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: Assembly Water, Parks and Wildlife Committee
Summary: Requires the registrant to provide a copy of the registrant's registration form to the Department of Fish and Wildlife and agree to general conditions. Requires the State

Water Resources Control Board to consult with the Department of Fish and Wildlife in establishing these general conditions and include in the general conditions compliance with certain Fish and Game Code requirements applicable to the diversion of water.

Status: 02/08/2016 To ASSEMBLY Committee on WATER, PARKS AND WILDLIFE.

CA AB 1707

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Linder (R)
Title: Public Records: Response to Request
Fiscal Committee: yes
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 01/25/2016
Disposition: Pending
Committee: Assembly Judiciary Committee
Hearing: 03/29/2016 9:00 am, State Capitol, Room 4202
Summary: Requires a public records denial of the request, in whole or in part, to be in writing. Requires the response be in writing regardless of whether the request was in writing. Requires that response additionally to include a list that contains the title or other identification of each record requested but withheld due to an exemption and the specific exemption that applies to that record.
Status: 02/25/2016 To ASSEMBLY Committee on JUDICIARY.

CA AB 1713

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Eggman (D)
Title: Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta: Peripheral Canal
Fiscal Committee: yes
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 01/26/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: Assembly Water, Parks and Wildlife Committee
Summary: Prohibits the construction of a peripheral canal in the Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta unless expressly authorized by an initiative voted on by the voters of California, and requires the Legislative Analyst's Office to complete a prescribed economic feasibility analysis prior to a vote authorizing the construction of a peripheral canal.
Status: 02/18/2016 To ASSEMBLY Committee on WATER, PARKS AND WILDLIFE.

CA AB 1716

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: McCarty (D)
Title: Lower American River Conservancy
Fiscal Committee: yes
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 01/27/2016
Disposition: Pending
Committee: Assembly Natural Resources Committee
Hearing: 04/04/2016 1:30 pm, State Capitol, Room 447
Summary: Establishes in the Natural Resources Agency the Lower American River Conservancy to receive and expend proceeds from bonds or other appropriations for the benefit of the American River Parkway. Creates the Lower American River Conservancy Fund.
Status: 02/18/2016 To ASSEMBLY Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.

CA AB 1755

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Dodd (D)
Title: Open and Transparent Water Data Act
Fiscal Committee: yes
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/02/2016
Last Amend: 03/01/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: Assembly Water, Parks and Wildlife Committee
Summary: Enacts the Open and Transparent Water Data Act. Requires the Department of Water Resources to establish a public benefit corporation that would create and manage a statewide water information accounting system to improve the ability of the State to meet the growing demand for water supply reliability and healthy ecosystems that would integrate existing water data information from multiple databases and a related clearinghouse. Requires the development of related protocols. Creates a related fund.

Status:	03/01/2016	From ASSEMBLY Committee on WATER, PARKS AND WILDLIFE with author's amendments. In ASSEMBLY. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on WATER, PARKS AND WILDLIFE.
	03/01/2016	

CA AB 1794

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author:	Garcia (D)
Title:	Municipal Water Districts: Board of Directors
Fiscal Committee:	no
Urgency Clause:	no
Introduced:	02/04/2016
Disposition:	Pending
Location:	ASSEMBLY
Summary:	Makes a nonsubstantive change in existing law that requires the board of directors of a municipal water district to consist of 5 members and each director to be a resident of the division from which the director is elected.
Status:	02/04/2016 INTRODUCED.

CA AB 1816

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author:	Dahle (R)
Title:	Irrigation Districts: Lease of Works
Fiscal Committee:	yes
Urgency Clause:	no
Introduced:	02/08/2016
Disposition:	Pending
Location:	Assembly Local Government Committee
Summary:	Authorizes the board of an irrigation district to alternatively post notice on its Internet Web site of a lease of part or all of the district's works. Specifies that a lease be made to the highest bidder that is responsive and would additionally prohibit the lease from interfering with any prior right established by contact.
Status:	02/25/2016 To ASSEMBLY Committee on LOCAL GOVERNMENT.

CA AB 1842

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Levine (D)
Title: Water: Pollution: Fines
Fiscal Committee: yes
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/09/2016
Disposition: Pending
Committee: Assembly Water, Parks and Wildlife Committee
Hearing: 03/29/2016 9:00 am, State Capitol, Room 437
Summary: Imposes a civil penalty for each gallon or pound of polluting material discharged. Requires that the civil penalty be reduced for every gallon or pound of the illegally discharged material that is recovered and properly disposed of by the responsible party.
Status: 02/25/2016 To ASSEMBLY Committee on WATER, PARKS AND WILDLIFE.

CA AB 1866

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Wilk (R)
Title: High-Speed Rail Bond Proceeds: Water Projects
Fiscal Committee: yes
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/10/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: Assembly Transportation Committee
Summary: Provides that no further bonds shall be sold for high-speed rail purposes pursuant to the Safe, Reliable High-Speed Passenger Train Bond Act for the 21st Century, except as specifically provided with respect to an existing appropriation for high-speed rail purposes for early improvement projects. Requires redirection of the unspent proceeds received from outstanding bonds issued for other high-speed rail purposes to fund capital expenditures for water projects.
Status: 02/25/2016 To ASSEMBLY Committees on TRANSPORTATION and WATER, PARKS AND WILDLIFE.

CA AB 1871

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Waldron (R)
Title: Desalination

Fiscal Committee:	yes
Urgency Clause:	no
Introduced:	02/10/2016
Disposition:	Pending
Location:	ASSEMBLY
Summary:	Provides that it is the intention of the Legislature that when a state agency considers an application relating to desalination that the agency, when considering alternatives, should consider the cost of those alternatives in order to ensure that project financing does not become significantly more expensive or difficult.
Status:	02/10/2016 INTRODUCED.

CA AB 1882

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author:	Williams (D)
Title:	Oil and Gas: Groundwater Monitoring
Fiscal Committee:	yes
Urgency Clause:	no
Introduced:	02/11/2016
Disposition:	Pending
Committee:	Assembly Natural Resources Committee
Hearing:	04/04/2016 1:30 pm, State Capitol, Room 447
Summary:	Requires the Division of Oil, Gas, and Geothermal Resources to provide an opportunity and the information necessary for the State Water Resources Control Board and the appropriate regional water quality control board to review, comment on, and propose additional requirements for Class II underground injection well projects.
Status:	02/25/2016 To ASSEMBLY Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.

CA AB 1925

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author:	Chang (R)
Title:	Desalination Statewide Goal
Fiscal Committee:	no
Urgency Clause:	no
Introduced:	02/12/2016
Disposition:	Pending
Committee:	Assembly Water, Parks and Wildlife Committee
Hearing:	03/29/2016 9:00 am, State Capitol, Room 437

Summary: Establishes a goal to desalinate specified acre-feet of drinking water by a specified year and specified acre-feet of drinking water per year by a specified year.

Status: 02/25/2016 To ASSEMBLY Committee on WATER, PARKS AND WILDLIFE.

CA AB 1928

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Campos (D)
Title: Water Efficiency Landscape Irrigation Equipment
Fiscal Committee: yes
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/12/2016
Disposition: Pending
Committee: Assembly Water, Parks and Wildlife Committee
Hearing: 03/29/2016 9:00 am, State Capitol, Room 437
Summary: Postpones the date by which the Resources Conservation and Development Commission is to adopt the performance standards and labeling requirements for landscape irrigation equipment prohibit the sale of that equipment unless it meets the performance standards and labeling requirements.
Status: 02/25/2016 To ASSEMBLY Committee on WATER, PARKS AND WILDLIFE.

CA AB 1979

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Bigelow (R)
Title: Urban Water Management Plans
Fiscal Committee: no
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/16/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: ASSEMBLY
Summary: Makes nonsubstantive changes to the Urban Water Management Planning Act that requires every public and private urban water supplier that directly or indirectly provides water for municipal purposes to prepare and adopt an urban water management plan.
Status: 02/16/2016 INTRODUCED.

CA AB 1986

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Wilk (R)
Title: Water Resources: Permit to Appropriate: Application
Fiscal Committee: yes
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/16/2016
Disposition: Pending
Committee: Assembly Water, Parks and Wildlife Committee
Hearing: 03/29/2016 9:00 am, State Capitol, Room 437
Summary: Requires if the State Water Resources Control Board has not rendered a final determination on an application for a permit to appropriate water within 20 years from the date the application was filed, to issue another notice of application and mail the notice of application.
Status: 02/25/2016 To ASSEMBLY Committee on WATER, PARKS AND WILDLIFE.

CA AB 1989

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Jones (R)
Title: Water and Greenhouse Gas Emissions Reduction
Fiscal Committee: yes
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/16/2016
Last Amend: 03/14/2016
Disposition: Pending
Committee: Assembly Water, Parks and Wildlife Committee
Hearing: 03/29/2016 9:00 am, State Capitol, Room 437
Summary: Requires the State Water Resources Control Board to develop and implement a grant and low-interest loan program for water projects that result in the net reduction of water-related greenhouse gas emissions. Appropriates a specified amount of funds annually from the Greenhouse Gas Reduction Fund to the Board to develop and implement the program.
Status: 03/14/2016 From ASSEMBLY Committee on WATER, PARKS AND WILDLIFE with author's amendments.
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03/14/2016

CA AB 2001

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Mathis (R)
Title: Fish: Fully Protected Species: Taking or Possession
Fiscal Committee: yes
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/16/2016
Last Amend: 03/10/2016
Disposition: Pending
Committee: Assembly Water, Parks and Wildlife Committee
Hearing: 03/29/2016 9:00 am, State Capitol, Room 437
Summary: Authorizes the Department of Fish and Wildlife to permit the taking of certain species of fish for necessary scientific research or for the efforts to recover fully protected, threatened, or endangered species, not including an action taken as part of specified mitigation for a project.
Status:
03/10/2016 From ASSEMBLY Committee on WATER, PARKS AND WILDLIFE with author's amendments.
03/10/2016 In ASSEMBLY. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on WATER, PARKS AND WILDLIFE.

CA AB 2022

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Gordon (D)
Title: Advanced Purified Demonstration Water
Fiscal Committee: yes
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/16/2016
Disposition: Pending
Committee: Assembly Environmental Safety and Toxic Materials Committee
Hearing: 03/29/2016 1:30 pm, State Capitol, Room 444
Summary: Authorizes the operator of a facility producing advanced purified demonstration water, to cause the water to be bottled and distributed as samples for educational purposes and to promote water recycling. Prohibits the advanced purified demonstration water from being distributed unless the water meets or is superior to all federal and state drinking water standards.
Status:
02/29/2016 To ASSEMBLY Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL SAFETY AND TOXIC MATERIALS.

CA AB 2029

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Dahle (R)
Title: Timber Harvesting Plans: Exemptions
Fiscal Committee: no
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/16/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: ASSEMBLY
Summary: Makes a nonsubstantive change to existing law which prohibits a person from conducting timber operations unless a timber harvesting plan has been submitted to the Department of Forestry and Fire Protection.
Status: 02/16/2016 INTRODUCED.

CA AB 2040

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Melendez (R)
Title: Outdoor Water Efficiency Act of 2016: Tax Credits
Fiscal Committee: yes
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/17/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: Assembly Revenue and Taxation Committee
Summary: Allows, under the Personal Income Tax Law, a credit for a percentage of the amount paid or incurred by a qualified taxpayer for water-efficiency improvements on qualified real property in the State. Requires the qualified taxpayer to obtain and retain a certification of such improvements from the appropriate regional or local water agency after completion of the improvements and to provide a copy of this certification to the Franchise Tax Board upon request.
Status: 02/29/2016 To ASSEMBLY Committee on REVENUE AND TAXATION.

CA AB 2042

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Harper (R)
Title: Water Desalination Facilities
Fiscal Committee: no
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/17/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: ASSEMBLY
Summary: Declares the intent of the Legislature to enact legislation relating to water desalination facilities.
Status: 02/17/2016 INTRODUCED.

CA AB 2043

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Harper (R)
Title: Desalination
Fiscal Committee: no
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/17/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: ASSEMBLY
Summary: States that the Legislature recognizes that desalination is an important local and regional sustainable water supply and reliability option.
Status: 02/17/2016 INTRODUCED.

CA AB 2076

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Garcia (D)
Title: Water Recycling: Beer and Wine
Fiscal Committee: yes
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/17/2016
Disposition: Pending
Committee: Assembly Environmental Safety and Toxic Materials Committee

Hearing: 04/12/2016 1:30 pm, State Capitol, Room 444

Summary: Requires the State Water Resources Control Board to adopt uniform water recycling criteria for the use of recycled water in the manufacture of beer and wine.

Status: 02/29/2016 To ASSEMBLY Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL SAFETY AND TOXIC MATERIALS.

CA AB 2087

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Levine (D)

Title: Regional Conservation Frameworks

Fiscal Committee: yes

Urgency Clause: no

Introduced: 02/17/2016

Disposition: Pending

Location: Assembly Water, Parks and Wildlife Committee

Summary: Authorizes the Department of Fish and Wildlife in the Natural Resources Agency to prepare or approve, and to adopt and amend, a regional conservation framework that identifies wildlife and habitat conservation needs, guides investments in conservation, infrastructure planning and compensatory mitigation for impacts to natural resources. Informs infrastructure planning, land use planning and the design and implementation of public and private projects. Relates to conservation action plans.

Status: 02/29/2016 To ASSEMBLY Committee on WATER, PARKS AND WILDLIFE.

CA AB 2099

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Stone (D)

Title: Safe Drinking Water Assistance Program

Fiscal Committee: yes

Urgency Clause: no

Introduced: 02/17/2016

Disposition: Pending

Committee: Assembly Human Services Committee

Hearing: 03/29/2016 1:30 pm, State Capitol, Room 437

Summary: Requires the State Department of Social Services to establish and administer a safe drinking water assistance program to provide cash benefits to low-income households with inadequate access to safe drinking water so they may obtain safe drinking water. Specified what such households include. Requires the program be funded with existing Department resources. Requires the Department to deliver cash benefits through the EBT system.

Status: 02/29/2016 To ASSEMBLY Committees on HUMAN SERVICES and ENVIRONMENTAL

SAFETY AND TOXIC MATERIALS.

CA AB 2112

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Dahle (R)
Title: Safe Drinking Water Act
Fiscal Committee: no
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/17/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: ASSEMBLY
Summary: Makes nonsubstantive changes to the provisions vesting the State Water Resources Control Board with specified authorities, including deleting an obsolete subdivision.
Status: 02/17/2016 INTRODUCED.

CA AB 2139

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Williams (D)
Title: Water Quality
Fiscal Committee: yes
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/17/2016
Disposition: Pending
Committee: Assembly Environmental Safety and Toxic Materials Committee
Hearing: 04/12/2016 1:30 pm, State Capitol, Room 444
Summary: Relates to State Water Resources Control Board. Requires a water quality control plan for the ocean waters of the state known as the California Ocean Plan. Requires the state board to either amend the plan or adopt separate standards to address water quality objectives and effluent limitations that relate to carbon dioxide and pH levels within the coastal waters.
Status: To ASSEMBLY Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL SAFETY AND TOXIC 02/29/2016 MATERIALS.

CA AB 2241

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Dahle (R)
Title: State Policy for Water Quality Control
Fiscal Committee: no
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/18/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: ASSEMBLY
Summary: Makes technical, nonsubstantive changes to the existing Porter-Cologne Water Quality Control Act, relative to the state policy for water quality control which is required to consist of water quality principles and guidelines for long-range resource planning, water quality objectives, and other principles and guidelines for water control.
Status: 02/18/2016 INTRODUCED.

CA AB 2271

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Quirk (D)
Title: Energy Efficiency
Fiscal Committee: no
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/18/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: ASSEMBLY
Summary: Makes nonsubstantive revisions to existing law that authorizes any state agency to enter into an energy savings contract with a qualified energy service company for the purchase or exchange of thermal or electrical energy or water, or to acquire energy efficiency services, water conservation services, or both.
Status: 02/18/2016 INTRODUCED.

CA AB 2304

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Levine (D)
Title: State Water Market Exchange
Fiscal Committee: yes
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/18/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: Assembly Water, Parks and Wildlife Committee
Summary: Establishes the State Water Market Exchange which requires the market exchange to create a centralized water market platform on its Internet Web site that provides ready access to information about water available for transfer or exchange. Requires the submission of certain data and information to the market exchange and the payment of an administrative fee to the exchange. Requires the development of specified procedures by the exchange.
Status: 03/03/2016 To ASSEMBLY Committee on WATER, PARKS AND WILDLIFE.

CA AB 2335

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Gaines B (R)
Title: Waste Discharge Reports
Fiscal Committee: no
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/18/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: ASSEMBLY
Summary: Makes nonsubstantive changes to the Porter-Cologne Water Quality Control Act.
Status: 02/18/2016 INTRODUCED.

CA AB 2357

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Dahle (R)
Title: Water Rights: Measurement of Diversion
Fiscal Committee: no
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/18/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: ASSEMBLY
Summary: Makes a nonsubstantive change to existing law which requires that a person who diverts 10 acre-feet of water per year or more under a permit or license to install and maintain a device or employ a method capable of measuring the rate of direct diversion.
Status: 02/18/2016 INTRODUCED.

CA AB 2373

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Gray (D)
Title: Merced Irrigation District
Fiscal Committee: yes
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/18/2016
Disposition: Pending
Committee: Assembly Water, Parks and Wildlife Committee
Hearing: 03/29/2016 9:00 am, State Capitol, Room 437
Summary: Appropriates funds from the General Fund to the Merced Irrigation District for implementing irrigation and water use efficiency strategies for small communal farms in the County of Merced.
Status: 03/08/2016 To ASSEMBLY Committee on WATER, PARKS AND WILDLIFE.

CA AB 2409

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Wagner (R)
Title: Water Quality Standards: Trash; Single Use Bags
Fiscal Committee: yes
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/19/2016
Disposition: Pending
Committee: Assembly Environmental Safety and Toxic Materials Committee
Hearing: 03/29/2016 1:30 pm, State Capitol, Room 444
Summary: Suspends the operation of certain amendments to water quality control plans relating to the total maximum daily load for trash unless the provisions inoperative due to a pending referendum election become effective. Requires the state board to revisit and revise water quality control plans to address impaired water quality due to trash if the law pending referendum is defeated.
Status: 03/08/2016 To ASSEMBLY Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL SAFETY AND TOXIC MATERIALS.

CA AB 2413

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Thurmond (D)
Title: Sea Level Rise Preparation
Fiscal Committee: yes
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/19/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: Assembly Natural Resources Committee
Summary: Requires the Natural Resources Agency to complete a study outlining the potential impact of sea level rise on low-income and at-risk communities and public projects and infrastructure. Requires the agency based on study, to make recommendations on preparing for sea level rise.
Status: 03/08/2016 To ASSEMBLY Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.

CA AB 2438

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Waldron (R)
Title: Environmental Quality Act
Fiscal Committee: yes
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/19/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: Assembly Natural Resources Committee
Summary: Relates to the Environmental Quality Act (CEQA). Exempts from CEQA a project for the construction and installation of a new pipeline or the maintenance, repair, restoration, reconditioning, relocation, replacement, removal, or demolition of an existing pipeline for the distribution of recycled water within a public street, highway, or right-of-way. Requires a public hearing.
Status: 03/08/2016 To ASSEMBLY Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.

CA AB 2444

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Garcia E (D)
Title: Water Quality and Coastal Protection
Fiscal Committee: no
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/19/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: ASSEMBLY
Summary: Declares the intent of the Legislature to enact the California Water Quality, Coastal Protection, and Outdoor Access Improvement Act of 2016, which would authorize the issuance of bonds of finance a water quality, coastal protection, and outdoor access improvement program.
Status: 02/19/2016 INTRODUCED.

CA AB 2446

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Gordon (D)
Title: Natural Resources: Protection
Fiscal Committee: no
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/19/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: ASSEMBLY
Summary: Declares the intent of the Legislature to enact legislation that would protect the state's land and water resources.
Status: 02/19/2016 INTRODUCED.

CA AB 2470

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Bigelow (R)
Title: Water Quality: Membership of Regional Boards
Fiscal Committee: no
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/19/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: ASSEMBLY
Summary: Makes nonsubstantive changes to existing law that requires the State Water Resources Control Board and regional water quality control boards to prescribe waste discharge requirements in accordance with the federal national pollutant discharge elimination system permit program established by the federal Clean Water Act and the Porter-Cologne Water Quality Control Act.
Status: 02/19/2016 INTRODUCED.

CA AB 2480

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Bloom (D)
Title: Source Watersheds: Maintenance and Repair
Fiscal Committee: no
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/19/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: ASSEMBLY
Summary: Declares it to be state policy that source watersheds are recognized and defined as integral components of California's water system, and declares that their maintenance and repair are eligible for financing on an equivalent basis with other water collection and treatment infrastructure.
Status: 02/19/2016 INTRODUCED.

CA AB 2488

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Dababneh (D)
Title: Fish: Fully Protected Species: Possession
Fiscal Committee: no
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/19/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: ASSEMBLY
Summary: Makes a nonsubstantive change to existing law that prohibits the taking or possession of a fully protected fish.
Status: 02/19/2016 INTRODUCED.

CA AB 2515

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Weber (D)
Title: Water Districts: Financial Supervision
Fiscal Committee: no
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/19/2016

Disposition: Pending
Location: ASSEMBLY
Summary: Makes a technical, nonsubstantive change in the existing law that provides for the compensation of members of a board of directors of a water district.
Status: 02/19/2016 INTRODUCED.

CA AB 2525

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Holden (D)
Title: Water Efficient Landscaping
Fiscal Committee: yes
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/19/2016
Disposition: Pending
Committee: Assembly Water, Parks and Wildlife Committee
Hearing: 03/29/2016 9:00 am, State Capitol, Room 437
Summary: Requires the Department of Water Resources to create the Water Efficient Landscaping Program for the purpose of encouraging local agencies and water purveyors to use economic incentives that promote the efficient use of water, promote the benefits of consistent landscape ordinances, and support and enhance turf replacement.
Status: 03/08/2016 To ASSEMBLY Committees on WATER, PARKS AND WILDLIFE and LOCAL GOVERNMENT.

CA AB 2534

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Nazarian (D)
Title: Los Angeles River
Fiscal Committee: no
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/19/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: ASSEMBLY
Summary: Relates to the existing Los Angeles County Flood Control Act, that establishes the Los Angeles County Flood Control District and authorizes the district to control and conserve the flood, storm, and other wastewater of the district.
Status: 02/19/2016 INTRODUCED.

CA AB 2543

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Gordon (D)
Title: State Buildings and Efficiency
Fiscal Committee: yes
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/19/2016
Disposition: Pending
Committee: Assembly Natural Resources Committee
Hearing: 04/04/2016 1:30 pm, State Capitol, Room 447
Summary: Requires the State Energy Resources Conservation and Development Commission to develop a plan to exploit cost-effective energy efficiency and water conservation measures in state facilities.
Status: 03/08/2016 To ASSEMBLY Committees on NATURAL RESOURCES and ACCOUNTABILITY AND ADMINISTRATIVE REVIEW.

CA AB 2550

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Patterson (R)
Title: Instream Flow Curtailments and Compensation
Fiscal Committee: yes
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/19/2016
Disposition: Pending
Committee: Assembly Water, Parks and Wildlife Committee
Hearing: 03/29/2016 9:00 am, State Capitol, Room 437
Summary: Requires the State Water Resources Control Board to financially compensate a person who is unable to divert the full amount of water authorized under his or her permit or license due to a board-issued instream flow curtailment, and a person who is required to file a statement of diversion and use is unable to divert the same amount of water in the succeeding year due to a board-issued instream flow curtailment.
Status: 03/08/2016 To ASSEMBLY Committee on WATER, PARKS AND WILDLIFE.

CA AB 2551

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Gallagher (R)
Title: Surface Storage and Design Build Contracts
Fiscal Committee: yes
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/19/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: Assembly Water, Parks and Wildlife Committee
Summary: Relates to general obligation bonds to finance a water quality, supply, and infrastructure improvement program. Authorizes surface storage projects that receive Proposition 1 funding to use the design-build method of project delivery.
Status: 03/08/2016 To ASSEMBLY Committee on WATER, PARKS AND WILDLIFE.

CA AB 2583

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Frazier (D)
Title: Sacramento San Joaquin Delta Reform Act
Fiscal Committee: yes
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/19/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: Assembly Water, Parks and Wildlife Committee
Summary: Relates to the Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta Reform Act of 2009, establishing the Delta Stewardship Council and the Delta Plan. Adds a definition of the California Water Fix to the act. Requires a state or local public agency that proposes an action within the boundaries of the Delta or the Suisun Marsh to submit a written certification of consistency with the Delta Plan prior to taking those actions. Deletes certain exclusions relating to the Bay.
Status: 03/10/2016 To ASSEMBLY Committee on WATER, PARKS AND WILDLIFE.

CA AB 2601

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Eggman (D)
Title: Building Standard: Residential Property: Graywater
Fiscal Committee: yes
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/19/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: Assembly Housing and Community Development Committee
Summary: Requires the Department of Housing and Community Development to adopt and submit to Building Standards Commission for approval amendments to the building standards adopted pursuant to these provisions that require that all new single-family and duplex residential dwelling units include specified components to allow the separate discharge of graywater for direct irrigation.
Status: 03/10/2016 To ASSEMBLY Committee on HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT.

CA AB 2616

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Burke (D)
Title: Coastal Commission: Membership
Fiscal Committee: yes
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/19/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: Assembly Natural Resources Committee
Summary: Requires housing opportunities for persons of low and moderate income to be protected, encouraged, and, where feasible, provided in coastal areas. Specifies that the act does not preclude or otherwise restrict the consideration of environmental justice or the equitable distribution of environmental benefits in communities throughout the state.
Status: 03/10/2016 To ASSEMBLY Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.

CA AB 2617

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Mayes (R)
Title: Water Efficiency Measures
Fiscal Committee: yes
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/19/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: Assembly Natural Resources Committee
Summary: Requires the Energy Commission to develop and solicit comments on a proposed report, in consultation with certain subject matter experts to issue a final report that contains the projected benefits of recommended voluntary water efficiency measures and an analysis of any unintended adverse environmental impacts.
Status: 03/10/2016 To ASSEMBLY Committees on NATURAL RESOURCES and WATER, PARKS AND WILDLIFE.

CA AB 2639

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Garcia E (D)
Title: Water Quality: Porter-Cologne Water Quality
Fiscal Committee: no
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/19/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: ASSEMBLY
Summary: Makes nonsubstantive changes to the State Water Resources Control Board and the California regional water quality control boards that prescribe waste discharge requirements in accordance with the federal Clean Water Act and the Porter-Cologne Water Quality Control Act.
Status: 02/19/2016 INTRODUCED.

CA AB 2648

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Jones (R)
Title: California Coastal Commission
Fiscal Committee: no
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/19/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: ASSEMBLY
Summary: Makes nonsubstantive changes in the California Coastal Act of 1976 which establishes the California Coastal Commission and prescribes the membership and functions and duties of the commission with regard to the administration and implementation of the act.
Status: 02/19/2016 INTRODUCED.

CA AB 2657

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Chu (D)
Title: Water Quality and Infrastructure Improvement
Fiscal Committee: no
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/19/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: ASSEMBLY
Summary: Makes nonsubstantive changes to the provisions regarding the Water Quality, Supply and Infrastructure Improvement Act of 2014, to finance the Water Quality, Supply and Infrastructure Improvement Program with general obligation bonds. Relates to a water management plan.
Status: 02/19/2016 INTRODUCED.

CA AB 2658

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Maienschein (R)
Title: Coastal Commission: Ex Parte Communications
Fiscal Committee: yes
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/19/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: Assembly Natural Resources Committee
Summary: Relates to the California Coastal Act of 1976. Prohibits ex parte communications applicable to communications between a commission staff member and an interested party. Requires transcripts or audio recordings of those proceedings to be promptly posted on the commission's Internet Web site to allow for public comment.
Status: 03/10/2016 To ASSEMBLY Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.

CA AB 2801

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Gallagher (R)
Title: Civil Procedure: Validation Actions
Fiscal Committee: no
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/19/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: Assembly Judiciary Committee
Summary: Amends existing law that authorizes a public agency to bring an action in court to determine the validity of certain matters within a specified time period of the existence of the matter. Deletes the prohibition on a contest of any thing or matter under these provisions being made other than within the specified time and manner, except by the public agency or its officer or agent.
Status: 03/14/2016 To ASSEMBLY Committee on JUDICIARY.

CA AB 2890

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Assembly Environmental Safety and Toxic Materials Committee
Title: Drinking Water and Wastewater Operator Certification
Fiscal Committee: yes
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/29/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: ASSEMBLY
Summary: Requires the State Water Resources Control Board to appoint an advisory committee to examine and certify people to operate water treatment plants and water distribution systems, and to review all proposed regulations and make recommendations to the Board. Relates to water treatment operator-in-training. Revises procedures for the suspension or revocation of a valid operator license. Authorizes certificate reciprocity. Provides certificate application fraud civil liability.
Status: 02/29/2016 INTRODUCED.

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Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Bloom (D)
Title: Local Government Financing: Water Facilities: Voters
Fiscal Committee: no
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/18/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: ASSEMBLY
Summary: Proposes an amendment to the Constitution to create an exception to a limit for a rate imposed by a city, county, city and county, or special district to service bonded indebtedness incurred to fund the construction, reconstruction, rehabilitation, or replacement of wastewater treatment facilities and related infrastructure, potable water producing facilities and related infrastructure, nonpotable water producing facilities and related infrastructure, and stormwater treatment facilities and infrastructure.
Status: 02/18/2016 INTRODUCED.

CA SB 20

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Pavley (D)
Title: State Water Resiliency Investment Act
Fiscal Committee: yes
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 12/01/2014
Last Amend: 08/26/2015
Disposition: Pending - Carryover
Location: Assembly Water, Parks and Wildlife Committee
Summary: Creates the State Water Resiliency Investment Fund. Provides that moneys in the Fund are available for the purpose of providing a more dependable water supply in the State. Creates various accounts within the Fund for prescribed purposes.
Status:
08/26/2015 From ASSEMBLY Committee on WATER, PARKS AND WILDLIFE with author's amendments.
08/26/2015 In ASSEMBLY. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on WATER, PARKS AND WILDLIFE.

CA SB 554

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Wolk (D)
Title: Delta Levee Maintenance
Fiscal Committee: yes
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/26/2015
Last Amend: 01/04/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: ASSEMBLY
Summary: Relates to the maintenance or improvement of project or nonproject levees in the Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta. Declares legislative intent to reimburse up to a certain percent of costs incurred in any year for the maintenance or improvement of levees in excess of a specified sum per mile of levee and authorizes a specified board to advance funds in an amount that does not exceed a certain percent of the estimated state share to an eligible local agency.
Status:
01/27/2016 In SENATE. Read third time. Passed SENATE. *****To ASSEMBLY. (39-0)

CA SB 814

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Hill (D)
Title: Drought: Excessive Water Use: Urban Retail Water Supply
Fiscal Committee: yes
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 01/04/2016
Disposition: Pending
Committee: Senate Natural Resources and Water Committee
Hearing: 03/29/2016 9:00 am, Room 112
Summary: Relates to the drought. Prohibits excessive use of water by a residential customer during a period which the Governor has issued a proclamation of a state of emergency based on drought conditions. Requires utility information about residential customers that violate the prohibition on excessive water use to be made available under the Public Records Act.
Status: 01/28/2016 To SENATE Committees on NATURAL RESOURCES AND WATER and JUDICIARY.

CA SB 919

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Hertzberg (D)
Title: Water Supply: Creation or Augmentation of Local Water
Fiscal Committee: yes
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 01/27/2016
Last Amend: 03/07/2016
Disposition: Pending
Committee: Senate Energy, Utilities and Communications Committee
Hearing: 03/29/2016 9:30 am, Room 3191
Summary: Requires the Public Utilities Commission to address the oversupply of renewable energy resources through a tariff or other economic incentive for electricity purchased by customers operating facilities that create or augment local water supplies to reduce the cost of electricity to those facilities.
Status: 03/07/2016 From SENATE Committee on ENERGY, UTILITIES AND COMMUNICATIONS with author's amendments.
In SENATE. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on ENERGY, UTILITIES AND COMMUNICATIONS.
03/07/2016

CA SB 927

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Anderson (R)
Title: Public Utility District Act: Election of Directors
Fiscal Committee: no
Urgency Clause: yes
Introduced: 02/01/2016
Disposition: Pending
Committee: Senate Governance and Finance Committee
Hearing: 03/30/2016 9:30 am, Room 112
Summary: Permits directors of any public utility district that is wholly or partially within the County of San Diego to be elected at large, by subdistrict, or from subdistricts.
Status: 02/18/2016 To SENATE Committees on GOVERNANCE AND FINANCE and ELECTIONS AND CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS.

CA SB 930

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Gaines T (R)
Title: Bear Lake Reservoir: Recreational Use
Fiscal Committee: yes
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/01/2016
Disposition: Pending
Committee: Senate Environmental Quality Committee
Hearing: 04/06/2016 9:30 am, Room 3191
Summary: Requires the Lake Alpine Water Company to file the report on or before a specified date regarding existing law that prohibits recreational use involving bodily contact with the water in Bear Lake Reservoir unless certain conditions are satisfied.
Status: 02/18/2016 To SENATE Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY.

CA SB 953

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Lara (D)
Title: Central Basin Municipal Water District
Fiscal Committee: yes
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/04/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: Senate Governance and Finance Committee
Summary: Prohibits the Central Basin Municipal Water District from using sole source contracts. Requires the district to rebid a contract if the district significantly changes the scope of work of the contract. Requires the general manager of the district to submit a quarterly report to the district's board detailing all of the district's contracts, contract amendments, and contract and amendment dollar amounts.
Status: 02/18/2016 To SENATE Committee on GOVERNANCE AND FINANCE.

CA SB 995

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Pavley (D)
Title: Well Standards
Fiscal Committee: yes
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/10/2016
Disposition: Pending
Committee: Senate Natural Resources and Water Committee
Hearing: 03/29/2016 9:00 am, Room 112
Summary: Requires the Department of Water Resources to update well standards for certain types of wells based on existing knowledge. Establishes an advisory panel to identify critical gaps in existing knowledge about the best practices for well construction, alteration, maintenance, and destruction for these wells.
Status: 02/18/2016 To SENATE Committees on NATURAL RESOURCES AND WATER and ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY.

CA SB 1026

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Nielsen (R)
Title: Lake or Streambed Alteration Agreements
Fiscal Committee: yes
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/12/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: Senate Natural Resources and Water Committee
Summary: Relates to lake or streambed alteration agreement. Limits the diversions and obstructions governed by alteration agreement requirements to the diversions and obstructions that alter the bed, channel, or bank of a river, stream or lake. Exempts routine maintenance and repair of facilities for instream agricultural diversions.
Status: 02/25/2016 To SENATE Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES AND WATER.

CA SB 1041

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Hueso (D)
Title: Energy: Assessments and Forecasts
Fiscal Committee: no
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/12/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: Senate Rules Committee
Summary: Makes nonsubstantive changes to provisions requiring the State Energy Resources Conservation and Development Commission to conduct assessments and forecasts of all aspects of energy industry supply, production, transportation, delivery and distribution, demand, and prices.
Status: 02/25/2016 To SENATE Committee on RULES.

CA SB 1096

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Berryhill (R)
Title: Waste Discharge Requirements
Fiscal Committee: no
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/17/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: Senate Rules Committee
Summary: Makes technical, nonsubstantive changes to the Porter-Cologne Water Quality Control Act which requires each regional water quality control board, after any necessary hearing, to prescribe waste discharge requirements to implement relevant water quality control plans, and authorizes the State Water Resources Control Board, after any necessary hearing, to prescribe waste discharge requirements.
Status: 02/25/2016 To SENATE Committee on RULES.

CA SB 1112

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Cannella (R)
Title: Utilities: Water and Sewer Systems Corporations
Fiscal Committee: yes
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/17/2016
Disposition: Pending
Committee: Senate Energy, Utilities and Communications Committee
Hearing: 03/29/2016 9:30 am, Room 3191
Summary: Requires a water or sewer system corporation with less than 2,000 service connections to receive approval before entering into specified transactions. Provides that is a water or sewer system corporation fails to receive approval, the transaction is voidable.
Status: 02/25/2016 To SENATE Committee on ENERGY, UTILITIES AND COMMUNICATIONS.

CA SB 1164

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Cannella (R)
Title: Sustainable Groundwater Management Act
Fiscal Committee: no
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/18/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: Senate Rules Committee
Summary: Makes a nonsubstantive change to the Sustainable Groundwater Management Act that requires all groundwater basins designated as high- or medium-priority basins by the Department of Water Resources that are designated as basins subject to critical conditions of overdraft to be managed under a groundwater sustainability plan or coordinated groundwater sustainability plans.
Status: 03/03/2016 To SENATE Committee on RULES.

CA SB 1170

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Wieckowski (D)
Title: Public Contracts: Water Pollution Prevention Plans
Fiscal Committee: yes
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/18/2016
Disposition: Pending
Committee: Senate Governance and Finance Committee
Hearing: 03/30/2016 9:30 am, Room 112
Summary: Relates to public contracts and pollution prevention plans. Prohibits a public entity, charter city, or charter county from delegating to a contractor the development of a plan to prevent or reduce water pollution or runoff on a public works contract, or to assume responsibility for the completeness and accuracy of a plan developed by that entity.
Status: 03/03/2016 To SENATE Committees on GOVERNANCE AND FINANCE and ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY.

CA SB 1173

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Hertzberg (D)
Title: Water-Conserving Plumbing Fixtures
Fiscal Committee: no
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/18/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: Senate Transportation and Housing Committee
Summary: Amends existing law that requires the replacement of plumbing fixtures that are not water-conserving. Amends the definition of specified noncompliant plumbing fixtures to lower water usage thresholds.
Status: 03/03/2016 To SENATE Committees on TRANSPORTATION AND HOUSING and JUDICIARY.

CA SB 1191

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Berryhill (R)
Title: Fish and Wildlife: Management Plans
Fiscal Committee: yes
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/18/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: Senate Natural Resources and Water Committee
Summary: Requires the Department of Fish and Wildlife to develop and submit a wildlife resources master plan. Includes fisheries and authorizes regulations that implement a wildlife management plan or amendment to make operative any wildlife management statute that applies to the resource.
Status: 03/03/2016 To SENATE Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES AND WATER.

CA SB 1233

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: McGuire (D)
Title: Joint Powers Authority: Water Bill Savings Act
Fiscal Committee: no
Urgency no

Clause:
Introduced: 02/18/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: Senate Governance and Finance Committee
Summary: Enacts the Water Bill Savings Act. Authorizes a joint powers authority to provide funding for a customer of a local agency or its publicly owned utility to acquire, install, or repair water efficiency improvement on the customer's property served by the local agency or its publicly owned utility.
Status: 03/03/2016 To SENATE Committee on GOVERNANCE AND FINANCE.

CA SB 1262

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Pavley (D)
Title: Water Supply Planning
Fiscal Committee: yes
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/18/2016
Disposition: Pending
Committee: Senate Natural Resources and Water Committee
Hearing: 03/29/2016 9:00 am, Room 112
Summary: Requires a city or county that determines a project is subject to the California Environmental Quality Act to identify any water system whose service area includes the project site and any water system adjacent to the project site. Provides that hauled water or groundwater from a probationary basin are not sources of water for the purposes of a water supply assessment. Revises the definition of sufficient water supply to include specified factors.
Status: 03/03/2016 To SENATE Committees on NATURAL RESOURCES AND WATER and GOVERNANCE AND FINANCE.

CA SB 1263

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Wieckowski (D)
Title: Public Water System: Permits
Fiscal Committee: yes
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/18/2016
Disposition: Pending
Committee: Senate Environmental Quality Committee
Hearing: 04/06/2016 9:30 am, Room 3191

Summary: Relates to public water systems permits. Prohibit an application for a permit for a new public water system from being deemed complete unless the applicant has submitted a preliminary technical report to the state board. Allows the state board to impose technical, financial, or managerial requirements on the permit.

Status: 03/03/2016 To SENATE Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY.

CA SB 1264

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Cannella (R)
Title: Monterey County Water Resources Agency
Fiscal Committee: yes
Urgency Clause: yes
Introduced: 02/18/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: Senate Natural Resources and Water Committee
Summary: Appropriates funds from the General Fund to the Monterey County Water Resources Agency, for use in the Salinas River, to assist in the removal of excess vegetation and trash, increasing efficiency of instream flow using sediment and vegetation management strategies, and supporting the development and implementation of long-term management policies.
Status: 03/03/2016 To SENATE Committees on NATURAL RESOURCES AND WATER and ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY.

CA SB 1294

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Pavley (D)
Title: Community Climate, Drought, and Jobs Resiliency Act
Fiscal Committee: yes
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/19/2016
Disposition: Pending
Committee: Senate Natural Resources and Water Committee
Hearing: 03/29/2016 9:00 am, Room 112
Summary: Requires the Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery to award grants to local conservation corps certified by the California Conservation Corps for projects that improve the climate and drought resiliency of urban canopies, community landscaping, and urban greening efforts through the use of various water conservation methods, including the application of compost and mulch.
Status: 03/03/2016 To SENATE Committees on NATURAL RESOURCES AND WATER and ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY.

CA SB 1317

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Wolk (D)
Title: Conditional Use Permit
Fiscal Committee: yes
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/19/2016
Disposition: Pending
Committee: Senate Natural Resources and Water Committee
Hearing: 03/29/2016 9:00 am, Room 112
Summary: Requires a city or county overlying a basin designated as a high- or medium- priority basin to establish a process for the issuance of conditional use permits for the development of a groundwater extraction facility in order to prevent a new groundwater extraction facility from contributing to or creating an undesirable result.
Status: 03/03/2016 To SENATE Committees on NATURAL RESOURCES AND WATER and GOVERNANCE AND FINANCE.

CA SB 1318

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Wolk (D)
Title: Local Government: Drinking Water Infrastructure
Fiscal Committee: yes
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/19/2016
Disposition: Pending
Committee: Senate Governance and Finance Committee
Hearing: 03/30/2016 9:30 am, Room 112
Summary: Prohibits a local agency formation commission from authorizing a city or a district to extend drinking water infrastructure or services or wastewater infrastructure or services until it has extended those services to all disadvantaged communities within or adjacent to its sphere of influence.
Status: 03/03/2016 To SENATE Committees on GOVERNANCE AND FINANCE and ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY.

CA SB 1328

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Lara (D)
Title: Water Quality, Supply, and Infrastructure Act
Fiscal Committee: no
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/19/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: Senate Rules Committee
Summary: Makes nonsubstantive changes to the Water Quality, Supply, and Infrastructure Improvement Act of 2014. Authorizes the issuance of general obligation bonds in a specified amount to finance water quality, supply, and infrastructure improvement program.
Status: 03/03/2016 To SENATE Committee on RULES.

CA SB 1340

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Wolk (D)
Title: Water Conservation in Landscaping Act
Fiscal Committee: no
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/19/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: Senate Natural Resources and Water Committee
Summary: Adds to the model water efficient landscape ordinance a permit requirement for the installation, expansion, or replacement of specified automatic irrigation systems for a landscape project. Allows the governing body of a local agency to adopt an ordinance prescribing fees for filing an application for the permit, subject to the restrictions.
Status: 03/03/2016 To SENATE Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES AND WATER.

CA SB 1374

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Lara (D)
Title: Lower Los Angeles River
Fiscal Committee: no
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/19/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: Senate Rules Committee
Summary: Declares the intent of the Legislature to enact legislation that would preserve open space, promote recreational opportunities, and create watershed improvements along the Lower Los Angeles River.
Status: 03/03/2016 To SENATE Committee on RULES.

CA SB 1415

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Bates (R)
Title: Environmental Quality Act and Water Projects
Fiscal Committee: no
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/19/2016
Disposition: Pending
Committee: Senate Environmental Quality Committee
Hearing: 04/06/2016 9:30 am, Room 3191
Summary: Exempts from the requirements of California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) drought-oriented projects, proposed by one or more public agencies, or a combination of public agencies and private organizations, that have the purpose of mitigating drought conditions for which a state of emergency has been declared by the Governor.
Status: 03/10/2016 To SENATE Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY.

CA SB 1416

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Stone (R)
Title: Salton Sea Restoration
Fiscal Committee: no
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/19/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: Senate Rules Committee
Summary: Relates to the Salton Sea Restoration Act. States the intent of the Legislature to enact legislation to clean up the Salton Sea.
Status: 03/10/2016 To SENATE Committee on RULES.

CA SB 1425

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Pavley (D)
Title: Alternative and Renewable Fuel and Vehicle Technology
Fiscal Committee: no
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/19/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: Senate Rules Committee
Summary: Makes a technical, nonsubstantive change to existing law that establishes the California Alternative and Renewable Fuel, Vehicle Technology, Clean Air, and Carbon Reduction Act of 2007.
Status: 03/10/2016 To SENATE Committee on RULES.

CA SB 1440

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Cannella (R)
Title: Water Supply and Infrastructure Improvement
Fiscal Committee: yes
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/19/2016
Disposition: Pending

Location: Senate Environmental Quality Committee

Summary: Requires a lead agency, in certifying the environmental impact report and in granting approvals for certain water storage projects funded, in whole or in part, by Proposition I, to comply with specified procedures. Authorizes the lead agency to concurrently prepare the record of proceedings for the project. Requires the Judicial Council to adopt a rule of court to establish procedures applicable to actions or proceedings seeking judicial review.

Status: 03/10/2016 To SENATE Committees on ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY and JUDICIARY.

CA SB 1456

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Galgiani (D)

Title: Safe Drinking Water State Revolving Fund Law

Fiscal Committee: yes

Urgency Clause: no

Introduced: 02/19/2016

Disposition: Pending

Committee: Senate Environmental Quality Committee

Hearing: 04/06/2016 9:30 am, Room 3191

Summary: Amends an existing law which establishes the Safe Drinking Water State Revolving Fund. Authorizes certain costs to be funded by loans or other repayable financing, grants, principal forgiveness, or a combination of grants and loans or other financial assistance, regardless of whether a public water system is a community public water system or a not-for-profit noncommunity public water system.

Status: 03/10/2016 To SENATE Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY.

CA SB 1469

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Stone (R)

Title: Groundwater Sustainability Agencies

Fiscal Committee: no

Urgency Clause: no

Introduced: 02/19/2016

Disposition: Pending

Location: Senate Rules Committee

Summary: Makes a nonsubstantive change to the Sustainable Groundwater Management Act, that requires all groundwater basins designated as high- or medium-priority basins that are designated as basins subject to critical conditions of overdraft to be managed under a groundwater sustainability plan or coordinated groundwater sustainability plans.

Status: 03/10/2016 To SENATE Committee on RULES.

CA SB 1472

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Mendoza (D)
Title: Flood Management
Fiscal Committee: no
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/19/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: Senate Rules Committee
Summary: Makes nonsubstantive changes in the Flood Control Law of 1946 which authorize, on a project-by-project basis, and in accordance with designated plans, state participation in federal flood control projects.
Status: 03/10/2016 To SENATE Committee on RULES.

Other bills

CA AB 1233

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Levine (D)
Title: Public Works: Public Subsidies
Fiscal Committee: yes
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/27/2015
Last Amend: 01/04/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: Senate Labor and Industrial Relations Committee
Summary: Provides that a public subsidy is de minimis if it is both less than a specified amount of funding and is less than a specified percentage of the total project cost. Provides those provisions do not apply to a project that was advertised for bid, or a contract that was awarded before a specified date.
Status: 02/04/2016 To SENATE Committee on LABOR AND INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS.

CA AB 1787

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Gomez (D)
Title: Environmental Protection Agency: Enforcement Unit
Fiscal Committee: yes
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/04/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: Assembly Appropriations Committee
Summary: Requires the cross-media enforcement unit of the California Environmental Protection Agency to prioritize the state's most disadvantaged communities for certain investment opportunities based on geographic, socioeconomic, public health, and environmental hazard criteria.
Status: 03/14/2016 From ASSEMBLY Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES: Do pass to Committee on APPROPRIATIONS. (7-0)

CA AB 2026

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Hadley (R)
Title: Environmental Quality
Fiscal Committee: no
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/16/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: ASSEMBLY
Summary: Makes a technical nonsubstantive change to the California Environmental Quality Act, which declares the policy of the state that a project to be carried out by a public agency be subject to the same level of review and consideration under the act as that required of private projects.
Status: 02/16/2016 INTRODUCED.

CA AB 2110

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Dahle (R)
Title: Beverage Containers: Redemption Payments
Fiscal Committee: no
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/17/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: ASSEMBLY
Summary: Provides for a nonsubstantive recast of a provision of the State Beverage Container Recycling and Litter Reduction Act, that requires a beverage distributor to pay a redemption payment in a specified amount for every beverage container sold or offered for sale in the state, to the Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery, for deposit into the Beverage Container Recycling Fund.
Status: 02/17/2016 INTRODUCED.

CA AB 2198

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Brough (R)
Title: Coastal Development Permits: Desalinization
Fiscal Committee: yes
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/18/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: Assembly Natural Resources Committee
Summary: Requires an application for a coastal development permit for a desalinization project to be given priority for review require the issuing agency to expedite the processing of any such permit application.
Status: 03/03/2016 To ASSEMBLY Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.

CA AB 2305

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Bloom (D)
Title: Marine Protected Areas
Fiscal Committee: no
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/18/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: ASSEMBLY
Summary: Makes a nonsubstantive change to existing law that requires the Department of Fish and Wildlife to confer when necessary with the U.S. Navy regarding issues related to its activities under the Marine Life Protection Act.
Status: 02/18/2016 INTRODUCED.

CA SB 113

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Galgiani (D)
Title: Disaster Preparedness and Flood Prevention Bond Act
Fiscal Committee: yes
Urgency Clause: yes
Introduced: 01/13/2015
Last Amend: 07/02/2015
Disposition: Failed
Location: SENATE
Summary: Specifies that the Disaster Preparedness and Flood Prevention Bond Act of 2006 funds provided by the act are only available for appropriation until a specified date and at that time the amount of indebtedness authorized by the act is reduced by the amount of funds that have not been appropriated. Makes available a specified amount of funding for the upgrade of the levee system of a specified reclamation district to provide urban level of flood protection.
Status: 02/01/2016 In SENATE. Returned to Secretary of Senate pursuant to Joint Rule 56.

CA SB 661

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Hill (D)
Title: Protection of Subsurface Installations
Fiscal Committee: yes
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/27/2015
Last Amend: 01/04/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: ASSEMBLY
Summary: Creates the Dig Safe Act of 2016. Requires excavators to delineate the area to be excavated. Requires the installation operator to locate and field mark its subsurface installations within that area. Exempts property owners making improvements using hand tools. Relates to enforcement of field marking subsurface natural gas and electric infrastructure. Prohibits liability for damages of the excavator for inaccurate field markings. Requires a advisory committee. Relates to the installation of building sewers.
Status: 01/26/2016 In SENATE. Read third time. Passed SENATE. *****To ASSEMBLY. (35-3)

CA SB 1073

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Monning (D)
Title: Building Standards: Lead
Fiscal Committee: no
Urgency Clause: no
Introduced: 02/16/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: Senate Rules Committee
Summary: States the intent of the Legislature to enact legislation that would align state and federal regulations related to lead in homes and buildings.
Status: 02/25/2016 To SENATE Committee on RULES.

CA SB 1114

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Author: Allen (D)
Title: Stormwater Resource Planning: Project Funding
Fiscal yes

Committee:	
Urgency Clause:	no
Introduced:	02/17/2016
Disposition:	Pending
Location:	Senate Natural Resources and Water Committee
Summary:	Requires State Water Resources Control Board, to include as part of its guidance for purposes of the Stormwater Resources Planning Act, a list of potential funding sources available to a public agency to fund projects identified in a public agency's stormwater resource plan.
Status:	02/25/2016 To SENATE Committees on NATURAL RESOURCES AND WATER and ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY.

Federal Legislation

Solid Waste Bills

US HR 4382

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Sponsor:	McNerney (D)
Title:	Food Waste Accountability Act
Introduced:	01/13/2016
Disposition:	Pending
Location:	House Oversight and Government Reform Committee
Summary:	Creates the Food Waste Accountability Act of 2016; amends the Federal Food Donation Act of 2008 to require certain Federal contractors to submit a report on the donation of food waste.
Status:	01/13/2016 INTRODUCED. 01/13/2016 To HOUSE Committee on OVERSIGHT AND GOVERNMENT REFORM.

US S 2528

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Sponsor:	Nelson Bi (D)
Title:	Lithium Batteries and Cells
Introduced:	02/10/2016
Disposition:	Pending
Location:	Senate Commerce, Science & Transportation Committee
Summary:	Promotes the safe manufacture, use, and transportation of lithium batteries and cells.
Status:	02/10/2016 INTRODUCED. 02/10/2016 In SENATE. Read second time.

02/10/2016 To SENATE Committee on COMMERCE, SCIENCE, AND TRANSPORTATION.

Wastewater Bills

US S 2606

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Related: US HR 499
Sponsor: Menendez (D)
Title: Water and Sewage Facilities Bonds
Introduced: 02/29/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: Senate Finance Committee
Summary: Amends the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide that the volume cap for private activity bonds shall not apply to bonds for facilities for the furnishing of water and sewage facilities.
Status: 02/29/2016 INTRODUCED.
02/29/2016 In SENATE. Read second time.
02/29/2016 To SENATE Committee on FINANCE.

Water Bills

US HR 243

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Sponsor: Kaptur (D)
Title: Mycrocystins in Drinking Water
Introduced: 01/09/2015
Disposition: Pending
Location: House Energy and Commerce Committee
Summary: Directs the Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency to publish a health advisory and submit reports with respect to microcystins in drinking water.
Status: 01/16/2015 In HOUSE Committee on ENERGY AND COMMERCE: Referred to Subcommittee on ENVIRONMENT AND THE ECONOMY.

US HR 291

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Identical: US S 176
Related: US HR 813 , US HR 4497 , US S 653
Sponsor: Napolitano (D)

Title: Watersense Program
Introduced: 01/13/2015
Disposition: Pending
Location: House Science, Space, and Technology Committee
Summary: Establishes a WaterSense program.
Status: 03/02/2015 In HOUSE Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES: Referred to Subcommittee on WATER, POWER AND OCEANS.

US HR 462

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Sponsor: King P (R)
Title: Relief of Alemseghed Mussie Tesfamical
Introduced: 01/21/2015
Disposition: Pending
Location: House Judiciary Committee
Summary: Provides for the relief of Alemseghed Mussie Tesfamical.
Status: 02/05/2015 In HOUSE Committee on JUDICIARY: Referred to Subcommittee on IMMIGRATION AND BORDER SECURITY.

US HR 568

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Related: US HR 8
Sponsor: Kinzinger (R)
Title: Report on Thermal Insulation Impact on Water
Introduced: 01/27/2015
Disposition: Pending
Location: House Energy and Commerce Committee
Summary: Requires the Secretary of Energy to prepare a report on the impact of thermal insulation on both energy and water use for potable hot water.
Status: 01/30/2015 In HOUSE Committee on ENERGY AND COMMERCE: Referred to Subcommittee on ENERGY AND POWER.

US HR 578

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Related: US HR 2406 , US S 263
Sponsor: Gibbs B (R)
Title: Right to Bear Arms at Army Water Resources Projects
Introduced: 01/28/2015
Disposition: Pending
Location: House Transportation & Infrastructure Committee
Summary: Protects the right of individuals to bear arms at water resources development projects

administered by the Secretary of the Army.

Status: 01/29/2015 In HOUSE Committee on TRANSPORTATION & INFRASTRUCTURE: Referred to Subcommittee on WATER RESOURCES AND ENVIRONMENT.

US HR 594

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Sponsor: Gosar (R)
Title: United States Waters
Introduced: 01/28/2015
Disposition: Pending
Location: House Transportation & Infrastructure Committee
Summary: Preserves existing rights and responsibilities with respect to waters of the United States.
Status: 01/29/2015 In HOUSE Committee on TRANSPORTATION & INFRASTRUCTURE: Referred to Subcommittee on WATER RESOURCES AND ENVIRONMENT.

US HR 813

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Related: US HR 291 , US S 176
Sponsor: Huffman (D)
Title: Secretary of the Army Review of Reservoirs
Introduced: 02/09/2015
Disposition: Pending
Location: House Transportation & Infrastructure Committee
Summary: Supplements the Secretary of the Army's existing authorities to review the operations of reservoirs.
Status: 02/10/2015 In HOUSE Committee on TRANSPORTATION & INFRASTRUCTURE: Referred to Subcommittee on WATER RESOURCES AND ENVIRONMENT.

US HR 896

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Sponsor: Gibbs B (R)
Title: Federal Water Pollution Control Act
Introduced: 02/11/2015
Disposition: Pending
Location: House Transportation & Infrastructure Committee
Summary: Amends the Federal Water Pollution Control Act to clarify when the Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency has the authority to prohibit the specification of a defined area, or deny or restrict the use of a defined area for specification, as a disposal site under the Act.
Status: 02/12/2015 In HOUSE Committee on TRANSPORTATION & INFRASTRUCTURE: Referred to Subcommittee on WATER RESOURCES AND ENVIRONMENT.

US HR 1060

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Sponsor: LaMalfa (R)
Title: Sacramento Valley Water Infrastructure
Introduced: 02/25/2015
Disposition: Pending
Location: House Natural Resources Committee
Summary: Directs the Secretary of the Interior to take actions to support non-Federal investments in water infrastructure improvements in the Sacramento Valley.
Status: 05/19/2015 In HOUSE Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES: Referred to Subcommittee on WATER, POWER AND OCEANS.

US HR 1140

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Identical: US S 596
Sponsor: Speier (D)
Title: Federal Water Pollution Control Act
Introduced: 02/26/2015
Disposition: Pending
Location: House Transportation & Infrastructure Committee
Summary: Amends the Federal Water Pollution Control Act to establish a grant program to support the restoration of San Francisco Bay.
Status: 02/27/2015 In HOUSE Committee on TRANSPORTATION & INFRASTRUCTURE: Referred to Subcommittee on WATER RESOURCES AND ENVIRONMENT.

US HR 1160

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Related: US HR 3533 , US S 1642
Sponsor: Stutzman (R)
Title: Improvement of Drinking Water Systems
Introduced: 02/27/2015
Disposition: Pending
Location: House Energy and Commerce Committee
Summary: Reduces Federal, State, and local costs of providing high-quality drinking water to millions of people in the United States residing in rural communities by facilitating greater use of cost-effective alternative systems, including well water systems.
Status: 03/16/2015 In HOUSE Committee on AGRICULTURE: Referred to Subcommittee on COMMODITY EXCHANGES, ENERGY, AND CREDIT.

US HR 1203

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Sponsor: McKinley (R)
Title: EPA Disapproval of Water Pollution Permits
Introduced: 03/02/2015
Disposition: Pending
Location: House Transportation & Infrastructure Committee
Summary: Amends the Federal Water Pollution Control Act to clarify that the Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency does not have the authority to disapprove a permit after it has been issued by the Secretary of the Army under such Act.
Status: 03/03/2015 In HOUSE Committee on TRANSPORTATION & INFRASTRUCTURE: Referred to Subcommittee on WATER RESOURCES AND ENVIRONMENT.

US HR 1208

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Identical: US S 630
Sponsor: Garamendi (D)
Title: Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta National Heritage Area
Introduced: 03/03/2015
Disposition: Pending
Location: House Natural Resources Committee
Summary: Establishes the Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta National Heritage Area.
Status: 03/23/2015 In HOUSE Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES: Referred to Subcommittee on FEDERAL LANDS.

US HR 1668

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Sponsor: McClintock (R)
Title: Endangered Species Act Suspension in Drought Areas
Introduced: 03/26/2015
Disposition: Pending
Location: House Natural Resources Committee
Summary: Amends the Endangered Species Act of 1973 to provide for suspension of application of the Act to water releases by Federal and State agencies in river basins that are affected by drought.
Status: 03/26/2015 INTRODUCED.
03/26/2015 To HOUSE Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.

US HR 1709

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Related: US HR 212 , US HR 4653 , US S 460
Sponsor: McNerney (D)
Title: Drought Risks to Drinking Water
Introduced: 03/26/2015
Disposition: Pending
Location: House Energy and Commerce Committee
Summary: Amends the Safe Drinking Water Act to provide for the assessment and management of the risks of drought to drinking water.
Status:
03/26/2015 INTRODUCED.
03/26/2015 To HOUSE Committee on ENERGY AND COMMERCE.
03/27/2015 In HOUSE Committee on ENERGY AND COMMERCE: Referred to Subcommittee on ENVIRONMENT AND THE ECONOMY.

US HR 1710

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Sponsor: McNerney (D)
Title: Water Infrastructure Financing in Droughts
Introduced: 03/26/2015
Disposition: Pending
Location: House Energy and Commerce Committee
Summary: Amends the Water Resources Reform and Development Act of 2014 to provide additional financing options for water infrastructure projects carried out in States in which the Governor of the State has issued a state of drought emergency declaration.
Status:
03/26/2015 INTRODUCED.
03/26/2015 To HOUSE Committee on TRANSPORTATION AND INFRASTRUCTURE.
03/26/2015 To HOUSE Committee on ENERGY AND COMMERCE.
03/27/2015 In HOUSE Committee on ENERGY AND COMMERCE: Referred to Subcommittee on ENVIRONMENT AND THE ECONOMY.

US HR 1814

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Identical: US S 338
Related: US S 556 , US S 890 , US S 1925 , US S 2012 , US S 2089
Sponsor: Grijalva (D)
Title: Land and Water Conservation Fund Reauthorization
Introduced: 04/15/2015

Disposition: Pending
Location: House Natural Resources Committee
Summary: Permanently reauthorizes the Land and Water Conservation Fund.
Status:
04/30/2015 In HOUSE Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES: Referred to Subcommittee on FEDERAL LANDS.
04/30/2015 In HOUSE Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES: Referred to Subcommittee on WATER, POWER AND OCEANS.

US HR 1830

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Identical: US S 982
Related: US HR 2898
Sponsor: Tipton (R)
Title: Prohibition on Conditions on Water Rights
Introduced: 04/16/2015
Disposition: Pending
Location: House Natural Resources Committee
Summary: Prohibits the conditioning of any permit, lease, or other use agreement on the transfer of any water right to the United States by the Secretaries of the Interior and Agriculture; requires the Secretaries of the Interior and Agriculture to develop water planning instruments consistent with State law.
Status:
05/07/2015 In HOUSE Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES: Referred to Subcommittee on WATER, POWER AND OCEANS.

US HR 2028

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Related: US HR 2029 , US HRES 223 , US S 2129 , US S 2130
Sponsor: Simpson (R)
Title: Appropriations for Energy and Water Development
Introduced: 04/24/2015
Last Amend: 05/01/2015
Disposition: Pending
Location: SENATE
Summary: Makes appropriations for energy and water development and related agencies for the fiscal year; relates to appropriations to be expended under the direction of the Secretary of the Army and the supervision of the Chief of Engineers for authorized civil functions of the Department of the Army pertaining to river and harbor, flood and storm damage reduction, shore protection, aquatic ecosystem restoration, and related efforts.
Status: 10/08/2015 In SENATE. Motion to proceed to consideration of the bill withdrawn.

US HR 2085

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Sponsor: Denham (R)
Title: New Melones Water and Power
Introduced: 04/29/2015
Disposition: Pending
Location: House Natural Resources Committee
Summary: Directs the Secretary of the Interior to enter into negotiations with interested local water and power providers for the transfer of ownership, control, and operation of the New Melones Unit, Central Valley Project.
Status: 05/26/2015 In HOUSE Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES: Referred to Subcommittee on WATER, POWER AND OCEANS.

US HR 2898

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Related: US HR 1830 , US HR 2097 , US HR 2749 , US HRES 362 , US S 982 , US S 1533 , US S 1657
Sponsor: Valadao (R)
Title: Drought Relief in the State of California
Introduced: 06/25/2015
Last Amend: 07/16/2015
Disposition: Pending
Location: Senate Energy and Natural Resources Committee
Summary: Provides drought relief in the State of California; provides for specified fish species management and monitoring, operational flexibility, CALFED storage feasibility studies, water rights protections, water usage reports, water supply permitting, reclamation project streamlining, accelerated revenue, repayment, and surface water storage enhancement and dam safety.
Status: 10/08/2015 In SENATE Committee on ENERGY AND NATURAL RESOURCES: Hearings held.

US HR 2983

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Related: US HR 1775 , US HR 2749 , US S 896 , US S 1657 , US S 1780 , US S 1837
Sponsor: Huffman (D)
Title: Drought Assistance and Water Supply Reliability
Introduced: 07/08/2015
Disposition: Pending
Location: House Energy and Commerce Committee
Summary: Provides drought assistance and improved water supply reliability to the State of California, other Western States, and the Nation.

Status:

07/09/2015	In HOUSE Committee on TRANSPORTATION & INFRASTRUCTURE: Referred to Subcmt on ECO DEV, PUBLIC BLDGS, AND EMERGENCY MNGMT.
07/09/2015	In HOUSE Committee on TRANSPORTATION & INFRASTRUCTURE: Referred to Subcommittee on WATER RESOURCES AND ENVIRONMENT.
07/29/2015	In HOUSE Committee on JUDICIARY: Referred to Subcommittee on CONSTITUTION AND CIVIL JUSTICE.
07/29/2015	In HOUSE Committee on JUDICIARY: Referred to Subcommittee on CRIME, TERRORISM, HOMELAND SECURITY, AND INVESTIGATIONS.

US HR 2997

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Related: US HR 22 , US HR 3700
Sponsor: Ross D (R)
Title: Energy and Water Conservation Improvements for Housing
Introduced: 07/09/2015
Disposition: Pending
Location: Senate Banking, Housing and Urban Affairs Committee
Summary: Authorizes the Secretary of Housing and Urban Development to carry out a demonstration program to enter into budget-neutral, performance-based contracts for energy and water conservation improvements for multifamily residential units.
Status:

07/15/2015	In SENATE. Read second time.
07/15/2015	To SENATE Committee on BANKING, HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS.

US HR 3447

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Identical: US S 2083
Related: US HR 4411 , US HR 4412 , US HR 4416 , US HR 4434
Sponsor: Foxx (R)
Title: Construction of a Hydroelectric Project Deadline
Introduced: 09/08/2015
Disposition: Pending
Location: House Energy and Commerce Committee
Summary: Extends the deadline for commencement of construction of a hydroelectric project.
Status:

02/25/2016	In HOUSE Committee on ENERGY AND COMMERCE: Consideration and mark-up session held.
02/25/2016	In HOUSE Committee on ENERGY AND COMMERCE: Ordered to be reported.

US HR 3533

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Related: US HR 1160 , US S 1642
Sponsor: Hanna (R)

Title: Drinking Water Systems and Costs
Introduced: 09/17/2015
Disposition: Pending
Location: House Energy and Commerce Committee
Summary: Reduces Federal, State, and local costs of providing drinking water in rural communities by facilitating greater use of alternative systems, including well water systems; requires an update of certain existing programs designed to provide drinking water technical assistance to include information on certain delivery systems; provides for dissemination of information to communities and not-for-profit organizations seeking certain funding; provides for a water system assessment.

Status:

09/17/2015	INTRODUCED.
09/17/2015	To HOUSE Committee on ENERGY AND COMMERCE.
09/17/2015	To HOUSE Committee on AGRICULTURE.
09/18/2015	In HOUSE Committee on ENERGY AND COMMERCE: Referred to Subcommittee on ENVIRONMENT AND THE ECONOMY.

US HR 3720

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Sponsor: Cartwright (D)
Title: Water Advanced Technologies for Efficient Resource Use
Introduced: 10/08/2015
Disposition: Pending
Location: House Armed Services Committee
Summary: Provides for the Water Advanced Technologies for Efficient Resource Use Act of 2015; encourages water efficiency; establishes the WaterSense program within the Environmental Protection Agency to promote water efficient products, buildings and landscapes to reduce water use, reduce strain on water, wastewater and stormwater infrastructure, and to conserve energy.

Status:

11/23/2015	In HOUSE Committee on ARMED SERVICES: Referred to Subcommittee on READINESS.

US HR 3756

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Sponsor: Curbelo (R)
Title: Financial Assistance Limitation for Water Projects
Introduced: 10/16/2015
Disposition: Pending
Location: House Energy and Commerce Committee
Summary: Amends the Water Resources Reform and Development Act of 2014 to remove a financial assistance limitation for certain water projects.

Status:

10/23/2015	In HOUSE Committee on ENERGY AND COMMERCE: Referred to Subcommittee on ENVIRONMENT AND THE ECONOMY.

US HR 3867

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Identical: US S 1552
Sponsor: Zinke (R)
Title: Clean Water for Rural Communities Act
Introduced: 10/29/2015
Disposition: Pending
Location: House Natural Resources Committee
Summary: Ensures a safe and adequate municipal, rural, and industrial water supply for the citizens of Dawson, Garfield, McCone, Prairie, Richland, Judith Basin, Wheatland, Golden Valley, Fergus, Yellowstone, and Musselshell Counties in the State of Montana, and the citizens of McKenzie County, North Dakota.
Status: 11/02/2015 In HOUSE Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES: Referred to Subcommittee on WATER, POWER AND OCEANS.

US HR 3946

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Sponsor: Gosar (R)
Title: Protect Private Property Rights and Water Rights
Introduced: 11/05/2015
Disposition: Pending
Location: House Natural Resources Committee
Summary: Amends Section 320301 of Title 54, United States Code, to protect private property rights and water rights from infringement as a result of the creation of national monuments.
Status: 11/10/2015 In HOUSE Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES: Referred to Subcommittee on FEDERAL LANDS.

US HR 4149

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Sponsor: Rice (R)
Title: Water Pollution Citizen Suits and Disposal Sites
Introduced: 12/01/2015
Disposition: Pending
Location: House Transportation & Infrastructure Committee
Summary: Amends the Federal Water Pollution Control Act with respect to citizen suits and the specification of disposal sites.
Status: 12/01/2015 INTRODUCED.
12/01/2015 To HOUSE Committee on TRANSPORTATION AND INFRASTRUCTURE.
12/02/2015 In HOUSE Committee on TRANSPORTATION & INFRASTRUCTURE: Referred to Subcommittee on WATER RESOURCES AND ENVIRONMENT.

US HR 4151

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Related: US S 556
Sponsor: Simpson (R)
Title: Land and Water Conservation Fund
Introduced: 12/01/2015
Disposition: Pending
Location: House Agriculture Committee
Summary: Amends Chapter 2003 of Title 54, United States Code, to fund the Land and Water Conservation Fund and provide for the use of such funds.
Status: 12/18/2015 In HOUSE Committee on AGRICULTURE: Referred to Subcommittee on CONSERVATION AND FORESTRY.

US HR 4175

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Sponsor: Crawford (R)
Title: Deduction for Certain Conservation Expenditures
Introduced: 12/03/2015
Disposition: Pending
Location: House Ways and Means Committee
Summary: Amends the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to allow a deduction for conservation expenditures to reduce groundwater consumption.
Status: 12/03/2015 INTRODUCED.
12/03/2015 To HOUSE Committee on WAYS AND MEANS.

US HR 4366

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Sponsor: Valadao (R)
Title: San Luis Unit Drainage Resolution Act
Introduced: 01/12/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: House Natural Resources Committee
Summary: Creates the San Luis Unit Drainage Resolution Act; affirms a specified agreement between the United States and Westlands Water District for the delivery of water to the Lemoore Naval Air Station to meet the irrigation needs of the Station associated with air operations.
Status: 01/19/2016 In HOUSE Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES: Referred to Subcommittee on WATER, POWER AND OCEANS.

US HR 4414

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Identical: US S 2466
Related: US S 2535 , US S 2579
Sponsor: Kildee (D)
Title: Notification for Clean and Safe Drinking Water
Introduced: 02/01/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: House Energy and Commerce Committee
Summary: Creates the Improving Notification for Clean and Safe Drinking Water Act of 2016; amends the Safe Drinking Water Act to authorize the Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency to notify the public if a State agency and public water system are not taking action to address a public health risk associated with drinking water requirements.
Status:
02/05/2016 In HOUSE Committee on ENERGY AND COMMERCE: Referred to Subcommittee on ENVIRONMENT AND THE ECONOMY.

US HR 4468

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Sponsor: Blumenauer (D)
Title: Water Infrastructure Investment Trust Fund
Introduced: 02/04/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: House Transportation & Infrastructure Committee
Summary: Establishes a Water Infrastructure Investment Trust Fund.
Status:
02/05/2016 In HOUSE Committee on ENERGY AND COMMERCE: Referred to Subcommittee on ENVIRONMENT AND THE ECONOMY.
02/05/2016 In HOUSE Committee on TRANSPORTATION & INFRASTRUCTURE: Referred to Subcommittee on WATER RESOURCES AND ENVIRONMENT.

US HR 4470

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Sponsor: Kildee (D)
Title: Safe Drinking Water Act Improved Compliance
Introduced: 02/04/2016
Last Amend: 02/10/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: SENATE
Summary: Creates the Safe Drinking Water Act Improved Compliance Awareness Act; amends the Safe Drinking Water Act with respect to the requirements related to lead in drinking water; provides for a prohibition on the use of lead pipes, solder, and flux.
Status:
02/10/2016 In HOUSE. Rules Suspended. Discharged from all committees.

02/10/2016 In HOUSE. Amended on HOUSE floor.
02/10/2016 In HOUSE. Passed HOUSE. *****To SENATE. (416-2)

US HR 4497

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Related: US HR 291 , US S 176 , US S 653
Sponsor: Wittman (R)
Title: Water Resources Research Amendments Act
Introduced: 02/08/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: House Natural Resources Committee
Summary: Creates the Water Resources Research Amendments Act of 2016; amends the Water Resources Research Act of 1984 to reauthorize grants for and require applied water supply research regarding the water resources research and technology institutes established under that Act.
Status: 02/10/2016 In HOUSE Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES: Referred to Subcommittee on WATER, POWER AND OCEANS.

US HR 4542

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Sponsor: Fudge (D)
Title: Low-Income Sewer and Water Assistance Pilot Program
Introduced: 02/11/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: House Transportation & Infrastructure Committee
Summary: Amends the Federal Water Pollution Control Act to establish a low-income sewer and water assistance pilot program.
Status: 02/12/2016 In HOUSE Committee on TRANSPORTATION & INFRASTRUCTURE: Referred to Subcommittee on WATER RESOURCES AND ENVIRONMENT.

US HR 4610

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Sponsor: Knight (R)
Title: New Water Supplies for Impacted Communities
Introduced: 02/24/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: House Natural Resources Committee
Summary: Amends the Reclamation Wastewater and Groundwater Study and Facilities Act to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to participate in a series of water reclamation projects to provide a new water supply to communities previously impacted by perchlorate contamination plumes.

Status: 02/25/2016 In HOUSE Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES: Referred to Subcommittee on WATER, POWER AND OCEANS.

US HR 4615

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Sponsor: Huffman (D)
Title: Water Department Gross Income Exclusion
Introduced: 02/25/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: House Ways and Means Committee
Summary: Amends the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to exclude from gross income amounts received from a water department for water conservation efficiency measures and water runoff management improvements.
Status: 02/25/2016 INTRODUCED.
02/25/2016 To HOUSE Committee on WAYS AND MEANS.

US HR 4653

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Related: US HR 1709
Sponsor: Tonko (D)
Title: Drinking Water and Water Systems
Introduced: 02/29/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: House Energy and Commerce Committee
Summary: Amends the Safe Drinking Water Act to increase assistance for states, water systems, and disadvantaged communities; encourages good financial and environmental management of water systems; strengthens the Environmental Protection Agency's ability to enforce the requirements of the Act.
Status: 02/29/2016 INTRODUCED.
02/29/2016 To HOUSE Committee on ENERGY AND COMMERCE.

US S 176

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Identical: US HR 291
Related: US HR 813 , US HR 4497 , US S 653
Sponsor: Boxer (D)
Title: Water Management and Development
Introduced: 01/13/2015
Disposition: Pending
Location: Senate Environment and Public Works Committee
Summary: Advances integrate water management and development through innovation, resiliency,

conservation, and efficiency in the 21st century.

Status: 01/13/2015 INTRODUCED.
01/13/2015 In SENATE. Read second time.
01/13/2015 To SENATE Committee on ENVIRONMENT AND PUBLIC WORKS.

US S 384

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Related: US HR 4220
Sponsor: Crapo (R)
Title: Water Leasing and Transfer
Introduced: 02/05/2015
Disposition: Pending
Location: Senate Finance Committee
Summary: Amends the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to facilitate water leasing and water transfers to promote conservation and efficiency.

Status: 02/05/2015 INTRODUCED.
02/05/2015 In SENATE. Read second time.
02/05/2015 To SENATE Committee on FINANCE.

US S 460

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Related: US HR 212 , US HR 1709
Sponsor: Portman (R)
Title: Safe Drinking Water Act
Introduced: 02/11/2015
Disposition: Pending
Location: Senate Environment and Public Works Committee
Summary: Amends the Safe Drinking Water Act to provide for the assessment and management of the risk of algal toxins in drinking water.

Status: 02/11/2015 INTRODUCED.
02/11/2015 In SENATE. Read second time.
02/11/2015 To SENATE Committee on ENVIRONMENT AND PUBLIC WORKS.

US S 596

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Identical: US HR 1140
Sponsor: Feinstein (D)
Title: Restoration of San Francisco Bay
Introduced: 02/26/2015
Disposition: Pending
Location: Senate Environment and Public Works Committee

Summary: Amends the Federal Water Pollution Control Act to establish a grant program to support the restoration of San Francisco Bay.

Status: 02/26/2015 INTRODUCED.
02/26/2015 In SENATE. Read second time.
02/26/2015 To SENATE Committee on ENVIRONMENT AND PUBLIC WORKS.

US S 630

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Identical: US HR 1208
Sponsor: Feinstein (D)
Title: Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta National Heritage Area
Introduced: 03/03/2015
Disposition: Pending
Location: Senate Energy and Natural Resources Committee
Summary: Creates the Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta National Heritage Area Establishment Act.
Status: 03/03/2015 INTRODUCED.
03/03/2015 In SENATE. Read second time.
03/03/2015 To SENATE Committee on ENERGY AND NATURAL RESOURCES.

US S 741

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Related: US HR 1278
Sponsor: Cardin (D)
Title: Water System Resilience Grants
Introduced: 03/16/2015
Disposition: Pending
Location: Senate Environment and Public Works Committee
Summary: Authorizes the Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency to establish a program of awarding grants to owners or operators of water systems to increase the resiliency or adaptability of the systems to any ongoing or forecasted changes to the hydrologic conditions of a region of the United States.
Status: 03/16/2015 INTRODUCED.
03/16/2015 In SENATE. Read second time.
03/16/2015 To SENATE Committee on ENVIRONMENT AND PUBLIC WORKS.

US S 886

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Related: US HR 3143 , US S 2012 , US S 2089
Sponsor: Udall T (D)
Title: Smart Energy and Water Efficiency Pilot Program
Introduced: 03/26/2015

Disposition: Pending
Location: Senate Energy and Natural Resources Committee
Summary: Amends the Energy Policy Act of 2005 to provide for a smart energy and water efficiency pilot program.
Status: 04/30/2015 In SENATE Committee on ENERGY AND NATURAL RESOURCES: Hearings held.

US S 890

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Related: US HR 1814 , US S 1925 , US S 2089
Sponsor: Cantwell (D)
Title: Land and Water Conservation Fund Authority
Introduced: 03/26/2015
Disposition: Pending
Location: Senate Energy and Natural Resources Committee
Summary: Amends title 54, United States Code, to provide consistent and reliable authority for, and for the funding of, the Land and Water Conservation Fund to maximize the effectiveness of the Fund for future generations.
Status: 03/26/2015 INTRODUCED.
03/26/2015 In SENATE. Read second time.
03/26/2015 To SENATE Committee on ENERGY AND NATURAL RESOURCES.

US S 980

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Sponsor: Paul Ra (R)
Title: Definition of Navigable Waters
Introduced: 04/16/2015
Disposition: Pending
Location: Senate Environment and Public Works Committee
Summary: Clarifies the definition of navigable waters.
Status: 04/16/2015 INTRODUCED.
04/16/2015 In SENATE. Read second time.
04/16/2015 To SENATE Committee on ENVIRONMENT AND PUBLIC WORKS.

US S 982

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Identical: US HR 1830
Related: US HR 2898
Sponsor: Barrasso (R)
Title: Conditioning of Any Permit Lease or Other Use Agreement
Introduced: 04/16/2015

Disposition: Pending
Location: Senate Energy and Natural Resources Committee
Summary: Prohibits the conditioning of any permit, lease, or other use agreement on the transfer of any water right to the United States by the Secretaries of the Interior and Agriculture, and to require the Secretaries of the Interior and Agriculture to develop water planning instruments consistent with State law.
Status: 06/18/2015 Subcommittee on WATER AND POWER hearings held.

US S 1365

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Sponsor: Tester (D)
Title: Funding For Authorized Rural Water Projects
Introduced: 05/18/2015
Disposition: Pending
Location: Senate Energy and Natural Resources Committee
Summary: Authorizes the Secretary of the Interior to use designated funding to pay for construction of authorized rural water projects.
Status: 06/18/2015 Subcommittee on WATER AND POWER hearings held.

US S 1894

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Related: US S 2533
Sponsor: Feinstein (D)
Title: Short Term Water Supplies to California
Introduced: 07/29/2015
Disposition: Pending
Location: Senate Energy and Natural Resources Committee
Summary: Provides short-term water supplies to drought-stricken California.
Status: 10/08/2015 In SENATE Committee on ENERGY AND NATURAL RESOURCES: Hearings held.

US S 1936

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Sponsor: Udall T (D)
Title: Drought Preparedness Measures In New Mexico
Introduced: 08/04/2015
Disposition: Pending
Location: Senate Energy and Natural Resources Committee
Summary: Provides for drought preparedness measures in the State of New Mexico.
Status: 10/08/2015 In SENATE Committee on ENERGY AND NATURAL RESOURCES: Hearings held.

US S 2101

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Related: US S 2169
Sponsor: Burr (R)
Title: Land and Water Conservation Fund
Introduced: 09/29/2015
Disposition: Pending
Location: Senate Energy and Natural Resources Committee
Summary: Amends Title 54, United States Code, to extend the Land and Water Conservation Fund.
Status: 09/29/2015 INTRODUCED.
09/29/2015 In SENATE. Read second time.
09/29/2015 To SENATE Committee on ENERGY AND NATURAL RESOURCES.

US S 2165

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Related: US S 338 , US S 2169
Sponsor: Cantwell (D)
Title: Authorization of Land and Water Conservation Fund
Introduced: 10/08/2015
Disposition: Pending
Location: SENATE
Summary: Amends title 54, United States Code, to permanently authorize the Land and Water Conservation Fund.
Status: 10/19/2015 In SENATE. Read second time. Placed on Legislative Calendar under General Orders.

US S 2169

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Related: US S 338 , US S 2101 , US S 2165
Sponsor: Tester (D)
Title: Extension of Land and Water Conservation Fund
Introduced: 10/08/2015
Disposition: Pending
Location: SENATE
Summary: Amends title 54, United States Code, to extend the Land and Water Conservation Fund.
Status: 10/19/2015 In SENATE. Read second time. Placed on Legislative Calendar under General Orders.

US S 2466

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Identical: US HR 4414
Related: US S 2535 , US S 2579
Sponsor: Peters G (D)
Title: Notify Drinking Water Public Health Risk
Introduced: 01/27/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: Senate Environment and Public Works Committee
Summary: Amends the Safe Water Drinking Act to authorize the Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency to notify the public if a State agency and public water system are not taking action to address a public health risk associated with drinking water requirements.
Status: 01/27/2016 INTRODUCED.
01/27/2016 In SENATE. Read second time.
01/27/2016 To SENATE Committee on ENVIRONMENT AND PUBLIC WORKS.

US S 2532

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Related: US S 2583
Sponsor: Cardin (D)
Title: Appropriations for Drinking Water and Clean Water Funds
Introduced: 02/10/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: Senate Environment and Public Works Committee
Summary: Authorizes appropriations for the Drinking Water State Revolving Fund and the Clean Water State Revolving Fund.
Status: 02/10/2016 INTRODUCED.
02/10/2016 In SENATE. Read second time.
02/10/2016 To SENATE Committee on ENVIRONMENT AND PUBLIC WORKS.

US S 2533

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Related: US S 1894
Sponsor: Feinstein (D)
Title: Water Supplies for California and Drought Resiliency
Introduced: 02/10/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: Senate Energy and Natural Resources Committee
Summary: Provides short-term water supplies to drought-stricken California; provides for long-term investments in drought resiliency throughout the Western United States.
Status: 02/10/2016 INTRODUCED.

02/10/2016 In SENATE. Read second time.
02/10/2016 To SENATE Committee on ENERGY AND NATURAL RESOURCES.

US S 2535

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Related: US HR 4414 , US S 2466
Sponsor: Brown S (D)
Title: Corrosion Control for Lead and Copper in Drinking Water
Introduced: 02/10/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: Senate Environment and Public Works Committee
Summary: Provides deadlines for corrosion control treatment steps for lead and copper in drinking water.
Status: 02/10/2016 INTRODUCED.
02/10/2016 In SENATE. Read second time.
02/10/2016 To SENATE Committee on ENVIRONMENT AND PUBLIC WORKS.

US S 2579

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Related: US HR 4414 , US S 2466
Sponsor: Stabenow (D)
Title: Ensure Safe Drinking Water
Introduced: 02/24/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: Senate Energy and Natural Resources Committee
Summary: Provides additional support to ensure safe drinking water.
Status: 02/24/2016 INTRODUCED.
02/24/2016 In SENATE. Read second time.
02/24/2016 To SENATE Committee on ENERGY AND NATURAL RESOURCES.

US S 2583

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Related: US S 2532
Sponsor: Cardin (D)
Title: Drinking Water State Revolving Fund
Introduced: 02/25/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: Senate Environment and Public Works Committee
Summary: Authorizes appropriations for the Drinking Water State Revolving Fund and the Clean Water State Revolving Fund.
Status: 02/25/2016 INTRODUCED.

02/25/2016 In SENATE. Read second time.
02/25/2016 To SENATE Committee on ENVIRONMENT AND PUBLIC WORKS.

US S 2587

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Sponsor: Cardin (D)
Title: EPA Rules for Lead and Copper Levels
Introduced: 02/25/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: Senate Environment and Public Works Committee
Summary: Amends the Safe Drinking Water Act to require the Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency to promulgate regulations to improve reporting, testing, and monitoring related to lead and copper levels in drinking water.
Status: 02/25/2016 INTRODUCED.
02/25/2016 In SENATE. Read second time.
02/25/2016 To SENATE Committee on ENVIRONMENT AND PUBLIC WORKS.

US S 2588

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Sponsor: Cardin (D)
Title: Reduce Lead In Drinking Water Grants
Introduced: 02/25/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: Senate Environment and Public Works Committee
Summary: Provides grants to eligible entities to reduce lead in drinking water.
Status: 02/25/2016 INTRODUCED.
02/25/2016 In SENATE. Read second time.
02/25/2016 To SENATE Committee on ENVIRONMENT AND PUBLIC WORKS.

US S 2606

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Related: US HR 499
Sponsor: Menendez (D)
Title: Water and Sewage Facilities Bonds
Introduced: 02/29/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: Senate Finance Committee
Summary: Amends the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide that the volume cap for private activity bonds shall not apply to bonds for facilities for the furnishing of water and sewage facilities.
Status: 02/29/2016 INTRODUCED.

02/29/2016 In SENATE. Read second time.
02/29/2016 To SENATE Committee on FINANCE.

US SRES 31

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Adopted

Sponsor: Inhofe (R)
Title: Committee on Environment and Public Works Expenditures
Introduced: 01/21/2015
Disposition: Pending
Location: Senate Rules and Administration Committee
Summary: Creates an original resolution authorizing expenditures by the Committee on Environment and Public Works.
Status: 01/21/2015 INTRODUCED.
01/21/2015 To SENATE Committee on RULES AND ADMINISTRATION.

Other Bills

US HR 352

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Related: US S 110
Sponsor: Duffy (R)
Title: Environmental Protection Agency Funds
Introduced: 01/14/2015
Disposition: Pending
Location: House Energy and Commerce Committee
Summary: Rescinds funds made available to the Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency if the Administrator fails to meet certain deadlines.
Status: 01/26/2015 In HOUSE Committee on AGRICULTURE: Referred to Subcommittee on BIOTECHNOLOGY, HORTICULTURE, AND RESEARCH.

US HR 413

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Sponsor: Delaney (D)
Title: American Infrastructure Fund
Introduced: 01/20/2015
Disposition: Pending
Location: House Transportation & Infrastructure Committee
Summary: Establishes the American Infrastructure Fund, to provide bond guarantees and make loans to States, local governments, and infrastructure providers for investments in certain

infrastructure projects, and to provide equity investments in such projects.

Status:
01/20/2015 INTRODUCED.
01/20/2015 To HOUSE Committee on TRANSPORTATION AND INFRASTRUCTURE.
01/20/2015 Additionally referred to HOUSE Committee on WAYS AND MEANS.
01/21/2015 In HOUSE Committee on TRANSPORTATION & INFRASTRUCTURE: Referred to Subcommittee on HIGHWAYS AND TRANSIT.

US HR 1030

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Identical: US S 544
Related: US HRES 138
Sponsor: Smith L (R)
Title: Secret Science Reform Act
Introduced: 02/24/2015
Last Amend: 03/18/2015
Disposition: Pending
Location: Senate Environment and Public Works Committee
Summary: Creates the Secret Science Reform Act of 2015; prohibits the Environmental Protection Agency from proposing, finalizing, or disseminating regulations or assessments based upon science that is not transparent or reproducible; requires all science to be the best available, specifically identified, and public available on line in a manner that is sufficient for independent analysis and substantial reproduction of research results.

Status:
03/19/2015 In SENATE. Read second time.
03/19/2015 To SENATE Committee on ENVIRONMENT AND PUBLIC WORKS.

US HR 1971

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Sponsor: Lieu (D)
Title: Greenhouse Gas Emissions and Climate Protection
Introduced: 04/22/2015
Disposition: Pending
Location: House Energy and Commerce Committee
Summary: Reduces greenhouse gas emissions and protect the climate.

Status:
04/24/2015 In HOUSE Committee on ENERGY AND COMMERCE: Referred to Subcommittee on ENERGY AND POWER.

US HR 3880

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Related: US HR 1487 , US S 791
Sponsor: Palmer (R)

Title: Environmental Protection Agency Authority
Introduced: 11/03/2015
Disposition: Pending
Location: House Transportation & Infrastructure Committee
Summary: Prevents the Environmental Protection Agency from exceeding its statutory authority in ways that were not contemplated by the Congress.
Status: In HOUSE Committee on TRANSPORTATION & INFRASTRUCTURE: Referred 11/04/2015 to Subcommittee on WATER RESOURCES AND ENVIRONMENT.

US HR 4411

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Related: US HR 8 , US HR 3447 , US HR 4412 , US HR 4416 , US HR 4434 , US S 2083
Sponsor: Griffith M (R)
Title: Hydroelectric Project Construction Deadline
Introduced: 02/01/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: SENATE
Summary: Extends the deadline for commencement of construction of a specified hydroelectric project.
Status: 03/14/2016 In HOUSE. Rules Suspended. Discharged from all committees.
03/14/2016 In HOUSE. Passed HOUSE. *****To SENATE.

US HR 4412

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Related: US HR 8 , US HR 3447 , US HR 4411 , US HR 4416 , US HR 4434 , US S 2083
Sponsor: Griffith M (R)
Title: Hydroelectric Project Construction Deadline
Introduced: 02/01/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: SENATE
Summary: Extends the deadline for commencement of construction of a specified hydroelectric project.
Status: 03/14/2016 In HOUSE. Rules Suspended. Discharged from all committees.
03/14/2016 In HOUSE. Passed HOUSE. *****To SENATE.

US HR 4416

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Related: US HR 8 , US HR 3447 , US HR 4411 , US HR 4412 , US HR 4434 , US S 2083
Sponsor: McKinley (R)
Title: Hydroelectric Project Construction Deadline

Introduced: 02/01/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: House Energy and Commerce Committee
Summary: Extends the deadline for commencement of construction of a specified hydroelectric project.
Status:
02/25/2016 In HOUSE Committee on ENERGY AND COMMERCE: Consideration and mark-up session held.
02/25/2016 In HOUSE Committee on ENERGY AND COMMERCE: Ordered to be reported.

US HR 4434

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Related: US HR 8 , US HR 3447 , US HR 4411 , US HR 4412 , US HR 4416 , US S 2083
Sponsor: Gibson (R)
Title: Hydroelectric Project Construction Deadline
Introduced: 02/02/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: House Energy and Commerce Committee
Summary: Extends the deadline for commencement of construction of a specified hydroelectric project.
Status:
02/25/2016 In HOUSE Committee on ENERGY AND COMMERCE: Consideration and mark-up session held.
02/25/2016 In HOUSE Committee on ENERGY AND COMMERCE: Ordered to be reported.

US HR 4648

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Sponsor: Kilmer (D)
Title: Green Stormwater Infrastructure Investment Act
Introduced: 02/29/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: House Transportation & Infrastructure Committee
Summary: Provides incentives for investment in green stormwater infrastructure.
Status:
03/01/2016 In HOUSE Committee on TRANSPORTATION & INFRASTRUCTURE: Referred to Subcommittee on WATER RESOURCES AND ENVIRONMENT.

US S 1140

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Sponsor: Barrasso (R)
Title: Definition of Waters of the United States
Introduced: 04/30/2015

Disposition: Pending
Location: SENATE
Summary: Requires the Secretary of the Army and the Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency to propose a regulation revising the definition of the term waters of the United States.
Status: 11/03/2015 In SENATE. Motion to proceed to consideration of the bill withdrawn.

US S 2358

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Related: US HR 1093
Sponsor: Brown S (D)
Title: Meeting Wastewater and Stormwater Obligations
Introduced: 12/03/2015
Disposition: Pending
Location: Senate Environment and Public Works Committee
Summary: Directs the Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency to carry out a pilot program to work with municipalities that are seeking to develop and implement integrated plans to meet wastewater and stormwater obligations under the Federal Water Pollution Control Act.
Status: 12/03/2015 INTRODUCED.
12/03/2015 In SENATE. Read second time.
12/03/2015 To SENATE Committee on ENVIRONMENT AND PUBLIC WORKS.

US SJR 22

Introduced	Passed 1st Committee	Passed 1st Chamber	Passed 2nd Committee	Passed 2nd Chamber	Enacte

Identical: US HJR 59
Related: US HRES 583
Sponsor: Ernst (R)
Title: Disapproval of Corps of Engineers and EPA Rule
Introduced: 09/17/2015
Vetoed: 01/19/2016
Disposition: Pending
Location: Vetoed by President
Summary: Relates to disposal sites for dredged or fill material; provides for congressional disapproval under Chapter 8 of Title 5, United States Code, of the rule submitted by the Corps of Engineers and the Environmental Protection Agency relating to the definition of waters of the United States under the Federal Water Pollution Control Act.
Status: 01/21/2016 In SENATE. Cloture motion on the veto message not invoked. (52-40)