

# AZCC 2023

## Upcoming Committee Hearings

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Date	Time	Details	ACC Tracked Bills
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## Bill Summaries

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### HB2048 - Assured water; small residential developments

#### Sponsor

Rep. Selina Bliss (R)

#### Summary

A person seeking a building permit for six or more residences within an active management area in an unincorporated area of a county is required to obtain a certificate of assured water supply from the Department of Water Resources before presenting the permit application for approval to the county. Does not apply if the applicant has obtained a written commitment of water service for the residences from a municipal or private water company designated as having an assured water supply.

#### Actions

2023-01-18 H - Hearing Scheduled 01/18/2023 - Second Reading, Floor

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2023-01-17 H - Hearing Scheduled 01/17/2023 - First Reading, Floor

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2023-01-17 H - Referred to Committee - Natural Resources, Energy & Water - House Natural Resources, Energy & Water

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2023-01-17 H - Referred to Committee - Rules - House Rules

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2023-01-11 H - Introduced

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### HB2111 - Broadband; internet protocol services; commission

#### Sponsor

Rep. Athena Salman (D)

#### Cosponsors

Rep. Stephanie Stahl Hamilton (D)

#### Summary

The Arizona Corporation Commission (ACC) is required to oversee "broadband service" and "voice over internet protocol service" (both defined). The ACC is required to adopt rules to implement this requirements, and requirements for the rules are listed. The ACC is also required to conduct evaluations and audits of facilities and infrastructure that are used to provide high-speed internet service.

#### Actions

2023-01-24 H - Hearing Scheduled 01/24/2023 - Second Reading, Floor

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2023-01-23 H - Referred to Committee - Rules - House Rules

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2023-01-23 H - Referred to Committee - Commerce - House Commerce

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2023-01-23 H - Hearing Scheduled 01/23/2023 - First Reading, Floor

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2023-01-12 H - Introduced

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## HB2143 - Rulemaking review; time frame

### Sponsor

Rep. Timothy M. Dunn (R)

### Cosponsors

Rep. Michael Carbone (R)

### Summary

When the Legislature has granted a one-time rulemaking exemption to an agency, the agency is required to review any rule adopted under the exemption within six months after the rule was adopted, reduced from one year, to determine whether it should be amended or repealed.

### Actions

2023-01-25 H - DP - House Government

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2023-01-19 H - Hearing Scheduled 01/25/2023 9:00 AM - House GOV, HHR 3

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2023-01-18 H - Hearing Scheduled 01/18/2023 - Second Reading, Floor

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2023-01-17 H - Hearing Scheduled 01/17/2023 - First Reading, Floor

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2023-01-17 H - Referred to Committee - Government - House Government

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2023-01-17 H - Referred to Committee - Rules - House Rules

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2023-01-12 H - Introduced

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## HB2165 - Adequate water supply; statewide requirements

### Sponsor

Rep. Stephanie Stahl Hamilton (D)

### Summary

Counties and municipalities are authorized to approve a subdivision plat only if the subdivider has obtained a water report from the Arizona Department of Water Resources (ADWR) that there is an adequate water supply for the subdivision or the subdivider has obtained a written commitment of water service for the subdivision from a city, town or private water company designated as having an adequate water supply. The State Real Estate Commissioner is authorized to issue a public report authorizing the sale or lease of subdivided lands only if the Director of ADWR has issued a water report that there is an adequate water supply for the subdivision or the subdivider has obtained a written commitment of water service for the subdivision from a city, town or private water company designated as having an adequate water supply.

### Actions

2023-01-19 H - Hearing Scheduled 01/19/2023 - Second Reading, Floor

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2023-01-18 H - Hearing Scheduled 01/18/2023 - First Reading, Floor

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2023-01-18 H - Referred to Committee - Rules - House Rules

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2023-01-18 H - Referred to Committee - Natural Resources, Energy & Water - House Natural Resources, Energy & Water

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2023-01-12 H - Introduced

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## HB2212 - Criminal damage; trespassing; critical facilities

### Sponsor

Rep. Gail Griffin (R)

### Summary

The criminal classification of criminal damage is increased to a class 3 (upper mid-level) felony if the person intentionally tampers with utility property and the damage causes an imminent safety hazard to any person. The criminal classification of criminal trespass by entering or remaining unlawfully in or on a critical public service facility is increased

to a class 4 (lower mid-level) felony. The definition of aggravated criminal damage is expanded to include interfering with or otherwise preventing the performance of a normal function of any utility infrastructure or property. The classification for aggravated criminal damage under these circumstances is a class 2 (second-highest) felony.

**Actions**

2023-01-25 H - DP - House Judiciary

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2023-01-19 H - Hearing Scheduled 01/25/2023 9:00 AM - House JUD, HHR 4

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2023-01-19 H - Hearing Scheduled 01/19/2023 - Second Reading, Floor

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2023-01-18 H - Referred to Committee - Rules - House Rules

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2023-01-18 H - Referred to Committee - Judiciary - House Judiciary

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2023-01-18 H - Hearing Scheduled 01/18/2023 - First Reading, Floor

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2023-01-12 H - Introduced

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### **HB2213 - TPT; exemption; utilities; residential customers**

**Sponsor**

Rep. Gail Griffin (R)

**Summary**

The list of deductions from the tax base for the utilities classification of transaction privilege taxes is expanded to include gross proceeds of sales or gross income derived from sales to residential natural or artificial gas and electricity retail customers. Applies to tax periods beginning on or after the first day of the month following the general effective date.

**Actions**

2023-01-19 H - Hearing Scheduled 01/19/2023 - Second Reading, Floor

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2023-01-18 H - Hearing Scheduled 01/18/2023 - First Reading, Floor

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2023-01-18 H - Referred to Committee - Ways & Means - House Ways & Means

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2023-01-18 H - Referred to Committee - Rules - House Rules

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2023-01-12 H - Introduced

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### **HB2241 - Electric vehicles; charging; pilot program**

**Sponsor**

Rep. Cesar Aguilar (D)

**Cosponsors**

Rep. Patricia Contreras (D), Rep. Oscar De Los Santos (D), Rep. Nancy Gutierrez (D), Rep. Alma Hernandez (D), Rep. Lydia Hernandez (D), Rep. Melody Hernandez (D), Rep. Jennifer L. Longdon (D), Rep. Analise Ortiz (D), Rep. Mae Peshlakai (D), Rep. Mariana Sandoval (D), Rep. Keith Seaman (D), Rep. Stephanie Stahl Hamilton (D), Rep. Leezah Elsa Sun (D)

**Summary**

Counties and municipalities are prohibited from issuing a residential structure building permit for a single-family structure if the structure does not have a specified electrical circuit with a dedicated outlet to charge an electric vehicle in the garage or within 10 feet of a parking space on the outside of the structure. Some exceptions. The Arizona Department of Administration (ADOA) is required to conduct a two-year electric vehicle-ready homes pilot program. ADOA is required to reimburse the owner of a single-family or multifamily residential structure for the cost of installing a high voltage electrical outlet for the purpose of charging an electric vehicle, up to \$1,000, until the monies are exhausted. By December 31, 2025, ADOA is required to submit a report to the Governor and the Legislature with specified information relating to the pilot program. The pilot program self-repeals October 1, 2026.

**Actions**

2023-01-19 H - Hearing Scheduled 01/19/2023 - Second Reading, Floor

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2023-01-18 H - Hearing Scheduled 01/18/2023 - First Reading, Floor

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2023-01-18 H - Referred to Committee - Rules - House Rules

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2023-01-18 H - Referred to Committee - Transportation & Infrastructure - House Transportation & Infrastructure

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2023-01-12 H - Introduced

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## **HB2254 - Rulemaking; regulatory costs; legislative ratification**

### **Sponsor**

Rep. Justin Wilmeth (R)

### **Summary**

If a proposed rule is estimated to increase regulatory costs in Arizona in excess of \$500,000 within two years after implementation or to have an adverse impact on economic growth, the proposed rule cannot become effective until the Legislature enacts legislation ratifying the proposed rule. The agency is prohibited from filing a final rule with the Secretary of State before obtaining legislative approval of the rule through legislation.

### **Actions**

2023-01-26 H - Hearing Scheduled 02/01/2023 10:00 AM - House GOV, HHR 3

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2023-01-19 H - Hearing Scheduled 01/19/2023 - Second Reading, Floor

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2023-01-18 H - Referred to Committee - Government - House Government

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2023-01-18 H - Referred to Committee - Rules - House Rules

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2023-01-18 H - Hearing Scheduled 01/18/2023 - First Reading, Floor

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2023-01-12 H - Introduced

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## **HB2277 - Appropriation; railway safety inspectors**

### **Sponsor**

Rep. Andrés Cano (D)

### **Summary**

Appropriates \$197,400 from the general fund in FY2023-24 to the Arizona Corporation Commission to fund two railway safety inspectors.

### **Actions**

2023-02-01 H - HELD - House Transportation & Infrastructure

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2023-01-26 H - Hearing Scheduled 02/01/2023 2:00 PM - House TI, HHR 3

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2023-01-19 H - Hearing Scheduled 01/19/2023 - Second Reading, Floor

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2023-01-18 H - Hearing Scheduled 01/18/2023 - First Reading, Floor

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2023-01-18 H - Referred to Committee - Appropriations - House Appropriations

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2023-01-18 H - Referred to Committee - Rules - House Rules

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2023-01-18 H - Referred to Committee - Transportation & Infrastructure - House Transportation & Infrastructure

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2023-01-12 H - Introduced

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### **HB2356 - Railroads; annual safety inspections.**

**Sponsor**

Rep. Analise Ortiz (D)

**Summary**

The Arizona Corporation Commission (ACC) is required to conduct annual safety inspections of all railroads and railroad tracks in Arizona. Appropriates \$196,000 and two FTE positions from the general fund in FY2023-24 to the ACC for railroad safety inspectors.

**Actions**

2023-01-19 H - Hearing Scheduled 01/19/2023 - Second Reading, Floor

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2023-01-18 H - Hearing Scheduled 01/18/2023 - First Reading, Floor

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2023-01-18 H - Referred to Committee - Appropriations - House Appropriations

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2023-01-18 H - Referred to Committee - Rules - House Rules

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2023-01-18 H - Referred to Committee - Transportation & Infrastructure - House Transportation & Infrastructure

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2023-01-12 H - Introduced

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### **HB2357 - Broadband; internet protocol services; commission.**

**Sponsor**

Rep. Analise Ortiz (D)

**Cosponsors**

Rep. Patricia Contreras (D), Rep. Oscar De Los Santos (D), Rep. Leezah Elsa Sun (D)

**Summary**

The Arizona Corporation Commission (ACC) is required to oversee broadband service and voice over internet protocol service. The ACC is required to adopt rules to implement this requirements, and requirements for the rules are listed.

**Actions**

2023-01-26 H - Hearing Scheduled 01/26/2023 - Second Reading, Floor

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2023-01-25 H - Referred to Committee - Rules - House Rules

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2023-01-25 H - Referred to Committee - Commerce - House Commerce

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2023-01-25 H - Hearing Scheduled 01/25/2023 - First Reading, Floor

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2023-01-12 H - Introduced

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### **HB2373 - Permits; automated permitting platform**

**Sponsor**

Rep. Leo Biasiucci (R)

**Cosponsors**

Rep. Lupe Contreras (D), Rep. Alma Hernandez (D), Rep. Consuelo Hernandez (D), Rep. David Livingston (R), Rep. Kevin Payne (R), Rep. Stacey Travers (D), Rep. Justin Wilmeth (R), Sen. Frank Carroll (R), Sen. Thomas "T.J." Shope (R)

**Summary**

Counties and municipalities are authorized to use a "qualified online automated permitting platform" to verify code compliance for the purpose of issuing permits for the use of certain solar energy devices.

**Actions**

2023-02-01 H - DP - House Regulatory Affairs

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2023-01-26 H - Hearing Scheduled 02/01/2023 2:00 PM - House RA, HHR 5

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2023-01-23 H - Hearing Scheduled 01/23/2023 - Second Reading, Floor

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2023-01-19 H - Referred to Committee - Rules - House Rules

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2023-01-19 H - Referred to Committee - Regulatory Affairs - House Regulatory Affairs

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2023-01-19 H - Hearing Scheduled 01/19/2023 - First Reading, Floor

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2023-01-12 H - Introduced

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## **HB2405 - Community choice energy study committee**

### **Sponsor**

Rep. Stacey Travers (D)

### **Cosponsors**

Rep. Andrés Cano (D), Rep. Lupe Contreras (D), Rep. Mariana Sandoval (D), Rep. Amish Shah (D), Rep. Austin Smith (R), Rep. Laura Terech (D)

### **Summary**

Establishes a 17-member Community Choice Energy Study Committee to study current community choice energy organizational models in the ten states that have authorized community choice energy through state legislation, review best practices for community choice energy implementation and operations, ascertain the feasibility and the potential legal, regulatory, economic and environmental impacts of community choice energy in Arizona, and solicit input from related stakeholders. The Committee is required to submit a report of its findings and recommendations to the Governor and the Legislature by November 15, 2023, and self-repeals October 1, 2024.

### **Actions**

2023-01-23 H - Hearing Scheduled 01/23/2023 - Second Reading, Floor

2023-01-19 H - Referred to Committee - Rules - House Rules

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2023-01-19 H - Referred to Committee - Natural Resources, Energy & Water - House Natural Resources, Energy & Water

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2023-01-19 H - Hearing Scheduled 01/19/2023 - First Reading, Floor

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2023-01-12 H - Introduced

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## **HB2411 - Water supply; elimination; reduction; damages**

### **Sponsor**

Rep. David L. Cook (R)

### **Cosponsors**

Rep. Teresa Martinez (R), Rep. Ben Toma (R), Rep. Justin Wilmeth (R)

### **Summary**

If a city provides water to customers outside of the city's service area before January 1, 2023 and reduces or terminates that service on or after January 1, 2023, the city is required to make the same reduction in or termination of the water supply to the Mayor and members of the City Council. If a city terminates water service in these circumstances, the city is liable, with respect to the persons whose water was terminated, for fire damage to personal property, health problems incurred by children as the result of the termination, and attorney fees.

### **Actions**

2023-02-08 H - Hearing Scheduled 02/08/2023 2:00 PM - House TI, HHR 3

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2023-02-01 H - HELD - House Transportation & Infrastructure

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2023-01-26 H - Hearing Scheduled 02/01/2023 2:00 PM - House TI, HHR 3

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2023-01-23 H - Hearing Scheduled 01/23/2023 - Second Reading, Floor

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2023-01-19 H - Referred to Committee - Rules - House Rules

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2023-01-19 H - Referred to Committee - Transportation & Infrastructure - House Transportation & Infrastructure

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2023-01-19 H - Hearing Scheduled 01/19/2023 - First Reading, Floor

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2023-01-12 H - Introduced

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### **HB2429 - Occupational licenses; convictions**

#### **Sponsor**

Rep. Justin Wilmeth (R)

#### **Summary**

An agency is prohibited from denying a regular occupational license or a provisional occupational license to an otherwise qualified applicant who has been convicted of a felony offense other than a dangerous crime against children, or a serious or violent or aggravated felony. The Fingerprinting Division of the Arizona Department of Public Safety is required to issue a fingerprint clearance card to an applicant who is applying for a card for the purpose of obtaining a license under Title 32 (Professions and Occupations) if the person's criminal history record does not contain any of a specified list of offenses.

#### **Actions**

2023-02-08 H - Hearing Scheduled 02/08/2023 2:00 PM - House RA, HHR 5

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2023-01-26 H - Hearing Scheduled 01/26/2023 - Second Reading, Floor

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2023-01-25 H - Referred to Committee - Rules - House Rules

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2023-01-25 H - Referred to Committee - Regulatory Affairs - House Regulatory Affairs

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2023-01-25 H - Hearing Scheduled 01/25/2023 - First Reading, Floor

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2023-01-12 H - Introduced

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### **HB2437 - Transmission lines; applications; exceptions**

#### **Sponsor**

Rep. Gail Griffin (R)

#### **Summary**

Statute requiring a utility to apply for and receive a certificate of environmental compatibility from the Arizona Corporation Commission Power Plant and Transmission Line Siting Committee before constructing a power plant or transmission line in Arizona does not apply if the transmission line and its associated right-of-way is to be located on land that is entirely owned in fee simple by one or more owners of the transmission line.

#### **Actions**

2023-01-31 H - DP - House Natural Resources, Energy & Water

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2023-01-25 H - Hearing Scheduled 01/31/2023 2:00 PM - House NREW, HHR 1

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2023-01-23 H - Hearing Scheduled 01/23/2023 - Second Reading, Floor

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2023-01-19 H - Referred to Committee - Rules - House Rules

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2023-01-19 H - Referred to Committee - Natural Resources, Energy & Water - House Natural Resources, Energy & Water

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2023-01-19 H - Hearing Scheduled 01/19/2023 - First Reading, Floor

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2023-01-18 H - Hearing Scheduled 01/24/2023 2:00 PM - House NREW, HHR 1

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2023-01-12 H - Introduced

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### **HB2438 - Board of supervisors; powers; water**

**Sponsor**

Rep. Gail Griffin (R)

**Summary**

County boards of supervisors are authorized to participate in water reuse and recycling programs and regional wastewater recharge projects and related infrastructure.

**Actions**

2023-01-24 H - DP - House Natural Resources, Energy & Water

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2023-01-23 H - Hearing Scheduled 01/23/2023 - Second Reading, Floor

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2023-01-19 H - Referred to Committee - Rules - House Rules

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2023-01-19 H - Referred to Committee - Natural Resources, Energy & Water - House Natural Resources, Energy & Water

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2023-01-19 H - Hearing Scheduled 01/19/2023 - First Reading, Floor

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2023-01-18 H - Hearing Scheduled 01/24/2023 2:00 PM - House NREW, HHR 1

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2023-01-12 H - Introduced

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### **HB2440 - Electric energy; power companies; priorities**

**Sponsor**

Rep. Gail Griffin (R)

**Summary**

A public power entity or public service corporation responsible for its service territory is required to conduct infrastructure planning and investments to maintain reliable and affordable electric service. The governing body of a public power entity or a public service corporation is required to provide electric service at just and reasonable rates. When making decisions regarding the planning, investment, procurement and operation of electric generation, transmission and distribution resources, a public power entity or public service corporation is required to prioritize the reliability of the grid and affordability of the costs to retail electric customers.

**Actions**

2023-01-23 H - Hearing Scheduled 01/23/2023 - Second Reading, Floor

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2023-01-19 H - Referred to Committee - Rules - House Rules

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2023-01-19 H - Referred to Committee - Natural Resources, Energy & Water - House Natural Resources, Energy & Water

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2023-01-19 H - Hearing Scheduled 01/19/2023 - First Reading, Floor

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2023-01-12 H - Introduced

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## HB2496 - Transmission lines; definition

### Sponsor

Rep. Gail Griffin (R)

### Summary

A series of new structures erected above ground and supporting conductors designed for the transmission of electric energy that is 1/4 mile or less are excluded from the definition of "transmission line" for the purpose of the requiring approval from the Power Plant and Transmission Line Siting Committee.

### Actions

2023-01-31 H - DPA - House Natural Resources, Energy & Water

2023-01-25 H - Hearing Scheduled 01/31/2023 2:00 PM - House NREW, HHR 1

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2023-01-23 H - Hearing Scheduled 01/23/2023 - Second Reading, Floor

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2023-01-19 H - Referred to Committee - Rules - House Rules

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2023-01-19 H - Referred to Committee - Natural Resources, Energy & Water - House Natural Resources, Energy & Water

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2023-01-19 H - Hearing Scheduled 01/19/2023 - First Reading, Floor

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2023-01-18 H - Hearing Scheduled 01/24/2023 2:00 PM - House NREW, HHR 1

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2023-01-12 H - Introduced

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## HB2520 - Home sales; water supply disclosure

### Sponsor

Rep. Stephanie Stahl Hamilton (D)

### Cosponsors

Rep. Cesar Aguilar (D), Rep. Flavio Bravo (D), Rep. Andrés Cano (D), Rep. Patricia Contreras (D), Rep. Nancy Gutierrez (D), Rep. Chris Mathis (D), Rep. Analise Ortiz (D), Rep. Marcelino Quiñonez (D), Rep. Mariana Sandoval (D), Rep. Judy Schwiebert (D), Rep. Keith Seaman (D), Rep. Laura Terech (D), Rep. Stacey Travers (D), Sen. Rosanna Gabaldón (D), Sen. Christine Marsh (D), Sen. Priya Sundareshan (D)

### Summary

Beginning January 1, 2024, a subdivider who sells one or more lots in a subdivision located outside of an active management area is required to record with the county recorder a document that contains a statement of water adequacy or inadequacy for that subdivision.

### Actions

2023-01-24 H - Hearing Scheduled 01/24/2023 - Second Reading, Floor

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2023-01-23 H - Referred to Committee - Rules - House Rules

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2023-01-23 H - Referred to Committee - Natural Resources, Energy & Water - House Natural Resources, Energy & Water

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2023-01-23 H - Hearing Scheduled 01/23/2023 - First Reading, Floor

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2023-01-19 H - Introduced

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## HB2526 - Railroads; annual safety inspections

### Sponsor

Rep. Consuelo Hernandez (D)

### Cosponsors

Rep. Timothy M. Dunn (R), Rep. Alma Hernandez (D), Sen. Thomas "T.J." Shope (R)

**Summary**

The Arizona Corporation Commission (ACA) is required to conduct annual safety inspections of all railroads and railroad tracks in Arizona. Appropriates \$196,000 and two FTE positions from the general fund in FY2023-24 to the ACA for railroad safety inspectors.

**Actions**

2023-01-26 H - Hearing Scheduled 01/26/2023 - Second Reading, Floor

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2023-01-25 H - Referred to Committee - Transportation & Infrastructure - House Transportation & Infrastructure

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2023-01-25 H - Referred to Committee - Rules - House Rules

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2023-01-25 H - Hearing Scheduled 01/25/2023 - First Reading, Floor

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2023-01-23 H - Introduced

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**HB2531 - Railroads; train length; prohibition****Sponsor**

Rep. Consuelo Hernandez (D)

**Cosponsors**

Rep. Timothy M. Dunn (R), Rep. Alma Hernandez (D), Sen. Thomas "T.J." Shope (R)

**Summary**

A railroad operating in Arizona is prohibited from running or allowing to be run on any part of a main track or branch line a train that exceeds 8,500 feet in length.

**Actions**

2023-01-26 H - Hearing Scheduled 01/26/2023 - Second Reading, Floor

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2023-01-25 H - Referred to Committee - Rules - House Rules

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2023-01-25 H - Referred to Committee - Transportation & Infrastructure - House Transportation & Infrastructure

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2023-01-25 H - Hearing Scheduled 01/25/2023 - First Reading, Floor

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2023-01-24 H - Introduced

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**HB2535 - Private property; wells; regulation; prohibition****Sponsor**

Rep. Austin Smith (R)

**Cosponsors**

Rep. Neal Carter (R), Rep. Joseph Chaplik (R), Rep. David L. Cook (R), Rep. Lupe Diaz (R), Rep. Timothy M. Dunn (R), Rep. John Gillette (R), Rep. Matt Gress (R), Rep. Gail Griffin (R), Rep. Liz Harris (R), Rep. Justin Heap (R), Rep. Laurin Hendrix (R), Rep. Rachel Jones (R), Rep. David Marshall, Sr. (R), Rep. Cory McGarr (R), Rep. Steve Montenegro (R), Rep. Barbara Parker (R), Rep. Jacqueline Parker (R), Rep. Beverly Pingerelli (R), Sen. Jake Hoffman (R), Sen. Anthony Kern (R), Sen. Sine Kerr (R), Sen. Janae Shamp (R), Sen. Justine Wadsack (R)

**Summary**

A well drilled on private property in an unincorporated area is not subject to municipal regulation if the unincorporated area where the well is located is annexed by a municipality after the well has been drilled. Any buildings or structures that require water from a well drilled on private property in an unincorporated area are not subject to municipal regulation if the unincorporated area where the well is located is annexed by a municipality after the well has been drilled.

**Actions**

2023-02-07 H - Hearing Scheduled 02/07/2023 2:00 PM - House NREW, HHR 1

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2023-01-30 H - Hearing Scheduled 01/30/2023 - Second Reading, Floor

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2023-01-26 H - Referred to Committee - Natural Resources, Energy & Water - House Natural Resources, Energy & Water

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2023-01-26 H - Referred to Committee - Rules - House Rules

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2023-01-26 H - Hearing Scheduled 01/26/2023 - First Reading, Floor

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2023-01-25 H - Introduced

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## **HB2561 - City water provider; requirements; service**

### **Sponsor**

Rep. Alexander Kolodin (R)

### **Cosponsors**

Rep. Joseph Chaplik (R), Rep. Gail Griffin (R), Sen. John Kavanagh (R)

### **Summary**

A municipality that provides water service is required to provide water service through a standpipe for water hauling to persons residing outside the municipality's water service area who do not have access to sufficient water if a list of specified conditions apply, including that the municipality previously provided water service to those persons and there is no other source of water for those persons within 10 miles of their households. Self-repeals January 1, 2026. Emergency clause.

### **Actions**

2023-02-07 H - Hearing Scheduled 02/07/2023 2:00 PM - House NREW, HHR 1

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2023-02-01 H - Hearing Scheduled 02/01/2023 - Second Reading, Floor

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2023-01-31 H - Referred to Committee - Rules - House Rules

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2023-01-31 H - Referred to Committee - Natural Resources, Energy & Water - House Natural Resources, Energy & Water

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2023-01-31 H - Hearing Scheduled 01/31/2023 - First Reading, Floor

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2023-01-30 H - Introduced

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## **HB2570 - General appropriations act; 2023-2024**

### **Sponsor**

Rep. David Livingston (R)

### **Cosponsors**

Rep. Joseph Chaplik (R)

### **Actions**

2023-02-06 H - Hearing Scheduled 02/06/2023 11:00 AM - House RULES, HHR 4

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2023-02-01 H - DP - House Appropriations

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2023-02-01 H - Hearing Scheduled 02/01/2023 - Second Reading, Floor

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2023-02-01 H - Hearing Scheduled 02/01/2023 1:30 PM - House APPROP, HHR 1

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2023-01-31 H - Introduced

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2023-01-31 H - Referred to Committee - Appropriations - House Appropriations

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2023-01-31 H - Referred to Committee - Rules - House Rules

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2023-01-31 H - Hearing Scheduled 01/31/2023 - First Reading, Floor

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### **HB2579 - State budget implementation; 2023-2024**

**Sponsor**

Rep. David Livingston (R)

**Cosponsors**

Rep. Joseph Chaplik (R)

**Actions**

2023-02-06 H - Hearing Scheduled 02/06/2023 11:00 AM - House RULES, HHR 4

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2023-02-01 H - DP - House Appropriations

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2023-02-01 H - Hearing Scheduled 02/01/2023 - Second Reading, Floor

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2023-02-01 H - Hearing Scheduled 02/01/2023 1:30 PM - House APPROP, HHR 1

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2023-01-31 H - Introduced

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2023-01-31 H - Referred to Committee - Appropriations - House Appropriations

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2023-01-31 H - Referred to Committee - Rules - House Rules

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2023-01-31 H - Hearing Scheduled 01/31/2023 - First Reading, Floor

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### **HB2584 - Water tank; shared revenue; appropriation**

**Sponsor**

Rep. David L. Cook (R)

**Cosponsors**

Rep. Leo Biasiucci (R), Rep. David Marshall, Sr. (R), Rep. Ben Toma (R)

**Actions**

2023-01-31 H - Introduced

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### **HB2590 - Real estate disclosures; water; solar**

**Sponsor**

Rep. Gail Griffin (R)

**Actions**

2023-02-01 H - Introduced

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### **HB2592 - Appropriation; Kayenta; water; wastewater; infrastructure**

**Sponsor**

Rep. Myron Tsosie (D)

**Cosponsors**

Rep. Mae Peshlakai (D)

**Actions**

2023-02-01 H - Introduced

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### **HB2602 - Railroads; telecommunications corporations; wire-crossing agreements**

**Sponsor**

Rep. Timothy M. Dunn (R)

**Actions**

2023-02-01 H - Introduced

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### **SB1079 - Water infrastructure finance authority; cities**

**Sponsor**

Sen. Thomas "T.J." Shope (R)

**Summary**

Municipalities are no longer required to obtain voter approval to enter into a financial assistance loan repayment agreement with the Water Infrastructure Finance Authority to finance wastewater treatment and drinking water treatment facilities.

**Actions**

2023-01-23 H - Hearing Scheduled 01/23/2023 - Second Reading, Floor

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2023-01-19 S - Referred to Committee - Rules - Senate Rules

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2023-01-19 S - Referred to Committee - Government - Senate Government

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2023-01-19 H - Hearing Scheduled 01/19/2023 - First Reading, Floor

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2023-01-18 S - Introduced

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### **SB1090 - Groundwater pumping; foreign ownership; prohibition**

**Sponsor**

Sen. Anthony Kern (R)

**Summary**

A corporation or other entity in which the government of another country has a "controlling interest" (defined) is not eligible to pump groundwater in Arizona.

**Actions**

2023-01-23 H - Hearing Scheduled 01/23/2023 - Second Reading, Floor

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2023-01-19 S - Referred to Committee - Natural Resources, Energy and Water - Senate Natural Resources, Energy and Water

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2023-01-19 S - Referred to Committee - Rules - Senate Rules

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2023-01-19 H - Hearing Scheduled 01/19/2023 - First Reading, Floor

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2023-01-18 S - Introduced

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### **SB1093 - City water provider; service; requirements**

**Sponsor**

Sen. John Kavanagh (R)

**Summary**

A municipality that provides water service is required to provide water service through a standpipe for water hauling to persons residing outside the city's or town's water service area who do not have access to sufficient water if a list of specified conditions apply, including that the municipality previously provided water service to those persons and there is no other source of water for those persons within 10 miles of their households. Conditionally repealed on the persons acquiring access to sufficient water supplies or on January 1, 2026.

**Actions**

2023-02-08 H - Hearing Scheduled 02/08/2023 9:30 AM - Senate GOV, SHR 2

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2023-01-23 H - Hearing Scheduled 01/23/2023 - Second Reading, Floor

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2023-01-19 S - Referred to Committee - Rules - Senate Rules

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2023-01-19 S - Referred to Committee - Government - Senate Government

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2023-01-19 H - Hearing Scheduled 01/19/2023 - First Reading, Floor

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2023-01-18 S - Introduced

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### **SB1115 - Land sales; foreign entities; prohibition**

**Sponsor**

Sen. Anthony Kern (R)

**Cosponsors**

Sen. Wendy Rogers (R)

**Summary**

Beginning from and after the effective date of this legislation, sales of state land are prohibited from being made to a "foreign entity."

**Actions**

2023-02-01 S - DPA - Senate Government

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2023-01-26 H - Hearing Scheduled 02/01/2023 8:30 AM - Senate GOV, SHR 2

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2023-01-23 H - Hearing Scheduled 01/23/2023 - Second Reading, Floor

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2023-01-19 S - Referred to Committee - Rules - Senate Rules

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2023-01-19 S - Referred to Committee - Government - Senate Government

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2023-01-19 H - Hearing Scheduled 01/19/2023 - First Reading, Floor

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2023-01-18 S - Introduced

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### **SB1223 - Water infrastructure; commerce grant fund**

**Sponsor**

Sen. Thomas "T.J." Shope (R)

**Summary**

Modifies eligibility for grants from the Water Infrastructure and Commerce Grant Fund to apply to projects that begin after January 1, 2023, instead of 2022, and to require the grants to be allocated and distributed by December 31, 2025, instead of 2024. Appropriates \$8 million from the general fund in FY2023-24 to the Fund.

**Actions**

2023-01-30 H - Hearing Scheduled 01/30/2023 - Second Reading, Floor

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2023-01-26 S - Referred to Committee - Appropriations - Senate Appropriations

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2023-01-26 S - Referred to Committee - Natural Resources, Energy and Water - Senate Natural Resources, Energy and Water

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2023-01-26 S - Referred to Committee - Rules - Senate Rules

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2023-01-26 H - Hearing Scheduled 01/26/2023 - First Reading, Floor

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2023-01-24 S - Introduced

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### **SB1255 - Regulatory costs; rulemaking; ratification**

**Sponsor**

Sen. Anthony Kern (R)

**Cosponsors**

Rep. Austin Smith (R)

**Summary**

If a proposed rule is estimated to increase regulatory costs in Arizona in excess of \$1,000,000 within five years after implementation, the proposed rule cannot become effective until the Legislature enacts legislation ratifying the proposed rule. Establishes a process for the Legislature to ratify a proposed rule. Does not apply to emergency rules.

**Actions**

2023-01-31 H - Hearing Scheduled 01/31/2023 - Second Reading, Floor

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2023-01-30 S - Referred to Committee - Government - Senate Government

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2023-01-30 S - Referred to Committee - Rules - Senate Rules

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2023-01-30 H - Hearing Scheduled 01/30/2023 - First Reading, Floor

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2023-01-25 S - Introduced

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**SB1256 - Resign to run; nomination paper****Sponsor**

Sen. Anthony Kern (R)

**Cosponsors**

Rep. Austin Smith (R)

**Summary**

The requirement for an incumbent of a salaried elective office to resign to run for nomination or election to a salaried local, state, or federal office applies even during the final year of the term being served. The incumbent is required to resign within 30 days after filing a nomination paper.

**Actions**

2023-01-31 H - Hearing Scheduled 01/31/2023 - Second Reading, Floor

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2023-01-30 S - Referred to Committee - Rules - Senate Rules

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2023-01-30 S - Referred to Committee - Elections - Senate Elections

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2023-01-30 H - Hearing Scheduled 01/30/2023 - First Reading, Floor

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2023-01-25 S - Introduced

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**SB1270 - Open meetings; capacity****Sponsor**

Sen. John Kavanagh (R)

**Summary**

Schools, school boards, executive boards, and municipalities are required to provide for an amount of seating sufficient to accommodate the reasonably anticipated attendance of all persons desiring to attend the deliberations and proceedings, when feasible. The agenda for a public meeting is required to include notice of the time that the public will have physical access to the meeting place.

**Actions**

2023-01-31 H - Hearing Scheduled 01/31/2023 - Second Reading, Floor

2023-01-30 S - Referred to Committee - Rules - Senate Rules

2023-01-30 S - Referred to Committee - Government - Senate Government

2023-01-30 H - Hearing Scheduled 01/30/2023 - First Reading, Floor

2023-01-25 S - Introduced

**SB1275 - Elected officials; office; reporting****Sponsor**

Sen. J.D. Mesnard (R)

**Summary**

A state elected official other than the Governor is required to publicly post a quarterly report on the official's website listing the number of days the official was physically present in the office each month.

**Actions**

2023-02-08 H - Hearing Scheduled 02/08/2023 9:30 AM - Senate GOV, SHR 2  
2023-01-31 H - Hearing Scheduled 01/31/2023 - Second Reading, Floor  
2023-01-30 S - Referred to Committee - Rules - Senate Rules  
2023-01-30 S - Referred to Committee - Government - Senate Government  
2023-01-30 H - Hearing Scheduled 01/30/2023 - First Reading, Floor  
2023-01-25 S - Introduced

## **SB1286 - Telecommunications fund; report; posting**

**Sponsor**

Sen. Janae Shamp (R)

**Summary**

The Director of the Arizona Department of Administration (ADOA) is required to post the annual report on the Telecommunications Fund on the ADOA website.

**Actions**

2023-01-31 H - Hearing Scheduled 01/31/2023 - Second Reading, Floor  
2023-01-30 S - Referred to Committee - Rules - Senate Rules  
2023-01-30 S - Referred to Committee - Senate Transportation and Technology  
2023-01-30 H - Hearing Scheduled 01/30/2023 - First Reading, Floor  
2023-01-25 S - Introduced

## **SB1306 - Local groundwater stewardship areas.**

**Sponsor**

Sen. Sonny Borrelli (R)

**Cosponsors**

Rep. Leo Biasiucci (R)

**Summary**

County boards of supervisors in a county with lands that are outside of an Active Management Area (AMA) are authorized to designate by resolution one or more groundwater basins, subbasins, or portions of those basins as a Local Groundwater Stewardship Area (LGSA) if a list of specified conditions exist, including that the use of groundwater exceeds the estimated recharge rate. The Director of the Arizona Department of Water Resources (ADWR) is authorized to designate an area that is not included within an AMA as an LGSA if the same specified conditions exist, and the establishment of an AMA is not necessary. Establishes a process for the board of supervisors and a process for the ADWR Director to designate an LGSA. An LGSA is required to be administered by a 9-member LGSA Council. Powers and duties of an LGSA Council are specified, including adopting an LGSA Plan for groundwater programs and policies for the LGSA. The ADWR Director is required to adopt rules governing the location of new wells and replacement wells in new locations in an LGSA. A county board of supervisors is prohibited from approving a final plat for a subdivision composed of subdivided lands that is located within an LGSA unless the ADWR Director has determined that there is an adequate water supply for the subdivision, and the subdivider has obtained a written commitment of water service for the subdivision from a municipal or private water company that is designated as having an adequate water supply by the ADWR Director. Establishes the ADWR Local Groundwater Stewardship Fund, to be administered by ADWR. ADWR is required to spend monies in the Fund to implement and support LGSAs. Of the monies remaining in the State Lottery Fund each fiscal year after other statutory appropriations and deposits, \$50 million must be deposited in the Fund. More.

**Actions**

2023-01-31 H - Hearing Scheduled 01/31/2023 - Second Reading, Floor  
2023-01-30 S - Referred to Committee - Government - Senate Government  
2023-01-30 S - Referred to Committee - Rules - Senate Rules  
2023-01-30 H - Hearing Scheduled 01/30/2023 - First Reading, Floor  
2023-01-26 S - Introduced

## **SB1363 - Energy measuring; reporting; prohibition; repeal**

**Sponsor**

Sen. Juan Mendez (D)

**Cosponsors**

Sen. Rosanna Gabaldón (D), Sen. Anna Hernandez (D), Sen. Catherine Miranda (D), Sen. Priya Sundareshan (D), Sen. Raquel Terán (D), Rep. Athena Salman (D)

**Summary**

Repeals statutes prohibiting counties and municipalities from requiring an owner, operator or tenant of a business, commercial building or multifamily housing property to measure and report energy usage and consumption.

**Actions**

2023-02-02 H - Hearing Scheduled 02/02/2023 - First Reading, Floor

2023-02-02 S - Referred to Committee - Rules - Senate Rules

2023-02-02 S - Referred to Committee - Senate Natural Resources, Energy and Water

2023-01-27 S - Introduced

**SB1371 - Technical correction; management areas; water****Sponsor**

Sen. David Gowan (R)

**Summary**

Minor change in Title 45 (Waters) related to groundwater rights. Apparent striker bus.

**Actions**

2023-01-31 H - Hearing Scheduled 01/31/2023 - Second Reading, Floor

2023-01-30 S - Introduced

2023-01-30 H - Hearing Scheduled 01/30/2023 - First Reading, Floor

2023-01-30 S - Referred to Committee - Rules - Senate Rules

**SB1399 - Appropriation; coal plant closure; transition****Sponsor**

Sen. Theresa Hatathlie (D)

**Cosponsors**

Rep. Mae Peshlakai (D)

**Summary**

Appropriates \$60 million from the general fund in FY2023-24 to the Arizona Department of Administration to distribute to counties, municipalities, and Indian Tribes in Arizona to provide economic transition resources to communities affected by coal plant closures.

**Actions**

2023-02-02 H - Hearing Scheduled 02/02/2023 - First Reading, Floor

2023-02-02 S - Referred to Committee - Rules - Senate Rules

2023-02-02 S - Referred to Committee - Appropriations - Senate Appropriations

2023-02-02 S - Referred to Committee - Senate Natural Resources, Energy and Water

2023-01-30 S - Introduced

**SB1432 - Assured water; small residential developments..****Sponsor**

Sen. Justine Wadsack (R)

**Cosponsors**

Rep. Rachel Jones (R)

**Summary**

A person seeking a building permit for six or more residences within an active management area in an unincorporated area of a county is required to obtain a certificate of assured water supply from the Arizona Department of Water Resources before presenting the permit application for approval to the county. Does not apply if the applicant has obtained a written commitment of water service for the residences from a municipal or private water company designated as having an assured water supply.

**Actions**

2023-02-01 H - Hearing Scheduled 02/01/2023 - Second Reading, Floor

2023-01-31 S - Referred to Committee - Senate Natural Resources, Energy and Water

2023-01-31 S - Referred to Committee - Rules - Senate Rules  
2023-01-31 H - Hearing Scheduled 01/31/2023 - First Reading, Floor  
2023-01-30 S - Introduced

### **SB1439 - State lands; leases; groundwater use**

**Sponsor**

Sen. Priya Sundareshan (D)

**Cosponsors**

Sen. Ken Bennett (R), Sen. Juan Mendez (D)

**Summary**

The State Land Department is required to establish by rule and collect an annual groundwater withdrawal fee from each lessee of state land that is agricultural land located outside of an active management area or an irrigation non-expansion area for the irrigation use of groundwater. Establishes reporting requirements for the lessees. Contains a legislative intent section.

**Actions**

2023-02-02 H - Hearing Scheduled 02/02/2023 - First Reading, Floor  
2023-02-02 S - Referred to Committee - Rules - Senate Rules  
2023-02-02 S - Referred to Committee - Senate NaturalResources, Energy and Water  
2023-01-30 S - Introduced

### **SB1440 - Drinking water standards; pollutants**

**Sponsor**

Sen. Priya Sundareshan (D)

**Cosponsors**

Sen. Denise "Mitzi" Epstein (D), Sen. Juan Mendez (D), Rep. Stacey Travers (D)

**Summary**

The Arizona Department of Environmental Quality (ADEQ) is required to establish drinking water aquifer water quality standards for a list of specified pollutants. Information that ADEQ must review when developing the standards is listed. The standards are required to be protective of public health, including vulnerable subpopulations such as pregnant women, nursing mothers, infants and children.

**Actions**

2023-02-02 H - Hearing Scheduled 02/02/2023 - First Reading, Floor  
2023-02-02 S - Referred to Committee - Rules - Senate Rules  
2023-02-02 S - Referred to Committee - Senate Natural Resources, Energy and Water  
2023-01-30 S - Introduced

### **SB1441 - Electric vehicles; pilot program; appropriation**

**Sponsor**

Sen. Priya Sundareshan (D)

**Cosponsors**

Sen. Rosanna Gabaldón (D), Sen. Sally Ann Gonzales (D), Sen. Juan Mendez (D), Sen. Catherine Miranda (D), Sen. Raquel Terán (D), Rep. Stacey Travers (D)

**Summary**

Counties and municipalities are prohibited from issuing a residential structure building permit for a single-family structure if the residential structure does not have a 208/240-volt, 50-ampere, NEMA 14-50 branch circuit with a dedicated outlet to charge an electric vehicle in the residential structure's garage or within ten feet of a parking space on the outside of the residential structure. Some exceptions. The Arizona Department of Administration (ADOA) is required to conduct a two-year electric vehicle-ready homes pilot program to reimburse the owner of a single-family or multifamily residential structure the cost of installing a high voltage electrical outlet for the purpose of charging an electric vehicle, up to \$1,000, until the appropriation is exhausted. ADOA is required to submit a report with specified information relating to the pilot program to the Governor and the Legislature by December 31, 2025. Appropriates \$500,000 from the general fund in FY2023-24 to ADOA for the pilot program.

**Actions**

2023-01-30 S - Introduced

## **SB1443 - State zero emission vehicle fleet**

### **Sponsor**

Sen. Priya Sundareshan (D)

### **Cosponsors**

Sen. Rosanna Gabaldón (D), Rep. Stacey Travers (D)

### **Summary**

State agencies are required to prioritize zero emission vehicles in purchasing and leasing new vehicles and to use zero emission vehicles for agency business travel when feasible. The Arizona Department of Transportation (ADOT) is required to develop a state zero emission motor vehicle fleet plan that identifies the types of trips for which a zero emission vehicle is feasible and develops procurement options and strategies to increase the purchase and use of zero emission vehicles. Within one year after the effective date of this legislation, ADOT is required to submit a draft of the state zero emission motor vehicle fleet plan to the Governor and the Legislature. Appropriates \$500,000 from the general fund in FY2023-24 to ADOT to acquire telematics technology to develop the state zero emission motor vehicle fleet plan.

### **Actions**

2023-01-30 S - Introduced

## **SB1444 - Zero emission vehicles; plans**

### **Sponsor**

Sen. Priya Sundareshan (D)

### **Cosponsors**

Sen. Rosanna Gabaldón (D), Rep. Stacey Travers (D)

### **Summary**

In coordination with the Arizona Department of Environmental Quality and the Arizona Department of Administration, the Arizona Department of Transportation (ADOT) is required to develop a "zero emission vehicle" (defined) plan designed to increase the number of registered zero emission vehicles in this state, help establish interstate and intrastate zero emission vehicle corridors, and coordinate and increase the installation of zero emission vehicle infrastructure. Within six months after the effective date of this legislation, ADOT is required to submit a draft of the zero emission vehicle plan to the Governor and the Legislature.

### **Actions**

2023-01-30 S - Introduced

## **SB1445 - Charging station; pilot program**

### **Sponsor**

Sen. Priya Sundareshan (D)

### **Cosponsors**

Sen. Rosanna Gabaldón (D), Rep. Stacey Travers (D)

### **Summary**

The Arizona Department of Administration (ADOA) is required to conduct a two-year electric vehicle charging station pilot program. All state agencies may apply to ADOA for funding to cover the cost of installing electric vehicle charging stations at their agency locations. By December 31, 2025, ADOA is required to submit a report to the Governor and the Legislature with specified information relating to the pilot program. ADOA is required to apply for and use applicable federal monies to fund the pilot program. The pilot program self-repeals October 1, 2026.

### **Actions**

2023-01-30 S - Introduced

## **SB1448 - Subsequent active management area; designation**

### **Sponsor**

Sen. Priya Sundareshan (D)

### **Cosponsors**

Sen. Denise "Mitzi" Epstein (D), Sen. Brian Fernandez (D), Sen. Sally Ann Gonzales (D), Sen. Juan Mendez (D), Sen. Catherine Miranda (D), Sen. Raquel Terán (D), Rep. Stacey Travers (D)

### **Summary**

The Director of the Arizona Department of Water Resources is required, instead of allowed, to designate an area that is not included within an initial active management area as a subsequent active management area if the Director determines that any of a list of specified circumstances exist.

### **Actions**

2023-01-30 S - Introduced

## **SB1450 - Adequate water supply; statewide requirements**

### **Sponsor**

Sen. Priya Sundareshan (D)

### **Cosponsors**

Sen. Denise "Mitzi" Epstein (D), Sen. Sally Ann Gonzales (D), Sen. Juan Mendez (D), Sen. Catherine Miranda (D), Sen. Raquel Terán (D), Rep. Stacey Travers (D)

### **Summary**

Counties and municipalities are authorized to approve a subdivision plat only if the subdivider has obtained a water report from the Arizona Department of Water Resources that there is an adequate water supply for the subdivision or the subdivider has obtained a written commitment of water service for the subdivision from a city, town or private water company designated as having an adequate water supply. The State Real Estate Commissioner is authorized to issue a public report authorizing the sale or lease of subdivided lands only if the Director has issued a water report that there is an adequate water supply for the subdivision or the subdivider has obtained a written commitment of water service for the subdivision from a city, town or private water company designated as having an adequate water supply.

### **Actions**

2023-01-30 S – Introduced

## **SB1469 - Appropriation; Page; water infrastructure projects**

### **Sponsor**

Sen. Theresa Hatathlie (D)

### **Summary**

Appropriates \$41.9 million from the general fund in FY2023-24 to the Arizona Department of Water Resources to distribute to the City of Page for specified water infrastructure projects.

### **Actions**

2023-02-02 H - Hearing Scheduled 02/02/2023 - First Reading, Floor

2023-02-02 S - Referred to Committee - Rules - Senate Rules

2023-02-02 S - Referred to Committee - Natural Resources, Energy and Water

2023-02-02 S - Referred to Committee - Appropriations - Senate Appropriations

2023-01-30 S - Introduced

## **SB1501 - Electric vehicle charging stations**

### **Sponsor**

Sen. Frank Carroll (R)

### **Cosponsors**

Sen. David Gowan (R), Sen. Steve Kaiser (R), Sen. Janae Shamp (R), Rep. Quang H. Nguyen (R), Rep. Austin Smith (R), Rep. Justin Wilmeth (R)

### **Summary**

Charges, rates, tolls and rental fees that are received by a public service corporation or electricity supplier, including an electric cooperative, for any commodity or service are prohibited from being used to build or operate an electric vehicle charging station or a commercial charging facility, but may be used for "make-ready infrastructure" (defined as the electrical infrastructure that is required to service an electric vehicle charging station's electrical load on the electricity supplier's or customer's side of the electric meter). An affiliate of an electricity supplier that provides, owns, operates or maintains electric vehicle charging stations is required to do so on the same rates, terms and conditions that are offered to private providers of electric vehicle charging stations in the electricity supplier's service territory. Contains legislative findings.

### **Actions**

2023-01-30 S - Introduced

## **SB1502 - Corporation commission; electric generation resources**

### **Sponsor**

Sen. Frank Carroll (R)

### **Cosponsors**

Sen. Sine Kerr (R), Rep. Gail Griffin (R)

**Summary**

Declare that it is the public policy of Arizona that public service corporations should pursue the use of "clean energy resources" (defined) and the reduction of carbon emissions resulting from the generation of energy for retail electric sales, provided the mix of critical electric generation resources used by each public service corporation to meet its customers' needs is the lowest cost method of providing safe and reliable electricity services while taking into consideration the system-wide costs associated with meeting customer demand for services at all times of each day and throughout all seasons of the year. Requires public service corporations to derive at least the following percentages of retail kilowatt sales from renewable energy resources by the following dates: 13 percent by December 31, 2023, 14 percent by December 31, 2024, 15 percent by December 31, 2025 and for each year thereafter. Contains legislative findings.

**Actions**

2023-02-02 H - Hearing Scheduled 02/02/2023 - Second Reading, Floor

2023-02-01 H - Hearing Scheduled 02/01/2023 - First Reading, Floor

2023-02-01 S - Referred to Committee - Rules - Senate Rules

2023-02-01 S - Referred to Committee - Senate Natural Resources, Energy and Water

2023-01-30 S – Introduced

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**SB1514 - Electricity; gas; disconnection prohibited****Sponsor**

Sen. Juan Mendez (D)

**Cosponsors**

Sen. Catherine Miranda (D), Sen. Priya Sundareshan (D), Sen. Raquel Terán (D), Rep. Athena Salman (D)

**Summary**

Utilities are prohibited from disconnecting any service related to heating or air conditioning if the temperature is forecasted to drop below 32 degrees Fahrenheit or to exceed 90 degrees Fahrenheit. Utilities are required to make a reasonable payment arrangement with the customer to allow for the continuation of service. Utilities are prohibited from disconnecting a customer's service if the customer's household income is at or below 200 percent of the federal poverty guidelines and the customer makes a minimum payment, or if the customer has a household with a resident who has a disability or who is 65 years of age or older, a pregnant woman, a child under 5 years of age, or a person who uses life-support equipment.

**Actions**

2023-01-30 S – Introduced

**SB1522 - Community choice energy study committee.****Sponsor**

Sen. Thomas "T.J." Shope (R)

**Cosponsors**

Sen. Denise "Mitzi" Epstein (D), Sen. Rosanna Gabaldón (D), Sen. Sally Ann Gonzales (D), Sen. Anna Hernandez (D), Sen. Christine Marsh (D), Sen. Juan Mendez (D), Sen. Catherine Miranda (D), Sen. Raquel Terán (D)

**Summary**

Establishes a 17-member Community Choice Energy Study Committee to study current community choice energy organizational models in the ten states that have authorized community choice energy through state legislation, review best practices for community choice energy implementation and operations, ascertain the feasibility and the potential legal, regulatory, economic and environmental impacts of community choice energy in Arizona, and solicit input from related stakeholders. The Committee is required to submit a report of its findings and recommendations to the Governor and the Legislature by November 15, 2023, and self-repeals October 1, 2024.

**Actions**

2023-01-30 S - Introduced