

## EPIC Policy Group

55th Legislature - 2nd Regular Session, 2022

Monday, Jan 24 2022 9:30 AM

Bill summaries and histories copyright 2022 Arizona Capitol Reports, L.L.C.

BILL NUMBER/ SHORT TITLE	SUMMARY	SPONSORS	POSTED HEARINGS & CALENDARS	COMMENTS	LAST ACTION
<b>SMRO Issues</b>					
H2014: SAFETY FEATURES; AUTONOMOUS VEHICLES; PROHIBITIONS	A person is prohibited from knowingly and intentionally installing or using a "defeat device" (defined) to interfere with or disable a safety feature of a vehicle equipped with specified levels of driving automation that is designed to ensure that a human driver is alert and attentive while driving automation features are engaged. Some exceptions.	First sponsor: Rep. Kavanagh (R - Dist 23)	Hearing: House Transportation (Wednesday 01/26/22 at 2:00 PM, House Rm. 3)		1/11 referred to House trans.
H2187: AUTONOMOUS VEHICLES; ADOT DIRECTOR'S DUTIES	The Director of the Department of Transportation is required to develop standards for testing the operation of "autonomous vehicles" (defined) in Arizona, including a statewide training curriculum for operators of and passengers in autonomous vehicles and for emergency personnel's response to an autonomous vehicle emergency. By November 1 of each year, the Director is required to submit a report on the operations of autonomous vehicles in Arizona to the Governor and the Legislature. Information that must be included in the report is specified.	First sponsor: Rep. Andrade (D - Dist 29) Others: Sen. Gabaldon (D - Dist 2), Rep. M. Hernandez (D - Dist 26), Rep. Powers Hannley (D - Dist 9), Sen. Terán (D - Dist 30)			
H2282: PROHIBITION; PHOTO RADAR	State agencies and local authorities are prohibited from using a photo enforcement system to identify violators of traffic control devices and speed regulations. Statutes authorizing and regulating photo enforcement are repealed.	First sponsor: Rep. Fillmore (R - Dist 16) Others: Rep. Chaplik (R - Dist 23)			1/18 referred to House trans.
H2319: LAW ENFORCEMENT ACTIVITY; RECORDING PROHIBITION	It is a petty offense for a person to knowingly make a video recording of law enforcement activity without the permission of a law enforcement officer if the person is within 15 feet of where the law enforcement activity is occurring. If a person fails to comply with a verbal warning of a violation or has a previous conviction of a violation of this legislation, the criminal classification is increased to a class 3 (lowest) misdemeanor.	First sponsor: Rep. Kavanagh (R - Dist 23)			
H2425: VIDEO RECORDINGS; DISCLOSURE; REPEAL	Repeals statute limiting the circumstances under which the Department of Public Safety is authorized to release a copy of a video recording of peace officers.	First sponsor: Rep. Epstein (D - Dist 18) Others: Rep. Bolding (D - Dist 27), Rep. Solorio (D - Dist 30), Sen. Terán (D - Dist 30)			
H2515: PEACE OFFICERS; CAMERAS; RECORDINGS; DISCLOSURES.	Adds an article to Title 38 (Public Officers and Employees) governing law enforcement officer cameras and recordings. By July 1, 2024, every local law enforcement agency in Arizona and the Department of Public Safety (DPS) is required to provide a body-worn camera for each peace officer who is employed by the agency or DPS and who has contact with the public. Peace officers are required to wear and activate a body-worn camera, or activate a dash camera if the peace officer's vehicle is equipped with a dash camera, when responding to a call for service or during any contact with the public that is initiated by the peace officer, whether consensual or nonconsensual, to enforce a law or investigate the possible violation of a law. Establishes a list of circumstances under which a peace officer is allowed to turn off a body-worn or dash camera or does not need to wear or activate a camera. Establishes penalties for violation of the camera requirements, including suspension and termination. Except in cases of malfunction, if a peace officer fails to activate a body-worn camera or dash camera when required, or tampers with body-worn or dash camera footage or operation when required to activate the camera, there is a permissive inference against the peace officer	First sponsor: Rep. Bolding (D - Dist 27) Others: Rep. Cano (D - Dist 3), Rep. Epstein (D - Dist 18), Rep. Longdon (D - Dist 24), Rep. Powers Hannley (D - Dist 9)			

	in any investigation or legal proceeding, excluding criminal proceedings, that the missing footage would have reflected misconduct by the peace officer, and any statement that is sought to be introduced in a prosecution through the peace officer that is related to the incident has a rebuttable presumption of inadmissibility. DPS and local law enforcement agencies are required to establish and follow a retention schedule for body-worn and dash camera recordings that complies with the rules and directions adopted by the Arizona State Library, Archives and Public Records. Establishes requirements for the release of video and audio recordings, and a process for objecting to its release. More. Effective January 1, 2023.				
HC2019: ARIZONA'S GET OUTDOORS INITIATIVE	The members of the Legislature support Arizona's Get Outdoors Initiative.	First sponsor: Rep. Cobb (R - Dist 5)			
S1019: VLT; VEHICLE SALE PRICE	Modifies the calculation of the amount of vehicle license tax (VLT) on a motor vehicle so that the value of the vehicle is based on the actual sale price of the vehicle instead of the manufacturer's base retail price of the vehicle. Also increases the maximum weight of an all-terrain vehicle or off-highway vehicle to qualify for a flat VLT of \$3 to 2,500 pounds, from 1,800 pounds.	First sponsor: Sen. Ugenti-Rita (R - Dist 23)			1/10 referred to Senate appro.
S1066: RAFFLES; NONPROFITS; LENGTH OF EXISTENCE	Modifies the requirements for a nonprofit organization to qualify to conduct a raffle that is subject to specified restrictions to require the nonprofit organization to have been in existence continuously in Arizona for a one-year period, decreased from a five-year period, immediately before conducting the raffle.	First sponsor: Sen. Shope (R - Dist 8) Others: Rep. Jermaine (D - Dist 18)	Hearing: Senate Commerce (Wednesday 01/26/22 at 2:00 PM, Senate Rm. 1)		1/10 referred to Senate com.
S1134: PROHIBITION; PHOTO RADAR	State agencies and local authorities are prohibited from using a photo enforcement system to identify violators of traffic control devices and speed regulations. Statutes authorizing and regulating photo enforcement are repealed.	First sponsor: Sen. Rogers (R - Dist 6)			1/11 referred to Senate trans-tech.
S1148: VEHICLE SALE PRICE; VLT	Modifies the calculation of the amount of vehicle license tax (VLT) on a motor vehicle so that the value of the vehicle is based on the actual sale price of the vehicle instead of the manufacturer's base retail price of the vehicle.	First sponsor: Sen. Ugenti-Rita (R - Dist 23)			1/12 referred to Senate appro.
S1150: ELECTRIC VEHICLES; PILOT PROGRAM; APPROPRIATION	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 Department of Administration (DOA) 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. DOA is required to submit a report with specified information relating to the pilot program to the Governor and the Legislature by December 31, 2024. Appropriates \$500,000 from the general fund in FY2022-23 to DOA for the pilot program.	First sponsor: Sen. Steele (D - Dist 9) Others: Rep. Jermaine (D - Dist 18)	Hearing: Senate Transportation & Technology (Monday 01/24/22 at 2:00 PM, Senate Rm. 109)		1/12 referred to Senate trans-tech, appro.
S1151: CHARGING STATION; PILOT PROGRAM; APPROPRIATION	The Department of Administration (DOA) is required to conduct a two-year electric vehicle charging station pilot program. All state agencies may apply to DOA for funding to cover the cost of installing electric vehicle charging stations at their agency locations. DOA is required to submit a report with specified information relating to the pilot program to the	First sponsor: Sen. Steele (D - Dist 9) Others: Rep. Jermaine (D - Dist 18)	Hearing: Senate Transportation & Technology (Monday 01/24/22 at 2:00 PM, Senate Rm. 109)		1/12 referred to Senate trans-tech, appro.

	Governor and the Legislature by December 31, 2024. Appropriates \$500,000 from the general fund in FY2022-23 to DOA for the pilot program.				
S1152: ZERO EMISSION VEHICLES; PLANS	In coordination with the Department of Environmental Quality and the 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 to at least 100,000 by 2028, 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.	First sponsor: Sen. Steele (D - Dist 9)	Hearing: Senate Transportation & Technology (Monday 01/24/22 at 2:00 PM, Senate Rm. 109)		1/12 referred to Senate trans-tech.
S1273: TWO-WHEELED MOTORCYCLE OPERATION	The operator of a two-wheeled motorcycle is permitted to overtake and pass another vehicle that is stopped in the same direction of travel in the same lane and to operate the motorcycle between the lanes of traffic on a street that is divided into at least two adjacent traffic lanes in the same direction of travel with a speed limit that does not exceed 45 miles per hour, if the motorcycle is traveling at a speed that does not exceed 15 miles per hour.	First sponsor: Sen. Pace (R - Dist 25) Others: Rep. Carroll (R - Dist 22)			
S1302: CRIMINAL STREET GANG DATABASE; APPEAL	Before a local law enforcement agency designates a person as a suspected gang member, associate or affiliate in a "shared gang database" (defined), the agency is required to provide written notice of the designation to the person and the person's parent or guardian if the person is under 18 years of age. Some exceptions. Establishes a process for the person, the person's parent or guardian if the person is under 18 years of age, or an attorney working on behalf of the person to contest the designation of the person in the shared gang database.	First sponsor: Sen. Quezada (D - Dist 29) Others: Rep. Andrade (D - Dist 29), Rep. M. Hernandez (D - Dist 26), Sen. Terán (D - Dist 30)			

BILL NUMBER/ SHORT TITLE	SUMMARY	SPONSORS	POSTED HEARINGS & CALENDARS	COMMENTS	LAST ACTION
<b>Transportation and Infrastructure</b>					
H2014: SAFETY FEATURES; AUTONOMOUS VEHICLES; PROHIBITIONS	A person is prohibited from knowingly and intentionally installing or using a "defeat device" (defined) to interfere with or disable a safety feature of a vehicle equipped with specified levels of driving automation that is designed to ensure that a human driver is alert and attentive while driving automation features are engaged. Some exceptions.	First sponsor: Rep. Kavanagh (R - Dist 23)	Hearing: House Transportation (Wednesday 01/26/22 at 2:00 PM, House Rm. 3)		1/11 referred to House trans.
H2052: DEFENSIVE DRIVING SCHOOL FUND; REPORT	The State Treasurer is required to prepare an annual report that accounts for where the monies in the Defensive Driving School Fund are invested and the amount of monies that are credited to the Fund from investments. The State Treasurer is required to submit the report to the Governor and the Legislature and to post the report on the State Treasurer's website.	First sponsor: Rep. Wilmeth (R - Dist 15)	Hearing: House Transportation (Wednesday 01/26/22 at 2:00 PM, House Rm. 3)		1/18 referred to House trans.
H2062: MILITARY; PURPLE HEART; VLT EXEMPTIONS	A person who is a veteran, a bona fide purple heart medal recipient, and who has a service-connected disability rating of 30 to 90 percent from the U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs qualifies for reduced vehicle license taxes and registration fees. The percentage of the reduction is the percentage of the service-connected disability rating. The reduction applies only to one vehicle.	First sponsor: Rep. Blackman (R - Dist 6)			1/18 referred to House trans.
H2153: INTERLOCK RESTRICTED LICENSES; VIOLATIONS; REPORTING	If a person's privilege to operate a motor vehicle has been suspended due to an alcohol-related offense and the person meets specified criteria allowing the person to drive between certain places, the Department of Transportation is required to issue a special ignition interlock restricted driver license	First sponsor: Rep. Kavanagh (R - Dist 23)			

	that allows the person to operate a motor vehicle that is equipped with a functioning certified ignition interlock device. If a person has a special ignition interlock restricted driver license, the ignition interlock device must report the global positioning system location of the device each time that the vehicle's ignition is successfully started and each time the vehicle's ignition is disengaged. The ignition interlock manufacturer or case management service provider is required to report to the Department of Transportation each time that the person operates the vehicle in violation of the restrictions on the license. The person is required to pay the cost for monitoring the person's special ignition interlock restricted driver license.				
H2171: SALVAGE VEHICLE TITLES; INSURANCE COMPANIES	For a salvage, stolen vehicle, or nonrepairable vehicle certificate of title, a notarized signature on the certificate of title or any supporting documents required for title transfer is not required.	First sponsor: Rep. Wilmeth (R - Dist 15)			
H2187: AUTONOMOUS VEHICLES; ADOT DIRECTOR'S DUTIES	The Director of the Department of Transportation is required to develop standards for testing the operation of "autonomous vehicles" (defined) in Arizona, including a statewide training curriculum for operators of and passengers in autonomous vehicles and for emergency personnel's response to an autonomous vehicle emergency. By November 1 of each year, the Director is required to submit a report on the operations of autonomous vehicles in Arizona to the Governor and the Legislature. Information that must be included in the report is specified.	First sponsor: Rep. Andrade (D - Dist 29) Others: Sen. Gabaldon (D - Dist 2), Rep. M. Hernandez (D - Dist 26), Rep. Powers Hannley (D - Dist 9), Sen. Terán (D - Dist 30)			
H2263: TRANSPORTATION FUNDING TASK FORCE	Establishes a 19-member Transportation Funding Task Force to study transportation funding options for Arizona. The Task Force is required to submit a report of its activities and recommendations to the Governor and the Legislature by December 15, 2022, and self-repeals October 1, 2023.	First sponsor: Rep. Andrade (D - Dist 29) Others: Rep. Cano (D - Dist 3), Rep. DeGrazia (D - Dist 10), Sen. Gabaldon (D - Dist 2), Rep. M. Hernandez (D - Dist 26), Rep. Powers Hannley (D - Dist 9), Rep. Solorio (D - Dist 30), Sen. Terán (D - Dist 30)			1/18 referred to House trans.
H2268: APPROPRIATION; AVIATION FUND; EDUCATION COMPLEX	Appropriates \$600,000 from the general fund in FY2022-23 to the State Aviation Fund for distribution to the Prescott Regional Airport for the strategic academic flight education complex if the airport has a commitment for matching monies from sources other than the state.	First sponsor: Rep. Nguyen (R - Dist 1) Others: Rep. Grantham (R - Dist 12)	Hearing: House Transportation (Wednesday 01/26/22 at 2:00 PM, House Rm. 3)		1/19 referred to House trans, appro.
H2282: PROHIBITION; PHOTO RADAR	State agencies and local authorities are prohibited from using a photo enforcement system to identify violators of traffic control devices and speed regulations. Statutes authorizing and regulating photo enforcement are repealed.	First sponsor: Rep. Fillmore (R - Dist 16) Others: Rep. Chaplik (R - Dist 23)			1/18 referred to House trans.
H2368: TPT; EXEMPTION; FIREARM STORAGE DEVICES	The list of exemptions from transaction privilege taxes is expanded to include sales of "safe firearm storage devices" (defined). Applies to taxable periods beginning on or after the first day of the month following the effective date of this legislation.	First sponsor: Rep. Longdon (D - Dist 24) Others: Rep. D. Hernandez (D - Dist 2)			
H2396: APPROPRIATIONS; GREATER ARIZONA TRANSPORTATION PROJECTS	Appropriates a total of \$49.7 million from the general fund in FY2022-23 to the Department of Transportation in specified amounts for 36 specified highway and road projects.	First sponsor: Rep. Dunn (R - Dist 13) Others: Rep. Biasiucci (R - Dist 5), Rep. Blackman (R - Dist 6), Rep. Blackwater-Nygren (D - Dist 7), Rep. Cook (R - Dist 8), Sen. Gabaldon (D - Dist 2), Rep. John (R - Dist 4), Sen. Kerr (R - Dist 13)			
H2422: GOVERNMENT VEHICLES; ELECTRIC; APPROPRIATION	In considering the purchase of new motor vehicles, state agencies and political subdivisions are required to consider electric vehicles and the long-term maintenance and fuel costs in evaluating total costs over the life of the motor vehicle. A political subdivision is authorized to apply to the Arizona Department of Administration (ADOA) for reimbursement for the difference between the amount that the political subdivision spent on electric vehicles and the amount that the political subdivision would have spent on fossil fuel vehicles, and	First sponsor: Rep. Epstein (D - Dist 18) Others: Rep. Blackwater-Nygren (D - Dist 7), Rep. Butler (D - Dist 28), Rep. Liguori (D - Dist 28), Rep. Longdon (D - Dist 24), Rep. Powers Hannley (D - Dist 9), Rep. Schwiebert (D - Dist 20), Rep. Solorio (D - Dist 30), Sen. Stahl Hamilton (D - Dist 10), Sen. Terán (D - Dist 30)			

	ADOA is required to reimburse political subdivisions on a first-come, first-served basis. ADOA is permitted to establish a reimbursement cap for each political subdivision. Appropriates \$1 million from the general fund in FY2022-23 to ADOA to distribute to political subdivisions for electric vehicle reimbursement.			
H2479: MOTOR VEHICLES; REGISTRATIONS; TITLES; DEALERS	Various changes to statutes related to motor vehicle registration and certificate of title. Motor vehicle dealers are authorized to offer a free return period. If the dealer offers a free return period, the dealer has until 90 days after the expiration of that period to comply with statute requiring temporary registration plates. The deadline to obtain a new certificate of title after purchasing a registered or unregistered vehicle from a motor vehicle dealer is within 90 days after the purchase. The Arizona Department of Transportation is authorized to issue a vehicle certificate of title without registration for a vehicle that is purchased in Arizona under specified conditions.	First sponsor: Rep. Carroll (R - Dist 22) Others: Sen. Pace (R - Dist 25), Sen. Shope (R - Dist 8), Rep. Wilmeth (R - Dist 15)		
H2480: VEHICLE SERIAL NUMBERS; REMOVAL; RESTORATION	Statute prohibiting the removal of a vehicle serial number does not apply to a person who removes and reinstalls a manufacturer's serial or identification number from a motor vehicle that was manufactured before 1981, if the removal and reinstallation are reasonably necessary for repair or restoration, unless the person knows or has reason to know that the motor vehicle is stolen.	First sponsor: Rep. Carroll (R - Dist 22) Others: Rep. Blackman (R - Dist 6), Rep. Burges (R - Dist 1), Rep. Cook (R - Dist 8), Rep. Dunn (R - Dist 13), Rep. Fillmore (R - Dist 16), Rep. Kavanagh (R - Dist 23), Sen. Livingston (R - Dist 22), Sen. Pace (R - Dist 25), Rep. Wilmeth (R - Dist 15)		
H2481: ADOT; LICENSES; REGISTRATION; VLT; AVIATION	The Arizona Department of Transportation (ADOT) is required to establish a system of staggered registration on a monthly basis to distribute the work of registering aircraft as uniformly as practicable. ADOT is authorized to register an aircraft for more or less than a 12-month period and prorate the license tax. A person is authorized to register a fleet of two or more aircraft on an annual basis so that the registrations for all aircraft in the fleet expire in the same month. More.	First sponsor: Rep. Carroll (R - Dist 22) Others: Sen. Pace (R - Dist 25), Rep. Wilmeth (R - Dist 15)		
H2502: TECH CORRECTION; DRIVER LICENSE FEES	Minor change in Title 28 (Transportation) related to driver license fees. Apparent striker bus.	First sponsor: Rep. Toma (R - Dist 22)		
H2550: APPROPRIATION; STATE AVIATION FUND	Appropriates \$20 million from the general fund in FY2022-23 to the State Aviation Fund.	First sponsor: Rep. Blackwater-Nygren (D - Dist 7)		
H2562: APPROPRIATION; U.S. ROUTE 89	Appropriates \$5 million from the general fund in FY2022-23 to the Department of Transportation to construct a traffic circle and install traffic control devices on U.S. Route 89 near Horseshoe Bend.	First sponsor: Rep. Blackwater-Nygren (D - Dist 7)		
H2586: ELECTRIC CHARGING PROVIDERS	Electric charging providers that offer the use of specialized equipment for the purpose of charging batteries for electric vehicles are not public service corporations and are not subject to regulation by the Corporation Commission.	First sponsor: Rep. Weninger (R - Dist 17)		
S1019: VLT; VEHICLE SALE PRICE	Modifies the calculation of the amount of vehicle license tax (VLT) on a motor vehicle so that the value of the vehicle is based on the actual sale price of the vehicle instead of the manufacturer's base retail price of the vehicle. Also increases the maximum weight of an all-terrain vehicle or off-highway vehicle to qualify for a flat VLT of \$3 to 2,500 pounds, from 1,800 pounds.	First sponsor: Sen. Ugenti-Rita (R - Dist 23)		1/10 referred to Senate appro.
S1109: TOLL ROADS; CONVERSION; PROHIBITION	A county board of supervisors is prohibited from granting an application for a toll road that will be converted from a publicly funded or maintained street or highway. The Department of Transportation is prohibited from entering into any agreement that allows the conversion of an existing publicly funded or maintained street or highway to a toll road.	First sponsor: Sen. Mendez (D - Dist 26) Others: Rep. Salman (D - Dist 26)		1/10 referred to Senate trans-tech, appro.
S1134: PROHIBITION; PHOTO RADAR	State agencies and local authorities are prohibited from using a photo enforcement system to identify	First sponsor: Sen. Rogers (R - Dist 6)		1/11 referred to

	violators of traffic control devices and speed regulations. Statutes authorizing and regulating photo enforcement are repealed.			Senate trans- tech.
S1148: VEHICLE SALE PRICE; VLT	Modifies the calculation of the amount of vehicle license tax (VLT) on a motor vehicle so that the value of the vehicle is based on the actual sale price of the vehicle instead of the manufacturer's base retail price of the vehicle.	First sponsor: Sen. Ugenti-Rita (R - Dist 23)		1/12 referred to Senate appro.
S1150: ELECTRIC VEHICLES; PILOT PROGRAM; APPROPRIATION	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 Department of Administration (DOA) 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. DOA is required to submit a report with specified information relating to the pilot program to the Governor and the Legislature by December 31, 2024. Appropriates \$500,000 from the general fund in FY2022-23 to DOA for the pilot program.	First sponsor: Sen. Steele (D - Dist 9) Others: Rep. Jermaine (D - Dist 18)	Hearing: Senate Transportation & Technology (Monday 01/24/22 at 2:00 PM, Senate Rm. 109)	1/12 referred to Senate trans- tech, appro.
S1151: CHARGING STATION; PILOT PROGRAM; APPROPRIATION	The Department of Administration (DOA) is required to conduct a two-year electric vehicle charging station pilot program. All state agencies may apply to DOA for funding to cover the cost of installing electric vehicle charging stations at their agency locations. DOA is required to submit a report with specified information relating to the pilot program to the Governor and the Legislature by December 31, 2024. Appropriates \$500,000 from the general fund in FY2022-23 to DOA for the pilot program.	First sponsor: Sen. Steele (D - Dist 9) Others: Rep. Jermaine (D - Dist 18)	Hearing: Senate Transportation & Technology (Monday 01/24/22 at 2:00 PM, Senate Rm. 109)	1/12 referred to Senate trans- tech, appro.
S1152: ZERO EMISSION VEHICLES; PLANS	In coordination with the Department of Environmental Quality and the 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 to at least 100,000 by 2028, 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.	First sponsor: Sen. Steele (D - Dist 9)	Hearing: Senate Transportation & Technology (Monday 01/24/22 at 2:00 PM, Senate Rm. 109)	1/12 referred to Senate trans- tech.
S1153: STATE ZERO EMISSION VEHICLE FLEET	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. 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 FY2022-23 to ADOT to acquire telematics technology to develop the state zero emission motor vehicle fleet plan.	First sponsor: Sen. Steele (D - Dist 9) Others: Rep. Jermaine (D - Dist 18)		1/12 referred to Senate trans- tech, appro.
S1154: TRANSPORTATION ELECTRIFICATION STUDY COMMITTEE	Establishes an 11-member Transportation Electrification Study Committee to collaborate with local governments, electric utilities, environmental groups, the transportation industry and interested communities to identify	First sponsor: Sen. Steele (D - Dist 9)	Hearing: Senate Transportation & Technology (Monday 01/24/22 at 2:00 PM, Senate Rm. 109)	1/12 referred to Senate trans- tech.

	the best ways to encourage an economy-wide transition from carbon-fueled vehicles to electric vehicles. The Committee is required to submit a report of its findings and recommendations to the Governor and the Legislature by July 1, 2023, and self-repeals October 1, 2024.				
S1192: APPROPRIATION; INTERSTATE 10; VEHICLE LANES	Makes a supplemental appropriation in FY2021-22 of \$59.6 million from the general fund in FY2022-23 to the Department of Transportation to design and construct one additional eastbound and one additional westbound vehicle lane, separated by a lighted median, on Interstate 10 between State Route 85 and Citrus Road.	First sponsor: Sen. Livingston (R - Dist 22) Others: Sen. Barto (R - Dist 15), Rep. Biasiucci (R - Dist 5), Sen. Borrelli (R - Dist 5), Sen. Bowie (D - Dist 18), Sen. Boyer (R - Dist 20), Rep. Carroll (R - Dist 22), Sen. Contreras (D - Dist 19), Rep. Dunn (R - Dist 13), Sen. Fann (R - Dist 1), Rep. Fernandez (D - Dist 4), Sen. Gabaldon (D - Dist 2), Sen. Gonzales (D - Dist 3), Sen. Gowan (R - Dist 14), Sen. Gray (R - Dist 21), Sen. Hatathlie (D - Dist 7), Rep. John (R - Dist 4), Sen. Kerr (R - Dist 13), Sen. Leach (R - Dist 11), Sen. Marsh (D - Dist 28), Sen. Otondo (D - Dist 4), Sen. Pace (R - Dist 25), Rep. Payne (R - Dist 21), Sen. Quezada (D - Dist 29), Sen. Rios (D - Dist 27), Sen. Shope (R - Dist 8), Rep. Sierra (D - Dist 19), Sen. Stahl Hamilton (D - Dist 10), Sen. Steele (D - Dist 9), Sen. Terán (D - Dist 30), Rep. Toma (R - Dist 22)	Hearing: Senate Appropriations (Tuesday 01/25/22 at 2:00 PM, Senate Rm. 109)		1/18 referred to Senate appro.
S1193: APPROPRIATION; LOOP 101; SCREEN WALL	Appropriates \$7.25 million from the general fund in FY2022-23 to the Department of Transportation to design and construct a screen wall on the eastbound portion of Loop 101 in the vicinity of Sixteenth Street.	First sponsor: Sen. Boyer (R - Dist 20) Others: Rep. Bolick (R - Dist 20), Sen. Borrelli (R - Dist 5), Rep. Nguyen (R - Dist 1), Rep. Schwiebert (D - Dist 20)			1/18 referred to Senate appro.
S1239: APPROPRIATION; WIDENING; I-10	Appropriates \$400 million from the general fund in FY2022-23 to the Arizona Department of Transportation (ADOT) to widen Interstate 10 between Chandler and Casa Grande. ADOT is required to use the monies for construction-related activities, including drawing down federal matching monies for the project.	First sponsor: Sen. Shope (R - Dist 8)			1/20 referred to Senate appro.
S1273: TWO-WHEELED MOTORCYCLE OPERATION	The operator of a two-wheeled motorcycle is permitted to overtake and pass another vehicle that is stopped in the same direction of travel in the same lane and to operate the motorcycle between the lanes of traffic on a street that is divided into at least two adjacent traffic lanes in the same direction of travel with a speed limit that does not exceed 45 miles per hour, if the motorcycle is traveling at a speed that does not exceed 15 miles per hour.	First sponsor: Sen. Pace (R - Dist 25) Others: Rep. Carroll (R - Dist 22)			
SCM1001: DONALD J. TRUMP HIGHWAY	The Legislature urges the Arizona Department of Transportation (ADOT) to designate State Route 260 as the "Donald J. Trump Highway" and to approve, place and maintain appropriate signage to identify the Donald J. Trump Highway. The Secretary of State is directed to transmit a copy of this memorial to the Director of ADOT.	First sponsor: Sen. Leach (R - Dist 11)			1/11 referred to Senate trans- tech.

BILL NUMBER/ SHORT TITLE #2A - RKBA	SUMMARY	SPONSORS	POSTED HEARINGS & CALENDARS	COMMENTS	LAST ACTION
H2166: TPT; USE TAX; EXEMPTION; FIREARMS	The list of exemptions from transaction privilege and use taxes is expanded to include sales of "firearms" and "firearm safety equipment" (both defined). Effective January 1, 2023.	First sponsor: Rep. Kaiser (R - Dist 15) Others: Rep. Blackman (R - Dist 6), Rep. Carter (R - Dist 8), Rep. Nguyen (R - Dist 1), Rep. Wilmeth (R - Dist 15)			1/18 referred to House ways-means.
H2304: PROHIBITED WEAPON; BUMP-FIRE DEVICE; ACCESSORY	For the purposes of the criminal code, the definition of "prohibited weapon" is expanded to include a trigger crank, a bump-fire device, or any part, combination of parts, or accessory that is designed or functions to accelerate the rate of fire of a "semiautomatic rifle" (defined) but that does not convert the rifle into a "machine gun" (defined).	First sponsor: Rep. Dalessandro (D - Dist 2)			
H2316: MISCONDUCT INVOLVING WEAPONS;	A person who possesses a valid concealed weapons permit is	First sponsor: Rep. Kavanagh (R - Dist 23)	Hearing: House Government		1/19 referred to House

PUBLIC PLACES	exempt from the prohibition on carrying a concealed weapon in a public establishment or at a public event. Some exceptions, including for public establishments or events that are a "secured facility" (defined), that are the licensed premises of a liquor licensee, that are a judicial department or law enforcement agency, that are an educational institution, and that are a vehicle or craft.	Others: Rep. Barton (R - Dist 6), Rep. Biasiucci (R - Dist 5), Rep. Burges (R - Dist 1), Rep. Carroll (R - Dist 22), Rep. Carter (R - Dist 8), Rep. Chaplik (R - Dist 23), Rep. Cook (R - Dist 8), Rep. Dunn (R - Dist 13), Rep. Fillmore (R - Dist 16), Rep. Griffin (R - Dist 14), Rep. Hoffman (R - Dist 12), Sen. Livingston (R - Dist 22), Rep. Pingerelli (R - Dist 21), Rep. Toma (R - Dist 22)	& Elections (Wednesday 01/26/22 at 9:00 AM, House Rm. 1)		gov-elect.
H2361: FIREARM PURCHASES; WAITING PERIOD; OFFENSE	It is a class 6 (lowest) felony for a firearms "retailer" (defined) to deliver a firearm before the expiration of a mandatory waiting period of three days after the purchase of firearm, excluding weekends and legal holidays.	First sponsor: Rep. Longdon (D - Dist 24) Others: Rep. D. Hernandez (D - Dist 2)			
H2362: FIREARM DEALERS; FIREARMS TRANSFERS; REQUIREMENTS	A "firearms dealer" (defined) that transfers firearms to persons in Arizona is required to take reasonable measures to prevent the transfer of firearms to straw purchasers or firearms traffickers, including screening for indicators, prohibiting dealer personnel from directing a customer on how to answer questions on forms that must be completed in connection with the sale, and limiting purchases of firearms to one purchase per 30 days per civilian, non-law enforcement customer. A firearms dealer is required to take reasonable measures to prevent the transfer of firearms to individuals who are prohibited from purchasing firearms and individuals who are too dangerous to possess firearms, including refusing to transfer a firearm until a background check has been completed and the transferee is cleared to purchase the firearm, refusing to transfer a firearm to an individual exhibiting signs of intoxication or mental instability, refusing to sell firearms at firearm shows unless all firearm sales at the shows are conducted only on completion of a background check, and performing background checks for private sellers for a reasonable fee. Also establishes requirements for firearms dealers that sell firearms over the internet or telephone or through other electronic means, requirements for firearms dealers to take reasonable measures to prevent theft, and requirements for firearms dealers to take reasonable measures to assist law enforcement in investigating and preventing criminal access to firearms. A firearms dealer is required to maintain a liability insurance policy with a minimum policy limit of \$1 million to potentially compensate victims for damage to property and for injury to or death of any individual as a result of a firearms dealer's wrongful conduct in the transfer of any firearm or ammunition. Violations are subject to a civil penalty of \$500 for each violation.	First sponsor: Rep. Longdon (D - Dist 24) Others: Rep. D. Hernandez (D - Dist 2)			
H2363: FIREARM SALES; PERMIT VERIFICATION; REQUIREMENTS	The Department of Public Safety (DPS) is required to maintain a secure website portal that allows federally licensed firearms dealers to check the permit status of a person who presents a permit to purchase a firearm. If a person who is purchasing or receiving a firearm in Arizona presents a concealed weapons permit to a federally licensed firearms dealer, the dealer is required to confirm the validity of the permit by checking the portal. Appropriates \$300,000 from the Public Safety Interoperability Fund in FY2022-23 to DPS for the cost of developing and maintaining the portal.	First sponsor: Rep. Longdon (D - Dist 24) Others: Rep. D. Hernandez (D - Dist 2)			
H2364: PATIENT INFORMATION; GUN SAFETY; APPROPRIATION	A licensed physician or nurse practitioner who provides well-baby and pediatric services is required to inform the parent or guardian of a child during an office visit for those services of gun safety measures that may be implemented in the home, including proper gun storage, and the risks to children	First sponsor: Rep. Longdon (D - Dist 24) Others: Rep. D. Hernandez (D - Dist 2)			

	<p>who find a gun in the home. By January 2, 2023, the Department of Health Services (DHS) is required to prepare a pamphlet that includes information regarding gun safety measures that parents and guardians may implement in the home and to distribute the pamphlet free of charge to physicians, nurse practitioners and health care institutions. Appropriates \$250,000 from the general fund in FY2022-23 to DHS to prepare the pamphlet.</p>			
H2365: SEVERE THREAT ORDER OF PROTECTION	<p>A petitioner is authorized to file a verified petition in the superior court or a municipal court requesting the court to issue a severe threat order of protection (STOP order). The petition for a STOP order must include a list of specified information, including a specific statement of either a credible threat of death or serious physical injury or an act of violence that resulted in or was intended to cause death or physical injury that occurred within the preceding 6 months, or a specific behavior or act that justifies the reasonable belief that the respondent is a danger to self or others. Evidence the court is required to review is listed. The court is authorized to order a mental health evaluation of the respondent at no cost to the respondent. The court is required to issue an ex parte temporary STOP order on the day of or day after the court receives the petition, if the court determines that there is probable cause to believe that the respondent poses a danger to self or others and that, for the safety of the respondent and others, the respondent should not possess a firearm for the duration of the order, which is 14 days. The court is authorized to schedule a hearing on a petition for a STOP order within 14 days after receipt of the petition. At a hearing, the court is required to issue a STOP order if the court determines that clear and convincing evidence exists to believe the respondent poses a danger to self or others and that, for the safety of the respondent and others, the respondent should not possess a firearm for the duration of the order, which is 1 year. Within 90 days after a STOP order is issued, the respondent is entitled to one hearing on written request to quash the order. Establishes a process for extending a STOP order. If the respondent to a petition for a STOP order is a minor, the petition must be transferred to the juvenile court. A person who is subject to an ex parte temporary STOP order or a STOP order is prohibited from possessing or purchasing a firearm, and violations are a class 4 (lower mid-level) felony. It is a class 5 (second lowest) felony to make a false sworn statement for the purpose of obtaining a STOP order.</p>	<p>First sponsor: Rep. Longdon (D - Dist 24) Others: Rep. D. Hernandez (D - Dist 2)</p>		
H2366: FIREARM SALES; TRANSFERS; BACKGROUND CHECKS	<p>If neither party to a prospective firearms sale or transfer is a licensed firearms dealer, the parties must complete the transaction through a licensed firearms dealer. Some exceptions. The dealer must process the sale or transfer and comply with all requirements of federal, state and local law as if the dealer were a party to the transaction, including a background check on both parties. If the dealer cannot legally deliver the weapon to the purchaser, the dealer must return the weapon to the seller. If the dealer cannot legally return the weapon to the seller, the dealer must deliver the weapon to law enforcement. The dealer may charge a fee of up to \$20 for the costs incurred in facilitating the sale or transfer. Violations are a class 5 (second-lowest) felony.</p>	<p>First sponsor: Rep. Longdon (D - Dist 24) Others: Rep. D. Hernandez (D - Dist 2)</p>		
H2367:	<p>A person is prohibited from storing</p>	<p>First sponsor: Rep. Longdon (D -</p>		

FIREARM; AMMUNITION STORAGE; CIVIL PENALTY	or keeping a firearm and/or ammunition in any residence unless the person either keeps the firearm and/or ammunition in a securely locked box, equips the firearm with a device that renders the firearm inoperable without a key or combination, or carries the firearm and/or ammunition on his person or within such close proximity to his person that the person can readily retrieve and use the firearm as if it was carried on his person. Violations are subject to a civil penalty of at least \$1,000.	Dist 24) Others: Rep. D. Hernandez (D - Dist 2)			
H2368: TPT; EXEMPTION; FIREARM STORAGE DEVICES	The list of exemptions from transaction privilege taxes is expanded to include sales of "safe firearm storage devices" (defined). Applies to taxable periods beginning on or after the first day of the month following the effective date of this legislation.	First sponsor: Rep. Longdon (D - Dist 24) Others: Rep. D. Hernandez (D - Dist 2)			
H2404: FIREARM TRANSFERS; DOMESTIC VIOLENCE; OFFENSES	For the purpose of the criminal code, the definition of "prohibited possessor" of a firearm is expanded to include any person who has been convicted of either a domestic violence offense that involved another of a specified list of offenses, or any other offense that involves the use or attempted use of physical force or the threatened use of a deadly weapon if the victim and the defendant have a domestic relationship (as defined elsewhere in statute), and to include any person who is subject to an order of protection that was issued after the person received notice and had an opportunity to participate in the proceedings. At the time of sentencing, the court is required to inform a person who is a prohibited possessor due to a domestic violence conviction that the person is prohibited from owning or possessing a firearm, and to order the person to transfer all firearms to the appropriate law enforcement agency or a federally licensed firearms dealer within 24 hours after the court issues the order. The law enforcement agency or federally licensed firearms dealer that receives a transferred firearm may dispose of the firearm in accordance with state and federal law. More.	First sponsor: Rep. Longdon (D - Dist 24) Others: Rep. Blackwater-Nygren (D - Dist 7), Rep. Bolding (D - Dist 27), Rep. DeGrazia (D - Dist 10), Rep. D. Hernandez (D - Dist 2), Rep. Jermaine (D - Dist 18), Rep. Sierra (D - Dist 19), Rep. Solorio (D - Dist 30), Rep. Tsosie (D - Dist 7)			
H2414: MISCONDUCT INVOLVING WEAPONS; SCHOOL GROUNDS	The exemption from misconduct involving weapons by knowingly possessing a deadly weapon on school grounds for firearms carried within a means of transportation under the control of an adult is modified so that the firearm is permitted to be loaded.	First sponsor: Rep. Parker (R - Dist 16) Others: Rep. Biasiucci (R - Dist 5), Rep. Blackman (R - Dist 6), Rep. Burges (R - Dist 1), Rep. Carter (R - Dist 8), Rep. Chaplik (R - Dist 23), Rep. Fillmore (R - Dist 16), Rep. Hoffman (R - Dist 12), Rep. Martinez (R - Dist 11), Rep. Nguyen (R - Dist 1), Rep. Pingerelli (R - Dist 21)			
H2447: FIREARMS; UNIVERSITIES; COMMUNITY COLLEGES; CAMPUS	Public universities and community colleges are prohibited from adopting or enforcing any policy or rule that restricts or prohibits a faculty member or registered student from carrying or transporting a firearm on university or college property if the faculty member or student possesses a valid concealed weapons permit and submits a registration to the institution's administration. The administration is required to adopt guidelines for using a firearm in an active shooter incident.	First sponsor: Rep. Nguyen (R - Dist 1) Others: Rep. Biasiucci (R - Dist 5), Rep. Blackman (R - Dist 6), Rep. Bolick (R - Dist 20), Rep. Carter (R - Dist 8), Rep. Diaz (R - Dist 14), Rep. Fillmore (R - Dist 16), Rep. Grantham (R - Dist 12), Rep. Griffin (R - Dist 14), Rep. Hoffman (R - Dist 12), Rep. Parker (R - Dist 16), Rep. Toma (R - Dist 22)			
H2448: FIREARMS SAFETY; TRAINING; SCHOOLS	Beginning July 1, 2023, school districts and charter schools are required to provide public school students in grades 6 through 12 with one or more training sessions in firearms safety in an age-appropriate manner. Information that must be included in the training is listed.	First sponsor: Rep. Nguyen (R - Dist 1) Others: Rep. Blackman (R - Dist 6), Rep. Bolick (R - Dist 20), Sen. Boyer (R - Dist 20), Rep. Fillmore (R - Dist 16), Rep. Hoffman (R - Dist 12)			
H2472: BUSINESSES; FIREARMS; UNLAWFUL ACTS	A government entity or financial institution is prohibited from discriminating against a "firearm entity" (defined) because the firearm entity supports or is engaged in the lawful commerce of firearms, firearm accessories or ammunition products. A person	First sponsor: Rep. Carroll (R - Dist 22) Others: Rep. Biasiucci (R - Dist 5), Rep. Blackman (R - Dist 6), Rep. Burges (R - Dist 1), Rep. Chaplik (R - Dist 23), Rep. Cobb (R - Dist 5), Rep. Cook (R - Dist 8), Rep. Diaz (R - Dist 14), Rep.			

	who is injured by a violation of this prohibition is authorized to bring a civil action against the government entity or financial institution.	Dunn (R - Dist 13), Rep. Fillmore (R - Dist 16), Sen. Gowan (R - Dist 14), Rep. Hoffman (R - Dist 12), Rep. Kavanagh (R - Dist 23), Sen. Leach (R - Dist 11), Rep. Martinez (R - Dist 11), Rep. Nguyen (R - Dist 1), Rep. Parker (R - Dist 16), Rep. Payne (R - Dist 21), Rep. Pingerelli (R - Dist 21), Rep. Weninger (R - Dist 17), Rep. Wilmeth (R - Dist 15)			
H2473: FIREARMS; CONTRACTS; PROHIBITED PRACTICES	A "public entity" (defined) is prohibited from entering into a contract with a value of \$100,000 or more with a company to acquire or dispose of services, supplies, information technology, or construction unless the contract includes a written certification that the company does not currently, and agrees for the duration of the contract that it will not, discriminate against a "firearm entity" (defined).	First sponsor: Rep. Carroll (R - Dist 22) Others: Rep. Biasiucci (R - Dist 5), Rep. Blackman (R - Dist 6), Rep. Bolick (R - Dist 20), Rep. Burges (R - Dist 1), Rep. Chaplik (R - Dist 23), Rep. Cobb (R - Dist 5), Rep. Cook (R - Dist 8), Rep. Diaz (R - Dist 14), Rep. Dunn (R - Dist 13), Rep. Fillmore (R - Dist 16), Sen. Gowan (R - Dist 14), Rep. Hoffman (R - Dist 12), Rep. Kavanagh (R - Dist 23), Sen. Leach (R - Dist 11), Sen. Livingston (R - Dist 22), Rep. Martinez (R - Dist 11), Rep. Nguyen (R - Dist 1), Rep. Parker (R - Dist 16), Rep. Payne (R - Dist 21), Rep. Pingerelli (R - Dist 21), Rep. Weninger (R - Dist 17), Rep. Wilmeth (R - Dist 15)			
H2489: PROVISIONAL CONCEALED WEAPONS PERMIT	The Department of Public Safety (DPS) is required to issue a provisional concealed weapons permit to a person who is at least 18 years of age and under 21 years of age and who is otherwise qualified. The person is required to carry the provisional permit at all times when the person is in actual possession of the concealed weapon and must present the permit for inspection to any law enforcement officer on request. Establishes eligibility requirements for a provisional permit, including passing a background check and demonstrating competence with a firearm. On the 21st birthday of a person who has a valid provisional concealed weapons permit, DPS is required to issue a concealed weapons permit.	First sponsor: Rep. Wilmeth (R - Dist 15) Others: Rep. Biasiucci (R - Dist 5), Rep. Bolick (R - Dist 20), Rep. Carroll (R - Dist 22), Rep. Diaz (R - Dist 14), Rep. Martinez (R - Dist 11), Rep. Nguyen (R - Dist 1)			
H2542: APPROPRIATIONS; SCHOOL SAFETY; INTEROPERABILITY	Appropriates \$5.16 million from the general fund in FY2022-23 to the School Safety Interoperability Fund for distribution to 12 county sheriffs in specified amounts.	First sponsor: Rep. Payne (R - Dist 21) Others: Rep. Biasiucci (R - Dist 5), Rep. Blackman (R - Dist 6), Sen. Borrelli (R - Dist 5), Rep. Cook (R - Dist 8), Sen. Gowan (R - Dist 14), Rep. Kaiser (R - Dist 15), Rep. Martinez (R - Dist 11)			
H2559: TECH CORRECTION; DISCHARGING FIREARMS	Minor change in Title 13 (Criminal Code) related to discharging a firearm. Apparent striker bus.	First sponsor: Rep. Griffin (R - Dist 14)			
HCR2013: FIREARM SALES; TRANSFERS; BACKGROUND CHECKS	The 2022 general election ballot is to carry the question of whether to amend state statute to require parties to a prospective firearms sale or transfer to complete the transaction through a licensed firearms dealer if neither party is a licensed firearms dealer. Some exceptions. The dealer must process the sale or transfer and comply with all requirements of federal, state and local law as if the dealer were a party to the transaction, including a background check on both parties. If the dealer cannot legally deliver the weapon to the purchaser, the dealer must return the weapon to the seller. If the dealer cannot legally return the weapon to the seller, the dealer must deliver the weapon to law enforcement. The dealer may charge a fee of up to \$20 for the costs incurred in facilitating the sale or transfer. Violations are a class 5 (second-lowest) felony.	First sponsor: Rep. Longdon (D - Dist 24) Others: Rep. D. Hernandez (D - Dist 2)			
S1037: PROHIBITED WEAPONS; MUFFLING DEVICE; REPEAL	For the purposes of the criminal code, a device that is designed, made, or adapted to muffle the report of a firearm is removed from the definition of "prohibited weapon."	First sponsor: Sen. Rogers (R - Dist 6)			1/10 referred to Senate jud.
S1123: DISRUPTION; EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTION; CONCEALED WEAPON	The governing board of any university, college or community college is prohibited from enacting or enforcing any policy or rule that prohibits the possession of a	First sponsor: Sen. Rogers (R - Dist 6)	Hearing: Senate Rules (Monday 01/24/22 at 1:00 PM, Caucus Rm. 1)		1/20 Senate jud do pass; report awaited.

	concealed weapon by a person who possesses a valid concealed weapons permit, or that prohibits the transportation or storage of a firearm.				
S1124: CONCEALED WEAPONS PERMIT; FEE; APPLICATIONS	The Department of Public Safety (DPS) is prohibited from charging a fee for a concealed weapons permit to an Arizona resident who is currently serving in the U.S. Armed Forces, is a veteran with an honorable discharge, or is a current or retired peace officer in Arizona. DPS is required to expedite a concealed weapons permit application received from these persons.	First sponsor: Sen. Rogers (R - Dist 6)			1/11 referred to Senate jud, appro.
S1125: FIREARMS AND EQUIPMENT; REGULATION	A person who is lawfully entitled to retain possession of "firearms and equipment" (defined) is authorized to retain possession of firearms and equipment and use or transport firearms and equipment in Arizona for any lawful purpose. The right to retain, use or transport firearms and equipment cannot be impaired or infringed by the Legislature, the state, state agencies, or political subdivisions. A retroactive law that regulates firearms and equipment, including a law that requires an additional or new tax on firearms and equipment that were purchased under a previous law that required only a onetime tax, or mandatory firearms and equipment buyback or registration laws are unlawful and unenforceable.	First sponsor: Sen. Rogers (R - Dist 6)	Hearing: Senate Judiciary (Thursday 01/27/22 at 9:00 AM, Senate Rm. 1)		1/12 referred to Senate jud.
S1177: CONCEALED WEAPONS PERMIT; RENEWAL APPLICATION	At least 60 days before the expiration date of a concealed weapons permit, the Department of Public Safety is required to send a renewal reminder notice and renewal application form to the permit holder's last known address.	First sponsor: Sen. Gowan (R - Dist 14)	Hearing: Senate Rules (Monday 01/24/22 at 1:00 PM, Caucus Rm. 1)		1/20 Senate jud amended; report awaited.
S1216: ORDERS OF PROTECTION; DURATION	Orders of protection expire two years, increased from one year, after service on the defendant.	First sponsor: Sen. Steele (D - Dist 9)			1/19 referred to Senate jud.
S1220: PROPERTY; FIREARMS CLAUSES; AGREEMENTS; PROHIBITION	Rental agreements are prohibited from providing that the tenant agrees not to carry, possess, transport or store on the premises a firearm, a part of a firearm or firearm ammunition that is authorized under state or federal law. Applies to the tenant, the tenant's guest, the tenant's dwelling and any parking area or other area open for use by the tenant. Condo associations and homeowners' associations cannot prohibit an owner, member, tenant or guest from carrying, possessing, transporting or storing a firearm, a part of a firearm or firearm ammunition that is authorized under state or federal law in any dwelling, office, parking lot or common element.	First sponsor: Sen. Rogers (R - Dist 6) Others: Rep. Chaplik (R - Dist 23)			1/19 referred to Senate com.
S1251: ARMED ROBBERY; DEADLY WEAPON; CLASSIFICATION	The list of actions constituting armed robbery, a class 2 (second highest) felony, is expanded to include if the person or an accomplice, in the course of committing robbery, takes possession of or attempts to take possession of a deadly weapon.	First sponsor: Sen. Gowan (R - Dist 14)			1/20 referred to Senate jud.
S1252: JUSTIFICATION; PHYSICAL; DEADLY FORCE; SENTENCING	Numerous changes to statutes governing justification for the use of physical force or deadly force against another person. The court is authorized, in its sole discretion, to suspend a sentence of a person who unlawfully used physical force or deadly force and place the person on probation if the person presents evidence of self-defense or defense of a third person and a list of specified conditions applies. The list of circumstances under which the use of deadly force by a peace officer is justified is expanded to include to effect an arrest or prevent the escape from custody of a person who has committed, attempted to commit, is committing, or is attempting to commit a felony involving the use or threatened use of a deadly weapon, or is attempting to escape by use of a deadly weapon. More.	First sponsor: Sen. Gowan (R - Dist 14)			1/20 referred to Senate jud.

BILL NUMBER/ SHORT TITLE	SUMMARY	SPONSORS	POSTED HEARINGS & CALENDARS	COMMENTS	LAST ACTION
<b>Military and Veteran Affairs</b>					
H2062: MILITARY; PURPLE HEART; VLT EXEMPTIONS	A person who is a veteran, a bona fide purple heart medal recipient, and who has a service-connected disability rating of 30 to 90 percent from the U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs qualifies for reduced vehicle license taxes and registration fees. The percentage of the reduction is the percentage of the service-connected disability rating. The reduction applies only to one vehicle.	First sponsor: Rep. Blackman (R - Dist 6)			1/18 referred to House trans.
H2147: STATE AGENCIES; VETERANS STATUS; INQUIRY	All state agencies, boards, commissions or other administrative units of the state are required to ask every individual at the initial point of service with that individual and to print on each application form the question "Have you or a family member ever served in the military?" and to provide a website address and contact information for the Department of Veterans' Services and for the Be Connected Program to individuals who answer in the affirmative. Effective January 1, 2023.	First sponsor: Rep. Andrade (D - Dist 29) Others: Rep. Blackman (R - Dist 6), Rep. Butler (D - Dist 28), Sen. Gabaldon (D - Dist 2), Rep. M. Hernandez (D - Dist 26), Rep. Jermaine (D - Dist 18), Rep. Kaiser (R - Dist 15), Rep. Kavanagh (R - Dist 23), Rep. Payne (R - Dist 21), Sen. Terán (D - Dist 30)			
H2148: POST-TRAUMATIC STRESS INJURY DAY	June 27 of each year shall be observed as Post-Traumatic Stress Injury Day. Post-Traumatic Stress Injury Day is not a legal holiday.	First sponsor: Rep. Andrade (D - Dist 29) Others: Rep. Blackman (R - Dist 6), Rep. Butler (D - Dist 28), Rep. Fillmore (R - Dist 16), Sen. Gabaldon (D - Dist 2), Rep. D. Hernandez (D - Dist 2), Rep. Jermaine (D - Dist 18), Rep. Kaiser (R - Dist 15), Rep. Kavanagh (R - Dist 23), Rep. Payne (R - Dist 21)			
H2149: HOMEOWNERS' ASSOCIATIONS; MILITARY FLAGS	Homeowners' associations and condo associations cannot prohibit the outdoor display of the flag of any branch of the U.S. military.	First sponsor: Rep. Andrade (D - Dist 29) Others: Rep. Blackman (R - Dist 6), Rep. Butler (D - Dist 28), Rep. Fillmore (R - Dist 16), Rep. Kaiser (R - Dist 15), Rep. Kavanagh (R - Dist 23), Rep. Payne (R - Dist 21)			
H2223: EMERGENCY; MILITARY AFFAIRS; NATIONAL GUARD	The qualifications for the Adjutant General, who serves as the Director of the Department of Emergency and Military Affairs (DEMA), are expanded to include that the person must have served two of the five years immediately preceding appointment in the National Guard. National Guard personnel on state active duty for more than 30 consecutive days are required to receive the same leave entitlements prescribed for the U.S. Armed Forces. Eligibility for tuition and fees reimbursement from DEMA is expanded to include DEMA employees and spouses and legal dependents of a National Guardsman who meet other specified requirements.	First sponsor: Rep. Blackman (R - Dist 6)			
H2320: VETERANS' ORGANIZATION; LEASED PROPERTY; CLASSIFICATION	Property, buildings and fixtures that are leased to a "veterans' organization" (defined) are classified as class nine property if the organization annually files with the assessor an affidavit that it uses or holds the property primarily for the veterans' organization operations. Property, buildings and fixtures that are owned by a veterans' organization, that are leased to a veterans' organization and that are primarily used for veterans' organization operations are exempt from taxation.	First sponsor: Rep. Kavanagh (R - Dist 23)			1/20 referred to House ways-means, mil-pub safety.
H2344: MILITARY AFFAIRS COMMISSION; CONTINUATION	The statutory life of the Military Affairs Commission is extended eight years to July 1, 2030. Retroactive to July 1, 2022.	First sponsor: Rep. Payne (R - Dist 21)			1/20 referred to House mil-pub safety.
H2354: TUITION; FAMILY; POST-TRAUMATIC STRESS; SUICIDE	Establishes a tuition waiver scholarship at universities under the jurisdiction of the Arizona Board of Regents and at community colleges, for spouses and children of U.S. Armed Forces members or veterans and current or former peace officers or firefighters who were Arizona residents at the time of their death, who suffered a post-traumatic stress injury in the line of duty, and who died by suicide. A	First sponsor: Rep. Biasiucci (R - Dist 5) Others: Rep. Burges (R - Dist 1), Rep. Carter (R - Dist 8), Sen. Livingston (R - Dist 22), Rep. Martinez (R - Dist 11), Rep. Pingerelli (R - Dist 21), Rep. Toma (R - Dist 22), Rep. Wilmeth (R - Dist 15)			1/20 referred to House mil-pub safety.

	person who meets these requirements on the effective date of this legislation is eligible to receive a tuition waiver scholarship regardless of the date on which the eligible person's spouse or parent suffered the post-traumatic stress injury and died by suicide.				
H2360: APPROPRIATION; MILITARY; DISCHARGE; TRIBAL CEREMONIES	Appropriates \$1 million from the general fund in FY2022-23 to the Department of Veterans' Services to distribute to Indian tribes in Arizona to conduct tribal ceremonies for tribal members who are discharged from the military.	First sponsor: Rep. Tsosie (D - Dist 7) Others: Rep. Blackwater-Nygren (D - Dist 7), Rep. Dalessandro (D - Dist 2), Rep. Espinoza (D - Dist 19), Sen. Hatathlie (D - Dist 7), Rep. Jermaine (D - Dist 18), Rep. Longdon (D - Dist 24), Rep. Pawlik (D - Dist 17), Rep. Solorio (D - Dist 30)			
H2468: VETERAN HOUSING; UNCLAIMED PROPERTY LOCATORS	The amount of proceeds from the sale of abandoned property that are deposited each fiscal year in the Seriously Mentally Ill Housing Trust Fund is increased to \$3 million, from \$2 million. The amount of proceeds from the sale of abandoned property that are deposited each fiscal year in the Housing Trust Fund is increased to \$3.5 million, from \$2.5 million. After these distributions and the distribution to the Department of Revenue Administrative Fund, the next \$1 million must be deposited each fiscal year in the newly established Veteran Housing Trust Fund, to be used for housing projects and rental assistance for homeless veterans. Also, an agreement to locate property that is entered into by a claimant with another person is enforceable if a list of specified conditions apply, including that the fee or payment agreed on cannot exceed 30 percent of the value of the recoverable property. Allows a locator to register with the Department of Revenue and pay a fee to DOR in an amount determined by DOR. DOR is required to provide unclaimed property information only to a registered locator.	First sponsor: Rep. Carroll (R - Dist 22) Others: Rep. Diaz (R - Dist 14), Rep. Kaiser (R - Dist 15), Rep. Martinez (R - Dist 11), Rep. Nguyen (R - Dist 1)			
H2504: TECH CORRECTION; MILITARY AFFAIRS	Minor change in Title 26 (Military Affairs and Emergency Management) related to military affairs. Apparent striker bus.	First sponsor: Rep. Toma (R - Dist 22)			
HR2003: HONORING MILITARY INTERPRETERS	The members of the House of Representatives honor the foreign interpreters who have consistently aided the United States military and commend them for their heroic efforts to preserve freedom worldwide.	First sponsor: Rep. Kaiser (R - Dist 15)			
S1034: VETERANS; DISABILITIES; PROPERTY TAX EXEMPTION	The property of veterans with service connected disabilities is exempt from taxation in the amount of \$3,000 if the person's total assessment does not exceed \$20,000. Conditionally enacted on an unspecified Senate Concurrent Resolution (blank in original) being approved by the votes at the 2022 general election. If approved, this legislation applies to tax years beginning with 2023.	First sponsor: Sen. Rogers (R - Dist 6)			1/10 referred to Senate appro, fin.
S1040: G&F; VETERANS; HUNTING; FISHING; LICENSES	The Game and Fish Commission is authorized to reduce the fees for a hunting or fishing license to \$2.50 and the fee for a combination hunting and fishing license to \$5 for a veteran of the U.S. Armed Forces who has been a resident of Arizona for one year or more immediately before applying for the license, and to reduce the fee for a nonresident license for a veteran or member of the U.S. Armed Forces who is not an Arizona resident to the same fee as a resident license. A veteran with a permanent service-connected disability rated as 100 percent disabling who has a complimentary license is allowed to transfer a permit or tag to another person to assist the veteran in the taking of wildlife or taking wildlife on behalf of the veteran as the veteran's proxy.	First sponsor: Sen. Rogers (R - Dist 6)			1/10 referred to Senate nat res-energy-water.
S1041: APPROPRIATION; HYPERBARIC OXYGEN THERAPY; VETERANS	Appropriates \$3.64 million from the general fund in FY2022-23 to the Hyperbaric Oxygen Therapy for Military Veterans Fund.	First sponsor: Sen. Rogers (R - Dist 6)	Hearing: Senate Appropriations (Tuesday 01/25/22)		1/10 referred to Senate appro.

			at 2:00 PM, Senate Rm. 109)		
S1059: VETERANS; SURVIVING SPOUSES; GOVERNMENT PARKING	State agencies with jurisdiction over street parking or publicly owned and operated parking facilities are required to provide specially designated and marked parking spaces for the exclusive use of "veterans" (defined elsewhere in statute and includes the veteran's surviving spouse), which must be adjacent to the parking space designated for persons with physical disabilities.	First sponsor: Sen. Rogers (R - Dist 6)			
S1115: IN-STATE STUDENT STATUS; VETERANS	Eligibility for classification as an in-state student for veterans using federal educational assistance is expanded to include education assistance under the federal Veteran Readiness and Employment Program and the federal Survivors' and Dependents' Educational Assistance Program. The requirement for the veteran to enroll in a community college or state university within three years after the veteran's discharge from active duty service is deleted. Emergency clause.	First sponsor: Sen. Borrelli (R - Dist 5)	Hearing: Senate Education (Tuesday 01/25/22 at 2:00 PM, Senate Rm. 1)		1/10 referred to Senate educ.
S1124: CONCEALED WEAPONS PERMIT; FEE; APPLICATIONS	The Department of Public Safety (DPS) is prohibited from charging a fee for a concealed weapons permit to an Arizona resident who is currently serving in the U.S. Armed Forces, is a veteran with an honorable discharge, or is a current or retired peace officer in Arizona. DPS is required to expedite a concealed weapons permit application received from these persons.	First sponsor: Sen. Rogers (R - Dist 6)			1/11 referred to Senate jud, appro.
S1140: TRIBAL NATIONS; VETERANS' SERVICES; APPROPRIATION	Appropriates \$2.2 million and 20 FTE positions from the general fund in FY2022-23 to the Department of Veterans' Services to hire veteran service officers to provide services in rural tribal nations in Arizona that have communities that are located 100 miles or more from the nearest U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs service center.	First sponsor: Sen. Hatathlie (D - Dist 7) Others: Rep. Jermaine (D - Dist 18)			1/12 referred to Senate appro.
S1141: LUKACHUKAI VETERANS' MULTIPURPOSE COMPLEX; APPROPRIATION	Appropriates \$500,000 from the general fund in FY2022-23 to the Department of Veterans' Services to distribute to the Navajo Nation for costs associated with planning, designing and constructing the Lukachukai veterans' multipurpose complex.	First sponsor: Sen. Hatathlie (D - Dist 7) Others: Rep. Jermaine (D - Dist 18)			1/12 referred to Senate appro.
S1142: FORT DEFIANCE VETERANS CEMETERY; APPROPRIATION	Appropriates \$30,000 from the general fund in FY2022-23 to the Department of Veterans' Services to distribute to the Navajo Nation for costs associated with improvements to the Fort Defiance veterans memorial cemetery.	First sponsor: Sen. Hatathlie (D - Dist 7) Others: Rep. Jermaine (D - Dist 18)			1/12 referred to Senate appro.
S1212: VETERANS' SERVICES DEPARTMENT; COMMISSION; CONTINUATION	The statutory life of the Department of Veterans' Services and the Arizona Veterans' Service Advisory Commission is extended eight years to July 1, 2030. Retroactive to July 1, 2022.	First sponsor: Sen. Leach (R - Dist 11) Others: Rep. Andrade (D - Dist 29), Sen. Borrelli (R - Dist 5), Rep. Chavez (D - Dist 29), Rep. Cook (R - Dist 8), Sen. Gonzales (D - Dist 3), Rep. Jermaine (D - Dist 18), Sen. Kerr (R - Dist 13), Sen. Livingston (R - Dist 22), Sen. Shope (R - Dist 8), Rep. Solorio (D - Dist 30)	Hearing: Senate Judiciary (Thursday 01/27/22 at 9:00 AM, Senate Rm. 1)		1/18 referred to Senate jud.
SCR1009: PROPERTY TAX EXEMPTION; VETERANS; DISABILITIES	The 2022 general election ballot is to carry the question of whether to amend the state Constitution to repeal and replace the property tax exemption for veterans. Impossible to determine new provisions without a line by line comparison. Applies to tax years beginning with 2023.	First sponsor: Sen. Rogers (R - Dist 6)			1/10 referred to Senate fin, appro.
SCR1026: TECH CORRECTION; MILITARY PERSONNEL	Proposes a minor change in Article VII, Section 6, of the state Constitution related to military personnel. Apparent striker bus for a proposition to be referred to the ballot at the next general election.	First sponsor: Sen. Leach (R - Dist 11)			

BILL NUMBER/ SHORT TITLE	SUMMARY	SPONSORS	POSTED HEARINGS & CALENDARS	COMMENTS	LAST ACTION
<b>Housing and Community Development</b>					
H2131: HOAS; ARTIFICIAL GRASS BAN PROHIBITED	In any planned community that allows grass on a member's property, a homeowner's	First sponsor: Rep. Kavanagh (R - Dist 23)			1/19 referred to House gov-elect.

	association (HOA) cannot prohibit installing or using artificial grass on any member's property. An HOA is allowed to adopt reasonable rules regarding the installation and appearance of artificial grass if those rules do not prevent installing or using the artificial grass. The court is required to award reasonable attorney fees and costs to any party that prevails in an action against the HOA for a violation of this legislation.				
H2151: LAND DIVISION; ACTING IN CONCERT	An applicant to split a parcel of land is required to sign an affidavit or similar document under oath acknowledging that the applicant is aware that it is unlawful for a person or group of persons to attempt to avoid the subdivision laws of Arizona by acting in concert to divide a parcel of land into six or more lots by using a series of owners or by any other method that results in the division of land into a subdivision or subdivided land. A county is authorized to deny a building permit application for one or more lots if a cease and desist or other similar notice has been sent to the applicant because they are under investigation for acting in concert to avoid subdivision laws.	First sponsor: Rep. Kavanagh (R - Dist 23)			1/19 referred to House land-agri-rural affairs.
H2152: RESIDENTIAL CONTRACTORS' RECOVERY FUND; ELIGIBILITY	The list of eligibility requirements for claims from the Residential Contractors' Recovery Fund is modified to remove the requirements that a member of a limited liability company or a trustor of a trust has not received monies from the Fund in the last two years.	First sponsor: Rep. Kavanagh (R - Dist 23)	Hearing: House Government & Elections (Wednesday 01/26/22 at 9:00 AM, House Rm. 1)		1/18 referred to House gov-elect.
H2158: HOMEOWNERS' ASSOCIATIONS; POLITICAL; COMMUNITY ACTIVITY	Condominium associations and planned community associations cannot prohibit or unreasonably restrict a unit owner or member's ability to peacefully assemble and use private or common elements of the community if done in compliance with reasonable restrictions for the use of that property adopted by the board of directors. An individual unit owner or member or a group of unit owners or members are permitted to organize to discuss or address association business, including board elections or recalls, potential or actual ballot issues or revisions to the community documents, property maintenance or safety issues or any other association business or actions. A unit owner or member is allowed to invite a political candidate or other non-unit owner guest to speak to an assembly of unit owners or members. For the purpose of the prohibition on condominium associations and planned community associations prohibiting the display of a political sign, the definition of "political sign" is expanded to include a sign regarding any activity to elect or remove association directors or in support of or opposition to a measure that requires a vote of the association membership.	First sponsor: Rep. Kavanagh (R - Dist 23)	Hearing: House Government & Elections (Wednesday 01/26/22 at 9:00 AM, House Rm. 1)		1/18 referred to House gov-elect.
H2172: REAL ESTATE LICENSEES; EMPLOYERS; COMPENSATION	A real estate licensee is authorized to accept employment and compensation as a licensee from an employer other than the legally licensed broker if the employer holds a real estate license, the licensee is the employer's employee and receives a federal form W-2, the employer has the same employing broker as the licensee, and the employer obtains written permission from the employing broker to pay the licensee.	First sponsor: Rep. Wilmeth (R - Dist 15)			1/19 referred to House com.
H2195: HOUSING TRUST FUND; UNCLAIMED PROPERTY	The amount of proceeds from the sale of abandoned property that are deposited in the Housing Trust Fund each fiscal year is changed to 55 percent of the proceeds, instead of \$2.5 million.	First sponsor: Rep. Powers Hannley (D - Dist 9) Others: Rep. Andrade (D - Dist 29), Rep. Blackwater-Nygren (D - Dist 7), Rep. Butler (D - Dist 28), Rep. Cano (D - Dist 3), Rep. Dalessandro (D - Dist 2), Rep. DeGrazia (D - Dist 10), Rep. Fernandez (D - Dist 4), Sen. Gabaldon (D - Dist 2), Rep. Liguori (D - Dist 28), Rep. Mathis (D - Dist 9), Rep. Quiñonez (D -			1/20 referred to House ways-means, appro.

		Dist 27), Rep. Schwiebert (D - Dist 20), Rep. Solorio (D - Dist 30)			
H2323: HOMEOWNER'S INSURANCE; DOGS; NONDISCRIMINATION	The breed of a dog cannot be considered or used for underwriting or actuarial processes for determining risk, liability, actual or potential losses or any other matter related to claims involving dogs under a policy of insurance. The breed of a dog cannot be considered or used for findings of fact or conclusions of law entered by a court or other legal decision maker regarding whether a dog is "aggressive" or "vicious" (both defined) or has caused liability to occur, as part of determining coverage, liability or damages related to a policy of insurance.	First sponsor: Rep. Kavanagh (R - Dist 23)			1/19 referred to House com.
H2401: RENT REGULATION; STATE PREEMPTION	Repeals statutes that prohibit municipalities from regulating rent or imposing rent controls.	First sponsor: Rep. Solorio (D - Dist 30) Others: Rep. Bolding (D - Dist 27), Rep. Longdon (D - Dist 24), Rep. Pawlik (D - Dist 17), Rep. Quiñonez (D - Dist 27), Sen. Terán (D - Dist 30)			
H2446: LOCAL PLANNING; RESIDENTIAL HOUSING; REPEAL	Repeals statute that prohibits counties and municipalities from adopting a land use regulation or general or specific plan provision, or imposing as a condition for approving a building or use permit a requirement or fee that has the effect of establishing the sales or lease price for a residential housing unit or residential dwelling lot or parcel or that requires a residential housing unit or residential dwelling lot or parcel to be designated for sale or lease to any particular class or group of residents.	First sponsor: Rep. Powers Hannley (D - Dist 9) Others: Rep. Epstein (D - Dist 18), Sen. Gonzales (D - Dist 3), Rep. Jermaine (D - Dist 18), Rep. Pawlik (D - Dist 17), Rep. Schwiebert (D - Dist 20), Rep. Solorio (D - Dist 30), Sen. Stahl Hamilton (D - Dist 10), Sen. Terán (D - Dist 30)			
H2457: EVICTION PREVENTION; STUDY COMMITTEE	Establishes a 19-member Study Committee on Statewide Eviction Prevention and Housing Affordability to conduct a comprehensive study on reducing eviction filings, review related policies and statutes, conduct research on housing affordability issues, and propose legislation to address these issues. The Committee is required to submit a report of its activities and recommendations to the Governor and the Legislature by December 1, 2022, and self-repeals November 1, 2023.	First sponsor: Rep. Cano (D - Dist 3) Others: Rep. Butler (D - Dist 28), Sen. Gabaldon (D - Dist 2), Sen. Gonzales (D - Dist 3), Rep. M. Hernandez (D - Dist 26), Rep. Liguori (D - Dist 28), Rep. Mathis (D - Dist 9), Rep. Solorio (D - Dist 30)			
H2468: VETERAN HOUSING; UNCLAIMED PROPERTY LOCATORS	The amount of proceeds from the sale of abandoned property that are deposited each fiscal year in the Seriously Mentally Ill Housing Trust Fund is increased to \$3 million, from \$2 million. The amount of proceeds from the sale of abandoned property that are deposited each fiscal year in the Housing Trust Fund is increased to \$3.5 million, from \$2.5 million. After these distributions and the distribution to the Department of Revenue Administrative Fund, the next \$1 million must be deposited each fiscal year in the newly established Veteran Housing Trust Fund, to be used for housing projects and rental assistance for homeless veterans. Also, an agreement to locate property that is entered into by a claimant with another person is enforceable if a list of specified conditions apply, including that the fee or payment agreed on cannot exceed 30 percent of the value of the recoverable property. Allows a locator to register with the Department of Revenue and pay a fee to DOR in an amount determined by DOR. DOR is required to provide unclaimed property information only to a registered locator.	First sponsor: Rep. Carroll (R - Dist 22) Others: Rep. Diaz (R - Dist 14), Rep. Kaiser (R - Dist 15), Rep. Martinez (R - Dist 11), Rep. Nguyen (R - Dist 1)			
H2485: EVICTION DISMISSAL; SEALED RECORDS	On the court entering an order that dismisses an action for eviction or enters judgment in favor of a tenant, the court is required to issue an order sealing all records related to the case. Applies to all records relating to an action for summary eviction, a forcible entry and detainer action, or a special detainer action that are maintained	First sponsor: Rep. Wilmeth (R - Dist 15) Others: Rep. Blackman (R - Dist 6), Rep. Weninger (R - Dist 17)			

	by the court. Applies to a tenant whose case is dismissed or in which judgment is entered in the tenant's favor on or after the effective date of this legislation.				
H2522: PROPERTY TAXES; ELDERLY ASSISTANCE FUND	Statute establishing and regulating the Elderly Assistance Fund is repealed and replaced. Impossible to determine new provisions without a line by line comparison. Effective January 1, 2023.	First sponsor: Rep. Powers Hannley (D - Dist 9) Others: Rep. Cano (D - Dist 3)			
H2574: TECH CORRECTION; LANDLORD TENANT; TERMINATION	Minor change in Title 33 (Property) related to early lease termination by a tenant. Apparent striker bus.	First sponsor: Rep. Blackman (R - Dist 6)			
S1104: LOCAL PLANNING; RESIDENTIAL HOUSING; PROHIBITIONS	Municipalities with a population of 10,000 or more persons and counties with a population 250,000 or more persons are no longer prohibited from adopting a land use regulation or general or specific plan provision, or imposing as a condition for approving a building or use permit a requirement or fee that has the effect of establishing the sales or lease price for a residential housing unit or residential dwelling lot or parcel or that requires a residential housing unit or residential dwelling lot or parcel to be designated for sale or lease to any particular class or group of residents.	First sponsor: Sen. Mendez (D - Dist 26) Others: Rep. Salman (D - Dist 26)			1/10 referred to Senate gov.
S1110: RESIDENTIAL RENTALS; RENT INCREASE NOTICE	Before a tenant's lease terminates, the tenant's landlord is required to provide written notice to the tenant that includes the amount that the tenant's rent will increase under an extension, renewal or new lease with the landlord at least 30 days before the tenant's lease terminates if the tenant's rent will increase 10 percent or less and at least 60 days before the tenant's lease terminates if the tenant's rent will increase more than 10 percent.	First sponsor: Sen. Mendez (D - Dist 26) Others: Rep. Salman (D - Dist 26)			1/10 referred to Senate com.
S1129: HOUSING TRUST FUND; TRANSITIONAL HOUSING	The Department of Housing is required to annually distribute up to \$1 million from the Housing Trust Fund to organizations that operate or seek to operate transitional housing that meets a list of specified requirements. Fund monies may be spent on purchasing housing facilities, in addition to constructing or renovating facilities.	First sponsor: Sen. Rogers (R - Dist 6)			1/11 referred to Senate appro.
S1150: ELECTRIC VEHICLES; PILOT PROGRAM; APPROPRIATION	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 Department of Administration (DOA) 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. DOA is required to submit a report with specified information relating to the pilot program to the Governor and the Legislature by December 31, 2024. Appropriates \$500,000 from the general fund in FY2022-23 to DOA for the pilot program.	First sponsor: Sen. Steele (D - Dist 9) Others: Rep. Jermaine (D - Dist 18)	Hearing: Senate Transportation & Technology (Monday 01/24/22 at 2:00 PM, Senate Rm. 109)		1/12 referred to Senate trans-tech, appro.
S1249: HOMEOWNERS' ASSOCIATIONS; UNIFORMED SERVICES FLAG	Homeowners' associations and condo associations cannot prohibit the outdoor display of the flag of any uniformed services.	First sponsor: Sen. Gowan (R - Dist 14)			1/20 referred to Senate gov.
S1263: HOUSING TRUST FUND; SHELTER SERVICES	Monies transferred to the Housing Trust Fund from the Arizona Industrial Development Authority must be used to support emergency and transitional homeless shelter services.	First sponsor: Sen. Livingston (R - Dist 22)			

BILL NUMBER/ SHORT TITLE	SUMMARY	SPONSORS	POSTED HEARINGS & CALENDARS	COMMENTS	LAST ACTION
<b>Animal Health</b>					

H2345: VETERINARIAN COMPLAINTS; ATTORNEY NOTICE	The Arizona State Veterinary Medical Examining Board is required to provide written notice to a person who filed a complaint with the Board if the Board conducts a meeting or holds a hearing on the complaint. The notice must state that the person may bring an attorney to the meeting or hearing.	First sponsor: Rep. Payne (R - Dist 21)			1/20 referred to House land-agri-rural affairs.
H2346: VETERINARY MEDICAL EXAMINING BOARD; MEMBERSHIP	Increases the membership of the Arizona State Veterinary Medical Examining Board to 11 by adding 2 members who are not veterinarians. Also requires 1 of the 5 licensed veterinarian members to be a veterinary surgeon specialist. Session law allows current Board members to continue to serve until the expiration of their normal terms.	First sponsor: Rep. Payne (R - Dist 21)			1/20 referred to House land-agri-rural affairs.
H2372: ANIMAL CRUELTY; RELEASE CONDITIONS	If a judicial officer orders the release of a person who is charged with a violation of animal cruelty on the person's own recognizance or on the execution of bail, the judicial officer is required to impose a condition of release that prohibits the person from possessing or having contact with any animal unless the animal is the person's own service animal.	First sponsor: Rep. Bolick (R - Dist 20)			
H2432: DOGS; UNLAWFUL RESTRAINT; PENALTIES	An owner is prohibited from restraining a dog outside for more than one hour by use of a "restraint" (defined) that unreasonably limits the dog's movement or during "extreme weather conditions" (defined). Establishes civil penalties for violations.	First sponsor: Rep. Shah (D - Dist 24) Others: Rep. Longdon (D - Dist 24)			
S1223: PET STORES; PET DEALERS	Counties and municipalities are authorized to enforce specified regulations on pet stores and pet dealers. Deletes the presumption of good faith actions for pet stores or pet dealers if, when placing an order to obtain a dog or cat for sale or resale, the store or dealer conducts a search for inspection reports of the breeder.	First sponsor: Sen. Bowie (D - Dist 18) Others: Rep. Jermaine (D - Dist 18), Sen. Stahl Hamilton (D - Dist 10)			1/19 referred to Senate com.
S1271: ARIZONA VETERINARY LOAN ASSISTANCE PROGRAM	Establishes the Arizona Veterinary Loan Assistance Program within the Arizona Department of Agriculture (AZDA). A person who obtains a doctor of veterinary medicine degree from a veterinary college after January 1, 2023 and who signs an agreement to remain and work as a full-time veterinarian in Arizona for the following four years and to work in one of a list of specified practice areas for at least two of the four years. At the conclusion of the four-year commitment, AZDA is required to distribute to a veterinarian who satisfied the terms of the agreement an amount equal to the tuition the veterinarian paid to attend veterinary college or \$100,000, whichever is less. Also establishes a 5-member Arizona Veterinary Loan Assistance Program Advisory Committee. Appropriates \$5 million from the general fund in FY2022-23 to the Arizona Veterinary Loan Assistance Fund.	First sponsor: Sen. Shope (R - Dist 8)			

BILL NUMBER/ SHORT TITLE	SUMMARY	SPONSORS	POSTED HEARINGS & CALENDARS	COMMENTS	LAST ACTION
<b>Commerce</b>					
H2563: DAILY ROUTE MILEAGE; CALCULATION	If the daily route mileage of a school district is lower in FY2021-22 than it was in FY2018-19, the daily route mileage of the school district for FY2022-23 used to calculate the transportation support level in FY2022-23 is the daily route mileage from FY2018-19.	First sponsor: Rep. Blackwater-Nygren (D - Dist 7) Others: Rep. Bolding (D - Dist 27), Rep. Cano (D - Dist 3), Sen. Gonzales (D - Dist 3), Rep. Longdon (D - Dist 24)			
S1066: RAFFLES; NONPROFITS; LENGTH OF EXISTENCE	Modifies the requirements for a nonprofit organization to qualify to conduct a raffle that is subject to specified restrictions to require the nonprofit organization to have been in existence continuously in Arizona for a one-year period, decreased from a five-year period, immediately before conducting the raffle.	First sponsor: Sen. Shope (R - Dist 8) Others: Rep. Jermaine (D - Dist 18)	Hearing: Senate Commerce (Wednesday 01/26/22 at 2:00 PM, Senate Rm. 1)		1/10 referred to Senate com.

S1092: PRODUCT LIABILITY; CIVIL ACTION; LIMITATION	Establishes a list of circumstances under which a product liability action may be commenced or maintained against a seller that is not also a manufacturer of the product at issue, including that the seller failed to exercise reasonable care in assembling, maintaining or repairing the product at issue, and that the seller made an express warranty regarding the product independent of any warranty made by the manufacturer.	First sponsor: Sen. Leach (R - Dist 11)	Hearing: Senate Rules (Monday 01/24/22 at 1:00 PM, Caucus Rm. 1)	1/20 Senate jud do pass; report awaited.
---	---	---	--	---

BILL NUMBER/ SHORT TITLE	SUMMARY	SPONSORS	POSTED HEARINGS & CALENDARS	COMMENTS	LAST ACTION
<b>Insurance</b>					
H2272: INSURANCE; SECONDARY SOURCES	A secondary source on insurance does not constitute the law or public policy of Arizona and is not authoritative if the secondary source purports to create, eliminate, expand or restrict a cause of action, right or remedy, or if it conflicts with the U.S. Constitution, state Constitution, state law, Arizona's case law precedent, or other common law that may have been adopted by Arizona.	First sponsor: Rep. Weninger (R - Dist 17)	Hearing: House Commerce (Tuesday 01/25/22 at 2:00 PM, House Rm. 3)		1/18 referred to House com.
H2323: HOMEOWNER'S INSURANCE; DOGS; NONDISCRIMINATION	The breed of a dog cannot be considered or used for underwriting or actuarial processes for determining risk, liability, actual or potential losses or any other matter related to claims involving dogs under a policy of insurance. The breed of a dog cannot be considered or used for findings of fact or conclusions of law entered by a court or other legal decision maker regarding whether a dog is "aggressive" or "vicious" (both defined) or has caused liability to occur, as part of determining coverage, liability or damages related to a policy of insurance.	First sponsor: Rep. Kavanagh (R - Dist 23)			1/19 referred to House com.
S1081: INSURANCE CONTRACTS; ORAL AGREEMENTS	For the purpose of consent for insurance contracts, an oral communication with a contemporaneous record or recording made of the communication may qualify as consent, instead of being prohibited from qualifying as consent.	First sponsor: Sen. Livingston (R - Dist 22)			1/10 referred to Senate fin.
S1117: INSURANCE FEES; DISCLOSURE	An insured is no longer required to agree in writing to a fee or service charge for an insurance transaction for an insurance producer to be allowed to charge the fee or service charge.	First sponsor: Sen. Livingston (R - Dist 22)			1/10 referred to Senate fin.
S1118: INSURANCE; FEES; CONSENT; LIMITS	Various changes to statutes relating to insurance. Provisions include: The minimum fee for a certificate of director is reduced to \$0, from \$1.50. An insured is no longer required to agree in writing to a fee or service charge for an insurance transaction for an insurance producer to be allowed to charge the fee or service charge. For the purpose of consent for insurance contracts, an oral communication with a contemporaneous record or recording made of the communication may qualify as consent, instead of being prohibited from qualifying as consent. An agent for a title insurer is no longer prohibited from adopting a corporate or business name containing the words "title insurance" or similar without "agent" or "agency" following. Title insurers are permitted to authorize the use of their corporate name or portion of the name to a title insurance agency. Motor vehicle insurance policies are allowed to contain exclusions except as specifically prohibited by law.	First sponsor: Sen. Livingston (R - Dist 22)	Hearing: Senate Finance (Wednesday 01/26/22 at 9:30 AM, Senate Rm. 109)		1/10 referred to Senate fin.

BILL NUMBER/ SHORT TITLE	SUMMARY	SPONSORS	POSTED HEARINGS & CALENDARS	COMMENTS	LAST ACTION
<b>Labor and Employment</b>					
H2090: WAGE DISCLOSURE; EMPLOYEE	Employers are prohibited from taking adverse employment action	First sponsor: Rep. Salman (D - Dist 26)			

RIGHTS	against an employee because the employee discloses his/her wage information, and from requiring an employee to sign a waiver or other document that prohibits such disclosure. Establishes penalties for violations.	Others: Rep. Cano (D - Dist 3), Rep. Dalessandro (D - Dist 2), Rep. M. Hernandez (D - Dist 26), Sen. Mendez (D - Dist 26), Sen. Terán (D - Dist 30)			
H2091: EMPLOYERS; EMPLOYEE SALARY HISTORY; PROHIBITIONS	Employers are prohibited from screening prospective employees based on previous wage or salary history, seeking the previous wage or salary history of any prospective employee from any current or former employer, checking public records for a prospective employee's previous wage or salary history, and discharging or in any other manner retaliating against any employee or prospective employee for opposing, making a complaint or testifying relating to any of these prohibited actions. Violations are subject to a civil penalty of \$5,000 for a first offense and an additional \$1,000 for each subsequent offense, up to \$10,000. A person in violation is liable to each employee or prospective employee for special damages of up to \$10,000 plus attorney fees. An action to recover special damages may be maintained against any employer in any court of competent jurisdiction by any one or more employees for and on behalf of the employee(s) and other similarly situated employees.	First sponsor: Rep. Salman (D - Dist 26) Others: Rep. Cano (D - Dist 3), Rep. Dalessandro (D - Dist 2), Rep. M. Hernandez (D - Dist 26), Sen. Mendez (D - Dist 26), Sen. Terán (D - Dist 30)			
H2198: EMPLOYEE TERMINATION; COVID-19 VACCINE; COMPENSATION	An employee who is terminated for not receiving a COVID-19 vaccine as a condition of employment must receive either severance compensation paid by an employer in the amount of the employee's annual salary in one lump sum or installment payments over 12 months, or reemployment with the employer at the same or similar position held on the date the employee was terminated and a reasonable accommodation provided by the employer to the employee. Retroactive to December 1, 2021.	First sponsor: Rep. Kaiser (R - Dist 15)			
H2262: MINIMUM WAGE INCREASE	Increases the minimum wage to \$15 per hour on and after January 1, 2023. Due to voter protection, this legislation requires the affirmative vote of at least 3/4 of the members of each house of the Legislature for passage.	First sponsor: Rep. Andrade (D - Dist 29) Others: Rep. Butler (D - Dist 28), Rep. Cano (D - Dist 3), Rep. DeGrazia (D - Dist 10), Sen. Gabaldon (D - Dist 2), Rep. Powers Hannley (D - Dist 9), Rep. Solorio (D - Dist 30), Sen. Terán (D - Dist 30)			1/20 referred to House com.
H2266: WORKERS' RIGHTS; PUBLIC HEALTH EMERGENCY	Employers are prohibited from discriminating or retaliating against any worker based on the worker raising any reasonable concern about workplace violations of government health and safety rules related to a public health emergency or based on the worker voluntarily wearing at the workplace the worker's own personal protective equipment if the personal protective equipment meets a list of specified requirements. Some exceptions. Establishes civil penalties for violations and authorizes a person to seek relief for violations by filing a complaint or bringing an action in court. Appropriates an unspecified amount (blank in original) from the general fund in FY2022-23 to the newly established Employment Support Fund to administer these requirements. Applies to conduct occurring from and after the effective date of this legislation. Emergency clause.	First sponsor: Rep. Andrade (D - Dist 29) Others: Rep. Butler (D - Dist 28), Rep. Cano (D - Dist 3), Rep. DeGrazia (D - Dist 10), Sen. Gabaldon (D - Dist 2), Rep. Powers Hannley (D - Dist 9), Rep. Solorio (D - Dist 30), Sen. Terán (D - Dist 30)			1/19 referred to House com, appro.
H2267: OVERTIME PAY	On the effective date of this legislation, the Industrial Commission is required to set a salary amount at the 40th percentile of weekly earnings of full-time nonhourly workers in the lowest-wage census region in the 2nd quarter of the year immediately preceding the update published by the U.S. Department of Labor. To qualify as an individual who is exempt from the overtime pay requirements in the federal Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 and related regulations, an individual	First sponsor: Rep. Andrade (D - Dist 29) Others: Rep. Cano (D - Dist 3), Rep. DeGrazia (D - Dist 10), Sen. Gabaldon (D - Dist 2), Rep. Powers Hannley (D - Dist 9), Rep. Solorio (D - Dist 30), Sen. Terán (D - Dist 30)			

	must be compensated on a salary basis in an amount per week, exclusive of board, lodging or other facilities, that is not less than this amount set by the Commission. The Commission is authorized to adopt rules to implement these requirements.				
H2332: UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE; BENEFIT AMOUNT	For the purpose of unemployment insurance, an individual's benefit amount is no longer prohibited from being redetermined during the benefit year due to a new maximum or minimum benefit amount becoming effective during the benefit year.	First sponsor: Rep. Cook (R - Dist 8) Others: Rep. Epstein (D - Dist 18)			
H2452: ANTIDISCRIMINATION; EMPLOYMENT; VACCINATION STATUS	he list of attributes for which a person cannot be discriminated against in employment practices, various housing related statutes, and in places of public accommodation is expanded to include "vaccination status" (defined).	First sponsor: Rep. Carter (R - Dist 8) Others: Rep. Biasucci (R - Dist 5), Rep. Blackman (R - Dist 6), Rep. Bolick (R - Dist 20), Rep. Chaplik (R - Dist 23), Rep. Diaz (R - Dist 14), Rep. Dunn (R - Dist 13), Rep. Fillmore (R - Dist 16), Rep. Finchem (R - Dist 11), Rep. Kavanagh (R - Dist 23), Rep. Martinez (R - Dist 11), Rep. Nguyen (R - Dist 1), Rep. Parker (R - Dist 16), Rep. Wilmeth (R - Dist 15)			
H2499: EMPLOYERS; PAID FAMILY LEAVE	An employer is required to allow an employee who has been employed by an employer for at least 12 months to take family leave from employment, for up to 12 weeks, for any reason that is covered under the federal Family and Medical Leave Act of 1993 without loss of pay or diminution of any privilege, benefit or right arising out of the employee's employment. Establishes requirements for notifying an employer of the use of family leave. Requires employers to notify employees of various rights relating to family leave. Establishes penalties for violations. The Industrial Commission is required to investigate complaints of an employer violating family leave requirements. More. Effective June 1, 2023.	First sponsor: Rep. Chavez (D - Dist 29)			

BILL NUMBER/ SHORT TITLE	SUMMARY	SPONSORS	POSTED HEARINGS & CALENDARS	COMMENTS	LAST ACTION
<b>Finance and Financial Sector</b>					
H2478: ILLEGALLY PAID PUBLIC MONIES; RECOVERY	The Attorney General is authorized to bring an action to recover illegally paid public monies against a public official, employee or agent of the state, a political subdivision, or a budget unit who knowingly uses public monies or other public resources to organize, plan or execute any activity that impedes or prevents a public school from operating for any period of time, unless the public official, employee or agent is acting in good faith and in furtherance of the official's, employee's or agent's official duties. [Capitol Reports Note: These provisions were originally signed into law as Laws 2021, chapter 404 (part of the FY2021-22 budget), but were deemed unconstitutional by the Arizona Supreme Court in Arizona School Boards Association et al v. State of Arizona.]	First sponsor: Rep. Carroll (R - Dist 22) Others: Rep. Blackman (R - Dist 6), Rep. Bolick (R - Dist 20), Rep. Burges (R - Dist 1), Rep. Chaplik (R - Dist 23), Rep. Cobb (R - Dist 5), Rep. Cook (R - Dist 8), Rep. Diaz (R - Dist 14), Rep. Dunn (R - Dist 13), Sen. Gowan (R - Dist 14), Rep. Hoffman (R - Dist 12), Rep. Kavanagh (R - Dist 23), Sen. Leach (R - Dist 11), Sen. Livingston (R - Dist 22), Rep. Martinez (R - Dist 11), Rep. Nguyen (R - Dist 1), Rep. Parker (R - Dist 16), Rep. Payne (R - Dist 21), Rep. Pingerelli (R - Dist 21), Rep. Wilmeth (R - Dist 15)			
HCR2012: SCHOOL DISTRICTS; EXPENDITURE LIMIT; AUTHORIZATION.	The Legislature authorizes the expenditure of local revenues by school districts in excess of the expenditure limitation prescribed in the state Constitution in FY2020-21. This authorization is effective only on the approval of this resolution by at least 2/3 of the members of each house of the Legislature by roll call vote by March 1, 2022.	First sponsor: Rep. Pawlik (D - Dist 17) Others: Rep. Abraham (D - Dist 10), Rep. Andrade (D - Dist 29), Rep. Blackwater-Nygren (D - Dist 7), Rep. Bolding (D - Dist 27), Rep. Butler (D - Dist 28), Rep. Cano (D - Dist 3), Rep. Chavez (D - Dist 29), Rep. Dalessandro (D - Dist 2), Rep. DeGrazia (D - Dist 10), Rep. Epstein (D - Dist 18), Rep. Espinoza (D - Dist 19), Rep. Fernandez (D - Dist 4), Rep. A. Hernandez (D - Dist 3), Rep. D. Hernandez (D - Dist 2), Rep. M. Hernandez (D - Dist 26), Rep. Jermaine (D - Dist 18), Rep. Liguori (D - Dist 28), Rep. Longdon (D - Dist 24), Rep. Mathis (D - Dist 9), Rep. Meza (D - Dist 30), Rep. Powers Hannley (D - Dist 9), Rep. Quiñonez (D -			

		Dist 27), Rep. Salman (D - Dist 26), Rep. Schwiebert (D - Dist 20), Rep. Sierra (D - Dist 19), Rep. Solorio (D - Dist 30), Rep. Tsosie (D - Dist 7)			
S1127: STATE AGENCIES; PAYMENTS; CRYPTOCURRENCY	State agencies are authorized to accept "cryptocurrency" (defined) as a payment method for taxes, fees, fines, civil penalties, financial obligations, and special assessments by entering into an agreement with a cryptocurrency issuer to provide a method to accept cryptocurrency as a payment for any amount due to that agency or the state. Requirements for the agreement are listed. Effective January 1, 2023.	First sponsor: Sen. Rogers (R - Dist 6)			1/11 referred to Senate fin, gov.
S1128: VIRTUAL CURRENCY; PROPERTY TAX EXEMPTION	"Virtual currency" (defined) is exempt from taxation. Conditionally enacted on the state Constitution being amended by a vote of the people at the 2022 general election to exempt virtual currency from property tax.	First sponsor: Sen. Rogers (R - Dist 6)			1/11 referred to Senate fin.
S1156: BLOCKCHAIN TECHNOLOGY; TAX; FEE; PROHIBITION	Counties and municipalities are prohibited from imposing a tax or fee on the use of "blockchain technology" (defined elsewhere in statute) by any person or entity.	First sponsor: Sen. Rogers (R - Dist 6)			1/12 referred to Senate fin.
SCR1013: MEDIUM OF EXCHANGE; CURRENCY; USE	The 2022 general election ballot is to carry the question of whether to amend the state Constitution to declare that the right of the people to own, hold and use a mutually agreed on medium of exchange, including cash, coin, bullion or digital currency or scrip, when trading or contracting for goods and services cannot be infringed, and that the state and any county, municipality, or other political subdivision of Arizona cannot prohibit or encumber the ownership or holding of any form or amount of money or other currency.	First sponsor: Sen. Rogers (R - Dist 6)			1/11 referred to Senate fin.
SCR1014: PROPERTY TAX EXEMPTION; VIRTUAL CURRENCY	The 2022 general election ballot is to carry the question of whether to amend the state Constitution to exempt "virtual currency" (defined) from taxation as property.	First sponsor: Sen. Rogers (R - Dist 6)			1/11 referred to Senate fin.
SM1001: FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS; BURDENSOME REPORTING REQUIREMENTS	The Legislature urges the U.S. Congress to act to protect consumers from harmful and intrusive Internal Revenue Service rules and financial institutions from burdensome reporting requirements. The Secretary of State is directed to transmit copies of this memorial to the President of the U.S. Senate, the Speaker of the U.S. House and each member of Congress from Arizona.	First sponsor: Sen. Leach (R - Dist 11)	Hearing: Senate Finance (Wednesday 01/26/22 at 9:30 AM, Senate Rm. 109)		1/10 referred to Senate fin.
SM1002: GLASS-STEAGALL ACT; URGING CONGRESS	The Legislature urges the U.S. Congress to immediately reinstate the separation of commercial and investment banking functions in effect under the Glass-Steagall Act. The Secretary of State is directed to transmit copies of this memorial to the President of the U.S. Senate, the Speaker of the U.S. House, and each member of Congress from Arizona.	First sponsor: Sen. Mendez (D - Dist 26) Others: Rep. Salman (D - Dist 26)			1/10 referred to Senate fin.

BILL NUMBER/ SHORT TITLE	SUMMARY	SPONSORS	POSTED HEARINGS & CALENDARS	COMMENTS	LAST ACTION
<b>Health Care</b>					
H2020: VACCINATION MANDATES; EXEMPTIONS	A person is eligible for an exemption from any vaccination requirement for COVID-19 or any variant of COVID-19 that is being enforced in the state of Arizona if the person can produce documented test results that demonstrate the person has antibodies to COVID-19 or any variant of COVID-19, a positive test for COVID-19 or any variant of COVID-19, or a positive T-cell immune response to COVID-19 or any variant of COVID-19. Also repeals statute prohibiting vaccine passports or vaccine requirements, which was deemed unconstitutional by the Arizona Supreme Court in Arizona School Boards Association et al v. State of Arizona.	First sponsor: Rep. Kaiser (R - Dist 15)			
H2022: HEALTH EMERGENCIES; TREATMENT; VACCINATIONS; REPEAL	During a state of emergency in which there is an occurrence or the imminent threat of a highly	First sponsor: Rep. Finchem (R - Dist 11) Others: Sen. Borrelli (R - Dist 5),			

	contagious and highly fatal disease, the Governor no longer has the authority to mandate treatment or vaccination of persons who are diagnosed with an illness resulting from exposure or who are reasonably believed to have been exposed or who may reasonably be expected to be exposed.	Rep. Burges (R - Dist 1), Rep. Carter (R - Dist 8), Rep. Diaz (R - Dist 14), Rep. Fillmore (R - Dist 16), Rep. Martinez (R - Dist 11), Rep. Payne (R - Dist 21)		
H2024: ALKALINE HYDROLYSIS; FACILITIES; OPERATORS; LICENSURE	The powers and duties of the State Board of Funeral Directors and Embalmers are expanded to include licensing and regulation of "alkaline hydrolysis facilities" and "alkaline hydrolysis operators" (both defined). Fees for an alkaline hydrolysis facility license or interim permit and for an alkaline hydrolysis operator license are in an amount to be determined by the Board. A person is prohibited from advertising or operating an alkaline hydrolysis facility without first obtaining an alkaline hydrolysis facility license issued by the board. Requirements for licensure for alkaline hydrolysis facilities and operators are specified. Licenses are nontransferable. Also, it is a class 2 (mid-level) misdemeanor for a person licensed by the Board to place human remains of one person, whether inside or outside of a container, in a location that is on top of human remains of another person.	First sponsor: Rep. Udall (R - Dist 25)		1/12 referred to House hel-hu ser.
H2029: VACCINATIONS; EVIDENCE OF IMMUNITY; PROHIBITIONS	The state, its "governmental entities," and its "business affiliations" (both defined) are prohibited from requiring any person to receive a vaccination for COVID-19 or any variant of COVID-19 or to possess a COVID-19 immunity passport or other evidence certifying vaccination or immunity status, and are prohibited from discriminating against any person based on not receiving a vaccination for COVID-19 or any variant of COVID-19 or to possess a COVID-19 immunity passport or other evidence certifying vaccination or immunity status. The state and its governmental entities are prohibited from entering into a contract or giving a loan or grant of taxpayer monies to a business affiliation that requires a person to receive a vaccination for COVID-19 or any variant of COVID-19 or to possess a COVID-19 immunity passport or other evidence certifying vaccination or immunity status. A business affiliation that violates these requirements materially breaches its contract with the state or a governmental entity, rendering the contract voidable. Does not apply to health care institutions that are treating patients with COVID-19 or any variant of COVID-19 and that determine that a "direct threat" (defined) exists that cannot be eliminated or reduced by reasonable accommodation. Factors that must be considered to determine a direct threat are listed. Requires the provisions of this legislation to be construed liberally. Severability clause. Also repeals statute prohibiting vaccine passports or vaccine requirements, which was deemed unconstitutional by the Arizona Supreme Court in Arizona School Boards Association et al v. State of Arizona.	First sponsor: Rep. Blackman (R - Dist 6)		
H2043: EMPLOYER LIABILITY; COVID-19 VACCINE REQUIREMENT	If an employer denies a religious exemption and requires a person to receive a COVID-19 vaccination as a prerequisite to or requirement for maintaining employment, the employer is liable to the person for damages that result from a significant injury that is caused by receiving the COVID-19 vaccination. A claimant who prevails under this provision must be awarded actual damages, court costs, and reasonable attorney fees or statutory damages of \$500,000, whichever is greater, and may also recover exemplary damages. These rights supplement any other rights and remedies provided by law.	First sponsor: Rep. Nguyen (R - Dist 1) Others: Rep. Biasiucci (R - Dist 5), Rep. Blackman (R - Dist 6), Rep. Bolick (R - Dist 20), Rep. Carroll (R - Dist 22), Rep. Carter (R - Dist 8), Rep. Chaplik (R - Dist 23), Rep. Cook (R - Dist 8), Rep. Diaz (R - Dist 14), Rep. Hoffman (R - Dist 12), Rep. Kaiser (R - Dist 15), Rep. Wilmeth (R - Dist 15)	Hearing: House Judiciary (Wednesday 01/26/22 at 9:00 AM, House Rm. 4)	1/12 referred to House jud.

H2064: DHS; SCHOOL IMMUNIZATIONS; EXCLUSIONS.	An immunization against COVID-19 or any variant of COVID-19 is not required for school attendance.	First sponsor: Rep. Blackman (R - Dist 6)			1/13 referred to House hel-hu ser, educ.
H2083: AHCCCS SERVICES; DIABETES MANAGEMENT	The list of medically necessary health and medical services that Arizona Health Care Cost Containment System (AHCCCS) contractors are required to provide is expanded to include up to 10 program hours annually of diabetes outpatient self-management training services if prescribed by a primary care practitioner in specified circumstances. Monies from the Hospital Assessment Fund cannot be used to provide diabetes outpatient self-management training services.	First sponsor: Rep. Osborne (R - Dist 13) Others: Rep. Jermaine (D - Dist 18), Rep. Pawlik (D - Dist 17)			1/19 referred to House hel-hu ser, appro.
H2085: NURSING FACILITY PROVIDER ASSESSMENTS; CONTINUATION	The statutory repeal date of statutes governing nursing facility provider assessments is extended eight years to October 1, 2031.	First sponsor: Rep. Osborne (R - Dist 13)			1/18 referred to House hel-hu ser.
H2088: ALTCS; PREADMISSION SCREENING	Preadmission screening conducted by the Arizona Long-Term Care System must be conducted telephonically, unless the Arizona Health Care Cost Containment System Administration determines it is necessary to conduct the assessment in person.	First sponsor: Rep. Osborne (R - Dist 13)			1/18 referred to House hel-hu ser.
H2089: ESSENTIAL DRUGS; PRICE INCREASE; LIMITS	A manufacturer or wholesale distributor is prohibited from engaging in "price gouging" in the sale of an "essential off-patent or generic drug" (both defined). The State Medical Assistance Program is authorized to notify the Attorney General of any increase in the price of an essential off-patent or generic drug if specified conditions apply. Within 45 days after a request from the Attorney General, the manufacturer of an essential off-patent or generic drug identified in a notice is required to submit a statement to the Attorney General that provides specified information on the cost of producing the drug and any other information that the manufacturer believes to be relevant to a determination of whether a violation has occurred. Establishes civil penalties for violations.	First sponsor: Rep. Salman (D - Dist 26) Others: Rep. Butler (D - Dist 28), Rep. Cano (D - Dist 3), Rep. Dalessandro (D - Dist 2), Rep. M. Hernandez (D - Dist 26), Rep. Liguori (D - Dist 28), Sen. Mendez (D - Dist 26), Sen. Terán (D - Dist 30)			
H2093: MEDICATION ABORTION; TELEHEALTH; ULTRASOUND	Statute prohibiting the use of telemedicine for abortions is repealed. A telehealth encounter for a medication abortion is exempt from various abortion-related requirements, including informed consent and review of ultrasound results. Modifies the requirements for Department of Health Services rules relating to medical screening and evaluation of abortion clinic patients to require an ultrasound evaluation only for patients expected to be at least 11 weeks' gestation by medical history and last menstrual period, except for a patient using a telehealth encounter for a medication abortion or a determination of last menstrual period.	First sponsor: Rep. Salman (D - Dist 26) Others: Rep. Butler (D - Dist 28), Rep. Cano (D - Dist 3), Rep. D. Hernandez (D - Dist 2), Rep. Liguori (D - Dist 28), Sen. Terán (D - Dist 30)			
H2098: PSYCHIATRIC ASSESSMENT; NURSE PRACTITIONERS; REPORTING	A psychiatric and mental health nurse practitioner is added to the list of health professionals that are authorized to conduct an outpatient assessment of a child exhibiting behavior that indicates that the child may suffer from a mental disorder or is a danger to self or others.	First sponsor: Rep. Salman (D - Dist 26) Others: Rep. Butler (D - Dist 28), Rep. Cano (D - Dist 3), Rep. Dalessandro (D - Dist 2), Rep. M. Hernandez (D - Dist 26), Rep. Liguori (D - Dist 28), Sen. Mendez (D - Dist 26), Sen. Terán (D - Dist 30)	Hearing: House Health & Human Services (Monday 01/24/22 at 2:00 PM, House Rm. 4)		1/19 referred to House hel-hu ser.
H2100: HEALTH INFORMATION ORGANIZATIONS; CONFIDENTIALITY; DATA.	A nonprofit health information organization that is designated by the Department of Health Services as Arizona's official health information exchange organization is authorized to receive, use and redisclose the confidential information received in the child immunization reporting system and communicable disease related information for any purpose allowed by the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act privacy standards.	First sponsor: Rep. Cobb (R - Dist 5)			1/13 referred to House hel-hu ser.
H2111: APPROPRIATION; HEALTHY FAMILIES PROGRAM	Appropriates \$10 million from the general fund in FY2022-23 to the Department of Child Safety for the Healthy Families Program.	First sponsor: Rep. Blackman (R - Dist 6)	Hearing: House Health & Human Services (Monday 01/24/22 at 2:00 PM, House Rm. 4)		1/13 referred to House hel-hu ser, appro.

H2121: WORKERS' COMPENSATION; MEDICAL-ONLY LOSS	For any workers' compensation claim involving "medical-only loss" (defined as loss that has no indemnity value reflecting lost wages), any experience rating adjustment as determined by a national nonprofit insurance rating organization must be applied to reduce the impact of the loss in the employer's experience modification calculation.	First sponsor: Rep. Kaiser (R - Dist 15)			1/18 referred to House com.
H2129: TECH CORRECTION; HEALTH SERVICES; MONITORING	Minor change in Title 36 (Public Health and Safety) related to alcohol and drug abuse. Apparent striker bus.	First sponsor: Rep. Griffin (R - Dist 14)			
H2155: HEALTH INFORMATION ORGANIZATIONS; RESEARCH; DISCLOSURES	A health information organization is prohibited from transferring individually identifiable health information or de-identified health information that is accessible through the health information exchange to any person or entity for the purpose of research unless the transfer complies with applicable federal and state laws that regulate the disclosure of individually identifiable health information or de-identified health information for research. If an individual has opted out, the individual's identifiable health information cannot be transferred for research. A person who receives an individual's de-identified health information from a health information organization may not use that de-identified health information, either alone or in combination with other information, to identify the individual.	First sponsor: Rep. Cobb (R - Dist 5)			1/18 referred to House hel-hu ser.
H2156: PHARMACY BOARD; INFORMATION CHANGE REQUIREMENT	A pharmacist designated as the pharmacist in charge for a pharmacy permit is required to give notice within one business day, instead of immediate notice, to the Board of Pharmacy office staff of the beginning and end of such responsibility.	First sponsor: Rep. Cobb (R - Dist 5)			1/18 referred to House hel-hu ser.
H2163: HOSPITALS; CHARGE LIMIT; DRUGS; DEVICES	A hospital is prohibited from charging more than the Medicare part B reimbursement rate, or ten percent over the hospital's acquisition cost if there is no applicable Medicare part B reimbursement rate, for prescription medication or a prescription-only device.	First sponsor: Rep. Kaiser (R - Dist 15)			
H2281: MEDICAL FREEDOM; PARENTAL RIGHTS	Students are no longer prohibited from attending school without submitting documentary proof of required immunizations to the school administrator. Schools are prohibited from requiring a student to receive the recommended immunizations and from refusing to admit or otherwise penalizing a student because that student has not received the recommended immunizations. If a parent chooses to have the student immunized, the parent is required to submit documentary proof to the school administrator to verify that the pupil has received the recommended immunizations if an outbreak occurs. A student who lacks documentary proof of immunization may be excluded from school only if the student lacks an immunization for which there is an active case of a disease that the immunization is intended to prevent in that student's school and if the Department of Health Services or a local health department has declared an outbreak of that disease for an area that includes the student's school.	First sponsor: Rep. Fillmore (R - Dist 16) Others: Rep. Carroll (R - Dist 22), Rep. Carter (R - Dist 8), Rep. Chaplik (R - Dist 23)			1/19 referred to House hel-hu ser, educ.
H2302: INSURANCE COVERAGE; PROSTHETICS; ORTHOTICS	Health and disability insurers are required to provide coverage for "prosthetic devices" and "orthotic devices" (both defined) that is at least equivalent to the coverage currently provided under Title 18 of the federal Social Security Act, and the coverage cannot be provided under less favorable terms or conditions than any other medical or surgical benefits. Insurers are prohibited from imposing deductibles, copayments, coinsurance, benefit maximums, waiting periods or other limitations on coverage for prosthetic devices or orthotic devices that are different	First sponsor: Rep. Dalessandro (D - Dist 2)			

	from those imposed on benefits or services not related to prosthetic devices or orthotic devices.				
H2305: MEDICARE SUPPLEMENT INSURANCE; GUARANTEED AVAILABILITY	Every insurer that offers Medicare supplement insurance is required to provide guaranteed availability of coverage to any eligible individual who desires to enroll in Medicare supplement insurance coverage. Every insurer that offers Medicare supplement insurance is prohibited from declining to offer that coverage to, or deny enrollment of, an eligible individual, from imposing any preexisting condition exclusion for that coverage, and from charging an additional premium for a preexisting condition.	First sponsor: Rep. Dalessandro (D - Dist 2)			
H2356: EMPLOYERS; BUSINESSES; COVID-19 VACCINE RECORD	A public or private employer that requires employees to receive a COVID-19 vaccine as a condition of employment is required to accept either a COVID-19 vaccination record or a COVID-19 antibody test. Any business that requires patrons to present documentation regarding COVID-19 vaccination status is required to accept either a COVID-19 vaccination record or a COVID-19 antibody test.	First sponsor: Rep. Biasucci (R - Dist 5) Others: Rep. Burges (R - Dist 1), Rep. Carter (R - Dist 8), Rep. Finchem (R - Dist 11), Rep. Martinez (R - Dist 11), Rep. Parker (R - Dist 16), Rep. Pingerelli (R - Dist 21), Rep. Wilmeth (R - Dist 15)			1/20 referred to House com.
H2382: APPROPRIATION; HEALTH PROGRAMS; DISABILITIES	Appropriates \$1 million from the general fund in FY2022-23 to the Department of Health Services for grants to statewide organizations that are dedicated to promoting evidence-based, inclusive health programs for persons with intellectual and developmental disabilities.	First sponsor: Rep. Kaiser (R - Dist 15)	Hearing: House Health & Human Services (Monday 01/24/22 at 2:00 PM, House Rm. 4) Hearing: House Appropriations (Wednesday 01/26/22 at 1:30 PM, House Rm. 1)		1/19 referred to House hel-hu ser, appro.
H2384: HEALTH CARE; REAL-TIME COMMUNICATION; GRANTS	The Arizona Department of Administration (ADOA) is required to administer a three-year competitive grant program to provide a technology solution to support hospitals, health care providers, and teleconsulting initiatives. Establishes requirements for the technology solution. The grant recipient is required to report on the grant program to the Legislature and Directors of ADOA and the Arizona Health Care Cost Containment System by July 1 of each year. The grant program self-repeals July 1, 2026. Appropriates \$12 million from the general fund in each of FY2022-23, FY2023-24, and FY2024-25 to ADOA for the grant program.	First sponsor: Rep. Kaiser (R - Dist 15)			
H2386: HEALTH CARE INSTITUTIONS; EDUCATION; ABUSE	The Department of Health Services and the Department of Economic Security are required to jointly develop a curriculum to educate and train all persons who are employed in a capacity of caring for vulnerable adults on the signs of neglect and abuse, including sexual abuse. Beginning January 1, 2022, each health care institution, group home and intermediate care facility for individuals with intellectual disabilities is required to provide mandatory education and training using the curriculum to each person working in the health care institution, group home or intermediate care facility that provides care to vulnerable adults. The person is required to complete the education and training before beginning employment and to update the education and training annually. Emergency clause.	First sponsor: Rep. Longdon (D - Dist 24) Others: Rep. Dunn (R - Dist 13)			
H2387: MINIMUM STAFF RATIOS; NURSING HOMES	Establishes minimum direct care staff-to-resident ratios for nursing care institutions as follows: 1 certified nurse aide to every 8 residents for the day shift, 1 "direct care staff member" (defined) to every 10 residents for the evening shift, and 1 direct care staff member to every 14 residents for the night shift. Some exceptions.	First sponsor: Rep. Longdon (D - Dist 24) Others: Rep. Dunn (R - Dist 13)			
H2388: NURSING HOMES; ADVISORY COUNCIL	Establishes a 10-member Nursing Care Institution Advisory Council in the Department of Health Services (DHS) to advise DHS on matters related to the oversight of nursing care institutions and on issues concerning nursing care institution	First sponsor: Rep. Longdon (D - Dist 24) Others: Rep. Dunn (R - Dist 13)			

	residents and their families. The Council is responsible for analyzing the results of inspections and surveys of nursing care institutions and receiving public comments. The Council is required to annually submit a report of its analysis and any recommendations to the Governor and the Legislature.				
H2394: GROUP HOMES; MONITORING; APPROPRIATION	Establishes a 3-year Developmental Disabilities Group Home Monitoring Pilot Program in the Department of Economic Security (DES), which requires a designated entity to monitor and inspect in person all of the group homes once each year and take a list of other specified regulatory actions. DES is required to develop a process to determine which of its clients are at a higher risk of abuse or neglect. By an unspecified date (blank in original), the designated entity is required to report to the Governor and the Legislature on the outcomes of the Pilot Program. Appropriates \$1.2 million from the general fund in FY2022-23 to DES for the Pilot Program.	First sponsor: Rep. Dunn (R - Dist 13) Others: Rep. Longdon (D - Dist 24)			
H2429: PHYSICIANS; WELLNESS PROGRAMS; CONFIDENTIALITY	Any statewide association that is exempt from taxation under federal code 501(c)(6) and that primarily represents certain licensed health care professionals is authorized to establish a "physician wellness program" (defined). A record of a health professional's participation in a physician wellness program is confidential and not subject to discovery, subpoena or a reporting requirements unless the disclosure is required to meet a licensee's obligation to report a criminal charge or unprofessional conduct, or the health professional voluntarily provides for written release of the information.	First sponsor: Rep. Shah (D - Dist 24) Others: Rep. Osborne (R - Dist 13)	Hearing: House Health & Human Services (Monday 01/24/22 at 2:00 PM, House Rm. 4)		1/19 referred to House hel-hu ser.
H2433: HIV TESTING; CONSENT; REPEAL	Repeals statute requiring informed consent from a patient before a health care provider orders an HIV-related test.	First sponsor: Rep. Shah (D - Dist 24) Others: Rep. Chavez (D - Dist 29), Rep. Longdon (D - Dist 24), Rep. Wilmeth (R - Dist 15)			
H2438: MASSAGE THERAPISTS; FINGERPRINTING; WEBSITE INFORMATION	Beginning January 1, 2023, an applicant for a license as a massage therapist is required to submit a valid fingerprint clearance card. Specified information about massage therapist licensees is required to be searchable on the public website of the Board of Massage Therapy.	First sponsor: Rep. Longdon (D - Dist 24) Others: Rep. Blackwater-Nygren (D - Dist 7), Rep. Bolding (D - Dist 27), Rep. Cobb (R - Dist 5), Rep. DeGrazia (D - Dist 10), Rep. Dunn (R - Dist 13), Rep. Jermaine (D - Dist 18), Rep. Osborne (R - Dist 13), Rep. Sierra (D - Dist 19), Rep. Tsosie (D - Dist 7)			
H2441: HEALTHY FAMILIES PROGRAM; APPROPRIATION	Appropriates \$10.75 million from the general fund in FY2022-23 to the Department of Child Safety for the Healthy Families Program.	First sponsor: Rep. Powers Hannley (D - Dist 9) Others: Rep. Blackwater-Nygren (D - Dist 7), Rep. Bolding (D - Dist 27), Sen. Gonzales (D - Dist 3), Rep. Jermaine (D - Dist 18), Rep. Longdon (D - Dist 24), Rep. Pawlik (D - Dist 17), Rep. Schwiebert (D - Dist 20), Rep. Solorio (D - Dist 30), Sen. Stahl Hamilton (D - Dist 10), Sen. Terán (D - Dist 30)			
H2442: APPROPRIATION; COMMUNITY HEALTH GRANTS	Appropriates \$10 million from the general fund in FY2022-23 to the Department of Health Services (DHS) to provide grants to community health centers, critical access hospitals and area health education centers to recruit, hire and retain health-related professionals. DHS is required to prioritize grants to regions experiencing high medical workforce shortages and grants that will be used to hire health-related professionals with a focus on pregnancy, childbirth and postpartum care. By October 1 of 2022, 2023, and 2024, DHS is required to submit a report on the grants to the Governor and the Legislature.	First sponsor: Rep. Powers Hannley (D - Dist 9) Others: Rep. Blackwater-Nygren (D - Dist 7), Rep. Bolding (D - Dist 27), Sen. Gonzales (D - Dist 3), Rep. Jermaine (D - Dist 18), Rep. Longdon (D - Dist 24), Rep. Pawlik (D - Dist 17), Rep. Schwiebert (D - Dist 20), Rep. Solorio (D - Dist 30), Sen. Stahl Hamilton (D - Dist 10), Sen. Terán (D - Dist 30)			
H2474: REFUSING TREATMENT; RIGHT; REQUIREMENTS	A health care institution is prohibited from imposing any mode of treatment, including vaccination, on a patient who declines the treatment and is prohibited from threatening to withhold any service from a patient as a result of the refusal. A patient has the right to	First sponsor: Rep. Carroll (R - Dist 22) Others: Sen. Barto (R - Dist 15), Rep. Biasucci (R - Dist 5), Rep. Blackman (R - Dist 6), Rep. Bolick (R - Dist 20), Rep. Burges (R - Dist 1), Rep. Cook (R - Dist 8), Rep. Diaz (R - Dist 14), Rep.			

	leave a health care institution at any time. A health care institution in violation is required to pay damages of \$20,000 per violation per patient, adjusted for inflation, in addition to the reasonable attorney fees and costs of suit. Contains a legislative intent section.	Dunn (R - Dist 13), Rep. Fillmore (R - Dist 16), Rep. Kavanagh (R - Dist 23), Sen. Leach (R - Dist 11), Sen. Livingston (R - Dist 22), Rep. Martinez (R - Dist 11), Rep. Nguyen (R - Dist 1), Rep. Parker (R - Dist 16), Rep. Payne (R - Dist 21), Rep. Pingerelli (R - Dist 21), Rep. Weninger (R - Dist 17), Rep. Wilmeth (R - Dist 15)			
H2475: EMPLOYERS; COVID-19 VACCINE MANDATE; PROHIBITION	An employer is prohibited from requiring an employee to receive the COVID-19 vaccine as a condition or benefit of employment, promotion or any form of compensation. Does not prohibit any employer from providing a onetime financial incentive to employees who receive the COVID-19 vaccine. Any employee who has an interest that is or may be adversely affected may commence a civil action in superior court on the person's own behalf against an employer that violates this section. An employer that violates this section must pay statutory damages in the amount of \$20,000 per violation per employee, adjusted annually by the percentage change for the previous year in the average consumer price index.	First sponsor: Rep. Carroll (R - Dist 22) Others: Sen. Barto (R - Dist 15), Rep. Biasiucci (R - Dist 5), Rep. Blackman (R - Dist 6), Rep. Bolick (R - Dist 20), Rep. Burges (R - Dist 1), Rep. Diaz (R - Dist 14), Rep. Dunn (R - Dist 13), Rep. Fillmore (R - Dist 16), Sen. Gowan (R - Dist 14), Rep. Kavanagh (R - Dist 23), Sen. Leach (R - Dist 11), Sen. Livingston (R - Dist 22), Rep. Nguyen (R - Dist 1), Rep. Parker (R - Dist 16), Rep. Payne (R - Dist 21), Rep. Pingerelli (R - Dist 21), Rep. Wilmeth (R - Dist 15)			
H2486: HEALTH PROVIDERS; INSURERS; ESTIMATED COSTS	Beginning January 1, 2023, a health insurer that offers a health care plan in Arizona is required to establish a comparable health care service incentive program that includes an interactive mechanism on its publicly accessible website or a toll-free telephone number that enables an enrollee to request and obtain information on the payments made to network health care facilities or health care providers for comparable health care services as well as quality data for those facilities or providers to the extent available. Beginning with the next health insurance rate filing after the effective date of this legislation, a health insurer that offers a health care plan in Arizona is required to establish a shared savings program for all health care plans it offers in Arizona in the individual and small group market and that are not offered on a health care exchange. The shared savings program must directly incentivize enrollees to shop for care provided by in-network health care providers or facilities for comparable health care services less than the average amount paid by the health insurer.	First sponsor: Rep. Wilmeth (R - Dist 15)			
H2490: PHARMACISTS; PROVIDERS; COLLABORATIVE PRACTICE AGREEMENTS	Licensed pharmacists are required to enter into a "collaborative practice agreement" (defined) with a provider to outline the duties that the provider is delegating to the pharmacist to perform, and specifying the medical conditions to be managed by the pharmacist. Statute regulating a pharmacist initiating, monitoring and modifying drug therapy and use is repealed.	First sponsor: Rep. Wilmeth (R - Dist 15)			
H2498: COVID-19; VACCINATION REQUIREMENTS; PROHIBITION	Any "government entity" (defined) is prohibited from requiring a resident of Arizona to receive a vaccination for COVID-19 or any variant of COVID-19.	First sponsor: Rep. Hoffman (R - Dist 12) Others: Rep. Barton (R - Dist 6), Rep. Blackman (R - Dist 6), Rep. Burges (R - Dist 1), Rep. Carroll (R - Dist 22), Rep. Carter (R - Dist 8), Rep. Chaplik (R - Dist 23), Rep. Fillmore (R - Dist 16), Rep. Kaiser (R - Dist 15), Rep. Nguyen (R - Dist 1), Rep. Parker (R - Dist 16), Rep. Pingerelli (R - Dist 21), Rep. Toma (R - Dist 22), Rep. Wilmeth (R - Dist 15)			
H2523: APPROPRIATIONS; MEDICAL WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT	Makes a supplemental appropriation of \$5 million from the general fund in FY2022-23 to Pima County Community College District and a supplemental appropriation of \$5 million from the general fund in FY2022-23 to Maricopa County Community College District. The districts are required to use the appropriations to train health-related professionals and develop a medical workforce development plan that includes a component for increasing the number of graduating professionals who will serve in rural counties in Arizona.	First sponsor: Rep. Powers Hannley (D - Dist 9) Others: Rep. Cano (D - Dist 3)			

H2528: AREA AGENCIES ON AGING; APPROPRIATION	Appropriates \$1.5 million from the general fund in FY2022-23 to the Department of Economic Security to distribute to area agencies on aging for home and community-based services. The Legislature intends that this appropriation be considered ongoing funding in future years.	First sponsor: Rep. A. Hernandez (D - Dist 3) Others: Rep. Blackwater-Nygren (D - Dist 7), Rep. Bolding (D - Dist 27), Rep. Cano (D - Dist 3), Rep. Chavez (D - Dist 29), Rep. Cobb (R - Dist 5), Rep. Dunn (R - Dist 13), Sen. Gonzales (D - Dist 3), Rep. John (R - Dist 4), Rep. Longdon (D - Dist 24), Rep. Meza (D - Dist 30), Rep. Pawlik (D - Dist 17), Rep. Schwiebert (D - Dist 20)			
H2569: PRESCRIPTION DRUG COVERAGE; LIMITATIONS	A pharmacy benefit manager, health insurer, or third-party payor is prohibited from requiring a "clinician-administered drug" (defined) to be dispensed by a pharmacy as a condition of coverage, and from covering a prescription drug as a different benefit or tier if the drug is dispensed or administered at the prescriber's office or any other outpatient clinical setting. Applies to contracts entered into, amended, extended, or renewed on or after the effective date of this legislation.	First sponsor: Rep. Wilmeth (R - Dist 15)			
HCR2003: COVID-19 MANDATES; PROHIBITION	The members of the Legislature express support for H.R. 5360 or any similar legislation that preserves the right of individuals to choose to remain unvaccinated against COVID-19.	First sponsor: Rep. Griffin (R - Dist 14) Others: Rep. Blackman (R - Dist 6), Rep. Burges (R - Dist 1), Rep. Carroll (R - Dist 22), Rep. Hoffman (R - Dist 12)			
S1015: MEDICAL RECORDS; MINORS; PARENT ACCESS	Notwithstanding any other law, the right to access and review all medical records of a minor child is reserved to the child's parent, unless the parent is prohibited from having any contact with the minor child by an order of the court. Previously, a parent had the right to access and review all medical records of the minor child unless otherwise prohibited by law.	First sponsor: Sen. Townsend (R - Dist 16)			1/19 Senate hel-hu ser held.
S1016: PHARMACIES; OFF-LABEL USE; REFUSAL PROHIBITION	During a proclaimed public health state of emergency, a pharmacy is prohibited from refusing to fill a prescription order for a prescription-only drug that is being prescribed for an "off-label use" (defined) and that is potentially life saving.	First sponsor: Sen. Townsend (R - Dist 16)			1/10 referred to Senate hel-hu ser.
S1021: HEALTH CARE LIENS; LIMITATION	The liens and assignments authorized by statute for an entity that operates a health care institution or provides health care services are enforceable by a cause of action and are subject to a list of specified conditions. The first \$20,000 of any third-party judgment, settlement or award is exempt from any lien or assignment. If the services provided are covered by the injured person's health insurance or similar medical benefit plan with which the health care provider has a contract, the contract must expressly allow the claimant to assert a lien or assignment or the lien or assignment is invalid and cannot be enforced by a cause of action, except that a claimant may enforce a lien or assignment for the amount of a patient's responsibility for outstanding copayments and deductibles. Health care providers are required to compromise any lien or assignment granted to provide a settlement of the claim that is fair and equitable. Factors that must be considered in determining the extent of the compromise are listed. Applies to liens that are filed for services that are provided beginning January 1, 2023.	First sponsor: Sen. Ugenti-Rita (R - Dist 23)	Hearing: Senate Rules (Monday 01/24/22 at 1:00 PM, Caucus Rm. 1)		1/19 from Senate fin do pass.
S1041: APPROPRIATION; HYPERBARIC OXYGEN THERAPY; VETERANS	Appropriates \$3.64 million from the general fund in FY2022-23 to the Hyperbaric Oxygen Therapy for Military Veterans Fund.	First sponsor: Sen. Rogers (R - Dist 6)	Hearing: Senate Appropriations (Tuesday 01/25/22 at 2:00 PM, Senate Rm. 109)		1/10 referred to Senate appro.
S1049: PARENTS' BILL OF RIGHTS; VIOLATION	A person who violates the parents' bill of rights contained in statute is guilty of a class 2 (mid-level) misdemeanor. A parent or legal guardian of a minor child has legal standing to sue any person who violates the parent's or guardian's rights under the parents' bill of rights. If a school district or charter school is alleged to have violated the parents' bill of rights, the	First sponsor: Sen. Townsend (R - Dist 16)	Hearing: Senate Judiciary (Thursday 01/27/22 at 9:00 AM, Senate Rm. 1)		1/10 referred to Senate jud.

	Attorney General or county attorney is authorized to initiate a suit in superior court. The court is authorized to impose a civil penalty of up to \$5,000 on a school district or charter school for each violation.				
S1052: MEDICAL PROCEDURES; PROHIBITIONS	The state, any political subdivision of the state that receives and uses tax revenues, and any person doing business in Arizona are prohibited from requiring any Arizona resident to submit to a medical procedure, including a vaccination, if a potential complication from or adverse reaction to the medical procedure may cause the person's death. Also repeals statute prohibiting state and local governments from establishing a COVID-19 vaccine passport, from requiring any person to be vaccinated for COVID-19, and from requiring a business to obtain proof of the COVID-19 vaccination status of any patron entering the business establishment, which was originally signed into law as Laws 2021, chapter 409 (part of the FY2021-22 budget), but was deemed unconstitutional by the Arizona Supreme Court in Arizona School Boards Association et al v. State of Arizona.	First sponsor: Sen. Townsend (R - Dist 16) Others: Rep. Blackman (R - Dist 6)			1/10 referred to Senate hel-hu ser.
S1053: RELIGIOUS EXEMPTION; VACCINE; VIOLATION; CLASSIFICATION	It is a class 2 (mid-level) misdemeanor for a person to knowingly violate statute requiring an employer to provide a reasonable accommodation to an employee whose sincerely held religious beliefs prevent the employee from taking the COVID-19 vaccination.	First sponsor: Sen. Townsend (R - Dist 16) Others: Rep. Blackman (R - Dist 6)			1/10 referred to Senate com.
S1080: ACUPUNCTURE; SCOPE OF PRACTICE; ASSISTANTS	For the purpose of statute governing the Acupuncture Board of Examiners, the definition of "acupuncture" is expanded to include prescribing adjunctive therapies, using decision-support tools, and ordering diagnostic imaging and clinical laboratory procedures to determine the nature of care and/or to form a basis for referral to other licensed health care professionals. "Acupuncture assistants" (defined) are authorized to assist a licensed acupuncturist pursuant to rules adopted by the Board, and working as an acupuncture assistant without supervision of a licensed acupuncturist is prohibited. By July 1, 2023, the Board is required to adopt rules for the purpose of this legislation. Until the Board adopts rules, a licensed acupuncturist may supervise an unlicensed person who has completed a training program for acupuncture assistants that includes specified training.	First sponsor: Sen. Barto (R - Dist 15)	Hearing: Senate Health & Human Services (Wednesday 01/26/22 at 9:00 AM, Senate Rm. 1)		1/10 referred to Senate hel-hu ser.
S1088: PHYSICIANS; NATUROPATHIC MEDICINE	The list of victims of assault that cause an assault to be classified as aggravated assault if the defendant knows of their profession is expanded to include health care practitioners who are certified or licensed by the Naturopathic Physicians Medical Board. Physicians licensed by the Board are added to the definition of "health care provider" or "physician" for statutes relating to school immunizations and the health and safety of students participating in school district-sponsored athletic activities, and are added to the list of health care professionals in statute governing civil liability for neglect of a vulnerable adult.	First sponsor: Sen. Barto (R - Dist 15)	Hearing: Senate Rules (Monday 01/24/22 at 1:00 PM, Caucus Rm. 1)		1/20 from Senate hel-hu ser with amend #4003.
S1111: OPIOIDS; INFORMED CONSENT; INPATIENT SETTINGS	A health professional who is prescribing an opioid for short-term use for acute pain as part of treatment in an emergency department or outpatient department of a health care institution is not required to obtain informed consent from the patient. An administrator of a health care institution where opioids are ordered for administration to a patient in an inpatient setting is not required to obtain informed consent from the patient to administer opioids. A health professional who is authorized to prescribe controlled substances is not required to conduct an opioid risk assessment	First sponsor: Sen. Barto (R - Dist 15)			1/10 referred to Senate hel-hu ser.

	before administering opioids to a patient in an inpatient setting.				
S1130: CHILD; VULNERABLE ADULT; ABUSE	It is a class 2 (second highest) felony for a health care professional to intentionally or knowingly engage in any of the following practices or cause any of the following practices to be performed on a child or vulnerable adult to attempt to change the child's or vulnerable adult's sex or to affirm the child's or vulnerable adult's perception of their sex if that perception is inconsistent with the child's or vulnerable adult's sex: performing surgeries that sterilize; performing a mastectomy; administering, prescribing or supplying specified medications that induce transient or permanent infertility; and removing any otherwise healthy or non-diseased body part or tissue. If done recklessly, the criminal classification is reduced a class 3 (upper mid-level) felony, and if done with criminal negligence, the criminal classification is reduced to a class 4 (lower mid-level) felony. Does not apply to a health care professional who acts in accordance with a good faith medical decision of a parent or guardian of a child or vulnerable adult who is born with a medically verifiable genetic disorder of sex development. These medical practices are added to the definition of "abuse" and committing child abuse under this definition against a minor who is under 15 years of age is classified as a dangerous crime against children.	First sponsor: Sen. Rogers (R - Dist 6)	Hearing: Senate Judiciary (Thursday 01/27/22 at 9:00 AM, Senate Rm. 1)		1/20 Senate jud held.
S1138: GENDER TRANSITION; PROHIBITIONS; PUBLIC MONIES	Health care professionals are prohibited from providing "gender transition procedures" (defined) to any individual who is under 18 years of age, and from referring any individual who is under 18 years of age to any health care professional for gender transition procedures. Public monies, including through the Arizona Health Care Cost Containment System, are prohibited from being directly or indirectly used or paid to any entity or individual that provides gender transition procedures to an individual who is under 18 years of age. A person is allowed to assert an actual or threatened violation of these prohibitions as a claim or defense in a judicial or administrative proceeding and obtain compensatory damages, injunctive relief, declaratory relief or any other appropriate relief. A person is required to bring a claim for a violation no later than two years after the day the cause of action accrues. The Attorney General is authorized to bring an action to enforce compliance with this legislation. The Legislature, by joint resolution, may appoint one or more of its members who sponsored or cosponsored this act in the member's official capacity to intervene or defend the statute as a matter of right in any case in which the constitutionality or enforceability of this act or any portion of this act or any rule adopted pursuant to this act is challenged. Contains legislative findings. Effective April 1, 2023.	First sponsor: Sen. Petersen (R - Dist 12)			1/11 referred to Senate hel-hu ser.
S1161: PRESCRIPTION DRUG COVERAGE; STEERING PROHIBITION	A pharmacy benefit manager is prohibited from steering or directing a patient to use the pharmacy benefit manager's affiliated provider through any oral or written communication, from requiring a patient to use the pharmacy benefit manager's affiliated provider in order for the patient to receive the maximum benefit for the service under the patient's health benefits plan, and from requiring or inducing a patient to use the pharmacy benefit manager's affiliated provider, including by providing for reduced cost sharing if the patient uses the affiliated provider. A pharmacy benefit manager, health insurer or third-party payor is prohibited from requiring a clinician-administered drug to be dispensed by a	First sponsor: Sen. Barto (R - Dist 15)			1/19 from Senate hel- hu ser do pass.

	pharmacy, including by an affiliated provider, as a condition of coverage. Applies to contracts entered into, amended, extended, or renewed on or after the effective date of this legislation. Severability clause.				
S1162: OPIOID PRESCRIPTIONS; INTRACTABLE PAIN; EXCEPTIONS	The limit of 90 morphine milligram equivalents per day on a prescription for a schedule II controlled substance that is an opioid does not apply to a patient who has "intractable pain" or "chronic intractable pain" (both defined) or to a patient who is receiving opioid treatment for perioperative surgical pain.	First sponsor: Sen. Barto (R - Dist 15)	Hearing: Senate Health & Human Services (Wednesday 01/26/22 at 9:00 AM, Senate Rm. 1)		1/13 referred to Senate hel-hu ser.
S1163: INDIVIDUALIZED INVESTIGATIONAL TREATMENT; AVAILABILITY; PROHIBITIONS	A manufacturer operating within an "eligible facility" (defined as a healthcare institution that operates under federalwide assurance regulations) is authorized to make available to an "eligible patient" (defined as a patient with a life-threatening or severely debilitating illness that meets other specified conditions) an "individualized investigational treatment" (defined as a drug, biological product, or device that is produced exclusively for use by the patient based on his/her genetic profile). A health plan or other third-party payor is allowed but not required to cover the cost of an individualized investigational treatment. If a patient dies while being treated with an individualized investigational treatment, the patient's heirs are not liable for any outstanding debt related to the treatment.	First sponsor: Sen. Barto (R - Dist 15) Others: Rep. Bolick (R - Dist 20), Sen. Gowan (R - Dist 14), Sen. Kerr (R - Dist 13), Sen. Livingston (R - Dist 22), Sen. Petersen (R - Dist 12), Sen. Townsend (R - Dist 16)			1/13 referred to Senate hel-hu ser.
S1167: HEALTH INFORMATION ORGANIZATIONS; CONFIDENTIALITY; DATA	A nonprofit health information organization that is designated by the Department of Health Services as Arizona's official health information exchange organization is authorized to receive, use and redisclose the confidential information received in the child immunization reporting system and communicable disease related information for any purpose allowed by the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act privacy standards.	First sponsor: Sen. Shope (R - Dist 8)			1/13 referred to Senate hel-hu ser.
S1200: PHARMACY BOARD; DUTIES; REGULATION	Various changes to statutes relating to the Board of Pharmacy. The list of prohibited acts is expanded to include wholesaling or distributing a prescription drug or device, a controlled substance, a nonprescription drug, medical gas or durable medical equipment without a valid Board-issued permit, and in the case of a manufacturer, manufacturing, possessing or shipping into Arizona a manufactured prescription drug or device, a controlled substance, a nonprescription drug, a precursor chemical or any other regulated chemical without a valid Board-issued permit. Board permittees are required to notify the Board within 15 days of various information changes, including a change to hours of operation. The list of acts constituting unprofessional conduct for Board permittees is expanded to include failing to routinely operate according to the permittee's hours of operation and failing to report an unexpected serious adverse drug event from a compounded prescription that resulted in a patient being hospitalized or that resulted in death and that meets other specified conditions. The Board is authorized to delegate to the Executive Director the authority to issue a subpoena to solicit information about a complaint or investigation and the authority to enter into agreements between a state or federal regulatory agency. More.	First sponsor: Sen. Pace (R - Dist 25)			1/18 referred to Senate hel-hu ser.
S1202: NURSING CARE; ASSISTED LIVING; CONTINUATION	The statutory life of the Board of Examiners of Nursing Care Institution Administrators and Assisted Living Facility Managers is extended two years to July 1, 2024. Retroactive to April 1, 2022. Emergency clause.	First sponsor: Sen. Pace (R - Dist 25)			1/18 referred to Senate hel-hu ser.
S1232:	The statutory life of the Arizona	First sponsor: Sen. Barto (R -			1/20

PHARMACY BOARD; CONTINUATION	State Board of Pharmacy is extended four years to July 1, 2026. Retroactive to July 1, 2022.	Dist 15)			referred to Senate hel-hu ser.
S1242: NURSING CARE; ASSISTED LIVING; REGULATION	Beginning January 1, 2023, the Board of Examiners of Nursing Care Institution Administrators and Assisted Living Facility Managers must require each applicant for initial nursing care institution administrator or assisted living facility manager certification to submit a full set of fingerprints to the Board for a state and federal criminal history records check. Applicants for a license as a nursing care institution administrator or assisted living facility manager cannot have been convicted of any felony involving violence or financial fraud. By September 1, 2022, the Department of Health Services (DHS) in collaboration with the Board are required to establish and implement an expedited process for identifying and referring complaints relating to licensees and certificate holders who are under the jurisdiction of the Board. By October 1, 2022, DHS is required to report to specified legislative committees on the expedited process.	First sponsor: Sen. Pace (R - Dist 25)			1/20 referred to Senate hel-hu ser.

BILL NUMBER/ SHORT TITLE	SUMMARY	SPONSORS	POSTED HEARINGS & CALENDARS	COMMENTS	LAST ACTION
<b>Womans Health</b>					
H2097: REPEAL; IMPRISONMENT; ABORTION; ADVERTISING	Repeals statute requiring a punishment of two to five years of imprisonment for a person who provides or administers any drugs or substance or who uses any instrument or other means with intent to procure a miscarriage for a woman. Repeals statute requiring a punishment of two to five years of imprisonment for a woman who solicits any drugs or substance or who submits to an operation or use of any means with intent to procure a miscarriage. Repeals statute making a person guilty of a misdemeanor for willfully composing or publishing a notice or advertisement of any medicine for producing or facilitating a miscarriage or abortion, or for preventing conception, or for offering services by a notice or advertisement to assist in the accomplishment of a miscarriage or abortion.	First sponsor: Rep. Salman (D - Dist 26) Others: Rep. Butler (D - Dist 28), Rep. Cano (D - Dist 3), Rep. Dalessandro (D - Dist 2), Rep. M. Hernandez (D - Dist 26), Rep. Liguori (D - Dist 28), Sen. Mendez (D - Dist 26), Sen. Terán (D - Dist 30)			
H2312: AHCCCS; POSTPARTUM CARE; APPROPRIATIONS	A woman who is less than one year postpartum with a family income that does not exceed 150 percent of the federal poverty guidelines is added to the definition of "eligible person" for the Arizona Health Care Cost Containment System (AHCCCS). Appropriates \$13 million from the general fund and \$900,000 from Medicaid expenditure authority in FY2022-23 to the AHCCCS Administration for eligible postpartum women.	First sponsor: Rep. Jermaine (D - Dist 18) Others: Rep. Blackwater-Nygren (D - Dist 7), Rep. Bolding (D - Dist 27), Sen. Bowie (D - Dist 18), Rep. Dalessandro (D - Dist 2), Rep. DeGrazia (D - Dist 10), Sen. Gabaldon (D - Dist 2), Rep. Longdon (D - Dist 24), Rep. Pawlik (D - Dist 17), Rep. Powers Hannley (D - Dist 9), Rep. Schwiebert (D - Dist 20), Rep. Shah (D - Dist 24), Rep. Tsosie (D - Dist 7)			1/20 referred to House hel-hu ser, appro.
H2313: APPROPRIATIONS; AHCCCS; POSTPARTUM VISITS	Appropriates \$1 million from the general fund and \$2.45 million from Medicaid expenditure authority in FY2022-23 to the Arizona Health Care Cost Containment System (AHCCCS) Administration for incentive payments for increasing enrollee six-week postpartum visit rates.	First sponsor: Rep. Jermaine (D - Dist 18) Others: Rep. Blackwater-Nygren (D - Dist 7), Rep. Bolding (D - Dist 27), Sen. Bowie (D - Dist 18), Rep. Dalessandro (D - Dist 2), Rep. DeGrazia (D - Dist 10), Sen. Gabaldon (D - Dist 2), Rep. Liguori (D - Dist 28), Rep. Longdon (D - Dist 24), Rep. Pawlik (D - Dist 17), Rep. Schwiebert (D - Dist 20), Rep. Shah (D - Dist 24), Rep. Tsosie (D - Dist 7)			1/20 referred to House hel-hu ser, appro.
H2483: ABORTION; FETAL HEARTBEAT; CIVIL ACTION	A physician is prohibited from knowingly performing or inducing an abortion unless the physician determines whether the unborn child has a detectable "fetal heartbeat," and is prohibited from knowingly performing or inducing an abortion if a fetal heartbeat is detected. Does not apply if a medical emergency exists. Establishes required documentation for a medical emergency abortion. A person is authorized to bring a civil action against a person who	First sponsor: Rep. Martinez (R - Dist 11) Others: Rep. Biasiucci (R - Dist 5), Rep. Blackman (R - Dist 6), Sen. Boyer (R - Dist 20), Rep. Carroll (R - Dist 22), Rep. Diaz (R - Dist 14), Rep. Fillmore (R - Dist 16), Rep. Parker (R - Dist 16)			

	performs or induces an abortion in violation of this prohibition, knowingly aids or abets performing or inducing an abortion in violation of this prohibition, including paying for an abortion, or intends to take any of these actions. In this type of civil action, the court is required to award to the prevailing party injunctive relief, statutory damages of \$10,000 or more for each abortion performed or induced in violation, and attorney fees and costs. Establishes a list of circumstances that are not a defense to an action brought under this provision. A defendant against whom an action is brought does not have standing to assert the rights of women seeking an abortion as a defense to liability unless the U.S. Supreme Court holds that the state must confer that standing on that defendant or the defendant has standing under the tests for third-party standing established by the U.S. Supreme Court. These provisions prevail over any conflicting law. Applies only to abortions performed or induced on or after the effective date of this legislation. Contains legislative findings. Severability clause. Much more.				
H2529: BREAST CANCER GENE; SCREENING; COVERAGE	Health and disability insurers that issue or renew a subscription contract or evidence of coverage in Arizona on or after January 1, 2023 are required to provide coverage for screening, genetic counseling and testing for harmful mutations in the "BRCA gene" (defined) for subscribers under circumstances where the screening, genetic counseling or testing is necessary. Primary care providers are required to attempt to determine whether each adult patient has a personal or family history of specified types of cancer or meets any other criteria for recommended screening for a risk of a harmful mutation in the BRCA gene, and provide genetic counseling to the patient or refer the patient to genetic counseling.	First sponsor: Rep. Schwiebert (D - Dist 20) Others: Rep. Andrade (D - Dist 29), Rep. Blackwater-Nygren (D - Dist 7), Rep. Bolding (D - Dist 27), Rep. Butler (D - Dist 28), Rep. Cano (D - Dist 3), Rep. Fernandez (D - Dist 4), Sen. Gonzales (D - Dist 3), Rep. Jermaine (D - Dist 18), Rep. Liguori (D - Dist 28), Rep. Powers Hannley (D - Dist 9), Rep. Solorio (D - Dist 30), Sen. Stahl Hamilton (D - Dist 10)			

BILL NUMBER/ SHORT TITLE	SUMMARY	SPONSORS	POSTED HEARINGS & CALENDARS	COMMENTS	LAST ACTION
<b>Cannabis</b>					
H2082: MARIJUANA; SAMPLING; ADVERTISING; SALE	Department of Health Services rules for the regulation of marijuana establishments must include prohibiting a marijuana establishment retail site from providing samples of marijuana or marijuana products for on-site use and at no cost to a consumer. Marijuana establishments are prohibited from selling marijuana or marijuana products to persons who are "obviously intoxicated" (defined). Marijuana establishments and nonprofit medical marijuana dispensaries are prohibited from advertising marijuana or marijuana products to individuals who are under 21 years of age, and from sponsoring any social or cultural event or any team in an event unless all of the attendees are 21 years of age or older. Due to voter protection, this legislation requires the affirmative vote of at least 3/4 of the members of each house of the Legislature for passage.	First sponsor: Rep. Osborne (R - Dist 13)	Hearing: House Health & Human Services (Monday 01/24/22 at 2:00 PM, House Rm. 4)		1/19 referred to House hel-hu ser.
H2260: MEDICAL MARIJUANA; MEDICAL CONDITIONS	The list of debilitating medical conditions that qualifies a person to receive a medical marijuana registry identification card is expanded to include any debilitating condition of autism spectrum disorder and post-traumatic stress disorder for veterans. A physician who provides written certification for a qualifying patient who is under 18 years of age and whose debilitating medical condition is autism is required to recommend to the qualifying patient's designated caregiver the marijuana's potency and quantity and the frequency of use, assess the qualifying patient	First sponsor: Rep. Espinoza (D - Dist 19) Others: Rep. Dalessandro (D - Dist 2)			

	on a monthly basis until the physician is satisfied that the qualifying patient is taking a stable dose for the most beneficial results, and continue to monitor the qualifying patient every six months. Due to voter protection, this legislation requires the affirmative vote of at least 3/4 of the members of each house of the Legislature for passage.				
H2545: MARIJUANA; SOCIAL EQUITY OWNERSHIP LICENSES	The holder of a social equity ownership marijuana establishment license is prohibited from transferring the license within the first ten years of issuance. After the initial ten years, the licensee is authorized to transfer the license to an individual who would otherwise have qualified for an initial marijuana establishment license. Due to voter protection, this legislation requires the affirmative vote of at least 3/4 of the members of each house of the Legislature for passage.	First sponsor: Rep. Payne (R - Dist 21) Others: Rep. Cook (R - Dist 8)			
S1209: TOBACCO USE; SALE; MINIMUM AGE	Increases the minimum legal age to purchase or possess a tobacco product, vapor product, and related paraphernalia to 21 years of age, from 18 years of age.	First sponsor: Sen. Pace (R - Dist 25) Others: Sen. Leach (R - Dist 11), Rep. Osborne (R - Dist 13)			1/18 referred to Senate com.
S1245: TOBACCO; VAPOR; ALTERNATIVE NICOTINE; REGULATION	t is unlawful for a retail tobacco vendor or their representative to sell or provide an "alternative nicotine products," "tobacco products," or "vapor products" (all defined) to persons under 21 years of age. The powers and duties of the Department of Liquor Licenses and Control (DLLC) are expanded to include enforcing statute regulating alternative nicotine products, tobacco products, or vapor products. Beginning January 1, 2024, a retail tobacco vendor is prohibited from distributing alternative nicotine products, tobacco products or vapor products in Arizona without a valid tobacco retail sales license issued by DLLC. DLLC is authorized to determine the fee for an application for an initial license or renewal license. A license is valid for one year and is not transferable. Establishes requirements for licensees to obtain identification from a person ordering or purchasing these products in order to determine that the person is not under the legal use age. Establishes civil penalties for violations and conditions under which a license may be suspended or revoked. Establishes appeal rights and procedures. Various regulations of tobacco products are expanded to include alternative nicotine products and vapor products. Declares that the regulation of the sale and marketing of alternative nicotine products, tobacco products, and vapor products is a matter of statewide concern and is not subject to the authority of counties and municipalities. More. Effective January 1, 2023. Severability clause. Due to voter protection, one section of this legislation requires the affirmative vote of at least 3/4 of the members of each house of the Legislature for passage.	First sponsor: Sen. Leach (R - Dist 11) Others: Sen. Barto (R - Dist 15), Sen. Borrelli (R - Dist 5), Sen. Fann (R - Dist 1), Rep. Kavanagh (R - Dist 23), Sen. Kerr (R - Dist 13), Sen. Livingston (R - Dist 22), Sen. Shope (R - Dist 8), Rep. Toma (R - Dist 22), Rep. Weninger (R - Dist 17), Rep. Wilmeth (R - Dist 15)			1/20 referred to Senate com.

BILL NUMBER/ SHORT TITLE	SUMMARY	SPONSORS	POSTED HEARINGS & CALENDARS	COMMENTS	LAST ACTION
<b>Civil Rights and Liberties, Minority Issues</b>					
H2119: CIVIL RIGHTS RESTORATION; REQUIREMENTS; PROCESS	On completion of probation for an offense committed outside of Arizona or absolute discharge from a prison in another state or the Federal Bureau of Prisons, a person who has not previously been convicted of a felony offense is eligible for automatic restoration of any civil rights that were lost or suspended as a result of the conviction if the person pays all victim restitution imposed. Automatic restoration of civil rights does not apply to a person's right to possess a firearm only if the person was convicted of a dangerous	First sponsor: Rep. Kaiser (R - Dist 15)	Hearing: House Judiciary (Wednesday 01/26/22 at 9:00 AM, House Rm. 4)		1/13 referred to House jud.

	<p>offense or serious offense, instead of for all felony offenses. If a person is eligible for automatic restoration of civil rights, at the time of the completion of probation or absolute discharge from imprisonment, the probation department or the State Department of Corrections is required to inform the person in writing that the person's rights have been automatically restored. If a person is not eligible for automatic restoration of civil rights, at the time of the completion of probation or absolute discharge from imprisonment, the probation department or State Department of Corrections is required to inform the person in writing of the person's right to the restoration of civil rights.</p>			
H2421: STUDY COMMITTEE; STUDENT-LED SCHOOL CLUBS	<p>Establishes a Student-Led School Clubs Study Committee to consider legislative proposals to require publicly funded schools to allow student-led school clubs to operate and recruit on campus. The Committee is required to submit a report of its findings and recommendations to the Governor and the Legislature by July 1, 2023, and self-repeals January 1, 2024.</p>	<p>First sponsor: Rep. Epstein (D - Dist 18) Others: Rep. Blackwater-Nygren (D - Dist 7), Rep. Bolding (D - Dist 27), Rep. Liguori (D - Dist 28), Rep. Longdon (D - Dist 24), Rep. Pawlik (D - Dist 17), Rep. Powers Hannley (D - Dist 9), Rep. Solorio (D - Dist 30), Sen. Terán (D - Dist 30)</p>		

BILL NUMBER/ SHORT TITLE	SUMMARY	SPONSORS	POSTED HEARINGS & CALENDARS	COMMENTS	LAST ACTION
<b>Crime and Law Enforcement</b>					
H2081: LAW ENFORCEMENT VIDEO RECORDINGS; REDACTIONS	<p>Before a law enforcement agency releases a copy of a video recording from a law enforcement officer's body-worn camera to the public, the law enforcement agency must redact any portion of the video recording that shows the face or an identifiable body part of any person who appears in the video recording if the person is not the subject of a police investigation or enforcement action and the person was located in a private location or in a public location with an expectation of privacy, the person is a victim of or witness to a crime, or the person was in a state of undress and specified areas of the person's body were not covered. Does not apply to a person who provides the law enforcement agency with a written waiver to release the video recording without any redactions or to any law enforcement officers who are on duty.</p>	<p>First sponsor: Rep. Kavanagh (R - Dist 23)</p>	<p>Hearing: House Military Affairs &amp; Public Safety (Monday 01/24/22 at 2:00 PM, House Rm. 1)</p>		<p>1/18 referred to House mil-pub safety.</p>
H2132: MINIMUM BALANCE NOTIFICATION; VICTIM FUND	<p>On or before June 30 of each fiscal year, the Arizona Criminal Justice Commission is required to notify the Joint Legislative Budget Committee and the Governor's Office of Strategic Planning and Budgeting if less than \$12.5 million is deposited in the Victim Compensation and Assistance Fund and available for the current fiscal year. In any fiscal year in which the amount of monies deposited in the fund is less than \$12.5 million, the Legislature is required to appropriate monies from the general fund to bring the balance in the Fund to \$12.5 million.</p>	<p>First sponsor: Rep. Kavanagh (R - Dist 23)</p>			
H2133: CRIMINAL JUSTICE MONIES; PENALTY ASSESSMENTS	<p>The additional penalty assessment levied on every fine, penalty and forfeiture imposed by the courts for criminal offenses and on any civil penalty imposed for a civil traffic violation is increased to \$4, from \$2. The assessment cannot be waived, suspended, or delayed. On or before June 30 of each fiscal year, the State Treasurer is required to notify the Joint Legislative Budget Committee and the Governor's Office of Strategic Planning and Budgeting if less than \$45,746,935 is deposited in the Criminal Justice Enhancement Fund and available for the current fiscal year. In any fiscal year in which the amount is less than \$45,746,935, the Legislature is required to appropriate monies from the general fund to bring the balance in the Fund to \$45,746,935.</p>	<p>First sponsor: Rep. Kavanagh (R - Dist 23)</p>			
H2301:	<p>When sentencing a defendant who</p>	<p>First sponsor: Rep. John (R - Dist</p>			

MANDATORY MINIMUM SENTENCES; JUDICIAL DISCRETION	is convicted of an offense that requires a mandatory prison sentence, the court is authorized to impose a shorter prison sentence or suspend the sentence and impose a term of probation if the court finds that the imposition of the mandatory prison sentence would result in an injustice to the defendant and is not necessary for the protection of the public. Does not apply to a conviction for a list of specified crimes. The Administrative Office of the Courts is required to annually report to the Arizona Criminal Justice Commission on each case in which the court departed from a mandatory prison sentence.	4) Others: Rep. Cook (R - Dist 8), Rep. Udall (R - Dist 25)			
H2319: LAW ENFORCEMENT ACTIVITY; RECORDING PROHIBITION	It is a petty offense for a person to knowingly make a video recording of law enforcement activity without the permission of a law enforcement officer if the person is within 15 feet of where the law enforcement activity is occurring. If a person fails to comply with a verbal warning of a violation or has a previous conviction of a violation of this legislation, the criminal classification is increased to a class 3 (lowest) misdemeanor.	First sponsor: Rep. Kavanagh (R - Dist 23)			
H2425: VIDEO RECORDINGS; DISCLOSURE; REPEAL	Repeals statute limiting the circumstances under which the Department of Public Safety is authorized to release a copy of a video recording of peace officers.	First sponsor: Rep. Epstein (D - Dist 18) Others: Rep. Bolding (D - Dist 27), Rep. Solorio (D - Dist 30), Sen. Terán (D - Dist 30)			
H2515: PEACE OFFICERS; CAMERAS; RECORDINGS; DISCLOSURES.	Adds an article to Title 38 (Public Officers and Employees) governing law enforcement officer cameras and recordings. By July 1, 2024, every local law enforcement agency in Arizona and the Department of Public Safety (DPS) is required to provide a body-worn camera for each peace officer who is employed by the agency or DPS and who has contact with the public. Peace officers are required to wear and activate a body-worn camera, or activate a dash camera if the peace officer's vehicle is equipped with a dash camera, when responding to a call for service or during any contact with the public that is initiated by the peace officer, whether consensual or nonconsensual, to enforce a law or investigate the possible violation of a law. Establishes a list of circumstances under which a peace officer is allowed to turn off a body-worn or dash camera or does not need to wear or activate a camera. Establishes penalties for violation of the camera requirements, including suspension and termination. Except in cases of malfunction, if a peace officer fails to activate a body-worn camera or dash camera when required, or tampers with body-worn or dash camera footage or operation when required to activate the camera, there is a permissive inference against the peace officer in any investigation or legal proceeding, excluding criminal proceedings, that the missing footage would have reflected misconduct by the peace officer, and any statement that is sought to be introduced in a prosecution through the peace officer that is related to the incident has a rebuttable presumption of inadmissibility. DPS and local law enforcement agencies are required to establish and follow a retention schedule for body-worn and dash camera recordings that complies with the rules and directions adopted by the Arizona State Library, Archives and Public Records. Establishes requirements for the release of video and audio recordings, and a process for objecting to its release. More. Effective January 1, 2023.	First sponsor: Rep. Bolding (D - Dist 27) Others: Rep. Cano (D - Dist 3), Rep. Epstein (D - Dist 18), Rep. Longdon (D - Dist 24), Rep. Powers Hannley (D - Dist 9)			
H2516: PEACE OFFICER DATABASE; DISCIPLINARY ACTIONS	The Arizona Peace Officer Standards and Training Board is required to establish and make available on its website a law enforcement officer database that includes the names and discipline record, if any, of every law	First sponsor: Rep. Bolding (D - Dist 27) Others: Rep. Cano (D - Dist 3), Rep. Epstein (D - Dist 18), Rep. Longdon (D - Dist 24), Rep. Powers Hannley (D - Dist 9)			

	<p>enforcement officer in Arizona that is accessible only to a law enforcement agency that is conducting a background investigation of an applicant for the position of a law enforcement officer. Law enforcement agencies are required to check the database before hiring an applicant for the position of a law enforcement officer. Law enforcement agencies are required to report to the Board specified information within ten days after a final ruling or determination on certain disciplinary actions of law enforcement officers. A person is authorized to bring an action in superior court to enforce these requirements.</p>				
H2517: PEACE OFFICERS; DUTY TO INTERVENE	<p>A peace officer who observes another peace officer using an unreasonable, unnecessary or disproportionate level of physical force or deadly physical force against another person is required to reasonably act to prevent the other peace officer from using that level of force if a reasonable peace officer would intervene and the intervening peace officer can safely act. A peace officer who fails to intervene is guilty of a class 1 (highest) misdemeanor.</p>	<p>First sponsor: Rep. Bolding (D - Dist 27) Others: Rep. Cano (D - Dist 3), Rep. Epstein (D - Dist 18), Rep. Longdon (D - Dist 24), Rep. Powers Hannley (D - Dist 9), Rep. Solorio (D - Dist 30)</p>			
H2518: PEACE OFFICERS; LIABILITY; UNLAWFUL ACT	<p>A peace officer who, in the performance of the peace officer's duties or the failure to intervene, subjects another person or causes another person to be subjected to the deprivation of any individual right that creates a binding obligation on a government actor and that is secured by the rights enumerated in state Constitution, is liable to the injured party for legal or equitable relief or any other appropriate relief. Qualified immunity is not a defense to this liability. A peace officer's employer is required to indemnify a peace officer for any liability incurred by the peace officer and for any judgment or settlement entered against the peace officer for a claim arising from this liability unless the peace officer's employer determines that the peace officer did not act on a good faith and reasonable belief that the action was lawful. If the peace officer did not act on a good faith and reasonable belief that the action was lawful, the peace officer is personally liable for five percent of the judgment or settlement or \$25,000, whichever is less. A civil action under these provisions must be commenced within two years after the cause of action accrues.</p>	<p>First sponsor: Rep. Bolding (D - Dist 27) Others: Rep. Cano (D - Dist 3), Rep. Longdon (D - Dist 24), Rep. Powers Hannley (D - Dist 9)</p>			
H2519: USE OF FORCE; LAW ENFORCEMENT	<p>Statutes governing justification for the use of physical force or the use of deadly physical force in law enforcement are repealed and replaced. Impossible to determine new provisions without a line by line comparison.</p>	<p>First sponsor: Rep. Bolding (D - Dist 27) Others: Rep. Cano (D - Dist 3), Rep. Epstein (D - Dist 18), Rep. Longdon (D - Dist 24), Rep. Powers Hannley (D - Dist 9)</p>			
H2531: AZPOST; MEMBERSHIP	<p>Increases the number of members of the Arizona Peace Officer Standards and Training Board to 15, from 13, by adding one chief of police and one certified law enforcement officer from the police department of a federally recognized Native American tribe.</p>	<p>First sponsor: Rep. Blackwater-Nygren (D - Dist 7) Others: Rep. Cano (D - Dist 3), Sen. Gonzales (D - Dist 3), Rep. Longdon (D - Dist 24), Rep. Shah (D - Dist 24), Sen. Stahl Hamilton (D - Dist 10)</p>			
H2541: DEPUTY SHERIFF; DETENTION OFFICER; SALARY	<p>The starting salary for a deputy county sheriff cannot be less than five percent lower than the average starting salary of law enforcement officers of the two highest paying law enforcement agencies within the same county. The starting salary for a county detention officer cannot be less than ten percent lower than the average starting salary of detention and corrections officers of the three highest paying county detention facilities in Arizona and the State Department of Corrections.</p>	<p>First sponsor: Rep. Payne (R - Dist 21) Others: Rep. Biasiucci (R - Dist 5), Rep. Blackman (R - Dist 6), Sen. Borrelli (R - Dist 5), Rep. Carter (R - Dist 8), Rep. Cook (R - Dist 8), Rep. Kaiser (R - Dist 15), Rep. Martinez (R - Dist 11), Rep. Wilmeth (R - Dist 15)</p>			
H2542: APPROPRIATIONS; SCHOOL SAFETY; INTEROPERABILITY	<p>Appropriates \$5.16 million from the general fund in FY2022-23 to the School Safety Interoperability Fund</p>	<p>First sponsor: Rep. Payne (R - Dist 21) Others: Rep. Biasiucci (R - Dist 5), Rep. Blackman (R - Dist 6),</p>			

	for distribution to 12 county sheriffs in specified amounts.	Sen. Borrelli (R - Dist 5), Rep. Cook (R - Dist 8), Sen. Gowan (R - Dist 14), Rep. Kaiser (R - Dist 15), Rep. Martinez (R - Dist 11)		
H2543: APPROPRIATION; TRAINING SIMULATORS	Appropriates \$800,000 from the general fund in FY2022-23 to the State Treasurer to distribute to the Arizona State University Police Department and the county sheriffs of Coconino, Gila, and Santa Cruz counties to purchase training simulators.	First sponsor: Rep. Payne (R - Dist 21) Others: Rep. Biasiucci (R - Dist 5), Sen. Borrelli (R - Dist 5), Rep. Cook (R - Dist 8), Sen. Gowan (R - Dist 14), Rep. Martinez (R - Dist 11)		
H2544: LAW ENFORCEMENT; FIRE; EMPLOYMENT STATUS	Probation officers and corrections officers are added to the definition of "law enforcement employee" for the purpose of statute considering a law enforcement employee who is injured or killed while traveling directly to or from work to be in the course and scope of employment solely for the purpose of eligibility for workers' compensation benefits.	First sponsor: Rep. Payne (R - Dist 21)		
S1033: RIOT; UNLAWFUL ASSEMBLY; CLASSIFICATION; LIABILITY	Establishes the crime of mob intimidation, a class 1 (highest) misdemeanor, if a person, assembled with two or more other persons and acting with common intent, uses force or threatens to use imminent force to compel or attempt to compel another person to do or refrain from doing any act or to assume, abandon or maintain a particular viewpoint against the person's will. The list of circumstances under which assault is classified as aggravated assault, a class 6 (lowest) felony, is expanded to include if the person commits the assault on a peace officer in the furtherance of a riot or unlawful assembly. A person convicted of aggravated assault on a peace officer in these circumstances must be sentenced to serve no less than the minimum sentence and is not eligible for probation or suspension of execution of sentence until the entire sentence is served. Burglary committed during a riot where the perpetration of the burglary is facilitated by "conditions arising from the riot" (defined) is classified as burglary in the first degree. The criminal classification of abuse of venerated objects by desecrating any public monument, memorial, or property of a public park is increased to a class 6 (lowest) felony, from a class 2 (mid-level) misdemeanor. A person who is convicted of any offense that is committed in furtherance of a riot or an unlawful assembly must be sentenced to the next higher class of offense than that for which the person is convicted. A municipality has a duty to allow a municipality law enforcement agency to respond appropriately to protect persons and property during a riot or unlawful assembly based on the availability of adequate equipment to its city and town law enforcement officers and relevant state and federal laws. If a municipal governing body or a person who is authorized by the municipal governing body breaches that duty, the municipality is liable in a civil action for any damages, including damages arising from personal injury, wrongful death or property damages proximately caused by the breach of duty.	First sponsor: Sen. Rogers (R - Dist 6)		1/10 referred to Senate jud.
S1060: SURVIVAL OF ACTION; DECEASED SHERIFF.	Repeals statute that allowed any action for the malfeasance or nonfeasance of a sheriff or his deputies to be prosecuted against the personal representative of the sheriff in the same manner as if the cause of action survived at common law.	First sponsor: Sen. Borrelli (R - Dist 5) Others: Sen. Fann (R - Dist 1)	Hearing: Senate Rules (Monday 01/24/22 at 1:00 PM, Caucus Rm. 1)	1/20 Senate jud do pass; report awaited.
S1122: HUMAN REMAINS; SEARCH; RESCUE; CANINES	A search and rescue unit established or recognized by a county is authorized to possess human remains for the purpose of training canines used for search and rescue work. The sheriff is required to keep an inventory of all human remains that are kept for the purpose of training search and rescue canines. The list of entities to which an anatomical gift may be	First sponsor: Sen. Rogers (R - Dist 6)		1/11 referred to Senate gov.

	made is expanded to include a search a rescue unit established or recognized by any federal, state, county, or local government entity to train search and rescue canines.				
S1302: CRIMINAL STREET GANG DATABASE; APPEAL	Before a local law enforcement agency designates a person as a suspected gang member, associate or affiliate in a "shared gang database" (defined), the agency is required to provide written notice of the designation to the person and the person's parent or guardian if the person is under 18 years of age. Some exceptions. Establishes a process for the person, the person's parent or guardian if the person is under 18 years of age, or an attorney working on behalf of the person to contest the designation of the person in the shared gang database.	First sponsor: Sen. Quezada (D - Dist 29) Others: Rep. Andrade (D - Dist 29), Rep. M. Hernandez (D - Dist 26), Sen. Terán (D - Dist 30)			

BILL NUMBER/ SHORT TITLE	SUMMARY	SPONSORS	POSTED HEARINGS & CALENDARS	COMMENTS	LAST ACTION
<b>Law/Judiciary</b>					
H2104: COMMUNITY PROPERTY AWARD; CONVICTED SPOUSE	In an action for disposition of property upon the dissolution of the marriage or legal separation, if one spouse is required to make ongoing installment payments to a "convicted spouse" (defined), the spouse making the payment is permitted to petition the court to cancel that ongoing payment.	First sponsor: Rep. Griffin (R - Dist 14)	Hearing: House Judiciary (Wednesday 01/26/22 at 9:00 AM, House Rm. 4)		1/18 referred to House jud.
H2115: ELECTRONIC DEVICES; FILTERS; HARMFUL MATERIAL	Adds a new chapter to Title 44 (Trade and Commerce) regulating personal electronic "devices" (defined as a tablet or smartphone). A manufacturer of a tablet or smart phone is required to manufacture a device that, when activated in Arizona, automatically enables a filter that prevents the user from accessing or downloading material that is "harmful to minors" (defined) on mobile data networks, applications owned and controlled by the manufacturer, wired internet networks, and wireless internet networks, and that meets other specified requirements. A manufacturer is subject to civil and criminal liability if a device is activated in Arizona that does not comply with these requirements and the minor accesses material that is harmful to minors on the device. Some exceptions. Establishes civil penalties for violations. The Attorney General or a private individual are authorized to bring an action to enforce these requirements. More. Effective January 1, 2023.	First sponsor: Rep. Udall (R - Dist 25) Others: Rep. John (R - Dist 4), Rep. Toma (R - Dist 22)			1/13 referred to House jud.
H2301: MANDATORY MINIMUM SENTENCES; JUDICIAL DISCRETION	When sentencing a defendant who is convicted of an offense that requires a mandatory prison sentence, the court is authorized to impose a shorter prison sentence or suspend the sentence and impose a term of probation if the court finds that the imposition of the mandatory prison sentence would result in an injustice to the defendant and is not necessary for the protection of the public. Does not apply to a conviction for a list of specified crimes. The Administrative Office of the Courts is required to annually report to the Arizona Criminal Justice Commission on each case in which the court departed from a mandatory prison sentence.	First sponsor: Rep. John (R - Dist 4) Others: Rep. Cook (R - Dist 8), Rep. Udall (R - Dist 25)			
H2417: FAMILY COURT; ONGOING TRAINING	The presiding judge of the superior court in each county must require all judges, family law referees, court commissioners and relevant professional personnel of the family court to complete ongoing training at least once every three years. The training is required to include the latest best practices and research in domestic violence advocacy that are designed to improve the ability of the family court to recognize and respond to cases involving domestic violence.	First sponsor: Rep. Parker (R - Dist 16)			
S1137: CHANGE OF JUDGE; GROUNDS;	If a party to a civil action files an affidavit for change of judge that	First sponsor: Sen. Petersen (R - Dist 12)	Hearing: Senate Judiciary		1/11 referred to Senate

DECISION	alleges bias and prejudice, the affidavit must be granted as a matter of right, and the court has no discretion to determine the merits of the affidavit. Contains a legislative intent section.	Others: Sen. Barto (R - Dist 15), Rep. Blackman (R - Dist 6), Sen. Fann (R - Dist 1), Sen. Rogers (R - Dist 6), Sen. Townsend (R - Dist 16)	(Thursday 01/27/22 at 9:00 AM, Senate Rm. 1)		jud.
S1254: MEDICAL PRODUCT; PROCEDURE; MANDATES; LIABILITY	An employer that mandates or coerces its employees to receive a "medical product" or "medical procedure" (both defined), the employer is liable to an employee for any injury and all damages that are caused by the medical product or medical procedure, and is liable to an employee's dependent for the death of the employee if the death resulted from the mandated or coerced medical product or medical procedure. Establishes a presumption that the medical product or medical procedure caused an injury if the injury arises within 120 days after receiving the product or procedure.	First sponsor: Sen. Rogers (R - Dist 6) Others: Sen. Borrelli (R - Dist 5), Sen. Gowan (R - Dist 14), Sen. Townsend (R - Dist 16)			1/20 referred to Senate jud, com.

BILL NUMBER/ SHORT TITLE	SUMMARY	SPONSORS	POSTED HEARINGS & CALENDARS	COMMENTS	LAST ACTION
<b>Families</b>					
H2310: DCS; INVESTIGATION; SCHOOLS; CHILDREN; DISABILITIES	A child safety worker or a child safety investigator is authorized to enter a school that teaches a "child with a disability" (defined) to investigate a report of abuse of such a child at the school.	First sponsor: Rep. Jermaine (D - Dist 18) Others: Rep. Blackman (R - Dist 6), Rep. Blackwater-Nygren (D - Dist 7), Sen. Bowie (D - Dist 18), Rep. Butler (D - Dist 28), Rep. Dalessandro (D - Dist 2), Rep. DeGrazia (D - Dist 10), Rep. Epstein (D - Dist 18), Rep. Longdon (D - Dist 24), Rep. Pawlik (D - Dist 17), Rep. Powers Hannley (D - Dist 9), Rep. Tsosie (D - Dist 7)			1/20 referred to House hel-hu ser.
H2418: PARENTING TIME; CHILD PREFERENCE; ADVOCATE	When the court is determining legal decision-making and parenting time, if the child is at least 12 years of age, the wishes of the child as to legal decision-making and parenting time must be presumptive, unless the court determines that the child's wishes are not in the best interest of the child. At the court's discretion, the court is authorized to appoint an advocate to represent the best interests of the child in determining custody and parenting time.	First sponsor: Rep. Parker (R - Dist 16)			
H2458: HOMELESS YOUTH; FAMILIES; FUNDING SOURCES	Requires \$2 million of tax revenue collected from nonresident sales of real property located in Arizona to be distributed to the general fund, after which any remaining monies are distributed to the Housing Trust Fund. Up to \$10 million of the monies deposited in the Housing Trust Fund from tax collections from nonresident sales of real property located in Arizona must be used exclusively for capital projects, rental assistance and services for homeless youth and families, and must supplement and not supplant homeless youth and family funding from other potential sources. The Department of Housing is authorized to use monies deposited from tax collections from nonresident sales of real property located in Arizona in excess of \$10 million for other projects and programs. Effective for taxable period beginning January 1, 2023.	First sponsor: Rep. Cano (D - Dist 3) Others: Rep. Butler (D - Dist 28), Sen. Gabaldon (D - Dist 2), Sen. Gonzales (D - Dist 3), Rep. M. Hernandez (D - Dist 26), Rep. Liguori (D - Dist 28), Rep. Mathis (D - Dist 9), Rep. Quiñonez (D - Dist 27), Rep. Solorio (D - Dist 30)			
S1050: NEGLECTED CHILDREN; DEFINITION	For the purpose of Title 8 (Child Safety), the definition of "neglect" is modified to mean the inability or unwillingness of a parent, guardian or custodian of a child to provide that child with supervision, food, clothing, shelter or medical care if that inability or unwillingness causes substantial risk, instead of unreasonable risk, of harm to the child's health or welfare.	First sponsor: Sen. Townsend (R - Dist 16)	Hearing: Senate Judiciary (Thursday 01/27/22 at 9:00 AM, Senate Rm. 1)		1/10 referred to Senate jud.
S1069: JUVENILE DEPENDENCY; CHILD PLACEMENT	Various changes to statute relating to juvenile dependency. A person who attends an adoption hearing is no longer prohibited from disclosing any information about the hearing. The court is required to appoint an attorney for a child in delinquency proceedings that	First sponsor: Sen. Barto (R - Dist 15)	Hearing: Senate Rules (Monday 01/24/22 at 1:00 PM, Caucus Rm. 1)		1/20 Senate jud do pass; report awaited.

	commence with a petition or that may involve detention, instead of in all delinquency proceedings. If a child in a permanent guardianship proceeding is the subject of a pending dependency petition not filed by the Department of Child Safety (DCS), the court is required to notify DCS of the motion for permanent guardianship within 14 days after filing, and DCS is authorized to conduct an investigation into the allegations in the dependency petition. DCS has 10 days to inform the court and the parties of its position on the guardianship. If DCS objects to the motion for permanent guardianship, DCS is authorized to take action necessary to protect the health and safety of the child.				
S1076: CHILD PLACEMENT; RELATIVE SEARCH; NOTICE	Establishes a list of actions that the Department of Child Safety (DCS) is required to take in the search to identify adult relatives or persons with a significant relationship with a child taken into temporary custody, including a requirement for DCS to continue to conduct an ongoing search until the child is placed for adoption or a court orders the discontinuance of an ongoing search. DCS is required to provide adult relatives and persons with a significant relationship with the child with notice and specified information explaining options to participate in the care or placement of the child. DCS is required to place a child consistent with the best interests of the child and in the least restrictive placement available. Establishes an order of priority for placement of a child.	First sponsor: Sen. Barto (R - Dist 15)			1/10 referred to Senate hel-hu ser.
S1079: CHILD PLACEMENT; PROCEDURAL TIME LIMITS	Establishes a list of reasons for which a procedural time limit established in Department of Child Safety statutes may be waived, extended, or continued, including that substantial evidence exists that extending the limit is in the best interest of the child, or that an extension is necessary to preserve the constitutional rights of a party. The court is prohibited from extending the procedural time limits for more than a total of 60 days within any 12-month period, unless the court finds substantial evidence exists that extending the limit is in the best interest of the child. If the court determines that an extension was due to a party's disclosure violation or lack of due diligence, the court is authorized to impose sanctions on that party.	First sponsor: Sen. Barto (R - Dist 15)	Hearing: Senate Rules (Monday 01/24/22 at 1:00 PM, Caucus Rm. 1)		1/20 Senate jud amended; report awaited.

BILL NUMBER/ SHORT TITLE	SUMMARY	SPONSORS	POSTED HEARINGS & CALENDARS	COMMENTS	LAST ACTION
<b>Environment</b>					
H2410: ENVIRONMENTAL PROGRAMS; AMENDMENTS	Various changes to statutes regulating environmental programs. Repeals the article of statute regulating dry wells, including dry well registration and license to drill. Repeals the dust-free developments program. The Arizona Department of Environmental Quality (ADEQ) is allowed, instead of required, to adopt rules for air pollution emission standards for off-road vehicles. Repeals session law requiring ADEQ to establish a daily visibility index to be used in evaluating and reporting current visibility conditions and progress toward visibility improvement goals in area A. The deadline for the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency to approve proposed modifications to the gasoline fuel formulation requirements as part of the State Implementation Plan for air quality is extended two years, two July 1, 2024. Session law grants direct title of a specified square mile of real property to be conveyed from ADEQ to the Department of Administration.	First sponsor: Rep. Griffin (R - Dist 14)	Hearing: House Natural Resources, Energy & Water (Tuesday 01/25/22 at 2:00 PM, House Rm. 1)		1/20 referred to House nat res-energy-water.
S1097: PROHIBITION; PESTICIDES	It is unlawful for a person to sell or use the pesticides clothianidin, imidacloprid, thiametoxam or chlorpyrifos in Arizona.	First sponsor: Sen. Mendez (D - Dist 26) Others: Rep. Salman (D - Dist 26)			1/10 referred to Senate nat res-energy-water.

S1139: ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY; TASK FORCE	In consultation with the Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ), the Department of Administration is required to ensure that all state agencies, boards, commissions and other public bodies that are involved in decisions that may affect environmental quality adopt and implement "environmental justice" (defined) policies that provide meaningful opportunities for involvement of all people, regardless of race, color, ethnicity, religion, income or education level. DEQ is required to identify existing and proposed industrial and commercial facilities and areas in communities of color and in low-income communities for which compliance, enforcement, remediation, siting and permitting strategies will be targeted to address the disproportionate impacts from these facilities on those communities. The Director of DEQ and the Director of the Department of Health Services are required to convene a Multiagency Environmental Justice Task Force to make recommendations to state agency heads regarding actions to be taken to address environmental justice issues that are consistent with each state agency's existing statutory and regulatory authority. Contains legislative findings.	First sponsor: Sen. Hatathlie (D - Dist 7)			1/12 referred to Senate nat res-energy-water.
S1152: ZERO EMISSION VEHICLES; PLANS	In coordination with the Department of Environmental Quality and the 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 to at least 100,000 by 2028, 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.	First sponsor: Sen. Steele (D - Dist 9)	Hearing: Senate Transportation & Technology (Monday 01/24/22 at 2:00 PM, Senate Rm. 109)		1/12 referred to Senate trans-tech.
S1153: STATE ZERO EMISSION VEHICLE FLEET	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. 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 FY2022-23 to ADOT to acquire telematics technology to develop the state zero emission motor vehicle fleet plan.	First sponsor: Sen. Steele (D - Dist 9) Others: Rep. Jermaine (D - Dist 18)			1/12 referred to Senate trans-tech, appro.
S1154: TRANSPORTATION ELECTRIFICATION STUDY COMMITTEE	Establishes an 11-member Transportation Electrification Study Committee to collaborate with local governments, electric utilities, environmental groups, the transportation industry and interested communities to identify the best ways to encourage an economy-wide transition from carbon-fueled vehicles to electric vehicles. The Committee is required to submit a report of its findings and recommendations to the Governor and the Legislature by July 1, 2023, and self-repeals October 1, 2024.	First sponsor: Sen. Steele (D - Dist 9)	Hearing: Senate Transportation & Technology (Monday 01/24/22 at 2:00 PM, Senate Rm. 109)		1/12 referred to Senate trans-tech.
S1185: GREENHOUSE GAS PROGRAMS; REPEAL PROHIBITION	Repeals statute prohibiting state agencies from adopting or enforcing a state or regional program to regulate the emission of greenhouse gas for the purposes of addressing changes in atmospheric temperature without express legislative authorization.	First sponsor: Sen. Gabaldon (D - Dist 2)			1/13 referred to Senate nat res-energy-water.

BILL NUMBER/ SHORT TITLE	SUMMARY	SPONSORS	POSTED HEARINGS	COMMENTS	LAST ACTION
-----------------------------	---------	----------	--------------------	----------	-------------

**& CALENDARS**

**Sports and Recreation**

H2408: ARIZONA GAME AND FISH; CONTINUATION	The statutory life of the Arizona Game and Fish Commission is extended eight years to July 1, 2030. Retroactive to July 1, 2022.	First sponsor: Rep. Griffin (R - Dist 14)			
HCR2019: ARIZONA'S GET OUTDOORS INITIATIVE	The members of the Legislature support Arizona's Get Outdoors Initiative.	First sponsor: Rep. Cobb (R - Dist 5)			
S1040: G&F; VETERANS; HUNTING; FISHING; LICENSES	The Game and Fish Commission is authorized to reduce the fees for a hunting or fishing license to \$2.50 and the fee for a combination hunting and fishing license to \$5 for a veteran of the U.S. Armed Forces who has been a resident of Arizona for one year or more immediately before applying for the license, and to reduce the fee for a nonresident license for a veteran or member of the U.S. Armed Forces who is not an Arizona resident to the same fee as a resident license. A veteran with a permanent service-connected disability rated as 100 percent disabling who has a complimentary license is allowed to transfer a permit or tag to another person to assist the veteran in the taking of wildlife or taking wildlife on behalf of the veteran as the veteran's proxy.	First sponsor: Sen. Rogers (R - Dist 6)			1/10 referred to Senate nat res-energy-water.
S1170: G&F; TAGS; PERMITS; TRANSFERS; REFUNDS	The Game and Fish Commission is authorized to prescribe a process to allow a person to transfer a big game permit or tag to a qualified organization for use by a minor child whose parent was killed in action while serving in the U.S. Armed Forces, or by a minor child whose parent was killed in the course and scope of employment as a peace officer or professional firefighter. The Commission is authorized to prescribe a manner of refunding the cost of a big game permit or tag to an active duty member of the U.S. Armed Forces who is ordered to leave the state during the time period the permit or tag is valid, or to a peace officer or firefighter who is assigned to special duty during the time period the permit or tag is valid.	First sponsor: Sen. Gowan (R - Dist 14)	Hearing: Senate Natural Resources, Energy & Water (Wednesday 01/26/22 at 2:00 PM, Senate Rm. 109)		1/13 referred to Senate nat res-energy-water.
SCR1010: ARIZONA'S OUTDOORS; RECREATION; SUPPORTING	The members of the Legislature recognize that it is critical for the physical, mental and social well-being of Arizona's residents that the state promote healthy, active lifestyles filled with outdoor experiences of all types for Arizona residents, while respecting private property rights.	First sponsor: Sen. Shope (R - Dist 8)	Hearing: Senate Natural Resources, Energy & Water (Wednesday 01/26/22 at 2:00 PM, Senate Rm. 109)		1/10 referred to Senate nat res-energy-water.

<b>BILL NUMBER/ SHORT TITLE</b>	<b>SUMMARY</b>	<b>SPONSORS</b>	<b>POSTED HEARINGS &amp; CALENDARS</b>	<b>COMMENTS</b>	<b>LAST ACTION</b>
<b>Government Operations and Politics</b>					
H2018: POLITICAL PARTY PROXIES; PROHIBITION	Political parties are prohibited from allowing the use of proxies at meetings.	First sponsor: Rep. Kaiser (R - Dist 15)			1/11 referred to House gov-elect.
H2070: OPEN MEETINGS; CAPACITY; POSTING; VIOLATION	All public bodies are required to provide for a reasonable amount of seating to accommodate the anticipated attendance of all persons desiring to attend the deliberations and proceedings. 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. A head of a public body that violates these requirements is liable for a civil penalty as provided in statute for open meeting law violations.	First sponsor: Rep. Kavanagh (R - Dist 23)	Hearing: House Government & Elections (Wednesday 01/26/22 at 9:00 AM, House Rm. 1)		1/18 referred to House gov-elect.
H2071: EARLY BALLOTS; POSTMARK DATE; RECEIPT	An early ballot and affidavit that is postmarked by U.S. mail on or before the sixth day before election day is valid and eligible to be counted if received no later than five days after election day. Effective January 1, 2023.	First sponsor: Rep. Cook (R - Dist 8)			
H2076: PRESIDENTIAL PREFERENCE ELECTION; INDEPENDENT VOTERS	Voters registered without a political party designation may vote in the presidential preference election and may select the ballot of any political party at that election.	First sponsor: Rep. Pawlik (D - Dist 17) Others: Sen. Bowie (D - Dist 18), Rep. Dalessandro (D - Dist 2), Rep. Epstein (D - Dist 18), Rep. M. Hernandez (D - Dist 26), Rep.			

		Jermaine (D - Dist 18), Rep. Longdon (D - Dist 24), Sen. Marsh (D - Dist 28), Rep. Powers Hannley (D - Dist 9), Rep. Schwiebert (D - Dist 20)			
H2077: CANDIDATES; SCHOOL; LOCAL; ELECTRONIC SIGNATURES	The list of candidates that may gather petition signatures through a secure internet portal system provided by the Secretary of State is expanded to include candidates for school board office and any office for which a county administers the election.	First sponsor: Rep. Pawlik (D - Dist 17) Others: Sen. Bowie (D - Dist 18), Rep. Butler (D - Dist 28), Rep. Chavez (D - Dist 29), Rep. Dalessandro (D - Dist 2), Rep. Epstein (D - Dist 18), Rep. A. Hernandez (D - Dist 3), Rep. D. Hernandez (D - Dist 2), Rep. M. Hernandez (D - Dist 26), Rep. Jermaine (D - Dist 18), Rep. Longdon (D - Dist 24), Sen. Marsh (D - Dist 28), Rep. Powers Hannley (D - Dist 9), Rep. Schwiebert (D - Dist 20), Rep. Shah (D - Dist 24), Rep. Sierra (D - Dist 19), Rep. Solorio (D - Dist 30)			
H2078: INITIATIVE; REFERENDUM; SIGNATURES; ELECTRONIC SUBMITTAL	The Secretary of State is required to provide a system for qualified electors to sign initiative and referendum petitions by way of a secure internet portal. The system is required to verify the qualified elector's identity and allow only qualified electors who are eligible to sign the initiative or referendum petition to do so. The person or organization that files the application for initiative or referendum petition may choose to collect up to one-half of the number of signatures required by use of the online signature collection system.	First sponsor: Rep. Pawlik (D - Dist 17) Others: Sen. Bowie (D - Dist 18), Rep. Butler (D - Dist 28), Rep. Dalessandro (D - Dist 2), Rep. A. Hernandez (D - Dist 3), Rep. D. Hernandez (D - Dist 2), Rep. M. Hernandez (D - Dist 26), Rep. Jermaine (D - Dist 18), Rep. Longdon (D - Dist 24), Sen. Marsh (D - Dist 28), Rep. Powers Hannley (D - Dist 9), Rep. Schwiebert (D - Dist 20), Rep. Shah (D - Dist 24), Rep. Sierra (D - Dist 19), Rep. Solorio (D - Dist 30)			
H2079: COUNTIES; PRECINCT SIZE; MAXIMUM	County boards of supervisors are prohibited from establishing an election precinct that contains more than 1,500 registered voters on the date the boundaries are established. All ballots voted at a voting center or emergency voting center are required to be segregated by election precinct before official tabulation.	First sponsor: Rep. Finchem (R - Dist 11) Others: Rep. Barton (R - Dist 6), Rep. Biasiucci (R - Dist 5), Rep. Burges (R - Dist 1), Rep. Carter (R - Dist 8), Rep. Chaplik (R - Dist 23), Rep. Diaz (R - Dist 14), Rep. Hoffman (R - Dist 12), Rep. Pingerelli (R - Dist 21)			1/19 referred to House gov-elect.
H2080: HAND COUNT; ELECTRONIC TABULATION VERIFICATION	For the regular primary and general elections, all ballots are required to be counted by hand, and machines or devices for electronic tabulation of ballots can be used only for quality control checks or to otherwise verify the hand count of ballots. When the court orders a recount of votes that were tabulated by hand, the recount must be a hand count and the court is allowed to order the use of tabulating equipment to verify the results of the hand recount. Effective January 1, 2023.	First sponsor: Rep. Finchem (R - Dist 11) Others: Rep. Barton (R - Dist 6), Rep. Biasiucci (R - Dist 5), Rep. Burges (R - Dist 1), Rep. Carter (R - Dist 8), Rep. Chaplik (R - Dist 23), Rep. Diaz (R - Dist 14), Rep. Hoffman (R - Dist 12), Rep. Pingerelli (R - Dist 21)			
H2092: BALLOT MEASURE AMENDMENTS	Various changes to statutes relating to initiative and referendum measures. Repeals statute requiring constitutional and statutory requirements for statewide initiative measures to be strictly construed and requiring persons using the initiative process to strictly comply with those constitutional and statutory requirements. At any time before a person or organization submits an application for initiative petition or referendum petition, a political committee that intends to file that application is allowed to submit the proposed description of the principal provisions of the measure to the Attorney General for a determination of whether the description is lawful and sufficient. The Attorney General is required to approve or reject the description within ten days after submittal. If rejected, the Attorney General must state the reasons for the rejection. If approved, any challenge to the description must be filed in the superior court within ten days after the Attorney General's approval. Repeals statute allowing a political committee that intends to support or oppose an initiative or referendum measure to submit a copy of the text of the proposed law, referral or constitutional amendment to the director of the Legislative Council to prepare recommendations to improve the text of the proposed measure. Contains a legislative intent clause.	First sponsor: Rep. Salman (D - Dist 26) Others: Rep. Cano (D - Dist 3), Rep. Dalessandro (D - Dist 2), Rep. M. Hernandez (D - Dist 26), Sen. Mendez (D - Dist 26), Sen. Terán (D - Dist 30)			

H2094: EARLY BALLOT COLLECTION; LIMITATIONS; REPEAL	It is no longer a class 6 (lowest) felony to knowingly collect voted or unvoted early ballots from another person.	First sponsor: Rep. Salman (D - Dist 26) Others: Rep. Cano (D - Dist 3), Rep. Dalessandro (D - Dist 2), Rep. M. Hernandez (D - Dist 26), Rep. Liguori (D - Dist 28), Sen. Mendez (D - Dist 26), Sen. Terán (D - Dist 30)			
H2095: POSTING OF NOTICES; MUNICIPAL WEBSITES	Notices of election, invitations for bids, notices of letting contracts, laws and ordinances, and other notices of a public character issued by authority of the governing body of any municipality are required to be posted on the municipality's website.	First sponsor: Rep. Griffin (R - Dist 14)			
H2107: EMERGENCY POWERS; BUSINESS CLOSURE; REPEAL.	The list of emergency powers of mayors of incorporated municipalities and chairmen of county boards of supervisors is modified to remove the authority to order the closing of any business.	First sponsor: Rep. Biasiucci (R - Dist 5) Others: Rep. Blackman (R - Dist 6), Rep. Bolick (R - Dist 20), Rep. Carroll (R - Dist 22), Rep. Chaplik (R - Dist 23), Rep. Finchem (R - Dist 11), Rep. Hoffman (R - Dist 12)			1/19 referred to House mil-pub safety.
H2162: OPEN MEETING LAW; VIOLATIONS; PENALTY	Increases the civil penalties the court is authorized to impose for violations of open meeting law to up to \$500 for a first offense and up to \$10,000 for a second or subsequent offense, instead of up to \$500 for a second offense and up to \$2,500 for a third or subsequent offense. In addition to or in lieu of the civil penalties, the court is authorized to require a member of the public body to attend training on public meetings as directed by the Attorney General or the Ombudsman-Citizens Aide. Open meeting law violations may be committed recklessly in addition to knowingly.	First sponsor: Rep. Kaiser (R - Dist 15)			1/18 referred to House gov-elect.
H2194: NATIONAL POPULAR VOTE; INTERSTATE AGREEMENT	Establishes an agreement among the states to elect the U.S. President by national popular vote.	First sponsor: Rep. Powers Hannley (D - Dist 9) Others: Rep. Andrade (D - Dist 29), Rep. Blackwater-Nygren (D - Dist 7), Rep. Cano (D - Dist 3), Rep. Dalessandro (D - Dist 2), Rep. Fernandez (D - Dist 4), Rep. Quiñonez (D - Dist 27), Rep. Schwiebert (D - Dist 20), Rep. Solorio (D - Dist 30)			
H2236: VOTER REGISTRATION; REQUEST REQUIRED	An agency, department or division of Arizona or any person acting on its behalf and any political subdivision of Arizona or any person acting on its behalf are prohibited from registering a person to vote unless the person affirmatively requests to register to vote.	First sponsor: Rep. Hoffman (R - Dist 12) Others: Rep. Barton (R - Dist 6), Rep. Blackman (R - Dist 6), Rep. Burges (R - Dist 1), Rep. Carroll (R - Dist 22), Rep. Chaplik (R - Dist 23), Rep. Fillmore (R - Dist 16), Rep. Griffin (R - Dist 14), Rep. Kavanagh (R - Dist 23), Rep. Parker (R - Dist 16), Rep. Pingerelli (R - Dist 21)			1/20 referred to House gov-elect.
H2237: SAME DAY VOTER REGISTRATION; PROHIBITION	An agency, department or division of Arizona or any person acting on its behalf, and any political subdivision or any person acting on its behalf are prohibited from registering a person to vote on an election day and deeming that person eligible to vote in that election. Any person who violates this section is guilty of a class 6 (lowest) felony. Does not apply to a person who properly registers to vote while temporarily absent from Arizona as provided for in statute.	First sponsor: Rep. Hoffman (R - Dist 12) Others: Rep. Barton (R - Dist 6), Rep. Blackman (R - Dist 6), Rep. Burges (R - Dist 1), Rep. Carroll (R - Dist 22), Rep. Chaplik (R - Dist 23), Rep. Fillmore (R - Dist 16), Rep. Griffin (R - Dist 14), Rep. Kavanagh (R - Dist 23), Rep. Parker (R - Dist 16), Rep. Pingerelli (R - Dist 21)	Hearing: House Government & Elections (Wednesday 01/26/22 at 9:00 AM, House Rm. 1)		1/18 referred to House gov-elect.
H2238: BALLOT DROP BOXES; PROHIBITION	A county recorder or other officer in charge of elections is prohibited from using an unmonitored drop box for receipt of voted early ballots.	First sponsor: Rep. Hoffman (R - Dist 12) Others: Rep. Barton (R - Dist 6), Rep. Blackman (R - Dist 6), Rep. Burges (R - Dist 1), Rep. Carroll (R - Dist 22), Rep. Chaplik (R - Dist 23), Rep. Fillmore (R - Dist 16), Rep. Griffin (R - Dist 14), Rep. Kavanagh (R - Dist 23), Rep. Parker (R - Dist 16), Rep. Pingerelli (R - Dist 21)	Hearing: House Government & Elections (Wednesday 01/26/22 at 9:00 AM, House Rm. 1)		1/19 referred to House gov-elect.
H2239: ELECTRONIC BALLOT ADJUDICATION; PROHIBITION	The county board of supervisors and officer in charge of elections are prohibited from using an electronic vote adjudication. A duplicate copy of a damaged or defective ballot must be made by hand.	First sponsor: Rep. Hoffman (R - Dist 12) Others: Rep. Barton (R - Dist 6), Rep. Blackman (R - Dist 6), Rep. Burges (R - Dist 1), Rep. Chaplik (R - Dist 23), Rep. Fillmore (R - Dist 16), Rep. Griffin (R - Dist 14), Rep. Kavanagh (R - Dist 23), Rep. Parker (R - Dist 16), Rep. Pingerelli (R - Dist 21)			
H2240: ELECTIONS; VOTING CENTERS PROHIBITED	County boards of supervisors and any officer in charge of elections are prohibited from authorizing, establishing or using a voting center	First sponsor: Rep. Hoffman (R - Dist 12) Others: Rep. Barton (R - Dist 6), Rep. Burges (R - Dist 1), Rep.			1/20 referred to House gov-elect.

	at which a voter who is a registered voter and resident anywhere in that county is allowed to receive the appropriate ballot for that specific voter.	Chaplik (R - Dist 23), Rep. Fillmore (R - Dist 16), Rep. Kavanagh (R - Dist 23), Rep. Parker (R - Dist 16), Rep. Pingerelli (R - Dist 21)			
H2241: EARLY BALLOT DROP OFF; IDENTIFICATION	For any voter or voter's agent who delivers one or more voted early ballots in affidavit envelopes at any polling place or voting center, the election board must require the person to present identification for his/her own early ballot, and to attest in writing that he/she is the voter's family member, household member or caregiver for another person's early ballot. Knowing violations are a class 6 (lowest) felony.	First sponsor: Rep. Hoffman (R - Dist 12) Others: Rep. Barton (R - Dist 6), Rep. Blackman (R - Dist 6), Rep. Burges (R - Dist 1), Rep. Carroll (R - Dist 22), Rep. Chaplik (R - Dist 23), Rep. Fillmore (R - Dist 16), Rep. Griffin (R - Dist 14), Rep. Kavanagh (R - Dist 23), Rep. Parker (R - Dist 16), Rep. Pingerelli (R - Dist 21)			1/20 referred to House gov-elect.
H2242: VOTER REGISTRATIONS; VALIDATION REQUIREMENT	After receiving a voter registration form, the county recorder is required to verify that the name, address, date of birth and driver license number of the registrant are valid and accurate. After receiving voter registration information for the statewide database, the Secretary of State is required to verify that the name, address, date of birth and driver license number of the registrant are valid and accurate. A person who willfully fails to comply with these requirements is guilty of a class 6 (lowest) felony.	First sponsor: Rep. Hoffman (R - Dist 12) Others: Rep. Barton (R - Dist 6), Rep. Biasiucci (R - Dist 5), Rep. Blackman (R - Dist 6), Rep. Burges (R - Dist 1), Rep. Carroll (R - Dist 22), Rep. Chaplik (R - Dist 23), Rep. Fillmore (R - Dist 16), Rep. Grantham (R - Dist 12), Rep. Kavanagh (R - Dist 23), Rep. Parker (R - Dist 16), Rep. Pingerelli (R - Dist 21)			1/20 referred to House gov-elect.
H2243: VOTER REGISTRATION; STATE RESIDENCY; CANCELLATION	The voter registration form is required to contain a statement that if the registrant permanently moves to another state after registering to vote in Arizona, the registrant's voter registration will be canceled.	First sponsor: Rep. Hoffman (R - Dist 12) Others: Rep. Barton (R - Dist 6), Rep. Biasiucci (R - Dist 5), Rep. Blackman (R - Dist 6), Rep. Burges (R - Dist 1), Rep. Carroll (R - Dist 22), Rep. Chaplik (R - Dist 23), Rep. Fillmore (R - Dist 16), Rep. Kavanagh (R - Dist 23), Rep. Nguyen (R - Dist 1), Rep. Parker (R - Dist 16), Rep. Pingerelli (R - Dist 21)	Hearing: House Government & Elections (Wednesday 01/26/22 at 9:00 AM, House Rm. 1)		1/18 referred to House gov-elect.
H2244: AUDITOR GENERAL; ELECTION SYSTEMS; AUDITS	The Auditor General is required to conduct systems and procedures audits of offices conducting the general election. Appropriates \$800,000 from the general fund in FY2022-23 to the Auditor General for these audits.	First sponsor: Rep. Finchem (R - Dist 11) Others: Rep. Barton (R - Dist 6), Rep. Parker (R - Dist 16)			1/20 referred to House gov-elect, appro.
H2245: IN-PERSON EARLY VOTING; TIME PERIOD	On-site early voting locations, voting centers, and emergency voting centers may be used for in-person early voting only during the period beginning on the Saturday before election day for a primary or general election and continuing through the Monday before election day for a primary or general election and cannot be used for in-person early voting for any other election or time period.	First sponsor: Rep. Finchem (R - Dist 11) Others: Rep. Barton (R - Dist 6), Rep. Parker (R - Dist 16)			1/20 referred to House gov-elect.
H2259: VOTING RIGHTS; FELONIES; AUTOMATIC RESTORATION	A person's right to vote is automatically restored on the person's discharge of probation or absolute discharge from imprisonment.	First sponsor: Rep. Espinoza (D - Dist 19) Others: Rep. Dalessandro (D - Dist 2), Rep. Solorio (D - Dist 30)			
H2270: OFFICIALS; POLITICAL ACTION COMMITTEE PROHIBITION	An individual who is an election officer or employee or who oversees any significant aspect of election operations is prohibited from being a chairperson, treasurer or other member of a political action committee. Does not apply to an individual's membership in a candidate committee for that individual's own candidacy.	First sponsor: Rep. Bolick (R - Dist 20) Others: Rep. Blackman (R - Dist 6), Rep. Carroll (R - Dist 22), Rep. Carter (R - Dist 8), Rep. Chaplik (R - Dist 23), Rep. Diaz (R - Dist 14), Rep. Nguyen (R - Dist 1)			
H2283: POLLING PLACES; SCHOOLS; DISTRICT BOARDS	The officer in charge of elections is required to prioritize public schools and fire stations as polling places. School district governing boards and the governing board or body that supervises the fire stations are required to assist the county board of supervisors and the officer in charge of elections in selecting and coordinating schools and fire stations to be used as polling places. School principals are no longer authorized to deny a request to provide space for use as a polling place in specified circumstances.	First sponsor: Rep. Fillmore (R - Dist 16) Others: Rep. Carroll (R - Dist 22)			1/20 referred to House gov-elect.
H2287: PRECINCTS; COMBINATION; PROHIBITION	For the purpose of establishing polling places, adjacent precincts are prohibited from being combined.	First sponsor: Rep. Fillmore (R - Dist 16)			1/20 referred to House gov-elect.
H2288: EMERGENCY VOTING; REGISTRATION UPDATE; PROHIBITION	County boards of supervisors are no longer allowed to authorize the use of emergency voting centers. County recorders and other officers	First sponsor: Rep. Fillmore (R - Dist 16) Others: Rep. Carter (R - Dist 8)			1/20 referred to House gov-elect.

	in charge of elections are no longer authorized to provide for emergency balloting for person who experience an emergency immediately preceding an election.			
H2289: CHALLENGERS; POLLING PLACES; TABULATION OBSERVATION	The county chairman of each political party is required, instead of allowed, to designate a party agent or representative who may act as challengers for the party. One challenger for each political party is required to be present at each voting place, and the party representative is required to remain in the polling place until completion of the tabulation of votes and transmittal or delivery of the results to the county recorder or other officer in charge of elections.	First sponsor: Rep. Fillmore (R - Dist 16)		1/20 referred to House gov-elect.
H2295: ELECTION DAY; CELEBRATION	The first Tuesday after the first Monday in November in every even-numbered year must be observed as Election Celebration Day, which is not a legal holiday.	First sponsor: Rep. Fillmore (R - Dist 16) Others: Rep. Parker (R - Dist 16)		1/18 referred to House gov-elect.
H2296: GOVERNMENT-ISSUED VOTER IDENTIFICATION; REQUIREMENT	Deletes the option for a voter to present, in order to receive a ballot and in lieu of government-issued photo identification, two different items that contain the name and address of the voter that reasonably appear to be the same as the name and address in the precinct register, including a utility bill, a bank or credit union statement, a valid Arizona vehicle registration, an Arizona vehicle insurance card, an Indian census card, tribal enrollment card or other form of tribal identification, a property tax statement, a recorder's certificate, a voter registration card, a valid government-issued identification, or any mailing that is labeled as "official election material." Due to voter protection, this legislation requires the affirmative vote of at least 3/4 of the members of each house of the Legislature for passage.	First sponsor: Rep. Fillmore (R - Dist 16)		1/20 referred to House gov-elect.
H2376: ELECTION PROCEDURES; REVIEW; COMMISSION	Establishes a 13-member Election Integrity Commission and requires the Commission to biennially conduct a review of election laws and procedures to ensure statewide election integrity, beginning in 2023. The Commission is required to submit a report of its findings and recommendations to the Governor, the Secretary of State, and the Legislature by December 1 of each odd-numbered year. The Commission terminates on July 1, 2032.	First sponsor: Rep. Bolick (R - Dist 20)		
H2377: VOTING; SEVENTY-FIVE FOOT LIMIT; PHOTOGRAPHS	While within the 75-foot limit of the polls, a person is allowed to take photographs or videos of him/herself, his/her own ballot, and any election worker.	First sponsor: Rep. Bolick (R - Dist 20)		
H2378: ELECTION LAWSUITS; SETTLEMENTS; APPROVALS	If a proposed settlement of an election-related civil action by the Secretary of State materially affects a county recorder or other officer in charge of elections, the Secretary of State cannot settle or otherwise compromise that civil action without consulting the county recorders or other officers in charge of elections. A county recorder or other officer in charge of elections is authorized to object to the settlement based on the difficulty or impracticability of its requirements, and is authorized to demonstrate or otherwise provide evidence regarding that difficulty or impracticability. If the evidence is sufficient, the Secretary of State's settlement cannot be approved without the consent of the county recorder or other officer in charge of elections. A county recorder or other officer in charge of elections is authorized to join in any election-related civil action that materially affects the county recorder or officer.	First sponsor: Rep. Bolick (R - Dist 20)		
H2379: ELECTION PROCEDURES MANUAL; STATUTORY CONFLICT	The election instructions and procedures manual is required to provide for transparency and election security to the maximum extent allowed by law. If any provision of the manual conflicts with any statute, the provision of the instructions and procedures	First sponsor: Rep. Bolick (R - Dist 20)		

	manual is unenforceable and the statute prevails.				
H2380: EARLY BALLOTS; DELIVERY; PENALTIES	The criminal classification for knowingly collecting voted or unvoted early ballots from another person is increased to a class 4 (lower mid-level) felony, from a class 6 (lowest) felony. Any person is allowed to submit a complaint to the Election Integrity Unit of the Office of the Attorney General regarding a possible violation of the prohibition on collected early ballots. The Attorney General is authorized to investigate the complaint and make findings, including a determination on whether to file charges. The Attorney General is required to report on these activities to the Governor and the Legislature by February 1 each year.	First sponsor: Rep. Bolick (R - Dist 20)			
H2385: AUDITOR GENERAL; VOTER REGISTRATION DATABASE	The Auditor General is required to review the processes and statutory requirements for maintaining the statewide voter registration database, county early voting lists and county voter registration databases. The Secretary of State and county recorders are required to provide specified information to the Auditor General. The Auditor General is required to report its findings to the Legislature by June 30 of each even-numbered year. Appropriates \$500,000 from the general fund in FY2022-23 to the Auditor General for this purpose. [Capitol Reports Note: These provisions were originally signed into law as Laws 2021, chapter 405 (part of the FY2021-22 budget), but were deemed unconstitutional by the Arizona Supreme Court in Arizona School Boards Association et al v. State of Arizona.]	First sponsor: Rep. Kaiser (R - Dist 15)			
H2402: AUTOMATIC VOTER REGISTRATION; SAME DAY	A person who is otherwise qualified to register to vote may register during the 28 days immediately preceding an election and is eligible to vote in that election if the person has been a resident of the county and the precinct in which the person resides for at least 29 days immediately preceding the election. A person who is otherwise qualified to register to vote may register on Election Day at the polling place for the precinct in which that person maintains residence. A person who registers to vote under these provisions may vote only with a provisional ballot and does not qualify a person to vote in a partisan primary election. Every person who is applying for a driver license or renewal, including a nonoperating identification license or renewal, or who is making changes to drive license information and who is otherwise qualified to register to vote must be registered to vote automatically on completion of the license application unless the applicant clearly expresses a decision not to register. A person who is not qualified to register to vote and who unknowingly registers under this provision is not guilty of false registration or false swearing. Effective January 1, 2023.	First sponsor: Rep. Solorio (D - Dist 30) Others: Rep. Blackwater-Nygren (D - Dist 7), Rep. Bolding (D - Dist 27), Rep. Longdon (D - Dist 24), Rep. Pawlik (D - Dist 17), Rep. Quiñonez (D - Dist 27), Sen. Stahl Hamilton (D - Dist 10), Sen. Terán (D - Dist 30)			
H2412: OPEN MEETINGS; DIGITAL RECORDINGS	All public bodies subject to open meeting law are required to provide for written minutes and a digital recording of all of their meetings, instead of either written minutes or a digital recording. Each public body is required to post on its website the minutes and the digital recording no later than five working days after the meeting.	First sponsor: Rep. Parker (R - Dist 16) Others: Rep. Carroll (R - Dist 22), Rep. Martinez (R - Dist 11)			
H2430: SECRETARY OF STATE; NONPARTISAN OFFICE	The election for the office of Secretary of State is moved to the nonpartisan section of the ballot, and signature requirements are modified to reflect the change. Effective January 1, 2023.	First sponsor: Rep. Shah (D - Dist 24)			
H2435: COUNTY RECORDER; NONPARTISAN OFFICE	The election for the office of county recorder is moved to the nonpartisan section of the ballot, and signature requirements are modified to reflect the change.	First sponsor: Rep. Shah (D - Dist 24)			
H2443:	Various changes to campaign	First sponsor: Rep. Powers			

<p>CAMPAIGN FINANCE; CONTRIBUTIONS LIMITS</p>	<p>contribution limits. Decreases campaign contribution limits to \$390 to a candidate committee for municipal, county or district office, to \$488 to a candidate committee for legislative office, and to \$1,010 to a candidate committee for statewide office, all from \$6,250, from an individual or political action committee without mega PAC status. Campaign contribution limits apply as an aggregate total for the combined primary and general election, instead of per "election cycle" (defined). Individuals are prohibited from contributing more than an aggregate total of \$5,610 in a calendar year to state and local candidate committees and political action committees that contribute to candidate committees. Partnerships are prohibited from contributing monies in the name of the partnership. Candidate committees are prohibited from accepting contributions from all political action committees other than a political party as an aggregate total for the combined primary and general election of more than \$10,020 to a candidate committee for municipal, county or district office, \$16,150 to a candidate committee for legislative office, and \$100,110 to a candidate for statewide office. A candidate committee for a candidate that is a political party nominee is prohibited from accepting contributions as an aggregate total for the combined primary and general election from a political party of more than \$10,020 to a candidate committee for an office other than a statewide office, and \$100,110 to a candidate committee for a statewide office.</p>	<p>Hannley (D - Dist 9) Others: Sen. Gonzales (D - Dist 3), Rep. Solorio (D - Dist 30), Sen. Terán (D - Dist 30)</p>			
<p>H2444: CLEAN ELECTIONS; COUNTY CANDIDATES</p>	<p>Applies clean elections laws to candidates for county board of supervisors, county assessor, county attorney, county recorder, county school superintendent, county sheriff and county treasurer. Establishes primary election spending limits for candidates for county offices based on county population. Due to voter protection, this bill requires a 3/4 vote of each house of the Legislature for enactment.</p>	<p>First sponsor: Rep. Powers Hannley (D - Dist 9) Others: Sen. Gonzales (D - Dist 3), Rep. Jermaine (D - Dist 18), Rep. Longdon (D - Dist 24), Rep. Schwiebert (D - Dist 20), Rep. Solorio (D - Dist 30), Sen. Stahl Hamilton (D - Dist 10), Sen. Terán (D - Dist 30)</p>			
<p>H2445: POLITICAL SIGNS; SIZE REQUIREMENTS</p>	<p>The maximum size of a political sign located in an area zoned for residential use is decreased to an area of 6 square feet, from 16 square feet. The maximum size of a political sign located in an area zoned for commercial use or on property located on a street with a speed limit of 45 miles per hour is decreased to an area of 16 square feet, from 32 square feet.</p>	<p>First sponsor: Rep. Powers Hannley (D - Dist 9) Others: Sen. Gonzales (D - Dist 3), Rep. Solorio (D - Dist 30)</p>			
<p>H2453: GOVERNMENTAL ENTITIES; MASK REQUIREMENT; PROHIBITION</p>	<p>A "governmental entity" (defined) is prohibited from imposing any requirement to wear a mask or face covering anywhere on the governmental entity's premises, except where long-standing workplace safety and infection control measures that are unrelated to COVID-19 may be required.</p>	<p>First sponsor: Rep. Carter (R - Dist 8) Others: Rep. Biasiucci (R - Dist 5), Rep. Blackman (R - Dist 6), Rep. Bolick (R - Dist 20), Rep. Chaplik (R - Dist 23), Rep. Diaz (R - Dist 14), Rep. Dunn (R - Dist 13), Rep. Fillmore (R - Dist 16), Rep. Finchem (R - Dist 11), Rep. Hoffman (R - Dist 12), Rep. Kaiser (R - Dist 15), Rep. Kavanagh (R - Dist 23), Rep. Martinez (R - Dist 11), Rep. Nguyen (R - Dist 1), Rep. Parker (R - Dist 16), Rep. Wilmeth (R - Dist 15)</p>			
<p>H2469: EARLY BALLOTS; POLLING PLACE; TABULATION</p>	<p>A voter who has the envelope containing the completed early ballot and completed affidavit, who appears at that voter's designated polling location on election day and whose identification is verified and confirmed is allowed to remove the completed ballot from the envelope and deposit the ballot in the ballot tabulation equipment in that polling place and to discard the envelope and completed affidavit.</p>	<p>First sponsor: Rep. Carroll (R - Dist 22) Others: Rep. Bolick (R - Dist 20), Rep. Burges (R - Dist 1), Rep. Chaplik (R - Dist 23), Rep. Cook (R - Dist 8), Rep. Diaz (R - Dist 14), Rep. Dunn (R - Dist 13), Sen. Gowan (R - Dist 14), Rep. Hoffman (R - Dist 12), Sen. Leach (R - Dist 11), Sen. Livingston (R - Dist 22), Rep. Martinez (R - Dist 11), Rep. Nguyen (R - Dist 1), Rep. Parker (R - Dist 16), Rep. Payne (R - Dist 21), Rep. Pingerelli (R - Dist 21), Rep. Wilmeth (R - Dist 15)</p>			
<p>H2471: STATE OF EMERGENCY;</p>	<p>A state of emergency declared by the Governor terminates 14 days</p>	<p>First sponsor: Rep. Carroll (R - Dist 22)</p>			

TERMINATION	after the date on which the state of emergency is proclaimed, unless the Governor calls for a special session of the Legislature relating to the state of emergency.	Others: Rep. Parker (R - Dist 16)			
H2476: PRESIDENTIAL ELECTORS; CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICTS; AT- LARGE	Each political party that is qualified for representation on an official party ballot at the primary election and accorded a column on the general election ballot is required to designate one presidential elector for each congressional district and two presidential electors as at-large presidential electors. A presidential elector who is designated for a congressional district is not required to be a resident of that congressional district. Presidential electors who are designated for a congressional district are required to cast their electoral college votes for the candidates for president and vice president who jointly received the highest number of votes in that congressional district as prescribed in the statewide canvass. The two at-large presidential electors are required to cast their electoral college votes for the candidates for president and vice-president who jointly received the highest number of votes from an aggregate vote of all the members of the State Legislature voting as a single body.	First sponsor: Rep. Carroll (R - Dist 22) Others: Rep. Bolick (R - Dist 20), Rep. Burges (R - Dist 1), Rep. Fillmore (R - Dist 16), Rep. Wilmeth (R - Dist 15)			
H2491: ELECTIONS; SIGNATURE MATCHING REQUIREMENTS	The county recorder or other officer in charge of elections is required to apply an unspecified factor (blank in original) signature verification process as prescribed in the Secretary of State's election procedures manual. A person who violates this requirement is guilty of a class 5 (second-lowest) felony.	First sponsor: Rep. Hoffman (R - Dist 12) Others: Rep. Martinez (R - Dist 11), Rep. Parker (R - Dist 16)			
H2492: VOTER REGISTRATION; VERIFICATION; CITIZENSHIP	Except for a form produced by the U.S. Election Assistance Commission, any application for voter registration is required to be accompanied by satisfactory evidence of citizenship, and the county recorder or other officer in charge of elections is required to reject any application for registration that is not accompanied by satisfactory evidence of citizenship. A county recorder or other officer in charge of elections who fails to reject an application for registration in these circumstances is guilty of a class 6 (lowest) felony. The county recorder or other officer in charge of elections is required to use all available resources to verify the citizenship status of an applicant for voter registration. A person who registers to vote is required to provide an identifying document that establishes proof of location of residence. A person who has registered to vote and who has not provided satisfactory evidence of citizenship is not eligible to vote in presidential elections. A person who has not provided satisfactory evidence of citizenship and who is eligible to vote only for federal offices is not eligible to receive an early ballot by mail.	First sponsor: Rep. Hoffman (R - Dist 12) Others: Rep. Blackman (R - Dist 6), Rep. Carter (R - Dist 8), Rep. Chaplik (R - Dist 23), Rep. Fillmore (R - Dist 16), Rep. Kaiser (R - Dist 15), Rep. Martinez (R - Dist 11), Rep. Nguyen (R - Dist 1), Rep. Parker (R - Dist 16), Rep. Toma (R - Dist 22), Rep. Wilmeth (R - Dist 15)			
H2493: ELECTION INTEGRITY FUND	Appropriates \$12 million from the general fund in FY2022-23 to the newly established Election Integrity Fund, to be used to pay county recorders for election security, cybersecurity measures and improvements, and reimbursements for postelection hand tabulations. [Capitol Reports Note: These provisions were originally signed into law as Laws 2021, chapter 405 (part of the FY2021-22 budget), but were deemed unconstitutional by the Arizona Supreme Court in Arizona School Boards Association et al v. State of Arizona.]	First sponsor: Rep. Hoffman (R - Dist 12) Others: Rep. Blackman (R - Dist 6), Rep. Chaplik (R - Dist 23), Rep. Martinez (R - Dist 11), Rep. Nguyen (R - Dist 1), Rep. Parker (R - Dist 16)			
H2494: VOTER REGISTRATION EVENTS; POSTING	The Secretary of State and each county recorder is required to post on their public websites a list of each event that the Office of the Secretary of State or the county recorder attends and provides voter registration services. [Capitol Reports Note: These provisions were originally signed into law as Laws 2021, chapter 405 (part of the FY2021-22 budget), but were	First sponsor: Rep. Hoffman (R - Dist 12) Others: Rep. Blackman (R - Dist 6), Rep. Carter (R - Dist 8), Rep. Chaplik (R - Dist 23), Rep. Martinez (R - Dist 11), Rep. Nguyen (R - Dist 1), Rep. Parker (R - Dist 16), Rep. Toma (R - Dist 22)			

	deemed unconstitutional by the Arizona Supreme Court in Arizona School Boards Association et al v. State of Arizona.]				
H2557: SCHOOL DISTRICT CANDIDATES; BALLOTS	The names of candidates for school district governing board must appear on the ballot with partisan or independent designation, instead of without partisan or other designation.	First sponsor: Rep. Griffin (R - Dist 14)			
H2567: NOMINATING PETITIONS; MULTIPLE PETITION SIGNATURES	Signers of nomination petitions are allowed to sign an unlimited number of candidate petitions, instead of being limited to signing only one petition for the same office.	First sponsor: Rep. Carter (R - Dist 8)			
H2571: EARLY VOTING; LIMITATIONS; HAND COUNT	Qualified electors are only allowed to vote by early ballot if the elector expects to be absent from the precinct at the time of the election, the elector cannot attend the polls on election day because of the tenets of his/her religion, or the elector is an absent uniformed services voter or overseas voter or the spouse or household member of the absent uniformed services voter or overseas voter. County recorders are no longer authorized to establish on-site early voting locations. All ballots are required to be counted by hand, and electronic tabulating machines or equipment are prohibited. Effective January 1, 2023.	First sponsor: Rep. Blackman (R - Dist 6)			
H2577: VOTER IDENTIFICATION; BALLOTS; DELIVERY; PROCESS	A county recorder or other officer in charge of elections is prohibited from using an unmonitored drop box for receiving voted early ballots. A qualified elector is required to request any early or absentee ballot and a county recorder or other officer in charge of elections is prohibited from providing an early or absentee ballot without a specific request from the voter for a single specific election. A qualified elector is required to vote in a polling place or voting center, except that an elector with an early or absentee ballot may return the ballot by mail or deliver the ballot in person to a polling place or voting center. Modifies the list of accepted forms of identification for voting. Due to voter protection, the voter identification changes require the affirmative vote of at least 3/4 of the members of each house of the Legislature for passage.	First sponsor: Rep. Blackman (R - Dist 6) Others: Rep. Payne (R - Dist 21)			
H2581: STATE CANDIDATES; NOMINATION; FEE	For any person who holds a statewide or legislative office and who submits a nomination paper for reelection to that same office, the person may pay a \$250 fee to the office of the Secretary of State for deposit in the general fund and the person is not required to submit a nomination petition or signatures.	First sponsor: Rep. Cook (R - Dist 8)			
HCR2014: INITIATIVE; REFERENDUM; SIGNATURES; LEGISLATIVE DISTRICTS	The 2022 general election ballot is to carry the question of whether to amend the state Constitution to require statewide initiative measures to obtain signatures from 10 percent of the voters from each legislative district in order to propose a statewide measure and to obtain signatures from 15 percent of the voters from each legislative district in order to propose an amendment to the state Constitution. Also requires signatures from 5 percent of the voters from each legislative district in order to order a referendum of any measure enacted by the Legislature.	First sponsor: Rep. Dunn (R - Dist 13)			
S1009: STATE OF EMERGENCY; EXECUTIVE POWERS	Beginning January 2, 2023, the Governor is permitted to issue an initial proclamation for a state of emergency for a public health emergency for a period of no more than 30 days. The Governor is authorized to extend the state of emergency for additional 30-day periods up to 120 days. The state of emergency terminates after 120 days unless it is extended by passage of a concurrent resolution of the Legislature. The Legislature is authorized to extend the state of emergency in periods of up to 30-days as many times as necessary by concurrent resolution. The Governor	First sponsor: Sen. Ugenti-Rita (R - Dist 23)	Hearing: Senate Government (Monday 01/24/22 at 2:00 PM, Senate Rm. 1)		1/10 referred to Senate gov.

	<p>is prohibited from proclaiming a new state of emergency for the same conditions without the passage of a concurrent resolution by the Legislature. On extension of a state of emergency by the Governor, the Governor is required to report specified information to a Joint Committee of the Legislature. After a briefing, the Joint Committee is required to give the extension a favorable or unfavorable review, the review is required to be conspicuously posted on the Governor's and the Department of Health Services' public websites. [Capitol Reports Note: These provisions were originally signed into law as Laws 2021, chapter 405 (part of the FY2021-22 budget), but were deemed unconstitutional by the Arizona Supreme Court in Arizona School Boards Association et al v. State of Arizona.]</p>				
S1010: SCHOOL DISTRICTS; PROTESTING; PARTISAN ELECTIONS	<p>All elections for school district governing board members in Arizona are required to be conducted using a partisan primary election followed by a general election. This requirement applies to school district governing board elections held on or after January 1, 2023. Also, a school district is prohibited from ejecting from school property or from the vicinity of any location where a school meeting is taking place, and from taking any other adverse action against a person or a group of people engaging in "peaceful protesting" (defined) after school hours. Peaceful protesting on school property after school hours or in the vicinity of any location where a school meeting is taking place after school hours is not a violation of interference with or disruption of an educational institution. A school district cannot require a person or a group of people to apply, request a permit or secure any other form of authorization to engage in peaceful protesting on school property after school hours or in the vicinity of any location where a school meeting is taking place after school hours.</p>	First sponsor: Sen. Ugenti-Rita (R - Dist 23)	Hearing: Senate Education (Tuesday 01/25/22 at 2:00 PM, Senate Rm. 1)		1/10 referred to Senate educ.
S1017: STATE FINANCE REVIEW; TASK FORCE	<p>Establishes a 22-member Citizens Finance Review Task Force to analyze the source of general fund and nongeneral fund revenues and expenditures as compared to other states, and make recommendations regarding the responsible retirement of existing state debt. The Task Force is required to submit a report to the Governor and the Legislature by September 30, 2023, and to present the report to a joint meeting of the legislative appropriations committees by January 31, 2024. Self-repeals October 1, 2024.</p>	First sponsor: Sen. Bowie (D - Dist 18)			1/19 from Senate fin do pass.
S1035: POLITICAL SUBDIVISIONS; LOBBYING; PROHIBITION	<p>"Political subdivisions" (defined as counties, municipalities, school districts, and special districts) and any person acting on behalf of a political subdivision are prohibited from entering into a contract with a person or entity for lobbying services and from spending monies for any person or entity to lobby on behalf of that political subdivision unless that person is directly employed by the political subdivision.</p>	First sponsor: Sen. Rogers (R - Dist 6)			
S1048: EMERGENCY POWERS; BUSINESS CLOSURE; REPEAL	<p>The list of emergency powers of mayors of incorporated municipalities and chairmen of county boards of supervisors is modified to remove the authority to order the closing of any business.</p>	First sponsor: Sen. Petersen (R - Dist 12) Others: Sen. Barto (R - Dist 15), Rep. Bolick (R - Dist 20), Rep. Hoffman (R - Dist 12), Sen. Leach (R - Dist 11), Sen. Mesnard (R - Dist 17), Sen. Rogers (R - Dist 6), Sen. Townsend (R - Dist 16)			1/10 referred to Senate gov.
S1119: ELECTRONIC BALLOT IMAGES; PUBLIC RECORD.	<p>After the polls are closed, the officer in charge of elections is required to make available to the public an online copy of any digital images of ballots in a manner that allows the images to be searchable by precinct but that precludes any alteration of the images. States that the digital images of the ballots are public records.</p>	First sponsor: Sen. Borrelli (R - Dist 5) Others: Rep. Biasucci (R - Dist 5), Rep. Chaplik (R - Dist 23), Sen. Fann (R - Dist 1), Rep. Finchem (R - Dist 11), Sen. Townsend (R - Dist 16)	Hearing: Senate Government (Monday 01/24/22 at 2:00 PM, Senate Rm. 1)		1/10 referred to Senate gov.

S1120: BALLOT FRAUD COUNTERMEASURES; PAPER; INK.	Any vendor that provides fraud countermeasures that are contained in and on the paper used for ballots is required to be ISO 27001 certified, ISO 17025 certified, or ISO 9001:2015 certified. Ballot fraud countermeasures are required to include all of a list of 19 specified features, including watermarking, secure holographic foil, security inks, invisible ultraviolet microtext, a serialized black QR code, and a paper receipt for the voter. The Legislature is required to appropriate sufficient monies to the State Treasurer to provide counties with the ballot paper prescribed by this legislation. Applies to the regular general election in 2022 and all elections held in 2024 and later. Appropriates an unspecified amount (blank in original) from the general fund in FY2022-23 to the State Treasurer for the purchase of antifraud ballot paper meeting these requirements. [Capitol Reports Note: Some of these provisions were originally signed into law as Laws 2021, chapter 405 (part of the FY2021-22 budget), but were deemed unconstitutional by the Arizona Supreme Court in Arizona School Boards Association et al v. State of Arizona.]	First sponsor: Sen. Borrelli (R - Dist 5) Others: Sen. Barto (R - Dist 15), Rep. Biasiucci (R - Dist 5), Rep. Chaplik (R - Dist 23), Sen. Fann (R - Dist 1), Rep. Finchem (R - Dist 11), Sen. Gowan (R - Dist 14), Sen. Gray (R - Dist 21), Sen. Kerr (R - Dist 13), Sen. Leach (R - Dist 11), Sen. Livingston (R - Dist 22), Sen. Mesnard (R - Dist 17), Sen. Petersen (R - Dist 12), Sen. Shope (R - Dist 8), Sen. Townsend (R - Dist 16)	Hearing: Senate Government (Monday 01/24/22 at 2:00 PM, Senate Rm. 1)	1/10 referred to Senate gov, appro.
S1127: STATE AGENCIES; PAYMENTS; CRYPTOCURRENCY	State agencies are authorized to accept "cryptocurrency" (defined) as a payment method for taxes, fees, fines, civil penalties, financial obligations, and special assessments by entering into an agreement with a cryptocurrency issuer to provide a method to accept cryptocurrency as a payment for any amount due to that agency or the state. Requirements for the agreement are listed. Effective January 1, 2023.	First sponsor: Sen. Rogers (R - Dist 6)		1/11 referred to Senate fin, gov.
S1128: VIRTUAL CURRENCY; PROPERTY TAX EXEMPTION	"Virtual currency" (defined) is exempt from taxation. Conditionally enacted on the state Constitution being amended by a vote of the people at the 2022 general election to exempt virtual currency from property tax.	First sponsor: Sen. Rogers (R - Dist 6)		1/11 referred to Senate fin.
S1133: SCHOOLS; CITIES; ALL MAIL PROHIBITED	Municipalities and school districts are prohibited from conducting a mail ballot election. Effective January 1, 2023.	First sponsor: Sen. Rogers (R - Dist 6)	Hearing: Senate Government (Monday 01/24/22 at 2:00 PM, Senate Rm. 1)	1/11 referred to Senate educ, gov.
S1135: PROCUREMENT; INFORMATION CONTENT PROVIDER; PROHIBITION	Beginning on the effective date of this legislation, the Director of the Department of Administration is required to terminate, and direct any state government unit or political subdivision to terminate, any existing contract with a contractor that is an information content provider or a qualified marketplace platform that has engaged in "targeted censorship" (defined as deleting or placing a disclaimer on any form of free speech that is unequally applied based on a particular belief that is expressed in any form). State government units and political subdivisions are prohibited from contracting with an information content provider or a qualified marketplace platform that has engaged in targeted censorship.	First sponsor: Sen. Rogers (R - Dist 6)		1/11 referred to Senate trans- tech.
S1153: STATE ZERO EMISSION VEHICLE FLEET	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. 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 FY2022-23 to ADOT to acquire telematics technology to develop the state zero emission motor vehicle fleet plan.	First sponsor: Sen. Steele (D - Dist 9) Others: Rep. Jermaine (D - Dist 18)		1/12 referred to Senate trans- tech, appro.

S1198: LOCAL GOVERNMENTS; LOBBYING; PROHIBITION	Counties, municipalities, school districts, and other political subdivisions and any person acting on behalf of a political subdivision are prohibited from entering into a contract with a person or entity for lobbying services and from spending monies for any person or entity to lobby on behalf of that political subdivision unless that person is directly employed by the political subdivision. If a county, municipality, school district or other political subdivision is a member of an organization of which the majority of the members are composed of political subdivisions or other public bodies, no portion of membership dues may be authorized for lobbying activities.	First sponsor: Sen. Petersen (R - Dist 12) Others: Rep. Cook (R - Dist 8), Sen. Leach (R - Dist 11)			1/18 referred to Senate gov.
S1255: LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR; DUTIES; BALLOT	No later than 60 days before the date of the general election, a candidate for Governor is required to submit to the Secretary of State the name of a person who will be the joint candidate for Lieutenant Governor with that gubernatorial candidate and whose name will appear on the general election ballot jointly with that candidate. The direction, operation and control of the Department of Administration is the responsibility of the Lieutenant Governor. Conditionally enacted on the state Constitution being amended by the voters at the 2020 general election by passage of an unspecified SCR (blank in original) relating to the establishment of the office of Lieutenant Governor. Applies beginning with elections for the term of office that starts in 2027.	First sponsor: Sen. Mesnard (R - Dist 17) Others: Sen. Bowie (D - Dist 18)			1/20 referred to Senate gov.
S1298: GOVERNMENT MASK MANDATE; PROHIBITION	A "governmental entity" (defined) is prohibited from imposing any requirement to wear a mask or face covering, except where long-standing workplace safety and infection control measures that are unrelated to COVID-19 may be required.	First sponsor: Sen. Rogers (R - Dist 6)			
SCR1005: FEDERAL BALLOT VOTERS; IDENTIFICATION	The 2022 general election ballot is to carry the question of whether to amend state statute to require federal-only voters to provide proof of citizenship by presenting one of a list of specified forms of identification in order to receive a ballot.	First sponsor: Sen. Townsend (R - Dist 16)	Hearing: Senate Government (Monday 01/24/22 at 2:00 PM, Senate Rm. 1)		1/10 referred to Senate gov.
SCR1006: REMOVAL; MARGARET SANGER	The members of the Legislature, in light of Margaret Sanger's views espousing racism and support for eugenics, support the removal of Margaret Sanger from the Arizona Women's Hall of Fame.	First sponsor: Sen. Rogers (R - Dist 6)			1/10 referred to Senate rules only.
SCR1012: LEGISLATURE; NINETY HOUSE DISTRICTS	The 2022 general election ballot is to carry the question of whether to amend the state Constitution to require one member of the House of Representatives to be elected from each of 90 House districts, 3 of which must be contained within the boundaries of each of the 30 Senate districts. Applies to legislative terms of office that begin in 2033 and later.	First sponsor: Sen. Mesnard (R - Dist 17)			1/10 referred to Senate gov.

BILL NUMBER/ SHORT TITLE	SUMMARY	SPONSORS	POSTED HEARINGS & CALENDARS	COMMENTS	LAST ACTION
<b>Taxation</b>					
H2046: INCOME TAX; CREDITS; SUBTRACTIONS	A taxpayer that is allowed a tax credit under statutes governing the transaction of insurance business or an individual or corporate income tax credit is prohibited from selling or transferring the tax credit to another taxpayer. Any income tax credit enacted beginning January 1, 2023 is not refundable. Retroactive to January 1, 2022, for the purpose of computing Arizona adjusted gross income for income tax purposes, the subtraction from Arizona gross income for 25 percent of the net long-term capital gain included in federal adjusted gross income does not apply to any net long-term capital gain from the sale of a charter school.	First sponsor: Rep. Salman (D - Dist 26) Others: Rep. Dalessandro (D - Dist 2), Sen. Mendez (D - Dist 26)			1/12 referred to House ways-means, com.
H2105:	Minor change in Title 42 (Taxation)	First sponsor: Rep. Biasiucci (R -			

TECH CORRECTION; TAX REFUND ACCOUNT	related to tax refund accounts. Apparent striker bus.	Dist 5)			
H2369: TAX CREDIT; EARNED INCOME	Establishes an income tax credit for an individual who qualifies for an earned income tax credit under the federal Internal Revenue Code, in the amount of five percent of the federal credit allowed to the taxpayer for the tax year. Only one claimant per household per tax year is entitled to the credit. If the amount of the credit exceeds taxes due, the excess is paid in the same manner as a refund. The Department of Revenue is required to make suitable claim forms available with the individual income tax returns. Retroactive to tax years beginning with 2022.	First sponsor: Rep. D. Hernandez (D - Dist 2) Others: Rep. Blackwater-Nygren (D - Dist 7), Rep. Bolding (D - Dist 27), Rep. Jermaine (D - Dist 18), Rep. Longdon (D - Dist 24), Rep. Pawlik (D - Dist 17), Rep. Tsosie (D - Dist 7)			
H2383: SCHOOL DISTRICT TAX LEVY; REDUCTION	If a school district has a balance in the bond building fund and has no outstanding bonded indebtedness, the levy calculated for any additional primary school district tax levy must be reduced by an amount that results in a levy reduction of the bond building fund balance.	First sponsor: Rep. Kaiser (R - Dist 15)			
H2440: TAXATION; REPEAL; SELECTED EXEMPTIONS	Eliminates various exemptions from taxation, including the exemptions from the retail classification of transaction privilege taxes for sales of warranty or service contracts and sales of stocks and bonds. For tax years beginning with 2023, the income tax rate for corporations is increased to 5.5 percent, from 4.9 percent. Due to a potential increase in state revenue, this legislation requires the affirmative vote of at least 2/3 of the members of each house of the Legislature for passage, and becomes effective on signature of the Governor.	First sponsor: Rep. Powers Hannley (D - Dist 9) Others: Rep. Bolding (D - Dist 27), Rep. Epstein (D - Dist 18), Sen. Gonzales (D - Dist 3), Rep. Schwiebert (D - Dist 20), Sen. Stahl Hamilton (D - Dist 10), Sen. Terán (D - Dist 30)			
H2454: STATUTORY CONFORMITY; PROPERTY TAX EXEMPTIONS	Exempts the property of veterans with service or nonservice connected disabilities who are Arizona residents from taxation, with an allowed exemption amount of \$4,200 multiplied by the percentage of the veteran's disability, as rated by the U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs, if the person's total assessment does not exceed \$30,000. The exemption limit for property of widows, widowers and persons with total and permanent disabilities is increased to \$4,200, from \$3,000, if the person's total assessment does not exceed \$30,000, increased from \$20,000. Also makes various changes to property tax statutes in order to conform to proposed changes to property tax exemptions contained in the state Constitution. Conditionally enacted on the state Constitution being amended by a vote of the people at the next general election to consolidate and reorganize provisions relating to exemptions from property taxation.	First sponsor: Rep. Carter (R - Dist 8) Others: Rep. Biasiucci (R - Dist 5), Rep. Blackman (R - Dist 6), Rep. Dunn (R - Dist 13), Rep. Fillmore (R - Dist 16), Rep. Finchem (R - Dist 11), Rep. Kaiser (R - Dist 15), Rep. Kavanagh (R - Dist 23), Rep. Martinez (R - Dist 11), Rep. Wilmeth (R - Dist 15)			
H2464: INCOME TAX CREDITS; REPEAL	Repeals the individual and corporate income tax credits for employment by a healthy forest enterprise and for agricultural pollution control equipment. Establishes reporting requirements for recipients of the qualified facility income tax credit and the income tax credit for agricultural water conservation systems. Due to a potential increase in state revenue, this legislation requires the affirmative vote of at least 2/3 of the members of each house of the Legislature for passage, and becomes effective on signature of the Governor.	First sponsor: Rep. Cano (D - Dist 3) Others: Rep. Butler (D - Dist 28), Rep. Dalessandro (D - Dist 2), Sen. Gonzales (D - Dist 3), Rep. M. Hernandez (D - Dist 26), Rep. Liguori (D - Dist 28)			
H2477: ELDERLY ASSISTANCE; PROPERTY TAX; APPROPRIATION	Statute establishing and regulating the Elderly Assistance Fund is repealed and replaced. Impossible to determine new provisions without a line by line comparison. Appropriates an unspecified amount (blank in original) from the general fund in FY2022-23 to the Fund. Effective January 1, 2023.	First sponsor: Rep. Carroll (R - Dist 22)			
H2497: INCOME TAX; RATES; REDUCTION	For tax year 2022, the Arizona individual and corporate income tax rate is 2.5 percent of taxable income. For tax years 2023 and after, the individual and corporate income tax rate is 1.5 percent of taxable income. Some sections of	First sponsor: Rep. Hoffman (R - Dist 12) Others: Rep. Barton (R - Dist 6), Rep. Blackman (R - Dist 6), Rep. Burges (R - Dist 1), Rep. Carter (R - Dist 8), Rep. Chaplik (R - Dist 23), Rep. Fillmore (R - Dist 16),			

	Laws 2021, Chapter 412 are repealed. Retroactive to January 1, 2022. [Capitol Reports Note: the repealed sections of Laws 2021, Chapter 412 are the subject of referendum petition R-03-2021, which qualified for placement on the 2022 general election ballot.]	Rep. Kavanagh (R - Dist 23), Rep. Parker (R - Dist 16), Rep. Pingerelli (R - Dist 21)		
S1018: TAX CREDIT; EARNED INCOME	Establishes an income tax credit for an individual who qualifies for an earned income tax credit under the federal Internal Revenue Code, in the amount of five percent of the federal credit allowed to the taxpayer for the tax year. Only one claimant per household per tax year is entitled to the credit. If the amount of the credit exceeds taxes due, the excess is paid in the same manner as a refund. The Department of Revenue is required to make suitable claim forms available with the individual income tax returns. Retroactive to tax years beginning with 2022.	First sponsor: Sen. Bowie (D - Dist 18)	Hearing: Senate Finance (Wednesday 01/26/22 at 9:30 AM, Senate Rm. 109)	1/10 referred to Senate fin.
S1038: TAX CREDIT; PROPERTY TAX; TUITION	Establishes an income tax credit for the amount of the primary and secondary school district property taxes on a taxpayer's residential property that the taxpayer actually paid during the tax year if a "qualified student" (defined as the taxpayer's dependent who is in kindergarten through 12th grade) attended a nongovernmental primary or secondary school in Arizona during the taxable year. The amount of the credit is the amount of the primary and secondary school district property taxes for the amount of tuition expenses actually paid, whichever is less. If the allowable tax credit exceeds taxes due, the unused amount may be carried forward for up to five consecutive tax years. Conditionally enacted on Laws 2021, Chapter 436 (small businesses; alternate income tax), the subject of referendum petition R-06-2021, being approved by the voters at the 2022 general election or failing to be referred to the voters at the 2022 general election. If enacted, this legislation applies to tax years beginning with 2023.	First sponsor: Sen. Rogers (R - Dist 6)		1/10 referred to Senate fin.
S1039: INCOME TAX; SUBTRACTION; SCHOOL TUITION	For the purpose of computing Arizona adjusted gross income for individual income taxes, the list of subtractions from Arizona gross income is expanded to include up to \$10,000 per "qualified student" (defined as the taxpayer's dependent who is in kindergarten through 12th grade) paid as "tuition expenses" (defined) for the student(s) to attend a nongovernmental primary or secondary school in Arizona during the taxable year. The subtraction is not allowed if the payment is withdrawn from a 529 college savings plan or from an Arizona Empowerment Scholarship Account. Conditionally enacted on Laws 2021, Chapter 436 (small businesses; alternate income tax), the subject of referendum petition R-06-2021, being approved by the voters at the 2022 general election or failing to be referred to the voters at the 2022 general election. If enacted, this legislation applies to tax years beginning with 2023.	First sponsor: Sen. Rogers (R - Dist 6)		1/10 referred to Senate fin.
S1095: PROPERTY TAX EXEMPTIONS; STATUTORY CONFORMITY	Exempts the property of veterans with service or nonservice connected disabilities who are Arizona residents from taxation, with an allowed exemption amount of \$4,117 multiplied by the percentage of the veteran's disability, as rated by the U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs, if the person's total assessment does not exceed \$27,970. The exemption limit for property of widows, widowers and persons with total and permanent disabilities is increased to \$4,117, from \$3,000, if the person's total assessment does not exceed \$27,970, increased from \$20,000. Also makes various changes to property tax statutes in order to conform to proposed changes to property tax exemptions	First sponsor: Sen. Mesnard (R - Dist 17) Others: Sen. Leach (R - Dist 11)	Hearing: Senate Finance (Wednesday 01/26/22 at 9:30 AM, Senate Rm. 109)	1/10 referred to Senate fin.

	contained in the state Constitution. Conditionally enacted on the state Constitution being amended by a vote of the people at the next general election to consolidate and reorganize provisions relating to exemptions from property taxation.				
S1106: CORPORATE INCOME TAX; MINIMUM	The minimum income tax levied on the entire Arizona taxable income of a corporation that has 50 or more employees and that is not otherwise exempt from tax is increased to \$1,000, from \$50. Applies to tax years beginning with 2023. Due to a potential increase in state revenue, this legislation requires the affirmative vote of at least 2/3 of the members of each house of the Legislature for passage, and becomes effective on signature of the Governor.	First sponsor: Sen. Mendez (D - Dist 26) Others: Rep. Salman (D - Dist 26)			1/10 referred to Senate fin.
S1107: INCOME TAX; ADDITION; NET WORTH	The list of additions to Arizona gross income for the purpose of computing Arizona adjusted gross income for income tax purposes is expanded to include one percent of the taxpayer's net worth as of December 31 of the taxable year, if the taxpayer's net worth as of December 31 of the taxable year is more than \$50,000. For this purpose, net worth does not include the value of real property that the taxpayer owns and occupies as the taxpayer's primary residence. Effective January 1, 2022.	First sponsor: Sen. Mendez (D - Dist 26) Others: Rep. Salman (D - Dist 26)			1/10 referred to Senate fin.
S1116: TAX CREDIT; FOSTER CARE ORGANIZATIONS	For the purpose of the individual income tax credit for contributions to qualifying charitable organizations, the definition of "qualifying individual" (to whom qualifying organizations must provide services) is expanded to include a person who is participating in an independent living program, a person who is participating in an extended foster care program, and a person who is under 27 years of age and whose reason for leaving foster care is reaching 18 years of age, adoption or legal guardianship after reaching 16 years of age, or reunification at 14 or 15 years of age. Retroactive to tax years beginning with 2022.	First sponsor: Sen. Livingston (R - Dist 22)	Hearing: Senate Finance (Wednesday 01/26/22 at 9:30 AM, Senate Rm. 109)		1/10 referred to Senate fin.
S1208: INCOME TAX; CREDIT; LABOR COSTS	For tax years beginning with 2023, establishes an individual and corporate income tax credit for a portion of a taxpayer's increased hourly labor costs that results from paying a local minimum wage that is more than the state minimum wage. The amount of the credit is ten percent of the difference between the amount of hourly labor costs the employer actually paid to employees and the amount of hourly labor costs that the employer would have paid to employees if the local minimum wage was the same as the state minimum wage. Requirements to qualify for the credit are specified. If the allowable credit exceeds taxes due, the unused amount may be carried forward for up to five consecutive tax years. Each month the State Treasurer is required to withhold from a municipality an amount equal to 1/12 of the total amount of credits claimed for the prior taxable year by taxpayer's located in that municipality from the municipality's distribution of state shared revenues. Some exceptions.	First sponsor: Sen. Rogers (R - Dist 6)			1/18 referred to Senate fin, appro.
SCR1007: PROPERTY TAX; ALLOCATION; PRIVATE SCHOOLS	The 2022 general election ballot is to carry the question of whether to amend the state Constitution to authorize the State Legislature by law to allow property owners in Arizona to allocate the amount of school district property taxes levied and assessed against the property owner's primary residence to a private school in Arizona.	First sponsor: Sen. Rogers (R - Dist 6)			1/10 referred to Senate fin.
SCR1009: PROPERTY TAX EXEMPTION; VETERANS; DISABILITIES	The 2022 general election ballot is to carry the question of whether to amend the state Constitution to repeal and replace the property tax exemption for veterans. Impossible to determine new provisions without a line by line comparison. Applies to tax years beginning with 2023.	First sponsor: Sen. Rogers (R - Dist 6)			1/10 referred to Senate fin, appro.

SCR1011: CONSTITUTIONAL PROPERTY TAX EXEMPTIONS	The 2022 general election ballot is to carry the question of whether to amend the state Constitution to consolidate and reorganize provisions relating to exemptions from property taxation. Sections of the state Constitution relating to property tax exemptions are repealed and replaced. Impossible to determine new provisions without a line by line comparison.	First sponsor: Sen. Mesnard (R - Dist 17) Others: Sen. Leach (R - Dist 11)	Hearing: Senate Finance (Wednesday 01/26/22 at 9:30 AM, Senate Rm. 109)	1/10 referred to Senate fin.
SCR1014: PROPERTY TAX EXEMPTION; VIRTUAL CURRENCY	The 2022 general election ballot is to carry the question of whether to amend the state Constitution to exempt "virtual currency" (defined) from taxation as property.	First sponsor: Sen. Rogers (R - Dist 6)		1/11 referred to Senate fin.

BILL NUMBER/ SHORT TITLE	SUMMARY	SPONSORS	POSTED HEARINGS & CALENDARS	COMMENTS	LAST ACTION
<b>Science, Technology, Communications</b>					
H2146: DATA SECURITY BREACH; NOTIFICATION	If a person that conducts business in Arizona and that owns, maintains or licenses unencrypted and unredacted computerized personal information becomes aware of a security system breach, the person is required to notify the Director of the Arizona Department of Homeland Security.	First sponsor: Rep. Bolick (R - Dist 20) Others: Rep. Biasiucci (R - Dist 5), Rep. Blackman (R - Dist 6), Rep. Carroll (R - Dist 22), Rep. Payne (R - Dist 21)	Hearing: House Commerce (Tuesday 01/25/22 at 2:00 PM, House Rm. 3)		1/18 referred to House com.
S1127: STATE AGENCIES; PAYMENTS; CRYPTOCURRENCY	State agencies are authorized to accept "cryptocurrency" (defined) as a payment method for taxes, fees, fines, civil penalties, financial obligations, and special assessments by entering into an agreement with a cryptocurrency issuer to provide a method to accept cryptocurrency as a payment for any amount due to that agency or the state. Requirements for the agreement are listed. Effective January 1, 2023.	First sponsor: Sen. Rogers (R - Dist 6)			1/11 referred to Senate fin, gov.
S1156: BLOCKCHAIN TECHNOLOGY; TAX; FEE; PROHIBITION	Counties and municipalities are prohibited from imposing a tax or fee on the use of "blockchain technology" (defined elsewhere in statute) by any person or entity.	First sponsor: Sen. Rogers (R - Dist 6)			1/12 referred to Senate fin.
SCR1013: MEDIUM OF EXCHANGE; CURRENCY; USE	The 2022 general election ballot is to carry the question of whether to declare that the right of the people to own, hold and use a mutually agreed on medium of exchange, including cash, coin, bullion or digital currency or scrip, when trading or contracting for goods and services cannot be infringed, and that the state and any county, municipality, or other political subdivision of Arizona cannot prohibit or encumber the ownership or holding of any form or amount of money or other currency.	First sponsor: Sen. Rogers (R - Dist 6)			1/11 referred to Senate fin.
SCR1014: PROPERTY TAX EXEMPTION; VIRTUAL CURRENCY	The 2022 general election ballot is to carry the question of whether to amend the state Constitution to exempt "virtual currency" (defined) from taxation as property.	First sponsor: Sen. Rogers (R - Dist 6)			1/11 referred to Senate fin.

BILL NUMBER/ SHORT TITLE	SUMMARY	SPONSORS	POSTED HEARINGS & CALENDARS	COMMENTS	LAST ACTION
<b>Water Resources Development</b>					
H2461: DRINKING WATER STANDARDS; POLLUTANTS.	The Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) is required to establish drinking water aquifer water quality standards for a list of specified pollutants. Information DEQ 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.	First sponsor: Rep. Cano (D - Dist 3) Others: Rep. Dalessandro (D - Dist 2), Sen. Gabaldon (D - Dist 2), Sen. Gonzales (D - Dist 3), Rep. M. Hernandez (D - Dist 26), Rep. Mathis (D - Dist 9), Rep. Quiñonez (D - Dist 27), Rep. Solorio (D - Dist 30)			
H2463: WELL DRILLING; GROUNDWATER BASINS.	Beginning on the effective date of this legislation, a person is prohibited from constructing and the Department of Water Resources is prohibited from issuing a permit or drilling card for a new well in the Upper San Pedro Groundwater Basin or the Verde Valley Groundwater Subbasin. Some exceptions.	First sponsor: Rep. Cano (D - Dist 3) Others: Rep. Dalessandro (D - Dist 2), Rep. M. Hernandez (D - Dist 26), Rep. Mathis (D - Dist 9), Rep. Quiñonez (D - Dist 27), Rep. Solorio (D - Dist 30)			
H2466: ADEQUATE WATER SUPPLY;	Counties and municipalities are authorized to approve a subdivision	First sponsor: Rep. Cano (D - Dist 3)			

STATEWIDE REQUIREMENTS	<p>plat only if the subdivider has obtained a water report from the 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.</p>	<p>Others: Rep. Dalessandro (D - Dist 2), Sen. Gonzales (D - Dist 3), Rep. M. Hernandez (D - Dist 26), Rep. Mathis (D - Dist 9), Rep. Quiñonez (D - Dist 27), Rep. Solorio (D - Dist 30)</p>			
------------------------	--	--	--	--	--

BILL NUMBER/ SHORT TITLE	SUMMARY	SPONSORS	POSTED HEARINGS & CALENDARS	COMMENTS	LAST ACTION
H2096: APPROPRIATION; FINANCIAL AID TRUST FUND	Makes a supplemental appropriation of \$32.97 million from the general fund in FY2022-23 to the Financial Aid Trust Fund.	First sponsor: Rep. Salman (D - Dist 26) Others: Rep. Cano (D - Dist 3), Rep. Dalessandro (D - Dist 2), Rep. M. Hernandez (D - Dist 26), Sen. Mendez (D - Dist 26), Sen. Terán (D - Dist 30)			
H2123: COMMERCE AUTHORITY; ADULT WORKFORCE EDUCATION	Establishes the Adult Workforce Diploma Program within the Arizona Commerce Authority to assist a person who is at least 21 years of age in earning a high school diploma and developing skills to prepare for employment. Establishes the Adult Workforce Diploma Program Fund and appropriates \$6 million from the general fund each fiscal year to the Fund. Establishes a process for the Authority to approve program providers to participate in the Program. Provider qualifications are established. Establishes amounts the Authority will pay to providers for each student who completes specified milestones. Establishes reporting requirements and minimum performance standards for providers.	First sponsor: Rep. Kaiser (R - Dist 15)			
H2276: STATE LAW; VIOLATION; SCHOOLS; UNIVERSITIES	At the request of a member of the Legislature, the Attorney General is required to investigate any official action taken by the Arizona Board of Regents, a community college district governing board, school district or charter school governing board, university, community college, charter school, or school district school that the member alleges violates state law or the state Constitution. If the Attorney General concludes that there is a violation by ABOR, a university, a community college district, or a community college, the Attorney General is required to impose a civil penalty of an unspecified amount (blank in original) for each month the violation occurs. If the Attorney General concludes that there is a violation by a charter school, school district, or school district school, the Attorney General is required to notify the Arizona Department of Education (ADE), and ADE is required to withhold an unspecified percent (blank in original) of the monthly Classroom Site Fund monies the district or charter school is eligible to receive. [Capitol Reports Note: Some of these provisions were originally signed into law as Laws 2021, chapter 403 (part of the FY2021-22 budget), but were deemed unconstitutional by the Arizona Supreme Court in Arizona School Boards Association et al v. State of Arizona.]	First sponsor: Rep. Fillmore (R - Dist 16)			1/20 referred to House gov-elect.
H2278: ALTERNATIVE MATHEMATICS GRADUATION PATHWAY	The State Board of Education is required to develop and adopt academic competency requirements for an alternative mathematics graduation pathway that includes algebra, geometry and another advanced mathematics course, which may include personal finance,	First sponsor: Rep. Fillmore (R - Dist 16)			1/18 referred to House educ.

	computer science, statistics or business mathematics.				
H2325: SCHOOLS; INSTRUCTION; 9/11 EDUCATION DAY	September 11 in each year must be observed as 9/11 Education Day, which is not a legal holiday. On 9/11 Education Day, each public school in Arizona is required to dedicate a portion of the school day to age-appropriate education on the terrorist attacks of September 11, 2001. The State Board of Education (SBE) is required to develop a list of recommended resources relating to age-appropriate education on the terrorist attacks of September 11, 2001 that align with the academic standards prescribed by the SBE.	First sponsor: Rep. Kavanagh (R - Dist 23)			1/20 referred to House educ.
H2370: SCHOOLS; MATERIALS; ACTIVITIES; POSTING; REVIEW.	Beginning in the 2022-23 school year, each school district and charter school governing board is required to ensure that each school under its authority prominently displays on a publicly accessible portion of its website a list of specified information, including the procedures for a parent to access the current learning materials used for student instruction, the procedures for the school principal to approve lesson plans, a listing of the learning materials and activities used for instruction at the school, a listing of available resources in the school library, and a copy of each survey administered at the school that solicits personal information about a student. This information must be displayed online at least seven days before the start of each school year. Establishes a complaint process that a party must follow prior to initiating legal action to enforce this requirement.	First sponsor: Rep. Bolick (R - Dist 20) Others: Sen. Barto (R - Dist 15), Rep. Blackman (R - Dist 6), Rep. Burges (R - Dist 1), Rep. Griffin (R - Dist 14), Rep. Kavanagh (R - Dist 23), Sen. Livingston (R - Dist 22), Rep. Nguyen (R - Dist 1), Rep. Toma (R - Dist 22)			
H2373: EMPOWERMENT SCHOLARSHIP ACCOUNTS; STUDENT VICTIMS	For the purpose of empowerment scholarship accounts (ESA), the definition of "qualified student" is expanded to include a child who is the alleged victim of assault, harassment, hazing, kidnapping, aggravated assault, theft, burglary, sexual harassment, sexual assault, a sexual offense, threatening or intimidating, fighting, sex trafficking or human trafficking, and the incident occurred on school grounds, on a school bus, at a school bus stop or at a school-sponsored event or activity, including through the use of electronic technology or an electronic communication on a school computer, network, forum or mailing list. On receipt of a police report or an administrative or court pleading involving an incident of any of these crimes, the school principal is required to provide a copy of the report to the parent of the alleged victim and investigate the incident. On conclusion of the investigation or within 15 days after the incident was reported, whichever occurs first, the school district or charter school is required to notify the parent of the alleged victim about eligibility for an ESA. More.	First sponsor: Rep. Bolick (R - Dist 20)			
H2395: CAREER TECHNICAL EDUCATION; FUND; GRANTS	Establishes the Career Technical Adult Education Fund, to be administered by the Department of Education and used to support adult education programs offered by career technical education districts (CTEDs) through grants awarded to CTEDs. Establishes a list of purposes for which the grants may be used. Appropriates \$5 million from the general fund in each of FY2022-23, FY2023-24, and FY2024-25 to the Fund.	First sponsor: Rep. Dunn (R - Dist 13)			
H2403: APPROPRIATION; ADE; ELECTRIC SCHOOL BUSES	Appropriates \$1.5 million from the general fund in FY2022-23 to the Department of Education to award grants to school districts to purchase electric school buses.	First sponsor: Rep. Solorio (D - Dist 30) Others: Rep. Bolding (D - Dist 27), Rep. Epstein (D - Dist 18), Rep. Fernandez (D - Dist 4), Rep. M. Hernandez (D - Dist 26), Rep. Longdon (D - Dist 24), Rep. Pawlik (D - Dist 17), Rep. Quiñonez (D - Dist 27), Sen. Stahl Hamilton (D - Dist 10), Sen. Terán (D - Dist 30)			
H2421: STUDY COMMITTEE; STUDENT-LED SCHOOL CLUBS	Establishes a Student-Led School Clubs Study Committee to consider legislative proposals to require publicly funded schools to allow	First sponsor: Rep. Epstein (D - Dist 18) Others: Rep. Blackwater-Nygren (D - Dist 7), Rep. Bolding (D -			

	student-led school clubs to operate and recruit on campus. The Committee is required to submit a report of its findings and recommendations to the Governor and the Legislature by July 1, 2023, and self-repeals January 1, 2024.	Dist 27), Rep. Liguori (D - Dist 28), Rep. Longdon (D - Dist 24), Rep. Pawlik (D - Dist 17), Rep. Powers Hannley (D - Dist 9), Rep. Solorio (D - Dist 30), Sen. Terán (D - Dist 30)			
H2439: SCHOOL LIBRARY BOOKS; PARENTAL REVIEW	School district governing boards are required to adopt procedures by which parents have access to the school's library catalog of available books or materials and by which parents may receive a list of books or materials borrowed from the library by their children. School boards are required to approve all books in school libraries. Before approval, a list of all books must be available for public review for at least 60 days.	First sponsor: Rep. Pingerelli (R - Dist 21) Others: Rep. Biasiucci (R - Dist 5), Sen. Borrelli (R - Dist 5), Sen. Boyer (R - Dist 20), Rep. Burges (R - Dist 1), Rep. Carroll (R - Dist 22), Rep. Chaplik (R - Dist 23), Rep. Diaz (R - Dist 14), Rep. Fillmore (R - Dist 16), Rep. Griffin (R - Dist 14), Rep. Hoffman (R - Dist 12), Rep. Kaiser (R - Dist 15), Rep. Payne (R - Dist 21), Rep. Toma (R - Dist 22), Rep. Udall (R - Dist 25)	Hearing: House Education (Tuesday 01/25/22 at 2:00 PM, House Rm. 4)		1/20 referred to House educ.
H2487: ARIZONA COMMUNITY SCHOOLS PILOT PROGRAM	Establishes a five-year Arizona Community Schools Pilot Program in the Arizona Department of Administration (ADOA) to assist public schools in developing "community school" (defined) plans. Eligibility for a grant under the Program is established. ADOA is authorized to award various types of grants, with a maximum annual total of \$5 million. Public schools that receive grants are required to contract with a "community-based organization" to support the academic success of students by providing holistic support. Other requirements for grant recipients are established. Appropriates \$5 million from the general fund in each of FY2022-23 through FY2026-27 to ADOA for the Program.	First sponsor: Rep. Wilmeth (R - Dist 15)	Hearing: House Education (Tuesday 01/25/22 at 2:00 PM, House Rm. 4)		
H2535: SCHOOLS; CURRICULA; WEBSITE; POSTING	Public schools are required to post on school websites a list of all the learning materials and activities that are used or being considered for use by the school. Public schools cannot purchase, approve, or select any learning material or activity unless the school posts the information for at least 60 days beforehand and allows the public to submit comments to the school board.	First sponsor: Rep. Martinez (R - Dist 11)			
H2542: APPROPRIATIONS; SCHOOL SAFETY; INTEROPERABILITY	Appropriates \$5.16 million from the general fund in FY2022-23 to the School Safety Interoperability Fund for distribution to 12 county sheriffs in specified amounts.	First sponsor: Rep. Payne (R - Dist 21) Others: Rep. Biasiucci (R - Dist 5), Rep. Blackman (R - Dist 6), Sen. Borrelli (R - Dist 5), Rep. Cook (R - Dist 8), Sen. Gowan (R - Dist 14), Rep. Kaiser (R - Dist 15), Rep. Martinez (R - Dist 11)			
H2555: SCHOOLS; CIVICS INSTRUCTION	The academic standards for high school graduation that the State Board of Education is required to prescribe must include a comparative discussion of political ideologies that conflict with the principles of freedom and democracy. The SBE is required to develop integrated civic education standards that include instruction on a list of specified topics, including the history and content of the Declaration of Independence and the history, meaning, and effect of the U.S. Constitution and the Bill of Rights.	First sponsor: Rep. Griffin (R - Dist 14)			
H2568: COURSE CHOICE AND FUNDING PORTABILITY	The Department of Education is required to establish a Course Options and Funding Portability Program and adopt rules to carry out the Program. Beginning in the 2023-2024 school year, students in grades 6 through 12 are allowed to participate in the Program. A student participating in the Program must take a majority of their courses at their school of record, and may enroll in a number of program courses that is less than half of their required courses for graduation per year. For each course completed under the Program, the lesser of the average daily membership that is equal to 1.0 divided by the total number of courses that the student is required to take that school year, or one-sixth average daily membership is generated and transferred to the school district or charter school in which the student is concurrently enrolled. The primary school district	First sponsor: Rep. Kaiser (R - Dist 15)			

	or charter school in which the student is enrolled is required to subtract the average daily membership generated from its average daily membership calculation.				
HCR2001: RACIAL DISCRIMINATION; PUBLIC EDUCATION	The 2022 general election ballot is to carry the question of whether to amend the state Constitution to prohibit employees, governing boards, and governing body members of a "public institution of elementary or secondary education," "public university," or "community college" (all defined) from compelling or requiring any employee or student to adopt, endorse, or adhere to an idea contrary to the Civil Rights Act of 1964 or the prohibition on preferential treatment or discrimination in the state Constitution, or to compel any employee or student to participate in a training or orientation promoting such ideas, including a list of specific ideas. The Legislature is required to prescribe a penalty for willful violations of this prohibition. The prohibition on preferential treatment or discrimination in the state Constitution is modified to prohibit the state from implementing any federal requirements that would be prohibited except for outreach, advertising or communication efforts. The state deems any requirement that the state practice racial discrimination other than for outreach, advertising or communication efforts to be inconsistent with the 14th Amendment to the U.S. Constitution. More. Severability clause.	First sponsor: Rep. Kaiser (R - Dist 15) Others: Rep. Bolick (R - Dist 20), Rep. Dunn (R - Dist 13), Sen. Gowan (R - Dist 14), Rep. Nguyen (R - Dist 1), Rep. Payne (R - Dist 21), Rep. Pingerelli (R - Dist 21), Rep. Wilmeth (R - Dist 15)			
S1131: EMPOWERMENT SCHOLARSHIP ACCOUNTS; QUALIFIED STUDENTS	For the purpose of Arizona empowerment scholarship accounts, the definition of "qualified student" is expanded to include a child whose parent is a veteran of the U.S. Armed Forces, a child whose parent is a "first responder," and a child of a "health professional" (defined elsewhere in statute) who is employed full-time and who provides direct patient care.	First sponsor: Sen. Rogers (R - Dist 6)			1/11 referred to Senate educ.
S1189: SCHOOL COUNSELORS; GRANTS	Beginning in the 2027-2028 school year, if sufficient monies are appropriated, each school district and charter school is required to hire at least one "school counselor" (defined) for every 550 students who are enrolled in the school district or charter school. The State Board of Education is required to issue a certificate to school counselors who satisfy the certification requirements adopted by the Board by rule. A person cannot be employed as a school counselor in a school district or charter school in Arizona after June 30, 2023 unless that person obtains a school counselor certificate from the Board. Establishes the School Counseling Plan Grant Fund to be administered by the Department of Education to provide grants to schools, school districts and charter schools to assist with the costs of a "school counseling plan" (defined). Application requirements for grants from the Fund are specified. Appropriates the following amounts from the general fund in the following fiscal years to the Fund: \$19 million in FY2022-23, \$38 million in FY2023-24, \$57 million in FY2024-25, \$76 million in FY2025-26, and \$95 million in FY2026-27.	First sponsor: Sen. Bowie (D - Dist 18) Others: Sen. Boyer (R - Dist 20), Rep. Dalessandro (D - Dist 2), Rep. Espinoza (D - Dist 19), Sen. Gabaldon (D - Dist 2), Sen. Gonzales (D - Dist 3), Rep. M. Hernandez (D - Dist 26), Rep. Jermaine (D - Dist 18), Sen. Marsh (D - Dist 28), Rep. Pawlik (D - Dist 17), Sen. Terán (D - Dist 30)			1/13 referred to Senate educ, appro.
S1211: SCHOOLS; MATERIALS; ACTIVITIES; POSTING; REVIEW	Beginning in the 2022-23 school year, each school district and charter school governing board is required to ensure that each school under its authority prominently displays on a publicly accessible portion of its website a list of specified information, including the procedures for a parent to access the current learning materials used for student instruction, the procedures for the school principal to approve lesson plans, a listing of the learning materials and activities used for	First sponsor: Sen. Barto (R - Dist 15) Others: Rep. Bolick (R - Dist 20), Rep. Burges (R - Dist 1), Rep. Diaz (R - Dist 14), Rep. Fillmore (R - Dist 16), Sen. Gowan (R - Dist 14), Rep. Griffin (R - Dist 14), Rep. Kavanagh (R - Dist 23), Sen. Kerr (R - Dist 13), Sen. Livingston (R - Dist 22), Sen. Mesnard (R - Dist 17), Rep. Nguyen (R - Dist 1), Sen. Petersen (R - Dist 12), Rep. Toma			1/18 referred to Senate educ.

instruction at the school, a listing of available resources in the school library, and a copy of each survey administered at the school that solicits personal information about a student. This information must be displayed online at least seven days before the start of each school year. Establishes a complaint process that a party must follow prior to initiating legal action to enforce this requirement.

(R - Dist 22), Sen. Townsend (R - Dist 16)