



LEGISLATIVE UPDATE

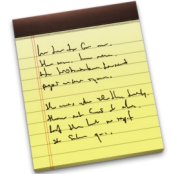
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2022 LEGISLATIVE NOTES

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The seventh week of session is complete. Your Association, like many others, was very busy this week at the Capital. This week contained Crossover Day which took place on Wednesday, February 23, 2022. Contrary to most lobbyist and legislators thinking, Crossover Day ended at more reasonable times with the Senate ending at approximately six o'clock PM and the House finishing up closer to seven o'clock PM.

Your Association continued to monitor legislation of interest during the week. As you will recall, your Association has been following **SB 40**, An Act to establish safety standards regarding biogas gathering lines. The Governor signed this bill into law on February 23, 2022. Another bill worth mentioning again is **SB 126**, An Act to require closure of litigation over the recreational use of nonmeandered waters. After debate on the Senate floor, this bill failed to pass by a vote of 2 yays and 33 nays.

Your Association had much success at the Capital this week. First, **HB 1306**, An Act to make an appropriation – approximately \$50 million – to rural access infrastructure funds and to declare an emergency, was heard on the House floor during Crossover Day. There were few questions and no debate, resulting in the bill passing by a vote of 66-3. The bill has now been referred to Senate Appropriations and scheduled to be heard on March 1, 2022.

Next, **HB 1155**, An Act to revise the compensation for a township board member overseer, passed the House floor last week by a vote of February 62-5. It is now scheduled to be heard today (February 25, 2022) in Senate Local Government where I will again will have testified as the primary proponent.

Finally, **HB 1156**, An Act to revise provisions regarding weed removal along highways, was heard in House Ag and Natural Resources on Tuesday. After testifying in favor, the bill passed out of committee by a unanimous vote. It has now been referred to Senate Transportation.

As has been the case the past few weeks, it was a successful and encouraging week for your Association at the Capital. While the legislature is arguably “over the hump” with Crossover Day being over, there is still much work to do. I will continue to stay in touch with your Association leadership to continue this work in the best way possible.



2022



BILLS INTRODUCED BY

SD ASSOCIATION OF TOWNS & TOWNSHIPS :

HB 1070:

Clarify certain provisions of the rural access infrastructure improvements grant program.

Sponsors: Finck (prime)

1/27/2022 Transportation Do Pass, **Passed, YEAS 13, NAYS 0.**
1/27/2022 Certified uncontested, placed on consent, Passed
1/31/2022 House of Representatives Do Pass, Passed H.J. 157
2/4/2022 Senate Transp. Do Pass, **Passed, YEAS 6, NAYS 0.**
2/4/2022 Certified uncontested, placed on consent
2/8/2022 Signed by the Speaker H.J.240
2/9/2022 Signed by the President S.J.227
2/14/2022 Signed by the Governor on Monday, February 14, 2022 H.J. 290

HB 1306:

Make an appropriation to rural access infrastructure funds and to declare an emergency.

Sponsors: Finck (prime), Chase, Perry, and Smith (Jamie) and Senators Crabtree (prime) and Zikmund.

2/10/2022 House Transportation Motion to amend, Passed, YEAS 10, NAYS 0. Amendment 1306A
2/10/2022 Transportation Referred as Amended to House Committee on Appropriations, Passed, YEAS 10, NAYS 1.
2/17/2022 House Committee on Appropriations, Passed, YEAS 6, NAYS 0.
2/23/2022 House of Representatives Do Pass Amended, Passed, YEAS 66, NAYS 3. H.J. 447
3/1/2022 Senate Committee on Appropriations Scheduled for hearing

HB 1155

An Act to revise the compensation for a township board member overseer

Introduced by: Representative Chase

1/26/2022 First Reading House H.J.128
2/8/2022 Referred to House Local Government H.J.236
2/15/2022 Local Government Do Pass, Passed, YEAS 13, NAYS 0.
2/17/2022 House of Representatives Do Pass, Passed, YEAS 62, NAYS 5. H.J. 370
2/22/2022 First read in Senate and referred to Senate Local Government S.J.306
2/25/2022 Scheduled for hearing

HB 1156

Revise provisions regarding weed removal along highways

Introduced by: Representative Chase

1/26/2022 First Reading House H.J.128
2/8/2022 Referred to House Agriculture and Natural Resources H.J.236
2/23/2022 House of Representatives Do Pass, Passed, YEAS 69, NAYS 1. H.J. 431
2/23/2022 First read in Senate and referred to Senate Transportation S.J.330

BILLS OF INTEREST:

SB 40	To establish safety standards regarding biogas gathering lines.
1/25/2022	Commerce and Energy Hoghoused, Passed Amendment 40C
2/9/2022	Commerce and Energy Do Pass Amended, Passed, YEAS 13, NAYS 0.
2/14/2022	House of Representatives Do Pass Amended, Passed, YEAS 68, NAYS 0. H.J. 287
2/16/2022	Senate Concurred in amendments, Passed, YEAS 35, NAYS 0. S.J. 273
2/17/2022	Signed by the President S.J.295 & Signed by the Speaker H.J.382
HB 1033	Expand the eligible projects for the local infrastructure improvement grant fund.
2/2/2022	State Affairs Do Pass, Passed, YEAS 9, NAYS 3
2/7/2022	House of Representatives Do Pass, Passed, YEAS 41, NAYS 27. H.J. 224
2/8/2022	First read in Senate and referred to Senate Commerce and Energy S.J.210
HB 1075	Modify legal and official notice publication requirements
1/20/2022	Local Government Do Pass, Passed, YEAS 13, NAYS 0.
1/24/2022	House of Representatives Do Pass, Passed, YEAS 69, NAYS 1. H.J. 107
2/9/2022	Local Government Do Pass, Passed, YEAS 4, NAYS 0.
2/10/2022	Senate Do Pass, Passed, YEAS 32, NAYS 0. S.J. 234
2/14/2022	Signed by the Speaker H.J.288
2/15/2022	Signed by the President S.J.262
2//23/2022	Signed by the Governor on Thursday, February 17, 2022 H.J. 428
HB 1077	Require certain language for the oath or affirmation for civil office.
1/25/2022	Local Government Motion to amend, Passed Amendment 1077A
2/3/2022	Local Government Do Pass Amended, Passed, YEAS 11, NAYS 0.
2/7/2022	House of Representatives Do Pass, Passed, YEAS 68, NAYS 0. H.J. 223
2/23/2022	Senate State Affairs Scheduled for hearing
2/23/2022	State Affairs Tabled, Passed, YEAS 9, NAYS 0
HB 1090	Require an annual report on non-meandered waters.
2/3/2022	Agriculture and Natural Resources Deferred to the 41st legislative day, Passed, YEAS 12, NAYS 1
HB 1203	Require taxing districts to hold a public hearing when increasing property tax revenues relative to the previous year. Introduced by: Representative Chris Johnson
2/8/2022	Taxation Motion to amend, Passed, YEAS 9, NAYS 0. Amendment 1203A
2/8/2022	Taxation Do Pass, Failed, YEAS 5, NAYS 6.
2/10/2022	Taxation Do Pass Amended, Failed, YEAS 6, NAYS 5.
2/10/2022	Taxation Do Not Pass as amended, Passed, YEAS 9, NAYS 3.
2/14/2022	Placed on calendar pursuant to JR 6F-6, Failed, YEAS 30, NAYS 38. H.J. 282
HB 1205	Revise the duty of governing boards regarding dangerous roadways
2/3/2022	Transportation Deferred to the 41st legislative day, Passed, YEAS 9, NAYS 1.
HB 1257	Establish a fund to assist counties with paying infrastructure expenditures
2/17/2022	Taxation Motion to amend, Passed Amendment 1257B
2/17/2022	Taxation Do Pass Amended, Failed, YEAS 6, NAYS 5.
2/17/2022	Taxation Referred as Amended to House Committee on Appropriations, Passed, YEAS 9, NAYS 2.
2/22/2022	Committee on Appropriations Do Pass Amended, Passed, YEAS 8, NAYS 1.
2/23/2022	House of Representatives Do Pass Amended, Passed, YEAS 55, NAYS 14. H.J. 448
2/23/2022	First read in Senate and referred to Senate Committee on Appropriations S.J.328
3/1/2022	Scheduled for hearing

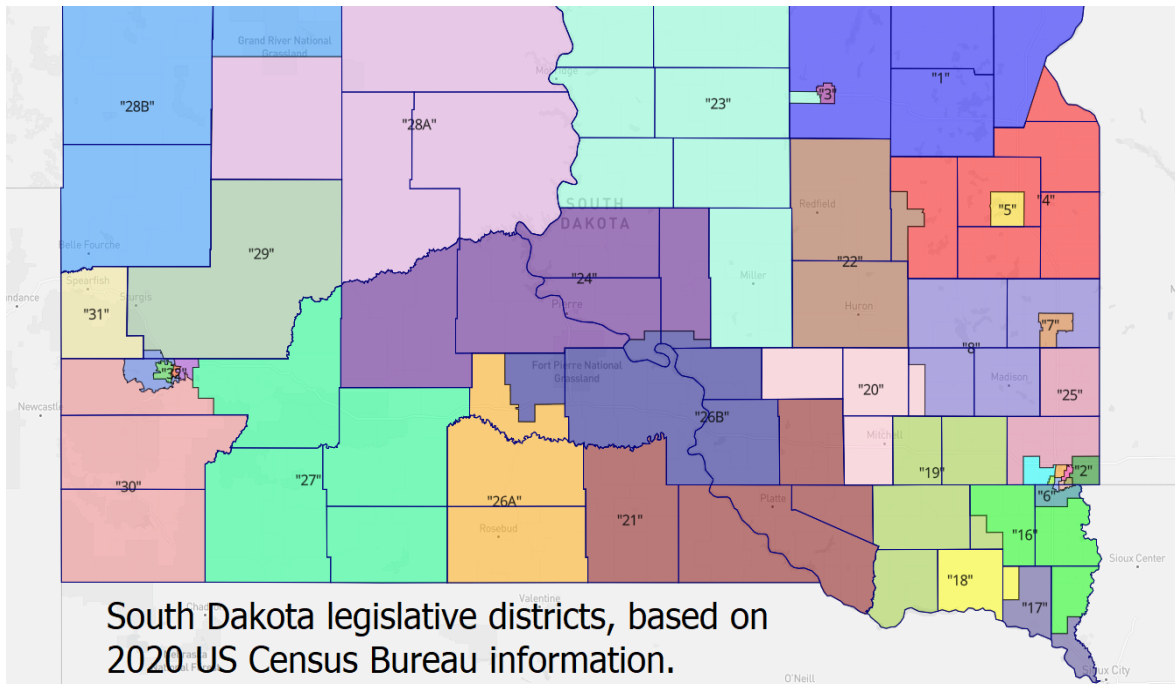
97th SOUTH DAKOTA LEGISLATIVE SESSION CALENDAR

2022 ♦ 38 Legislative Days



Please refer to the Joint Rules, Chapter 17 for complete information.

	Sun	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Sat
January 2022							1
	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
	9	10	11 Session Opens 12 Noon(CST) State of the State L.D. 1	12 State of the Judiciary L.D. 2	13 State of the Tribes L.D. 3	14 L.D. 4	15
	16	17 Martin Luther King Jr. Day	18 Executive orders filed (Constitution, Art. IV, Sec. 8) L.D. 5	19 L.D. 6	20 Jt. Memorial Service 3:00pm L.D. 7	21 Concurrent/House/Senate Resolutions limited introduction deadline (J.R. 6B-3) (TWO HOURS prior to session) L.D. 8	22
	23	24	25 Bill and joint resolution draft requests submitted to LRC by 3:00pm (for unlimited introduction) L.D. 9	26 L.D. 10	27 Last day for unlimited bill & joint resolution introduction (J.R. 6B-3) (TWO HOURS prior to session) L.D. 12	28	29
	30	31 All bill and joint resolution draft requests submitted to LRC by 3:00pm L.D. 13	1 Committee bill and joint resolution requests due to LRC by 3:00pm L.D. 14	2 Last day for introduction of individual bills and joint resolutions (TWO HOURS prior to session) L.D. 15	3 Last day for introduction of committee bills and joint resolutions (TWO HOURS prior to session) L.D. 16	4 L.D. 17	5
	6	7 L.D. 18	8 L.D. 19	9 L.D. 20	10 L.D. 21	11 L.D. 22	12
	13	14 L.D. 22	15 Last day for JCA selection of general fund revenue targets (J.R. 7-11.1) L.D. 23	16 L.D. 24	17 Last day to use J.R. 5-17 L.D. 25	18 L.D. 26	19
	20	21 Presidents' Day	22 Concurrent resolution requests due to LRC by 3:00pm, AND Last day to move required delivery of bills or resolutions by a committee to the house of origin L.D. 26	23 Last day to pass bills or joint resolutions by the house of origin (Crossover Day) L.D. 27	24 Last day for final introduction of concurrent/House/Senate resolutions (TWO HOURS prior to session) L.D. 28	25 Last day for JCA to move required delivery of special appropriation bills to house of origin (JR 17-1) L.D. 29	26
February 2022	27	28 Last day for house of origin to pass special appropriation bills referred from JCA (JR 17-1), AND Commemoration requests due to LRC by 3:00pm L.D. 30	1 L.D. 31	2 Last day for introduction of commemorations (TWO HOURS prior to session), AND J.R. 5-13 in effect L.D. 32	3 Last day to move required delivery of bills or joint resolutions by a committee to the second house L.D. 33	4 L.D. 34	5
	6	7 Last day for a bill or joint resolution to pass both houses L.D. 34	8 L.D. 35	9 L.D. 36	10 L.D. 37	11 L.D. 38	12
	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
	20	21	22	23	24	25	26
	27	28 Reserved for consideration of gubernatorial vetoes L.D. 38	29	30	31	1	2
March 2022							



SOUTH DAKOTA LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT MAP

South Dakota legislative districts, based on
2020 US Census Bureau information.

TOWNSHIP CALENDAR

January 11th- Legislative Session Opens

February 2 - SDATAT Ice Cream Social at the Capital

Feb 22- Required Township meeting

March 1st - Required Township Annual Meeting (SDCL 8-3-1)

April 1st- SDATAT Scholarship Applications Due

April 15 - SDATAT Bond Applications Due

July 15 - Opt Outs Due

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