



FES Weekly Bill Tracking

Ordered by Bill Number

SB 0032 Mangrove Replanting and Restoration by Garcia (I)

Mangrove Replanting and Restoration; Requiring the Department of Environmental Protection to adopt rules for mangrove replanting and restoration; providing requirements for the rules; requiring the department, in consultation with the Division of Insurance Agent and Agency Services, to conduct a statewide feasibility study regarding the use of mangroves and other nature-based solutions in order to improve a local government's community rating for flood insurance purposes, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2024

Committees of Reference

Senate Environment and Natural Resources

Senate Appropriations Committee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government (Current Reference)

Senate Rules

Actions

12/06/2023 SENATE Favorable with CS by Environment and Natural Resources; 7 Yeas, 0 Nays

12/06/2023 SENATE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed

12/08/2023 SENATE Now in Appropriations Committee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government

SB 0036 Comprehensive Waste Reduction and Recycling Plan by Stewart

Comprehensive Waste Reduction and Recycling Plan; Requiring the Department of Environmental Protection to develop a comprehensive waste reduction and recycling plan for this state by a specified date, based on certain department recommendations; specifying minimum requirements for the comprehensive plan; requiring the department to submit a report to the Legislature upon completion of the comprehensive plan, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2024

Committees of Reference

Senate Environment and Natural Resources

Senate Appropriations Committee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government (Current Reference)

Senate Fiscal Policy

Actions

11/27/2023 SENATE On Committee agenda - Environment and Natural Resources, 12/06/23, 11:00 am, 301 S

12/06/2023 SENATE Favorable by Environment and Natural Resources; 7 Yeas, 0 Nays

12/06/2023 SENATE Now in Appropriations Committee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government

Identical

HB 0455 Comprehensive Waste Reduction and Recycling Plan (Casello)

SB 0074 Florida Statutes by Mayfield

Florida Statutes; Deleting provisions that have expired, have become obsolete, have had their effect, have served their purpose, or have been impliedly repealed or superseded; removing inconsistencies, redundancies, and unnecessary repetition in the statutes; and improving the clarity of the statutes and

facilitating their correct interpretation, etc. Effective Date: On the 60th day after adjournment sine die of the session of the Legislature in which enacted

Committees of Reference

Senate Rules

Actions

12/04/2023 SENATE On Committee agenda - Rules, 12/13/23, 2:00 pm, 412 K

12/13/2023 SENATE Favorable by Rules; 17 Yeas, 0 Nays

12/13/2023 SENATE Placed on Calendar, on 2nd reading

SB 0082 Florida Statutes by Mayfield

Florida Statutes; Amending provisions to conform to section 147 of chapter 2023-173, Laws of Florida, which directs the Division of Law Revision to prepare a reviser's bill for the 2024 Regular Session of the Legislature to replace references to the terms "Department of Economic Opportunity" and "Secretary of Economic Opportunity," wherever they occur in the Florida Statutes, with the terms "Department of Commerce" and "Secretary of Commerce," respectively, etc. Effective Date: Except as otherwise provided, this act shall take effect on the 60th day after adjournment sine die of the session of the Legislature in which enacted

Committees of Reference

Senate Rules

Actions

12/04/2023 SENATE On Committee agenda - Rules, 12/13/23, 2:00 pm, 412 K

12/13/2023 SENATE Favorable by Rules; 17 Yeas, 0 Nays

12/13/2023 SENATE Placed on Calendar, on 2nd reading

HB 0163 Dredging and Beach Restoration Projects by Gossett-Seidman

Dredging and Beach Restoration Projects: Directs DEP to require, as condition of permits issued for certain dredging & beach restoration projects, that any adverse impact analysis conducted for activity meet certain requirements; requires local government to provide notice of its intent to conduct analysis to certain adjacent local governments; provides fine for violations. Effective Date: July 1, 2024

Committees of Reference

House Water Quality, Supply & Treatment Subcommittee (Current Reference)

House Agriculture & Natural Resources Appropriations Subcommittee

House Infrastructure Strategies Committee

Actions

10/16/2023 HOUSE Filed

11/02/2023 HOUSE Referred to Water Quality, Supply & Treatment Subcommittee; Agriculture & Natural Resources Appropriations Subcommittee; Infrastructure Strategies Committee

11/02/2023 HOUSE Now in Water Quality, Supply & Treatment Subcommittee

Identical

SB 0608 Dredging and Beach Restoration Projects (Rodriguez)

HB 0165 Safe Waterways Act by Gossett-Seidman

Safe Waterways Act: Transfers duties related to bacteriological sampling of beach waters & public bathing places from DOH to DEP; provides requirements for such transfer; revises provisions related to bacteriological sampling of beach waters & public bathing places, including rule adoption & enforcement; issuance of health advisories; closure of beach waters & public bathing places; notification & signage requirements; & public statewide interagency database. Effective Date: upon becoming a law

Committees of Reference

House Water Quality, Supply & Treatment Subcommittee (Current Reference)
House Appropriations Committee
House Infrastructure Strategies Committee

Actions

10/16/2023 HOUSE Filed
11/02/2023 HOUSE Referred to Water Quality, Supply & Treatment Subcommittee; Appropriations Committee; Infrastructure Strategies Committee
11/02/2023 HOUSE Now in Water Quality, Supply & Treatment Subcommittee

Similar

SB 0338 Safe Waterways Act (Berman)

SB 0338 Safe Waterways Act by Berman

Safe Waterways Act; Citing this act as the “Safe Waterways Act”; requiring the Department of Health and the Department of Environmental Protection to submit to the Governor and the Legislature, by a specified date, certain recommendations relating to the transfer of duties related to the bacteriological sampling of beach waters and public bathing places; specifying that the Department of Environmental Protection is solely responsible for adopting and enforcing rules related to the bacteriological sampling of beach waters and public bathing places; requiring municipalities and counties to immediately notify the department of any incident that may affect the quality of beach waters or public bathing places within their respective jurisdictions, etc. Effective Date: Except as otherwise expressly provided in this act, this act shall take effect upon becoming a law

Committees of Reference

Senate Health Policy (Current Reference)
Senate Appropriations Committee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government
Senate Fiscal Policy

Actions

11/07/2023 SENATE Filed
11/15/2023 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Appropriations Committee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; Fiscal Policy

Similar

HB 0165 Safe Waterways Act (Gossett-Seidman)

SB 0406 Statewide Environmental Resource Permitting Rules by Rodriguez

Statewide Environmental Resource Permitting Rules; Requiring that stormwater management systems be designed with side slopes that meet a certain minimum design requirement; superseding certain side slope rules and authorizing their repeal by a specified publication of notice and a specified filing, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2024

Committees of Reference

Senate Environment and Natural Resources (Current Reference)
Senate Fiscal Policy
Senate Rules

Actions

11/09/2023 SENATE Filed
11/28/2023 SENATE Referred to Environment and Natural Resources; Fiscal Policy; Rules

Compare

SB 0738 Environmental Management (Burgess)

HB 0455 Comprehensive Waste Reduction and Recycling Plan by Casello

Comprehensive Waste Reduction and Recycling Plan: Requires DEP to develop comprehensive waste reduction & recycling plan by specified date, convene technical assistance group, & submit report to Legislature. Effective Date: July 1, 2024

Committees of Reference

House Agriculture, Conservation & Resiliency Subcommittee (Current Reference)
House Agriculture & Natural Resources Appropriations Subcommittee
House Infrastructure Strategies Committee

Actions

11/14/2023 HOUSE Filed
11/22/2023 HOUSE Referred to Agriculture, Conservation & Resiliency Subcommittee; Agriculture & Natural Resources Appropriations Subcommittee; Infrastructure Strategies Committee
11/22/2023 HOUSE Now in Agriculture, Conservation & Resiliency Subcommittee

Identical

SB 0036 Comprehensive Waste Reduction and Recycling Plan (Stewart)

SB 0510 Excise Tax on Water Extracted for Commercial or Industrial Use by Stewart

Excise Tax on Water Extracted for Commercial or Industrial Use; Imposing an excise tax upon persons extracting water from waters of the state for commercial or industrial use; requiring that tax proceeds be separately accounted for and used for specified purposes by the Department of Environmental Protection; specifying requirements for extractors in filing monthly returns with the Department of Revenue; authorizing the department to inspect or examine an extractor's books and records, issue subpoenas, require testimony under oath or affirmation of certain persons, and apply for certain judicial orders, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2024

Committees of Reference

Senate Environment and Natural Resources (Current Reference)
Senate Finance and Tax
Senate Appropriations

Actions

11/16/2023 SENATE Filed
12/05/2023 SENATE Referred to Environment and Natural Resources; Finance and Tax; Appropriations

HB 0527 Land and Water Management by Maggard

Land and Water Management: Requires certain buffer zones for land or water delineations established by county or municipality to be acquired by county or municipality through eminent domain; preempts regulation of specified dredge & fill activities to state; repeals land management review teams. Effective Date: July 1, 2024

Committees of Reference

House Water Quality, Supply & Treatment Subcommittee (Current Reference)
House Local Administration, Federal Affairs & Special Districts Subcommittee
House Infrastructure Strategies Committee

Actions

11/17/2023 HOUSE Filed
HOUSE Referred to Water Quality, Supply & Treatment Subcommittee; Local

11/30/2023 Administration, Federal Affairs & Special Districts Subcommittee; Infrastructure Strategies Committee

11/30/2023 HOUSE Now in Water Quality, Supply & Treatment Subcommittee

Similar

[SB 0664](#) Land and Water Management (Burgess)

SB 0608 Dredging and Beach Restoration Projects by Rodriguez

Dredging and Beach Restoration Projects; Directing the Department of Environmental Protection to require that, as a condition of permits issued for certain dredging and beach restoration projects, any adverse impact analysis conducted for the activity meet certain requirements; requiring a local government to provide notice of its intent to conduct an analysis to certain adjacent local governments, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2024

Committees of Reference

Senate Environment and Natural Resources (Current Reference)

Senate Fiscal Policy

Senate Rules

Actions

11/28/2023 SENATE Filed

12/05/2023 SENATE Referred to Environment and Natural Resources; Fiscal Policy; Rules

Identical

[HB 0163](#) Dredging and Beach Restoration Projects (Gossett-Seidman)

SB 0664 Land and Water Management by Burgess

Land and Water Management; Requiring certain buffer zones for land or water delineations established by a county or municipality to be purchased by the county or municipality; preempting regulation of specified dredge and fill activities to the Department of Environmental Protection; repealing provisions relating to land management review teams, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2024

Committees of Reference

Senate Environment and Natural Resources (Current Reference)

Senate Appropriations Committee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government

Senate Fiscal Policy

Actions

12/01/2023 SENATE Filed

12/13/2023 SENATE Referred to Environment and Natural Resources; Appropriations Committee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; Fiscal Policy

Similar

[HB 0527](#) Land and Water Management (Maggard)

SB 0738 Environmental Management by Burgess

Environmental Management; Providing that the prevailing party in certain actions against the Department of Environmental Protection or a water management district is entitled to reasonable costs and attorney fees; requiring that nonindustrial stormwater management systems be designed with side slopes that meet certain minimum design requirements; revising construction relating to causes of action for damages to real or personal property directly resulting from certain discharges or other conditions of pollution; requiring the department and water management districts to conduct holistic reviews of their respective agency's costal permitting processes and permit programs, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2024

Committees of Reference

Senate Environment and Natural Resources (Current Reference)

Senate Judiciary

Senate Fiscal Policy

Actions

12/06/2023 SENATE Filed

12/15/2023 SENATE Referred to Environment and Natural Resources; Judiciary; Fiscal Policy

Compare

SB 0406 Statewide Environmental Resource Permitting Rules (Rodriguez)

Identical

HB 0789 Environmental Management (Overdorf)

SB 0784 Installation of Waterway Markers by Gruters

Installation of Waterway Markers; Revising the application requirements for marking certain waters of this state; requiring that all waterway markers be affixed to certain structures or buoys beginning on a specified date; requiring state and local governmental entities to conform to such requirements by a specified date, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2024

Committees of Reference

Senate Environment and Natural Resources (Current Reference)

Senate Appropriations Committee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government

Senate Fiscal Policy

Actions

12/06/2023 SENATE Filed

12/15/2023 SENATE Referred to Environment and Natural Resources; Appropriations Committee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; Fiscal Policy

HB 0789 Environmental Management by Overdorf

Environmental Management: Provides that prevailing party in certain actions against DEP or water management district is entitled to reasonable costs & attorney fees; requires that nonindustrial stormwater management systems be designed with side slopes that meet certain minimum design requirements; requires department & water management districts to conduct holistic reviews of their respective agency's costal permitting processes & permit programs; requires department & water management districts to submit reports of their findings & proposed solutions to Governor & Legislature. Effective Date: July 1, 2024

Committees of Reference

House Water Quality, Supply & Treatment Subcommittee (Current Reference)

House Agriculture & Natural Resources Appropriations Subcommittee

House Infrastructure Strategies Committee

Actions

12/07/2023 HOUSE Filed

12/27/2023 HOUSE Referred to Water Quality, Supply & Treatment Subcommittee; Agriculture & Natural Resources Appropriations Subcommittee; Infrastructure Strategies Committee

12/27/2023 HOUSE Now in Water Quality, Supply & Treatment Subcommittee

Compare

SB 0406 Statewide Environmental Resource Permitting Rules (Rodriguez)

Identical

SB 0738 Environmental Management (Burgess)

SB 0836 Mitigation Areas and Assessments by Simon

Mitigation Areas and Assessments; Specifying conditions under which the degree of risk may not be considered when a uniform mitigation assessment method is being applied; providing that certain encumbrances of real property may not be required for mitigation areas that meet specified criteria; providing an exception, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2024

Committees of Reference

No committees referenced

Actions

12/11/2023 SENATE Filed

HB 0863 Management and Storage of Surface Waters by Killebrew

Management and Storage of Surface Waters: Provides exemption from surface water management & storage regulations for implementation of measures & practices for environmental activities & water quality improvements on specified agricultural lands & government-owned lands; provides condition & requirements for measures & practices; removes requirements for adverse impacts on water resources, certain notification by DEP & water management districts, & activity commencement; prohibits use of exemption for certain mitigation purposes. Effective Date: July 1, 2024

Committees of Reference

House Water Quality, Supply & Treatment Subcommittee (Current Reference)

House Agriculture & Natural Resources Appropriations Subcommittee

House Infrastructure Strategies Committee

Actions

12/27/2023 HOUSE Referred to Water Quality, Supply & Treatment Subcommittee; Agriculture & Natural Resources Appropriations Subcommittee; Infrastructure Strategies Committee

12/27/2023 HOUSE Now in Water Quality, Supply & Treatment Subcommittee

01/03/2024 HOUSE Withdrawn prior to introduction

Similar

SB 0986 Management and Storage of Surface Waters (Burton)

SB 0986 Management and Storage of Surface Waters by Burton

Management and Storage of Surface Waters; Providing an exemption from surface water management and storage regulations for the implementation of certain measures and practices for environmental restoration, enhancement, and creation activities and water quality improvements on specified agricultural and government-owned lands; deleting requirements relating to adverse impacts on water resources, certain notification by the department and water management districts, and commencement of activities, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2024

Committees of Reference

No committees referenced

Actions

12/18/2023 SENATE Filed

Similar

HB 0863 Management and Storage of Surface Waters (Killebrew)