South Bay Cities Council of Governments

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TO: SBCCOG Steering Committee

FROM: Jacki Bacharach, SBCCOG Executive Director

RE: Bills to Monitor and for Action – Status as of August 12, 2018

Adherence to Strategic Plan:

Goal B: Regional Advocacy. Advocate for the interests of the South Bay

ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURES

AB 1250	Counties: contracts for personal services. Would allow a county	OPPOSE	9/5/17
(Jones-	or county agency to contract for personal services currently or	(5/8/17)	Senate Rules Committee
Sawyer)	customarily performed by employees, as applicable, when		LCC opposition removed
	specified conditions are met. Among other things, would require	(Ltr faxed to	
	the county to clearly demonstrate that the proposed contract will	Asm Approps	
	result in actual overall costs savings to the county and also to	5/9/17)	
	show that the contract does not cause the displacement of county		
	workers. Would exempt certain types of contracts from its		
	provisions, and would exempt a city and county from its		
	provisions.		

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

AB 427	California Aerospace and Aviation Commission: Would establish	SUPPORT	Senate Appropriations
(Muratsuchi)	the California Aerospace and Aviation Commission consisting of	(2/12/18)	Committee
	16 members, as specified, to serve as a central point of contact		Hearing Date: 8/16/18
	for businesses engaged in the aerospace and aviation industries	(Ltr faxed to Sen	
	and to support the health and competitiveness of these industries	Approp 6/29/18)	
	in California. Would require the commission to make		
	recommendations on legislative and administrative action that		
	may be necessary or helpful to maintain or improve the state's		
	aerospace and aviation industries and would require the		
	commission to report and provide recommendations to the		
	Governor and the Legislature, as specified. Would require the		
	commission to have at least 2 offices within existing operations of		

	the state, as specified, and would require the operations of the commission to be supported through nonstate moneys. Would also require that funds received by the commission be deposited in the Aerospace and Aviation Account, which the bill would create in the California Economic Development Fund, to be used by the commission upon appropriation by the Legislature.		
SB 822 (Wiener)	Communications: broadband internet access service. Would revise the Consumers Legal Remedies Act to prohibit	MONITOR	8/9/18 Assembly Communications
	specified actions by an Internet service provider, as defined, that provides broadband Internet access service, as specified.		& Conveyance Committee

ENVIRONMENT

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AB 987	California Environmental Quality Act: sports and entertainment	SUPPORT	Senate Appropriations
(Kamlager-	project. Would establish specified administrative and judicial	(7/26/18)	Committee
Dove)	review procedures for the administrative and judicial review of the		Hearing Date: 813/18
	EIR and approvals granted for a project related to the	(Ltr to Sen	
	development of a specified sports and entertainment project in the	Approp 7/30/18)	
	City of Inglewood meeting certain requirements. Because the lead		
	agency would be required to use these alternative procedures for		
	administrative review of the EIR if the project applicant so	request from the	
	chooses, this bill would impose a state-mandated local program.	City of	
	The bill would specify that the decisions of the lead agency	Inglewood	
	regarding certain analyses and impacts shall not be considered		
	as an abuse of discretion if certain conditions are met. This bill		
	would make legislative findings and declarations as to the		
	necessity of a special statute for the City of Inglewood.		
AB 1775	State lands: leasing: oil and gas. AMENDED 4/18/18. Would	SUPPORT	Senate Appropriations
(Muratsuchi)	prohibit the State Lands Commission and the local trustees of	(2/12/18)	Committee
	granted public trust lands from entering into any new lease or		Hearing Date: 8/16/18
SB 834	other conveyance authorizing new construction of oil- and gas-	AB 1775 - (Ltr to	_
(Jackson)	related infrastructure upon tidelands and submerged lands within	Sen Approp	
	state waters associated with Outer Continental Shelf leases	6/29/18)	SB 834
	issued after January 1, 2018. Would apply the exceptions	,	Assembly Appropriations
	applicable to the California Coastal Sanctuary to these provisions.	SB 834 - (Ltr to	Committee
	Would authorize the commission to establish guidelines for the	Asm Approp.	Hearing Date: 8/16/18
	implementation of these provisions.	6/29/18)	_

Considering the costs to local jurisdictions. SB 1133 (Portantino) Water quality control plans: funding. Would authorize the State Water Resources Control Board, on behalf of itself or a regional board, to accept donations of moneys from a permittee for the purpose of updating a water quality control plan. Calendar (Ltr to Asm Approp 6/29/18) Approp 6/29/18) LA County LCC su As LA County consistormwater parcel the November 201 SB 1133 provides a opportunity to fund and timely update and	pports. siders a tax for 8 ballot, an a crucial
SCA 20 Local Sales Taxes: Online Sales. Would change Bradley-Burns MONITOR Senate Appropriati	ons
(Glazer) Local Sales Tax law: Online sales would be consummated at the Committee	0110
place of delivery rather than place of sale on or after 1/1/2020. Hearing Date: 8/10	6/18

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AB 1771	Planning and zoning: regional housing needs assessment. Would	MONITOR	Senate Appropriations
(Bloom)	revise the objectives required to be addressed in the regional		Committee
	housing needs allocation plan and additionally require the plan to		Hearing Date: 8/16/18
	include an objective to increase access to areas of high		_
	opportunity for lower-income residents, while avoiding		
	displacement and affirmatively furthering fair housing. It requires		LCC watch
	greater analysis of the number of housing units available at		CALCOG oppose unless
	different income levels. Would allow HCD and Housing		amended
	Organizations greater oversight over the process.		
AB 2890	Land use: accessory dwelling units. Would prohibit the imposition	OPPOSE	Senate Appropriations
(Ting)	of lot coverage standards or requirements on minimum lot size, lot	(6/28/18)	Committee
	coverage, or floor area ratio, and would prohibit an ordinance from	(Ltr to Sen	Hearing Date: 8/16/18
	establishing size requirements for accessory dwelling units that do	Approp Comm	_
	not permit at least an 800 square foot unit of at least 16 feet in	7/9/18)	

	height to be constructed. Would require local jurisdictions to consider permit applications for ADUs within 60 days of receipt instead of currently up to 120 days. Would also require that jurisdictions that condition permits on owner-occupancy to not monitor those units more than once per year. Would expand the law to allow for ministerial approval of ADUs on both single-family and multifamily lots, and prohibit certain requirements such as lot coverage standards, minimum lot size, and floor area ratio. If passed, HCD would be required to proposed small building standards by 2020, which would provide further oversight into local ordinances. If an ordinance is found to be in violation of the law, HCD could additionally notify the Attorney General.		LCC opposes
AB 3194 (Daly)	Housing Accountability Act: project approval. Would specify that a proposed housing development project is not inconsistent with the applicable zoning standards and criteria, and would prohibit a local government from requiring a rezoning, if the housing development project is consistent with the objective general plan standards and criteria but the zoning for the project site is inconsistent with the general plan. Would authorize a local agency, provided that the local agency has complied with specified provisions, to require the proposed housing development project to comply with the objective standards and criteria of the zoning that are consistent with the general plan, and would require the local agency to apply those standards and criteria to facilitate and accommodate development at the density allowed on the site by the general plan and proposed by the proposed housing development project. Would declare the Legislature's intent that the conditions that would have a specific, adverse impact upon the public health and safety arise infrequently.	MONITOR (7/26/18) OPPOSE (6/28/18)	8/13/18 Assembly concurrence in Senate amendments Bill amended 6/21/18 – League position changed to neutral
SB 961 (Allen)	Enhanced infrastructure financing districts. Would create districts major transit stops in which an enhanced tax increment would be created from increased property and sales taxes within the district. The incremental revenues would be dedicated for specified types of investments within the district. Would require the Office of Planning and Research, on or before January 1, 2021, to complete a study on the effectiveness of tax increment financing tools for increasing housing production, including a comparison of the relative advantages and disadvantages of infrastructure financing districts, enhanced infrastructure financing districts, affordable housing authorities, use of the Neighborhood Infill Finance and	MONITOR	Assembly Appropriations Committee Hearing Date: 8/16/18

	Transit Improvements Act, and use of the Second Neighborhood		
	Infill Finance and Transit Improvements Act, as specified.		
PUBLIC SAI	EETV		
SB 10	Bail: pretrial release. Would declare the intent of the Legislature to	OPPOSE	Assembly Appropriations
(Hertzberg)	enact legislation that would safely reduce the number of people	(6/28/18)	Committee
(1.01122019)	detained pretrial, while addressing racial & economic disparities in	(Ltr to Asm	Hearing Date: 8/15/18
	the pretrial system, & to ensure that people are not held in pretrial	Approp Comm	3 3 3 3
	detention simply because of their inability to afford money bail.	7/9/18)	
TRANSPOR		MONUTOR	10/40/40
AB 2989	Motorized scooter: use of helmet: maximum speed. Would require	MONITOR	8/13/18
(Flora)	the operator of a motorized scooter to wear a helmet only if the operator is less than 18 years of age.		Senate 3rd Reading
SB 1151	Neighborhood Electric Vehicles. County of San Diego. Would	MONITOR	Assembly Appropriations
(Bates)	authorize the County of San Diego, and any city therein, to		Committee
	establish Neighborhood Electric Vehicle (NEV) Transportation		Hearing Date: 8/16/18
	Plans to serve the mobility needs of their communities and further the region's vision of supporting a sustainable and healthy region,		
	vibrant economy, and outstanding quality of life for all.		
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FEDERAL			
HR 1958	PACE Act of 2017 – Protecting Americans from Credit	MONITOR	4/5/17
(Sherman)	Entanglements Act of 2017 – Amends the Truth in Lending Act to		HR 1958:
&	extend that Act's requirements to real property retrofit loans. A "real		House Comm. on Financial
S. 838	property retrofit loan" is a loan that is: (1) secured by an interest in		Services
(Cotton)	real property; (2) repayable in installment payments made		5/11/17
	concurrently with the payment of property taxes on the real property; and (3) used to finance real property retrofits, including		S. 838
	energy-efficiency upgrades, renewable-energy installations, seismic		Senate Committee on
	retrofits, water-conservation upgrades, and other similar		Banking, Housing, and
	improvements.		Urban Affairs
	At the time of application for a real property retrofit loan, the creditor		
	must disclose that the loan will result in a lien on the real property		@ request of S.B. Board of
	securing the loan.		Realtors

HR 5045 (Barragan)	STOP (Services, Tools and Opportunities to Prevent) Homelessness Act of 2018 – Would create a voluntary check-off donation box on tax returns to fund housing and support services. Every dollar would be matched 1:1 by the federal government.	MONITOR	2/15/18 House Ways and Means Committee & House Committee on Financial Services
S.3157 (Thune & Schatz)	Federal Small-Cell Bill. PER LCC - To streamline siting processes for small cell deployment. Would force local governments to lease out publicly owned infrastructure, eliminate reasonable local environmental and design review, and eliminate the ability for local governments to negotiate fair leases or public benefits for the installation of "small cell" wireless equipment on taxpayer-funded property. Stringently limits those factors that local governments may consider in their own land use decisions, and restricts the compensation they receive to the "actual costs" they incur to process applications.	OPPOSE (7/26/18)	6/28/18 Senate Commerce, Science & Transportation Committee LCC opposes

SB 831 – Accessory Dwelling Units – Dead