South Bay Cities Council of Governments

April 23, 2020

TO: SBCCOG Board of Directors

- FROM: SBCCOG Steering Committee
- RE: Bills to Monitor and for Action – Status as of April 6, 2020

NOTE: Legislation in BOLD is new to the matrix

Adherence to Strategic Plan: Goal B: Regional Advocacy. Advocate for the interests of the South Bay

ENVIRONMENT

AB 1672 (Bloom)	Solid waste: nonwoven disposable products. Would require, commencing January 1, 2021, except as provided, certain nonwoven disposal products to be labeled clearly and conspicuously to communicate that they should not be flushed, as specified. Would prohibit a covered entity, as defined, from making a representation about the flushable attributes, benefits, performance, or efficacy of those nonwoven disposal products, as provided.	SUPPORT (2/27/20) LCC: monitor CPSC: support? Calif. Product Stewardship Council	1/30/20 Senate Rules Committee for assignment
AB 2103 (O'Donnell) Formerly AB 1694	San Gabriel and Lower Los Angeles Rivers & Mountains Conservancy: territory: Dominguez Channel watershed & Santa Catalina Island. Existing law establishes the San Gabriel and Lower Los Angeles Rivers and Mountains Conservancy in the Natural Resources Agency and prescribes the functions and duties of the conservancy. Existing law, for purposes of those provisions, defines "territory" to mean the territory of the conservancy that consists of those portions of the Counties of Los Angeles and Orange located within the San Gabriel River and its tributaries, the lower Los Angeles River and its tributaries, and the San Gabriel Mountains, as described. This bill would additionally include the Dominguez	RECOMMEND SUPPORT SUPPORTED AB 1694 (6/27/19) (Ltr to Sen Nat Res & Water Comm. 7/2/19)	3/16/20 Senate Natural Resource Committee

	Channel watershed and Santa Catalina Island, as described, within that definition of territory, and would make various related changes to the boundaries of that territory.		
SB 1363	Regional transportation plans: sustainable communities	MONITOR	Senate Transportation
(Allen)	strategies: greenhouse gas emissions and vehicle miles traveled		Committee
· · · ·	reduction targets. Would require the State Air Resources Board to		Hearing Date: 4/14/20
	provide, no later than December 31, 2022, each affected region		_
	with greenhouse gas emission reduction targets for the automobile		Senate Environmental
	and light truck sector for 2045 and 2050, and with vehicle miles		Quality Committee
	traveled reduction targets for 2035, 2045, and 2050, and to		Hearing Date: 4/15/20
	release, no later than September 30, 2022, a draft of those targets,		_
	as specified.		

FINANCE

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SB 795	Affordable Housing and Community Development Investment	SUPPORT	4/2/20
(Beall)	Program. Would establish in state government the Affordable	(2/27/20)	Senate Government &
	Housing and Community Development Investment Program, which		Finance Committee
	would be administered by the Affordable Housing and Community	LCC: monitor	
	Development Investment Committee. Would authorize a city,		
	county, city and county, joint powers agency, enhanced		
	infrastructure financing district, affordable housing authority,		
	community revitalization and investment authority, transit village		
	development district, or a combination of those entities, to apply to	Was previously	
	the Affordable Housing and Community Development Investment	SB 5	
	Committee to participate in the program and would authorize the	SBCCOG:	
	committee to approve or deny plans for projects meeting specific	supported	
	criteria. Would also authorize certain local agencies to establish an		
	affordable housing and community development investment	LCC: supported	
	agency and authorize an agency to apply for funding under the		
	program and issue bonds, as provided, to carry out a project under		
	the program.		
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HOUSING

AB 3107	Planning and zoning: general plan: housing development.	Monitor	Assembly Housing
(Bloom)	Notwithstanding any inconsistent provision of a city's or		Committee
	county's general plan, specific plan, zoning ordinance, or		Hearing: 3/16/20
	regulation, would require that a housing development in		POSTPONED
	which at least 20% of the units have an affordable housing		
	cost or affordable rent for lower income households, as those		

	terms are defined, be an allowable use on a site designated in any element of the general plan for commercial uses.		
SB 902 (Wiener)	Planning and zoning: neighborhood multifamily project: use by right: density. Current law, until January 1, 2026, authorizes a development proponent to submit an application for a multifamily housing development that satisfies specified planning objective standards to be subject to a streamlined, ministerial approval process, as provided, and not subject to a conditional use permit. This bill would provide that a neighborhood multifamily project is a use by right in zones where residential uses are permitted if the project is not located in a very high fire severity zone, does not demolish sound rental housing or housing that has been placed on a national or state historic register, follows specified local objective criteria, and meets specified density requirements.	RECOMMEND OPPOSE BY RIGHT PROVISIONS	Senate Housing Committee Hearing: 3/31/20 POSTPONED

TRANSPORTATION

AB 326	Vehicles: motorized carrying devices. Would define a motorized	MONITOR	1/30/20
(Muratsuchi)	carrying device and authorize the use of a motorized carrying		Senate Rules Committee
	device, in accordance with specified rules, on sidewalks and	LCC: monitor	for assignment
	crosswalks.		
AB 2121	Traffic Safety: Would require, beginning June 1, 2022, and	MONITOR	2/20/20
(Friedman)	every 6 months thereafter, Caltrans to convene a committee		Assembly Transportation
	of external design experts to advise on revisions to the	LCC: monitor	Committee
	Highway Design Manual. (possible leg. for changing speed		
	limit calculations)		

FEDERAL

HR 530	Accelerating Wireless Broadband Deployment by Empowering	SUPPORT &	1/25/19
(Eshoo)	Local Communities Act of 2019. Overturns the FCC's September	REQUEST CO-	House Energy &
	order preempting local authority over small cell wireless	SPONSORS	Commerce Committee -
	infrastructure on January 14, the day the order took effect. Would	(2/11/19)	Subcommittee on
	not preclude future FCC or congressional preemption of cities on		Communications &
	wireless infrastructure, but it would halt the FCC's harmful		Technology
	preemption order, which ignored the input of hundreds of local		
	governments. The bill also complements ongoing efforts to		

overturn the FCC order in federal courts, and the investigation by congressional leaders into alleged attempts by the FCC to thwart that litigation.	Endorsed by NLC, NATOA, NAC	
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HR 1507	The Bicycle Commuter Act of 2019. Official summary in progress.	MONITOR	3/5/19
(Blumenauer)	Would allow cyclists to deduct more than \$50 per month and write		House Ways and Means
	off bike-share memberships.		Committee

2020 Legislative Session Calendar

May 4 Legislature reconvenes from Spring Recess

- 22. Last day for policy committees to hear and report to fiscal committees fiscal bills introduced in their house
- ??? Last day for policy committees to meet and report to the floor nonfiscal bills introduced in their house
- May 8 Last day for policy committees to meet prior to June 1
- May 15 Last day for fiscal committees to hear and report to the floor bills introduced in their house. Last day for fiscal committees to meet prior to June 1
- May 26-May 29 Floor session only. No committee may meet for any purpose except for Rules Committee, bills referred pursuant to Assembly Rule 77.2, and Conference Committees
- May 29 Last day for each house to pass bills introduced in that house
- June 1 Committee meetings may resume
- June 15 Budget Bill must be passed by midnight
- June 25 Last day for a legislative measure to qualify for the Nov. 3 General Election ballot
- June 26 Last day for policy committees to hear and report fiscal bills to fiscal committee
- July 2 Last day for policy committees to meet and report bills (J.R. 61(b)(14)). Summer Recess begins upon adjournment, provided Budget Bill has been passed
- Aug. 3 Legislature reconvenes from Summer Recess
- Aug. 14 Last day for fiscal committees to meet and report bills
- Aug. 17-31 Floor session only. No committee may meet for any purpose except Rules Committee, bills referred pursuant to Assembly Rule 77.2, and Conference Committees
- Aug. 21 Last day to amend bills on the floor
- Aug. 31 Last day for each house to pass bills
- Sept. 30 Last day for Governor to sign or veto bills passed by the Legislature before Sept. 1 and in the Governor's possession on or after Sept. 1
- Oct. 1 Bills enacted on or before this date take effect January 1, 2021.