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WITHLACOOCHEE REGIONAL WATER SUPPLY AUTHORITY BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING

ACTION SUMMARY

JANUARY 17, 2018
LECANTO GOVERNMENT BUILDING – Room 166

At the discretion of the Board, items may be taken out of order to accommodate the needs of the Board and the public.

1. **Call to Order** . . . 3:30 p.m.
2. **Roll Call** . . . Quorum declared present.
3. **Introductions and Announcements** . . . Introduction of WRWSA Board, Staff and Other Attendees
4. **Approval of Minutes** . . . Nick Nicholson, Chair
5. **Public Comment**

ADD-ON ITEM: Citrus County Charles A. Black Wellfield Payments

6. **Election of Officers**
7. **Board Policy – Audit Committee** . . . Richard Owen, WRWSA
8. **Citrus County Water Use Permit Consolidation** . . . Richard Owen, WRWSA
9. **Charles A. Black Wellfield Renewal and Replacement Fund Annual Report** . . . Richard Owen, WRWSA
10. **Charles A. Black Wellfield – Replacement of Backup Generators** . . . Ken Cheek, Citrus County
11. **Executive Director’s Report** . . . Richard Owen, WRWSA
 - a. **Bills to be Paid** [December 2017 bill summary included in packet; January 2018 bills provided at the meeting]
 - b. **Correspondence**
 - c. **News Articles**
 - d. **Other**
12. **Legislative Report** . . . Diane Salz, WRWSA Governmental Affairs
13. **Attorney’s Report** . . . Larry Haag, WRWSA Attorney
14. **Other Business**
15. **Next Meeting** . . . March 21, 2018; 3:30 p.m.; Lecanto Government Building, Room 166
16. **Adjournment**

Please note that if a party decides to appeal any decision made by the Board with respect to any matter considered at the above cited meeting, that party will need a record of the proceedings, and for such purpose, that party may need to ensure that a verbatim record of the proceedings is made, which record includes that testimony and evidence upon which the appeal is to be based.

Citrus County Chronicle Editorial Board

NOT SO FAST

Weigh value of WRWSA membership

January 16, 2018

THE ISSUE: BOCC ponders pulling out of or dissolving the regional water authority.

OUR OPINION: Don't be so hasty.

Ask any 25 people in the county to explain what the Withlacoochee Regional Water Supply Authority (WRWSA) is, what it does, and how Citrus County benefits —and you'll most likely be zero for 25.

The WRWSA doesn't send out water bills, doesn't issue regulations and isn't a regular participant in community gatherings. Since it's not in the headlines all the time, even those who are familiar with the authority might forget about it.

Now, members of the Citrus County Board of County Commissioners are talking about pulling the county out of the WRWSA, or trying to dissolve it altogether. They say that it's costly and may not operate in our county's best interests if other counties want to get access to our water supply.

We say not so fast.

Apparently commissioners have forgotten how the authority began, what it has done to safeguard our county's — and region's — water, and its importance in future water management.

A little history: Water supply authorities are authorized by Florida Statute, Chapter 373.713, “for the purpose of developing, recovering, storing, and supplying water for county or municipal purposes in such a manner as will give priority to reducing adverse environmental effects or excessive or improper withdrawals of water from concentrated areas.”

That last part, about reducing improper withdrawals, is important. WRWSA, encompassing the four counties of Citrus, Hernando, Marion and Sumter by interlocal agreement, was created in 1977 amid a concern about water transfers. The Tampa urban area was looking longingly at our area's water to supply its growing population. The WRWSA was able to defend with a united front for our four counties, and the “Local Sources First” concept took hold.

WRWSA's mission is to plan for and develop cost efficient, high-quality water supplies for its member governments, promote environmental stewardship through conservation programs and develop alternative water sources to augment groundwater supplies to meet our region's long-term needs.

The Southwest Florida Water Management District (SWFWMD) has a history of supporting a regional approach to managing water resources. Its 2015–2019 Strategic Plan includes partnering with WRWSA to promote regional water supply planning and development.

An important regional support program is SWFWMD's Cooperative Funding Initiative (CFI), which helps water supply authorities by funding up to 50 percent for projects that help create sustainable water resources, enhance conservation efforts, restore natural systems and provide flood protection. For 2019, Citrus County has filed CFI applications for 12 projects totaling more than \$32 million. The county has benefitted from a number of other projects and studies previously.

Yes, there's a cost to member counties for membership in the WRWSA. Each is assessed based on population served by member governments. In Citrus, the authority-owned Charles A. Black wellfield facility is operated and maintained under contract by Citrus County.

Water management is a long game. At WRWSA's 40th anniversary recognition last year, state Sen. Wilton Simpson presented an official proclamation of support, and other speakers commended WRWSA for 40 years of working collaboratively "to ensure adequate drinking water supplies for the region while promoting natural resource protection."

The concern expressed by some county commissioners that continued membership in WRWSA would be harmful to Citrus County's future is misplaced. We're concerned that commissioners could make a short-term decision to save a very small amount of money, and in so doing endanger our future water management capabilities.

Withlacoochee Regional Water Supply Authority
3600 W. Sovereign Path, Suite 228, Lecanto, Florida 34461

Bills For Payment
1/17/2018

<u>Administrative Invoices</u>	<u>Invoice Number(s)</u>	<u>Invoice Date</u>	<u>Amount</u>
Richard S. Owen, AICP, Executive Director	2017-12	1/11/2018	\$6,815.73
Larry Haag, Attorney			\$0.00
Diane Salz, Governmental Affairs / Professional Fee	#123117	12/31/2017	\$3,500.00
C. LuAnne Stout, Admin Asst / Admin Services (ofc supply)	12-Dec-2017	1/9/2018	\$3,188.81
Karen Allen / Web Maintenance	#94	1/5/2018	\$100.00
Sun Trust Business Card Statement	1.2.2018	1/2/2018	\$199.61
Total Administrative Invoices			\$13,804.15

<u>Water Supply Studies and Facilities</u>	<u>Contract/ Budget</u>	<u>Balance Remaining</u>	<u>Current Invoice(s)</u>
General Services Contract	\$75,000.00	\$40,000.00	
Work Order 18-01. Water Resource Associates	\$25,000.00	\$23,899.35	
Work Order 18-02. Weber and Associates	\$15,000.00	\$13,406.25	\$375.00 (1)
FY2016-17 Water Conservation Grants Program			
Marion County	\$35,245.00	\$35,245.00	
FY2017-18 Water Conservation Grants Program			
Citrus County	\$42,627.50	\$42,627.50	
Hernando County	\$48,350.00	\$48,350.00	
Marion County	\$35,245.00	\$35,245.00	
Phase 4 Irrigation Program	\$200,000.00	\$150,169.22	\$2,815.62 (2)
Total Project Invoices	\$476,467.50	\$388,942.32	\$3,190.62

Total Bills to be Paid	\$16,994.77
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State Board of Administration	Transfer from SBA2 to SBA1	\$3,190.62
State Board of Administration	Transfer from SBA1 to SunTrust Bank	\$16,994.77

Notes:

(1) WO 18-02. Weber and Associates

\$375.00 Invoice 3

(2) Phase 4 (N822) - Irrigation Audits

Jack Overdorff, ECO Land Design	\$2,498.96	Invoice 295
C. LuAnne Stout, Administrative Services	\$316.66	Invoice 04-N822-2018
	<u>\$2,815.62</u>	

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Subject: Fwd: 1.12.18 WRWSA Bill Tracking Report
From: Diane Salz <salz.govconsultant@gmail.com>
Date: Fri, Jan 12, 2018 10:55 am
To: Richard Owen <richardowen@wrwsa.org>
Cc: LuAnne Stout <lstout@wrwsa.org>

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From: Diane Salz <noreply@lobbytools.com>
Date: Fri, Jan 12, 2018 at 10:52 AM
Subject: 1.12.18 WRWSA Bill Tracking Report
To: salz.govconsultant@gmail.com

FYI.

2018 Bills (38)				
Number	Title	Sponsor	Last Action	Date Foldered
HB 0007	Local Government Fiscal Transparency	Burton	01/11/18	08/29/17 11:45AM
(S: 1426)	Local Government Fiscal Transparency: Revises Legislative Auditing Committee duties; specifies purpose of local government fiscal transparency requirements; requires local governments to post certain voting record information on websites; requires property appraisers & local governments to post certain property tax information & history on websites; requires public notices for public hearings & meetings prior to certain increases of local government tax levies; specifies noticing & advertising requirements; requires local governments to conduct debt affordability analyses under specified conditions; provides method for local governments that do not operate website to post certain required information. Effective Date: July 1, 2018 08/23/17 HOUSE Filed 08/30/17 HOUSE Referred to Ways & Means Committee 08/30/17 HOUSE Now in Ways & Means Committee 10/03/17 HOUSE On Committee agenda - Ways & Means Committee, 10/10/17, 3:00 pm, 17 H 10/10/17 HOUSE Favorable by Ways & Means Committee; 15 Yeas, 4 Nays 10/10/17 HOUSE Placed on Calendar, on 2nd reading 01/08/18 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar, 01/11/18 01/11/18 HOUSE Read Second Time; Placed on Third Reading, 01/12/18			
HB 0011	Government Accountability	Metz	01/11/18	08/28/17 01:17PM
(C: 1019 1279 1804) (S: 354)	Government Accountability: Requires Governor & Commissioner of Education, or their designees, to notify Legislative Auditing Committee of entity's failure to comply with certain auditing & financial reporting requirements; excludes water management districts from certain audit requirements; revises reporting requirements applicable to Florida Clerks of Court Operations Corporation; revises certain lodging rates for			

purpose of reimbursement to specified employees; provides requirements for statewide travel management system; revises responsibilities of specified entities to include establishment & maintenance of certain internal controls; revises auditing requirements for certain agencies, councils, & state schools; requires the Legislative Auditing Committee to determine whether governmental entity should be subject to state action under certain circumstances; requires counties & municipalities to maintain certain budget documents on entities' websites for specified period; provides annual financial audit requirements for Florida Virtual School. Effective Date: July 1, 2018

08/28/17 HOUSE Filed

09/06/17 HOUSE Referred to Government Accountability Committee

09/06/17 HOUSE Now in Government Accountability Committee

10/31/17 HOUSE On Committee agenda - Government Accountability Committee, 11/07/17, 1:30 pm, 17 H

11/07/17 HOUSE Favorable with CS by Government Accountability Committee; 22 Yeas, 1 Nay

11/07/17 HOUSE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed

11/08/17 HOUSE Placed on calendar, on 2nd reading

01/08/18 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar, 01/11/18

01/11/18 HOUSE Read Second Time; Amendment Adopted (105187); Placed on Third Reading, 01/12/18

01/11/18 HOUSE Engrossed Text (E1) Filed

HB 0079

Public Meetings

Roth

08/30/17

08/24/17 09:53AM

(S: 192)

Public Meetings: Specifies conditions under which members of board or commission of state agency or authority or of agency or authority of county, municipal corporation, or political subdivision may participate in fact-finding exercises or excursions. Effective Date: upon becoming a law

08/22/17 HOUSE Filed

08/30/17 HOUSE Referred to Oversight, Transparency & Administration Subcommittee; Local, Federal & Veterans Affairs Subcommittee; Government Accountability Committee

08/30/17 HOUSE Now in Oversight, Transparency & Administration Subcommittee

SB 0192

Public Meetings

Baxley

01/11/18

08/24/17 09:51AM

(S: 79)

Public Meetings; Specifying conditions under which members of any board or commission of any state agency or authority or of any agency or authority of any county, municipal corporation, or political subdivision may participate in fact-finding exercises or excursions, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law

08/22/17 SENATE Filed

08/28/17 SENATE Referred to Ethics and Elections; Community Affairs; Rules

10/02/17 SENATE On Committee agenda - Ethics and Elections, 10/10/17, 2:00 p.m., 412 K

10/10/17 SENATE Favorable by Ethics and Elections; 8 Yeas, 0 Nays

10/11/17 SENATE Now in Community Affairs

10/16/17 SENATE On Committee agenda - Community Affairs, 10/24/17, 9:00 am, 301 S

10/24/17 SENATE Favorable by Community Affairs; 7 Yeas, 0 Nays

10/24/17 SENATE Now in Rules

01/08/18 SENATE On Committee agenda - Rules, 01/11/18, 9:00 am, 110 S

01/11/18 SENATE Favorable by Rules; 11 Yeas, 0 Nays

01/11/18 SENATE Placed on Calendar, on 2nd reading

HB 0203

Environmental Regulation Commission

Willhite

11/06/17

10/04/17 07:06PM

(I: 316)

Environmental Regulation Commission: Requires Governor to make appointments to fill commission vacancies within certain time frame; requires that specified rules submitted to commission receive certain vote totals for approval or modification. Effective Date: July 1, 2018

	09/28/17 HOUSE Filed		
	10/03/17 HOUSE Referred to Natural Resources & Public Lands Subcommittee; Judiciary Committee; Government Accountability Committee		
	10/03/17 HOUSE Now in Natural Resources & Public Lands Subcommittee		
	10/18/17 HOUSE On Committee agenda - Natural Resources & Public Lands Subcommittee, 10/25/17, 9:00 am, 12 H		
	10/25/17 HOUSE Favorable by Natural Resources & Public Lands Subcommittee; 13 Yeas, 0 Nays		
	11/06/17 HOUSE Now in Judiciary Committee		
SB 0204	Land Acquisition Trust Fund	Bradley	12/07/17 08/24/17 09:51AM
	Land Acquisition Trust Fund; Revising the specified appropriation for spring restoration, protection, and management projects; requiring a specified appropriation for certain projects related to the St. Johns River and its tributaries or the Keystone Heights Lake Region, etc.		
	APPROPRIATION: Indeterminate Effective Date: 7/1/2018		
	08/22/17 SENATE Filed		
	08/28/17 SENATE Referred to Environmental Preservation and Conservation; Appropriations Subcommittee on the Environment and Natural Resources; Appropriations		
	09/05/17 SENATE On Committee agenda - Environmental Preservation and Conservation, 09/12/17, 1:30 pm, 37 S		
	09/06/17 SENATE Meeting Cancelled - Environmental Preservation and Conservation, 09/12/17, 1:30 pm, 37 S		
	10/02/17 SENATE On Committee agenda - Environmental Preservation and Conservation, 10/07/17, 1:00 p.m., 37 S		
	10/09/17 SENATE Favorable with CS by Environmental Preservation and Conservation; 10 Yeas, 0 Nays		
	10/10/17 SENATE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed		
	10/12/17 SENATE Now in Appropriations Subcommittee on the Environment and Natural Resources		
	11/27/17 SENATE On Committee agenda - Appropriations Subcommittee on the Environment and Natural Resources, 12/07/17, 9:00 am, 301 S		
	12/07/17 SENATE Favorable by Appropriations Subcommittee on the Environment and Natural Resources; 6 Yeas, 0 Nays		
	12/07/17 SENATE Now in Appropriations		
SB 0316	Environmental Regulation Commission	Stewart	11/07/17 09/24/17 09:17AM
(I: 203)	Environmental Regulation Commission; Requiring the Governor to appoint a new member to the commission within a certain timeframe after the occurrence of a vacancy; requiring certain proposed rules submitted to the commission to receive specified vote totals for approval or modification, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2018		
	09/21/17 SENATE Filed		
	10/12/17 SENATE Referred to Environmental Preservation and Conservation; Ethics and Elections; Rules		
	10/30/17 SENATE On Committee agenda - Environmental Preservation and Conservation, 11/06/17, 1:30 pm, 37 S		
	11/06/17 SENATE Favorable by Environmental Preservation and Conservation; 10 Yeas, 0 Nays		
	11/07/17 SENATE Now in Ethics and Elections		
HB 0339	Land Acquisition Trust Fund	Harrell	10/26/17 10/20/17 03:39PM
(S: 786)	Land Acquisition Trust Fund: Provides appropriation for certain projects related to Indian River Lagoon Comprehensive Conservation & Management Plan; authorizes DEP to make grants for such projects; directs DEP to submit annual report to Governor & Legislature. Effective Date: July 1, 2018		
	10/16/17 HOUSE Filed		
	10/26/17 HOUSE Referred to Agriculture & Natural Resources Appropriations Subcommittee; Natural Resources & Public Lands Subcommittee; Appropriations Committee		
	10/26/17 HOUSE Now in Agriculture & Natural Resources Appropriations Subcommittee		
SB 0354	Government Accountability	Stargel	11/09/17 09/27/17 10:48AM

(C: 1019
1279 1804)
(S: 11)

Government Accountability; Specifying that the Governor, the Commissioner of Education, or the designee of the Governor or of the commissioner, may notify the Legislative Auditing Committee of an entity's failure to comply with certain auditing and financial reporting requirements; revising the responsibilities of the Justice Administrative Commission, each state attorney, each public defender, the criminal conflict and civil regional counsel, the capital collateral regional counsel, and the Guardian Ad Litem Program, to include the establishment and maintenance of certain internal controls; prohibiting a board or commission from requiring an advance copy of testimony or comments from a member of the public as a precondition to being given the opportunity to be heard at a public meeting, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2018
09/27/17 SENATE Filed
10/16/17 SENATE Referred to Community Affairs; Appropriations; Rules
10/30/17 SENATE On Committee agenda - Community Affairs, 11/07/17, 10:00 am, 301 S
11/07/17 SENATE Favorable with CS by Community Affairs; 6 Yeas, 0 Nays
11/08/17 SENATE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed
11/09/17 SENATE Now in Appropriations

SB 0370 **Land Acquisition Trust Fund** Bradley 01/11/18 11/13/17 04:57PM
(I: 1353) Land Acquisition Trust Fund; Requiring a specified annual appropriation to the Florida Forever Trust Fund, etc. APPROPRIATION:
\$100,000,000.00 Effective Date: 7/1/2018
09/29/17 SENATE Filed
10/16/17 SENATE Referred to Environmental Preservation and Conservation; Appropriations Subcommittee on the Environment and Natural Resources; Appropriations
10/30/17 SENATE On Committee agenda - Environmental Preservation and Conservation, 11/06/17, 1:30 pm, 37 S
11/06/17 SENATE Favorable by Environmental Preservation and Conservation; 10 Yeas, 0 Nays
11/07/17 SENATE Now in Appropriations Subcommittee on the Environment and Natural Resources
11/27/17 SENATE On Committee agenda - Appropriations Subcommittee on the Environment and Natural Resources, 12/07/17, 9:00 am, 301 S
12/07/17 SENATE Favorable by Appropriations Subcommittee on the Environment and Natural Resources; 6 Yeas, 0 Nays
12/07/17 SENATE Now in Appropriations
01/08/18 SENATE On Committee agenda - Appropriations, 01/11/18, 1:00 pm, 412 K
01/11/18 SENATE Favorable with CS by Appropriations; 17 Yeas, 0 Nays

HB 0585 **Tourist Development Tax** Fine 01/10/18 11/11/17 08:33AM
(S: 658) Tourist Development Tax: Authorizes counties imposing tax to use tax revenues for specified purposes. Effective Date: July 1, 2018
11/08/17 HOUSE Filed
11/15/17 HOUSE Referred to Tourism & Gaming Control Subcommittee; Ways & Means Committee; Commerce Committee
11/15/17 HOUSE Now in Tourism & Gaming Control Subcommittee
01/08/18 HOUSE On Committee agenda - Tourism & Gaming Control Subcommittee, 01/10/18, 8:30 am, 212 K
01/10/18 HOUSE Favorable by Tourism & Gaming Control Subcommittee; 9 Yeas, 4 Nays
01/10/18 HOUSE Now in Ways & Means Committee

HB 0589 **Public Meetings** Newton 11/15/17 11/08/17 07:37PM
(S: 1092) Public Meetings: Specifies that certain boards and commissions are subject to public meetings requirements; revises public meeting notice requirements; provides that member of public has right to speak at public meeting; requires members of board or commission to respond to questions made at public meetings within a specified timeframe; repeals provision relating to reasonable opportunity to be heard at public meetings; provides penalties. Effective Date: July 1, 2018
11/08/17 HOUSE Filed

11/15/17 HOUSE Referred to Oversight, Transparency & Administration Subcommittee; Local, Federal & Veterans Affairs Subcommittee; Government Accountability Committee

11/15/17 HOUSE Now in Oversight, Transparency & Administration Subcommittee

SB 0658 **Tourist Development Tax** Brandes 12/05/17 11/11/17 08:33AM
(S: 585) Tourist Development Tax; Authorizing counties imposing the tax to use the tax revenues, under certain circumstances, for specified purposes and costs relating to public facilities, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2018
10/26/17 SENATE Filed
11/08/17 SENATE Referred to Community Affairs; Appropriations Subcommittee on Finance and Tax; Appropriations
11/27/17 SENATE On Committee agenda - Community Affairs, 12/05/17, 10:00 am, 301 S
12/05/17 SENATE Favorable by Community Affairs; 6 Yeas, 0 Nays
12/05/17 SENATE Now in Appropriations Subcommittee on Finance and Tax

SB 0670 **Ratification of Rules of the St. Johns River Water Management District** Baxley 01/09/18 10/26/17 08:59PM
Ratification of Rules of the St. Johns River Water Management District; Ratifying a specified rule relating to supplemental regulatory measures for the minimum flows and levels of Silver Springs, designated as an Outstanding Florida Spring under s. 373.802(4), F.S., for the sole and exclusive purpose of satisfying any condition on effectiveness pursuant to specified provisions which requires ratification of any rule meeting any specified thresholds of likely adverse impact or increase in regulatory costs, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law
10/26/17 SENATE Filed
11/08/17 SENATE Referred to Environmental Preservation and Conservation; Rules
01/04/18 SENATE On Committee agenda - Environmental Preservation and Conservation, 01/09/18, 2:00 pm, 37 S
01/09/18 SENATE Favorable by Environmental Preservation and Conservation; 10 Yeas, 0 Nays
01/09/18 SENATE Now in Rules

HB 0703 **Water Management District Surplus Lands** Burgess 12/06/17 11/15/17 07:15PM
(C: 808) Water Management District Surplus Lands: Revises circumstances when water management districts must publish intention to sell surplus
(S: 806) lands; revises process for selling certain lower valued surplus lands. Effective Date: July 1, 2018
(L: 705)
11/15/17 HOUSE Filed
11/27/17 HOUSE Referred to Natural Resources & Public Lands Subcommittee; Agriculture & Natural Resources Appropriations Subcommittee; Government Accountability Committee
11/27/17 HOUSE Now in Natural Resources & Public Lands Subcommittee
12/04/17 HOUSE On Committee agenda - Natural Resources & Public Lands Subcommittee, 12/06/17, 2:00 pm, 12 H
12/06/17 HOUSE Favorable by Natural Resources & Public Lands Subcommittee; 13 Yeas, 0 Nays
12/06/17 HOUSE Now in Agriculture & Natural Resources Appropriations Subcommittee

HB 0705 **Pub. Rec./Water Management District Surplus Lands** Burgess 01/12/18 11/15/17 07:15PM
(C: 806) Pub. Rec./Water Management District Surplus Lands: Provides exemption for certain records relating to sale of surplus lands; authorizes
(S: 808) disclosure of such records under certain circumstances; provides for future legislative review & repeal. Effective Date: on the same date
(L: 703) that HB 703 or similar legislation takes effect
11/15/17 HOUSE Filed
11/27/17 HOUSE Referred to Natural Resources & Public Lands Subcommittee; Oversight, Transparency & Administration Subcommittee; Government Accountability Committee

	11/27/17 HOUSE Now in Natural Resources & Public Lands Subcommittee		
	12/04/17 HOUSE On Committee agenda - Natural Resources & Public Lands Subcommittee, 12/06/17, 2:00 pm, 12 H		
	12/06/17 HOUSE Favorable with CS by Natural Resources & Public Lands Subcommittee; 11 Yeas, 2 Nays		
	12/08/17 HOUSE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed		
	12/11/17 HOUSE Now in Oversight, Transparency & Administration Subcommittee		
	01/08/18 HOUSE On Committee agenda - Oversight, Transparency & Administration Subcommittee, 01/10/18, 08:30 am, 17 H		
	01/10/18 HOUSE Favorable with CS by Oversight, Transparency & Administration Subcommittee; 12 Yeas, 1 Nay		
	01/10/18 HOUSE Committee Substitute Text (C2) Filed		
	01/12/18 HOUSE Now in Government Accountability Committee		
SB 0806	Water Management District Surplus Lands Baxley	01/11/18	11/08/17 12:30PM
(C: 705)	Water Management District Surplus Lands; Revising the circumstances when a water management district must publish its intention to sell surplus lands; revising the process for selling certain lower valued surplus lands, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2018		
(S: 703)			
(L: 808)			
	11/08/17 SENATE Filed		
	11/17/17 SENATE Referred to Environmental Preservation and Conservation; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Rules		
	01/11/18 SENATE On Committee agenda - Environmental Preservation and Conservation, 01/16/18, 10:00 am, 37 S		
SB 0808	Public Records/Surplus Lands Baxley	01/11/18	11/08/17 12:30PM
(C: 703)	Public Records/Surplus Lands; Providing an exemption for valuations, certain records, and sales offers for sales related to surplus lands; authorizing disclosure of such records under certain circumstances; providing a statement of public necessity, etc. Effective Date: On the same date that SB 806 or similar legislation takes effect, if such legislation is adopted in the same legislative session or an extension thereof and becomes a law		
(S: 705)			
(L: 806)			
	11/08/17 SENATE Filed		
	11/17/17 SENATE Referred to Environmental Preservation and Conservation; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Rules		
	01/11/18 SENATE On Committee agenda - Environmental Preservation and Conservation, 01/16/18, 10:00 am, 37 S		
HB 1019	Financial Reporting La Rosa	01/03/18	12/16/17 09:30AM
(C: 11 354)	Financial Reporting: Requires counties, municipalities, special districts, water management districts, & district school boards to submit certain budget & financial information to specified entities; requires certain budget information to remain posted on such entity's official website for specified period of time; revises reporting deadlines, with exception; provides penalties; requires Office of Economic & Demographic Research to develop forms for reporting certain budget information. Effective Date: July 1, 2018		
	12/15/17 HOUSE Filed		
	01/03/18 HOUSE Referred to Local, Federal & Veterans Affairs Subcommittee; Appropriations Committee; Government Accountability Committee		
	01/03/18 HOUSE Now in Local, Federal & Veterans Affairs Subcommittee		
SB 1092	Public Meetings Rader	12/13/17	12/05/17 09:41PM
(S: 589)	Public Meetings; Specifying that a board or commission of any entity created by general or special law is subject to public meetings requirements; providing that a member of the public has the right to speak at a public meeting of a board or commission; requiring a board or commission to prescribe a form on which members of the public wishing to exercise their right to speak must provide certain information; repealing provisions relating to the reasonable opportunity to be heard at public meetings, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2018		
	12/05/17 SENATE Filed		
	12/13/17 SENATE Referred to Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Community Affairs; Rules		
HB 1103	Regional Rural Development Grants Albritton	01/07/18	12/31/17 05:49PM

(C: 1193 1496) (S: 1646)	Regional Rural Development Grants: Provides that regional rural development grants may be used to hire regional economic development organization professional staff; provides maximum amount of grant funding that specified economic development organizations may receive in year; revises amount of required matching funds; requires certain contracts to include certain information & be placed on certain websites; provides that improving access to & availability of broadband Internet service may be included in project that is eligible for rural infrastructure grant funds. Effective Date: July 1, 2018 12/28/17 HOUSE Filed 01/07/18 HOUSE Referred to Agriculture & Property Rights Subcommittee; Transportation & Tourism Appropriations Subcommittee; Commerce Committee 01/07/18 HOUSE Now in Agriculture & Property Rights Subcommittee			
HB 1149	Environmental Regulation	Payne	01/07/18	01/03/18 11:01AM
(I: 1308)	Environmental Regulation: Provides examples of reclaimed water use that may create impact offset; revises required provisions of water resource implementation rule; requires DEP & water management districts to develop & enter into certain memorandum of agreement; prohibits counties & municipalities from requiring recycling of contaminated recyclable material; provides that counties, municipalities, & recyclable material contractors are not required to collect, transport, or process contaminated recyclable material; provides that local government may not require further verification from department for certain projects; revises types of dock & pier replacements & repairs that are exempt from such verification & certain permitting requirements. Effective Date: upon becoming a law 01/03/18 HOUSE Filed 01/07/18 HOUSE Referred to Natural Resources & Public Lands Subcommittee; Agriculture & Natural Resources Appropriations Subcommittee; Government Accountability Committee 01/07/18 HOUSE Now in Natural Resources & Public Lands Subcommittee			
SB 1308	Environmental Regulation	Perry	01/11/18	12/19/17 06:58PM
(I: 1149)	Environmental Regulation; Revising the required provisions of the water resource implementation rule; requiring the Department of Environmental Protection and the water management districts to develop and enter into a memorandum of agreement providing for a coordinated review of any reclaimed water project requiring a reclaimed water facility permit, an underground injection control permit, and a consumptive use permit; prohibiting counties and municipalities from requiring the recycling of contaminated recyclable material, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law 12/19/17 SENATE Filed 01/11/18 SENATE Referred to Environmental Preservation and Conservation; Appropriations Subcommittee on the Environment and Natural Resources; Appropriations			
HB 1353	Land Acquisition Trust Fund	Beshears	01/08/18	01/09/18 08:55AM
(I: 370)	Land Acquisition Trust Fund: Requires specified annual appropriation to Florida Forever Trust Fund.Effective Date: July 1, 2018 01/08/18 HOUSE Filed			
SB 1506	Water Management	Farmer	01/03/18	01/03/18 07:49PM
	Water Management; Requiring district water management plans for districts including Outstanding Florida Springs to include certain maximum sustainable groundwater withdrawal estimates; revising the criteria for determining whether certain water supply development projects are given first consideration for funding assistance to include consideration of whether a project maximizes water conservation, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2018 01/03/18 SENATE Filed			
SB 1620	Florida Water Infrastructure Needs Solutions Task Force	Book	01/05/18	01/05/18 12:41PM

	Florida Water Infrastructure Needs Solutions Task Force; Creating the task force within the legislative branch; requiring the task force to submit a report to the Governor and the Legislature by a specified date; specifying that the task force is dissolved and discharged of further duties upon submission of such report; authorizing reimbursement for per diem and travel expenses, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law			
	01/05/18 SENATE Filed			
SB 1664	Onsite Sewage Treatment and Disposal Systems	Simmons	01/05/18	01/05/18 10:51PM
	Onsite Sewage Treatment and Disposal Systems; Requiring the Department of Environmental Protection and other entities, as part of a basin management action plan, to develop onsite sewage treatment and disposal system remediation plans and public wastewater treatment plant remediation plans under certain conditions; specifying that the installation, repair, modification, or upgrade of certain onsite sewage treatment and disposal systems must conform to remediation plan requirements, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2018			
	01/05/18 SENATE Filed			
SB 1694	Mitigation Activities Within the St. Johns River Water Management District	Torres, Jr.	01/05/18	01/06/18 09:31AM
	Mitigation Activities Within the St. Johns River Water Management District; Requiring that the Department of Environmental Protection and the St. Johns River Water Management District consider mitigation on specified land as meeting cumulative impact requirements under certain conditions, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2018			
	01/05/18 SENATE Filed			
SB 1856	Beverage Container Deposits	Rader	01/05/18	01/08/18 10:56AM
	Beverage Container Deposits; Citing this act as the "Florida Beverage Container Deposit Act"; establishing a refund value for specified beverage containers; requiring consumers and dealers to pay a deposit fee for specified beverage containers, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law			
	01/05/18 SENATE Filed			
HB 2475	Ocala Silver Springs Stormwater and Nutrient Reduction Project	Stone	11/27/17	11/13/17 05:19PM
	Ocala Silver Springs Stormwater and Nutrient Reduction Project: Provides an appropriation for the Ocala Silver Springs Stormwater and Nutrient Reduction Project. APPROPRIATION: \$300,000.00 Effective Date: July 1, 2018			
	11/13/17 HOUSE Filed			
	11/27/17 HOUSE Referred to Agriculture & Natural Resources Appropriations Subcommittee; Appropriations Committee			
	11/27/17 HOUSE Now in Agriculture & Natural Resources Appropriations Subcommittee			
HB 2487	Citrus County Kings Bay Restoration	Massullo, Jr.	11/27/17	11/13/17 05:18PM
	Citrus County Kings Bay Restoration: Provides an appropriation for the Citrus County Kings Bay Restoration. APPROPRIATION: \$3,000,000.00 Effective Date: July 1, 2018			
	11/13/17 HOUSE Filed			
	11/27/17 HOUSE Referred to Agriculture & Natural Resources Appropriations Subcommittee; Appropriations Committee			
	11/27/17 HOUSE Now in Agriculture & Natural Resources Appropriations Subcommittee			
HB 2629	Homosassa River Restoration	Massullo, Jr.	11/27/17	11/15/17 07:13PM
	Homosassa River Restoration: Provides an appropriation for the Homosassa River Restoration. APPROPRIATION: \$2,000,000.00 Effective Date: July 1, 2018			
	11/15/17 HOUSE Filed			
	11/27/17 HOUSE Referred to Agriculture & Natural Resources Appropriations Subcommittee; Appropriations Committee			


11/27/17 HOUSE Now in Agriculture & Natural Resources Appropriations Subcommittee				
HB 4091	Citrus County Cambridge Greens Septic to Sewer	Massullo, Jr.	12/11/17	12/06/17 02:28PM
Citrus County Cambridge Greens Septic to Sewer: Provides an appropriation for the Citrus County Cambridge Greens Septic to Sewer. Effective Date: July 1, 2018				
12/06/17 HOUSE Filed				
12/11/17 HOUSE Referred to Agriculture & Natural Resources Appropriations Subcommittee; Appropriations Committee				
12/11/17 HOUSE Now in Agriculture & Natural Resources Appropriations Subcommittee				
HB 4093	Citrus County Old Homosassa West Septic to Sewer Project	Massullo, Jr.	12/11/17	12/06/17 02:28PM
Citrus County Old Homosassa West Septic to Sewer Project: Provides an appropriation for the Citrus County Old Homosassa West Septic to Sewer Project. Effective Date: July 1, 2018				
12/06/17 HOUSE Filed				
12/11/17 HOUSE Referred to Agriculture & Natural Resources Appropriations Subcommittee; Appropriations Committee				
12/11/17 HOUSE Now in Agriculture & Natural Resources Appropriations Subcommittee				
HB 7003	Local Government Ethics Reform	Public Integrity & Ethics Committee	01/11/18	11/09/17 05:24PM
(C: 1279 1534 1804) (L: 7005)	Local Government Ethics Reform: Provides that contractual relationships held by business entities are deemed held by public officers or employees in certain situations; provides ethics training requirements; prohibits certain governing board members from voting in official capacity on specified matters; requires certain members of municipality governing body to file disclosure; provides for future repeal of provisions relating to local government authority to enact rule or ordinance requiring lobbyists to register with local government; provides for future repeal of provisions relating to registration & reporting for lobbying water management districts; requires Commission on Ethics to create Local Government Lobbyist Registration System; requires lobbyists to register with commission before lobbying specified governmental entities; provides responsibilities of Governor; provides civil penalties. Effective Date: July 1, 2018			
11/09/17 HOUSE Filed (Formerly PCB PIE2)				
11/13/17 HOUSE Placed on Calendar, on 2nd reading				
01/08/18 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar, 01/11/18				
01/11/18 HOUSE Read Second Time; Placed on Third Reading, 01/12/18				
HB 7005	Trust Funds/Creation/Local Government Lobbyist Registration System Trust Fund	Public Integrity & Ethics Committee	01/11/18	11/09/17 05:24PM
(S: 1536) (L: 7003)	Trust Funds/Creation/Local Government Lobbyist Registration System Trust Fund: Creates Local Government Lobbyist Registration Trust Fund within Commission on Ethics; provides for purpose of trust fund & sources of funds; provides for future legislative review & termination or re-creation of trust fund. Effective Date: on the same date that HB 7003 or similar legislation takes effect			
11/09/17 HOUSE Filed (Formerly PCB PIE3)				
11/13/17 HOUSE Placed on Calendar, on 2nd reading				
01/08/18 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar, 01/11/18				
01/11/18 HOUSE Read Second Time; Placed on Third Reading, 01/12/18				
HB 7035	Ratification of St. Johns River Water Management District Rules	Natural Resources & Public Lands Subcommittee	01/11/18	01/11/18 08:13PM
Ratification of St. Johns River Water Management District Rules: Ratifies specified rule relating to implementation of district's prevention strategy to address Silver Springs minimum flows & water levels, for sole & exclusive purpose of satisfying any condition on effectiveness pursuant to s. 120.541(3), F.S., which requires ratification of any rule exceeding specified thresholds for likely adverse impact or increase in				

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regulatory costs. Effective Date: upon becoming a law
01/11/18 HOUSE Filed (Formerly PCB NRPL1)
Ratification of a St. Johns River Water Management District Rule
PCB NRPL 18-01 -- Ratification of a St. Johns River Water Management District Rule Related to the Implementation of the Silver Springs Minimum Flows and Water Levels Prevention Strategy
01/08/18 HOUSE Filed
01/08/18 HOUSE On Committee agenda - Natural Resources & Public Lands Subcommittee, 01/10/18, 12:00 pm, 12 H
01/11/18 HOUSE Submitted as Committee Bill by Natural Resources & Public Lands Subcommittee on 01/10/18; 12 Yeas, 0 Nays
01/11/18 HOUSE Committee Bill Filed as H 7035

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