

# Delta Stewardship Council

## April 2014 Bill Tracking

Updated April 23, 2014

- [AB 1331](#) ([Rendon](#) D) Clean, Safe, and Reliable Drinking Water Act of 2014.  
Introduced: 2/22/2013  
Last Amend: 4/21/2014  
Status: 4/21/2014-From committee chair, with author's amendments: Amend, and re-refer to committee. Read second time, amended, and re-referred to Com. on E.Q.  
Is Fiscal: Y  
Summary: Current law, the Safe, Clean, and Reliable Drinking Water Supply Act of 2012, if approved by the voters, would authorize the issuance of bonds in the amount of \$11,140,000,000 pursuant to the State General Obligation Bond Law to finance a safe drinking water and water supply reliability program. Current law provides for the submission of the bond act to the voters at the November 4, 2014, statewide general election. This bill would repeal these provisions. This bill contains other related provisions and other current laws.
- [AB 1445](#) ([Logue](#) R) California Water Infrastructure Act of 2014.  
Introduced: 1/6/2014  
Last Amend: 2/14/2014  
Status: 2/18/2014-Re-referred to Com. on W.,P. & W.  
Is Fiscal: Y  
Summary: Current law creates the Safe, Clean, and Reliable Drinking Water Supply Act of 2012, which, if approved by the voters, would authorize the issuance of bonds in the amount of \$11,140,000,000 pursuant to the State General Obligation Bond Law to finance a safe drinking water and water supply reliability program. Current law provides for the submission of the bond act to the voters at the November 4, 2014, statewide general election. This bill would repeal these provisions. This bill contains other related provisions and other current laws.
- [AB 1457](#) ([Skinner](#) D) Budget Act of 2014.  
Introduced: 1/9/2014  
Status: 1/10/2014-From printer. May be heard in committee February 9.  
Is Fiscal: Y  
Summary: This bill would make appropriations for the support of state government for the 2014-15 fiscal year. This bill contains other related provisions.
- [AB 1527](#) ([Perea](#) D) Public water systems: drinking water.  
Introduced: 1/17/2014  
Last Amend: 4/9/2014  
Status: 4/10/2014-Re-referred to Com. on L. GOV.  
Is Fiscal: Y  
Summary: Would require the State Department of Public Health, in administering programs to fund improvements and expansions of small community water systems and other water systems, as specified, to promote service delivery alternatives that improve efficiency and affordability of infrastructure and service delivery, as specified. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.
- [AB 1620](#) (Rodriguez D) The California Emergency Management and Disaster Preparedness Commission.  
Introduced: 2/6/2014  
Last Amend: 4/22/2014  
Status: 4/22/2014-Read second time and amended.

Is Fiscal: Y

Summary: Would establish in state government the California Emergency Management and Disaster Preparedness Commission as a statewide executive-level commission to assess and improve the condition of the state's emergency preparedness, management, and disaster recovery capabilities. This bill would require the commission to review and make recommendations on emergency management and disaster preparedness, including, but not limited to, the availability of adequate equipment, fuel, food, water, and other emergency supplies.

[AB 1632](#)

([Olsen R](#)) Water rights: appropriation.

Introduced: 2/10/2014

Status: 2/11/2014-From printer. May be heard in committee March 13.

Is Fiscal: N

Summary: Under current law, the State Water Resources Control Board administers a water rights program pursuant to which the board grants permits and licenses to appropriate water. Current law requires the board to allow the appropriation for beneficial purposes of unappropriated water under terms and conditions as in its judgment will best develop, conserve, and utilize in the public interest the water sought to be appropriated. This bill would make a technical, nonsubstantive change in these provisions.

[AB 1671](#)

([Frazier D](#)) Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta: water conveyance system.

Introduced: 2/12/2014

Status: 4/8/2014-In committee: Set, first hearing. Hearing canceled at the request of author.

Is Fiscal: Y

Summary: Under current law, State Water Project facilities include, among others, the facilities that are specified or authorized by the Legislature as part of the state Central Valley Project. This bill would prohibit the Department of Water Resources from constructing water facilities as part of a specified water conveyance system unless specifically authorized by the Legislature.

[AB 1731](#)

([Perea D](#)) Integrated regional water management plans: funding: disadvantaged communities.

Introduced: 2/14/2014

Status: 4/10/2014-Referred to Coms. on N.R. & W. and E.Q.

Is Fiscal: N

Summary: Would require in each integrated regional water management region that not less than 10% of any funding for integrated regional water management planning purposes be used to facilitate and support the participation of disadvantaged communities in integrated regional water management planning and for projects that address critical water supply or water quality needs for disadvantaged communities. This bill contains other existing laws.

[AB 1739](#)

([Dickinson D](#)) Groundwater basin management: sustainability.

Introduced: 2/14/2014

Last Amend: 4/22/2014

Status: 4/22/2014-From committee chair, with author's amendments: Amend, and re-refer to Com. on W., P. & W. Read second time and amended.

Is Fiscal: Y

Summary: Would require a sustainable groundwater management plan to be adopted, except as provided, for each high or medium priority groundwater basin by any groundwater management agency, defined as a special district authorized to provide water for beneficial uses or with specific authority to conduct groundwater management, a city, a county, a city and county, or certain joint powers authorities. This bill would require a sustainable groundwater management plan to meet certain requirements. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.

[AB 1849](#)

([Logue R](#)) California Environmental Quality Act: exemption: levees.

Introduced: 2/19/2014

Status: 4/7/2014-In committee: Set, first hearing. Hearing canceled at the request of author.

Is Fiscal: Y

Summary: Would exempt from the requirements of CEQA, the maintenance, repair, or replacement of an existing levee. Because a lead agency would be required to determine the applicability of this exemption, this bill would impose a state-mandated local program. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.

[AB 1874](#) ([Gonzalez](#) D) Integrated regional water management plans: funding.  
Introduced: 2/19/2014  
Last Amend: 3/26/2014  
Status: 4/8/2014-In committee: Set, first hearing. Further hearing to be set.  
Is Fiscal: Y  
Summary: Would require the Department of Water Resources to develop a streamlined application process for certain regional water management groups . The bill would require, in order to receive integrated regional water management funds through this streamlined application process, the specified regional water management group to file with the department a streamlined application form that includes information relating to projects to be funded by integrated regional water management grant funds.

[AB 1913](#) ([Jones-Sawyer](#) D) Water rates.  
Introduced: 2/19/2014  
Status: 2/20/2014-From printer. May be heard in committee March 22.  
Is Fiscal: N  
Summary: Current law requires the Public Utilities Commission, in establishing rates for water service, to consider separate charges for costs associated with customer service, facilities, variable operating costs, including fixed and variable costs associated with supplying the water, or other components of the water service provided to water users. This bill would make a technical, nonsubstantive change to this provision of law.

[AB 1961](#) ([Eggman](#) D) Land use: planning: sustainable farmland strategy.  
Introduced: 2/19/2014  
Last Amend: 4/22/2014  
Status: 4/22/2014-Read second time and amended.  
Is Fiscal: Y  
Summary: Would require each county to develop, on or before January 2, 2018, a sustainable farmland strategy. The bill would require the sustainable farmland strategy to include, among other things, a map and inventory of all agriculturally zoned land within the county, a description of the goals, strategies, and related policies and ordinances, to retain agriculturally zoned land where practical and mitigate the loss of agriculturally zoned land to nonagricultural uses or zones, and a page on the county's Internet Web site with the relevant documentation for the goals, strategies, and related policies and ordinances, as specified.

[AB 2043](#) ([Bigelow](#) R) Safe, Clean, and Reliable Drinking Water Supply Act of 2014.  
Introduced: 2/20/2014  
Status: 3/6/2014-Referred to Com. on W.,P. & W.  
Is Fiscal: Y  
Summary: Current law, the Safe, Clean, and Reliable Drinking Water Supply Act of 2012, if approved by the voters, would authorize the issuance of bonds in the amount of \$11,140,000,000 pursuant to the State General Obligation Bond Law to finance a safe drinking water and water supply reliability program. Current law provides for the submission of the bond act to the voters at the November 4, 2014, statewide general election. This bill would repeal these provisions. This bill contains other related provisions and other current laws.

[AB 2067](#) ([Weber](#) D) Urban water management plans.  
Introduced: 2/20/2014  
Status: 4/10/2014-Read second time. Ordered to consent calendar.  
Is Fiscal: Y  
Summary: Would require an urban retail water supplier and an urban wholesale water supplier to provide narratives describing the supplier's water demand management measures, as provided. The bill would require, for urban retail water suppliers, the narrative to address the nature and extent of each water demand management measure implemented over the past 5 years and describe the water demand management measures that the supplier plans to implement to achieve its water use targets.

[AB 2108](#) ([Eggman](#) D) Sacramento-San Joaquin Valley: flood management.  
Introduced: 2/20/2014  
Last Amend: 4/9/2014

Status: 4/10/2014-Re-referred to Com. on L. GOV.

Is Fiscal: N

Summary: Current law prohibits, after the general plan amendments and zoning ordinance amendments have become effective, each city and county within the Sacramento-San Joaquin Valley from approving specified permits that would result in specified construction located within a flood hazard zone unless the city or county makes specified findings, including, among others, that property in an undetermined risk area has met the urban level of flood protection based on substantial evidence in the record. This bill would eliminate the requirement that the city or county make the finding described above, and would, instead, require the city or county to make a finding that the project is located in a developed area, as defined.

[AB 2193](#) ([Gordon](#) D) Habitat Restoration and Enhancement Act.

Introduced: 2/20/2014

Last Amend: 4/2/2014

Status: 4/8/2014-From committee: Do pass and re-refer to Com. on APPR. (Ayes 15. Noes 0.) (April 8). Re-referred to Com. on APPR.

Is Fiscal: Y

Summary: Would enact the Habitat Restoration and Enhancement Act and require the Director of Fish and Wildlife to approve a habitat restoration or enhancement project, as defined, if specified conditions are met as determined by the director. The act would create the Habitat Restoration and Enhancement Fund within the Fish and Game Preservation Fund and authorize the department to enter into an agreement to accept funds to achieve the purposes of the Habitat Restoration and Enhancement Act and deposit those funds into that account. This bill contains other related provisions.

[AB 2269](#) ([Bigelow](#) R) Integrated regional water management planning.

Introduced: 2/21/2014

Status: 2/24/2014-Read first time.

Is Fiscal: N

Summary: Current law authorizes a regional water management group to prepare and adopt an integrated regional water management plan with specified components. This bill would make a technical, nonsubstantive change to that provision.

[AB 2282](#) ([Gatto](#) D) Building standards: recycled water infrastructure.

Introduced: 2/21/2014

Last Amend: 4/21/2014

Status: 4/22/2014-Re-referred to Com. on B.,P. & C.P.

Is Fiscal: Y

Summary: Would require the Department of Housing and Community Development, in consultation with other designated entities, to conduct research to assist in the development of, and to propose the adoption, amendment, or repeal by the California Building Standards Commission, of mandatory building standards for the installation of recycled water infrastructure for newly constructed single-family and multifamily residential buildings.

[AB 2409](#) ([Cooley](#) D) California Waterfowl Habitat Program.

Introduced: 2/21/2014

Status: 3/10/2014-Referred to Com. on W.,P. & W.

Is Fiscal: Y

Summary: Current law authorizes the Director of Fish and Wildlife to enter into land use contracts to conserve waterfowl and waterfowl habitat with nonpublic entities that are owners of record, or with lessees, who have the owners of record execute the contract, of land determined by the director to be important for the conservation of waterfowl, subject to the appropriation of money for that purpose. This bill would also authorize the director to enter into those contracts with public entities.

[AB 2417](#) ([Nazarian](#) D) California Environmental Quality Act: exemption: recycled water pipelines.

Introduced: 2/21/2014

Last Amend: 3/28/2014

Status: 4/1/2014-Re-referred to Com. on NAT. RES.

Is Fiscal: Y

Summary: Would exempt from CEQA a project for the construction and installation of a new pipeline or the maintenance, repair, restoration, reconditioning, relocation, replacement, removal, or demolition of an existing pipeline, not exceeding 8 miles in length, for the distribution of recycled water within a public street, highway, or right-of-way and would require the lead agency to undertake specified activities, including the filing of a notice of exemption for the project with the Office of Planning and Research and the office of the county clerk of each county in which the project is located.

[AB 2446](#)

([Waldron](#) R) Standby charges: San Luis Rey Municipal Water District.

Introduced: 2/21/2014

Last Amend: 3/20/2014

Status: 3/24/2014-Re-referred to Com. on W.,P. & W. Re-referred to Com. on L. GOV. pursuant to Assembly Rule 96.

Is Fiscal: N

Summary: Current law, operative until January 1, 2015, prohibits a standby assessment or availability charge levied in any improvement district situated within the San Luis Rey Municipal Water District from exceeding \$30 per acre per year for land on which the charge is levied or \$30 per year for a parcel less than one acre and requires the proceeds in excess of \$10 per acre per year or \$10 per year for a parcel less than one acre to be used for the purposes of the improvement district. This bill would extend the operation of the provision for San Luis Rey Municipal Water District until January 1, 2020.

[AB 2463](#)

([Dickinson](#) D) Water: plans.

Introduced: 2/21/2014

Last Amend: 4/21/2014

Status: 4/22/2014-Re-referred to Com. on W.,P. & W.

Is Fiscal: Y

Summary: Would require the Department of Water Resources to partner with the Regional Water Authority, water suppliers in El Dorado, Placer, Sacramento, and Placer counties, and other interested agencies to develop a plan for investing in water supplies and other facilities in order to contribute to the reliability of water supplies for the Sacramento region's communities and environmental resources while also generating statewide benefits. The bill would require the plan to address certain matters, and would require the department to submit the plan to the Legislature on or before January 1, 2017.

[AB 2554](#)

([Rendon](#) D) Clean, Safe, and Reliable Drinking Water Act of 2014.

Introduced: 2/21/2014

Last Amend: 3/24/2014

Status: 4/7/2014-From committee: Be re-referred to Com. on W.,P. & W. Re-referred. (Ayes 11. Noes 0.) (April 7).

Re-referred to Com. on W.,P. & W.

Is Fiscal: Y

Summary: Current law, the Safe, Clean, and Reliable Drinking Water Supply Act of 2012, if approved by the voters, would authorize the issuance of bonds in the amount of \$11,140,000,000 pursuant to the State General Obligation Bond Law to finance a safe drinking water and water supply reliability program. Current law provides for the submission of the bond act to the voters at the November 4, 2014, statewide general election. This bill would repeal these provisions. This bill contains other related provisions and other current laws.

[AB 2619](#)

([Gaines, Beth](#) R) Dams: fish: critically dry year.

Introduced: 2/21/2014

Last Amend: 3/28/2014

Status: 4/1/2014-Re-referred to Com. on W.,P. & W.

Is Fiscal: Y

Summary: Current law authorizes the Department of Fish and Game, during the minimum flow of water in any river or stream, to grant permission to the dam owner to allow sufficient water to pass through a culvert, waste gate, or over or around the dam, to keep in good condition any fish that may be planted or exist below the dam, when, in the judgment of the department, it is impracticable or detrimental to the owner to pass the water through the fishway. This bill would prohibit these provisions from applying during a critically dry year.

- [AB 2629](#) ([Bloom](#) D) Conservation and mitigation banks: report.  
Introduced: 2/21/2014  
Last Amend: 3/28/2014  
Status: 4/21/2014-In committee: Set, first hearing. Hearing canceled at the request of author.  
Is Fiscal: Y  
Summary: Current law requires the Department of Fish and Wildlife to provide an annual report to the Legislature that includes, among other things, information determined by the department to be relevant in assessing the effectiveness of the department's mitigation and conservation banking program. This bill would require the department to also include in the annual report the number of bank applications received for a proposed bank site that is concurrently a federally approved conservation or mitigation bank.
- [AB 2636](#) ([Gatto](#) D) CalConserve Water Use Efficiency Revolving Fund.  
Introduced: 2/21/2014  
Last Amend: 3/18/2014  
Status: 4/9/2014-In committee: Set, first hearing. Referred to APPR. suspense file.  
Is Fiscal: Y  
Summary: Would establish the CalConserve Water Use Efficiency Revolving Fund and provide that the moneys in the fund are available to the Department of Water Resources , upon appropriation by the Legislature, for the purpose of water use efficiency projects. This bill would require moneys in the fund to be used for purposes that include, but are not limited to, at-or-below market interest rate loans and would permit the department to enter into agreements with local governments or investor-owned utilities that provide water or recycled water service to provide loans. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.
- [AB 2684](#) ([Stone](#) D) Hatchery practices: salmon and steelhead.  
Introduced: 2/21/2014  
Last Amend: 3/27/2014  
Status: 4/8/2014-From committee: Do pass and re-refer to Com. on APPR. (Ayes 10. Noes 5.) (April 8). Re-referred to Com. on APPR.  
Is Fiscal: Y  
Summary: Would require the Department of Fish and Wildlife to implement specified policies and practices for hatchery chinook salmon, coho salmon, and steelhead reared or released in California waters, including a requirement that hatchery chinook salmon, coho salmon, and steelhead released in California waters be externally marked on the top fin at a level to be determined by the department and that all hatchery chinook salmon, coho salmon, and steelhead be coded-wire tagged prior to their release.
- [AB 2686](#) ([Perea](#) D) Clean, Safe, and Reliable Drinking Water Supply Act of 2014.  
Introduced: 2/21/2014  
Last Amend: 4/22/2014  
Status: 4/22/2014-From committee chair, with author's amendments: Amend, and re-refer to Com. on W.,P. & W. Read second time and amended.  
Is Fiscal: Y  
Summary: Current law, the Safe, Clean, and Reliable Drinking Water Supply Act of 2012, if approved by the voters, would authorize the issuance of bonds in the amount of \$11,140,000,000 pursuant to the State General Obligation Bond Law to finance a safe drinking water and water supply reliability program. Current law provides for the submission of the bond act to the voters at the November 4, 2014, statewide general election. This bill would repeal these provisions. This bill contains other related provisions and other current laws.
- [AB 2701](#) ([Gonzalez](#) D) Groundwater basins: investigation and report.  
Introduced: 2/21/2014  
Status: 2/24/2014-Read first time.  
Is Fiscal: N  
Summary: Current law requires the Department of Water Resources, in conjunction with other public agencies, to conduct an investigation of the state's groundwater basins and to report its findings to the Governor and the Legislature not later than January 1, 2012, and thereafter in years ending in 5 or 0. This bill would make a technical, nonsubstantive change in these provisions.

- [SB 848](#) ([Wolk](#) D) Safe Drinking Water, Water Quality, and Water Supply Act of 2014.  
Introduced: 1/9/2014  
Last Amend: 2/20/2014  
Status: 2/26/2014-From committee: Do pass and re-refer to Com. on APPR. (Ayes 5. Noes 2. Page 2831.) (February 26).  
Re-referred to Com. on APPR.  
Is Fiscal: Y  
Summary: Current law creates the Safe, Clean, and Reliable Drinking Water Supply Act of 2012, which, if approved by the voters, would authorize the issuance of bonds in the amount of \$11,140,000,000 pursuant to the State General Obligation Bond Law to finance a safe drinking water and water supply reliability program. Current law provides for the submission of the bond act to the voters at the November 4, 2014, statewide general election. This bill would repeal these provisions. This bill contains other related provisions and other current laws.
- [SB 851](#) ([Leno](#) D) Budget Act of 2014.  
Introduced: 1/9/2014  
Status: 1/9/2014-Introduced. Read first time. Referred to Com. on B. & F.R.  
Is Fiscal: Y  
Summary: This bill would make appropriations for the support of state government for the 2014-15 fiscal year. This bill contains other related provisions.
- [SB 920](#) ([Galgiani](#) D) Planning and zoning: flood protection.  
Introduced: 1/28/2014  
Status: 4/22/2014-Set for hearing April 30.  
Is Fiscal: Y  
Summary: Would, under the Planning and Zoning Law, revise the definition of adequate progress to include the critical features of the flood protection system being planned and designed or under construction and the completion of a levee safety plan for those flood protection systems that are a part of the State Plan of Flood Control. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.
- [SB 927](#) ([Cannella](#) R) Safe, Clean, and Reliable Drinking Water Supply Act of 2014.  
Introduced: 1/29/2014  
Status: 4/22/2014-Set, second hearing. Failed passage in committee. Reconsideration granted.  
Is Fiscal: Y  
Summary: Would rename the Safe, Clean, and Reliable Drinking Water Supply Act of 2012 as the Safe, Clean, and Reliable Drinking Water Supply Act of 2014 and make conforming changes. The bill would instead authorize the issuance of bonds in the amount of \$9,217,000,000 by reducing the amount available for projects related to drought relief and water supply reliability, as specified. The bill would remove the authorization for funds to be available for ecosystem and watershed protection and restoration projects, and would increase the amount of funds available for emergency and urgent actions to ensure safe drinking water supplies in disadvantaged communities and economically distressed areas.
- [SB 938](#) ([Galgiani](#) D) Water rights: reconsideration of a decision or order.  
Introduced: 2/3/2014  
Status: 2/20/2014-Referred to Com. on RLS.  
Is Fiscal: N  
Summary: Current law specifies procedures under which a person may be subject to administrative civil liability for unauthorized diversion or use of water. Current law specifies procedures under which the State Water Resources Control Board is authorized to order a reconsideration of all or part of its decision or order. This bill would make a technical, nonsubstantive change to these provisions.
- [SB 985](#) ([Pavley](#) D) Stormwater resource planning.  
Introduced: 2/11/2014  
Last Amend: 4/9/2014  
Status: 4/22/2014-From committee: Do pass and re-refer to Com. on E.Q. (Ayes 8. Noes 0.) (April 22). Re-referred to Com. on E.Q.  
Is Fiscal: N

Summary: Would require a stormwater resource plan to identify and prioritize stormwater and dry weather runoff capture projects for implementation in a prescribed quantitative manner and to prioritize the use of lands or easements in public ownership for stormwater and dry weather runoff projects. This bill would eliminate the requirement that a stormwater resource plan be consistent with any applicable integrated regional water management plan. This bill would define dry weather runoff and stormwater for the purposes of the Stormwater Resource Planning Act and conform the definition of stormwater in the Rainwater Capture Act of 2012 .

[SB 1036](#) ([Pavley D](#)) Urban water management plans.

Introduced: 2/18/2014

Last Amend: 4/7/2014

Status: 4/11/2014-Set for hearing April 29.

Is Fiscal: Y

Summary: Would authorize an urban water supplier to include within an urban water management plan certain energy-related information, including, but not limited to, an estimate of the amount of energy used to extract or divert water supplies. This bill would require the Department of Water Resources to develop a methodology for the voluntary reporting of energy intensity of urban water systems and include this methodology in the guidance for the preparation of urban water management plans.

[SB 1049](#) ([Pavley D](#)) Integrated regional water management plans.

Introduced: 2/18/2014

Last Amend: 4/9/2014

Status: 4/22/2014-From committee: Do pass as amended and re-refer to Com. on APPR. (Ayes 8. Noes 1.) (April 22).

Is Fiscal: Y

Summary: The Integrated Regional Water Management Planning Act defines "regional projects or programs" as projects or programs identified in an integrated regional water management plan that accomplish specified water-related goals, including an increase in water supplies through the use of certain means. This bill would specifically include projects or programs that reduce energy used to acquire, transport, treat, or distribute water, or that develop and support decision support tools to model regional water management strategies to account for climate change, energy use, and other factors relevant to regional demand and supply projections, as a regional project or program.

[SB 1080](#) ([Fuller R](#)) Safe, Clean, and Reliable Drinking Water Supply Act of 2012.

Introduced: 2/19/2014

Status: 2/27/2014-Referred to Com. on RLS.

Is Fiscal: N

Summary: Current law creates the Safe, Clean, and Reliable Drinking Water Supply Act of 2012, which, if approved by the voters, would authorize the issuance of bonds in the amount of \$11,140,000,000 pursuant to the State General Obligation Bond Law to finance a safe drinking water and water supply reliability program. Current law provides for the submission of the bond act to the voters at the November 4, 2014, statewide general election. This bill would declare the intent of the Legislature to enact legislation to reduce the \$11,140,000,000 bond.

[SB 1168](#) ([Pavley D](#)) Groundwater management.

Introduced: 2/20/2014

Last Amend: 4/10/2014

Status: 4/22/2014-From committee: Do pass as amended and re-refer to Com. on APPR. (Ayes 7. Noes 2.) (April 22).

Is Fiscal: Y

Summary: Would require a local agency to determine sustainable yield for a groundwater basin in coordination with other applicable local agencies whose service areas overlie the groundwater basin.

[SB 1250](#) ([Hueso D](#)) Safe, Clean, and Reliable Drinking Water Supply Act of 2014.

Introduced: 2/20/2014

Last Amend: 4/21/2014

Status: 4/22/2014-Re-referred to Coms. on N.R. & W., E.Q., and GOV. & F.

Is Fiscal: Y

Summary: Current law creates the Safe, Clean, and Reliable Drinking Water Supply Act of 2012, which, if approved by

the voters, would authorize the issuance of bonds in the amount of \$11,140,000,000 pursuant to the State General Obligation Bond Law to finance a safe drinking water and water supply reliability program. Current law provides for the submission of the bond act to the voters at the November 4, 2014, statewide general election. This bill would repeal these provisions. This bill contains other related provisions and other current laws.

[SB 1259](#)

([Pavley](#) D) Dams: siltation studies.

Introduced: 2/21/2014

Last Amend: 4/3/2014

Status: 4/11/2014-Set for hearing April 29.

Is Fiscal: Y

Summary: Would require the department, in collaboration with specified entities, to make or cause to be made investigations and to gather or cause to be gathered data for a proper review and study of the loss of storage capacity behind dams resulting from siltation. The bill would require that an initial study be completed by January 1, 2017, and that a siltation study include an evaluation of cost-effective strategies for sediment removal, relative to the costs of alternative methods of flood protection and water supply. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.

[SB 1370](#)

([Galgiani](#) D) Reliable Water Supply Bond Act of 2014.

Introduced: 2/21/2014

Last Amend: 3/24/2014

Status: 4/8/2014-Set, first hearing. Heard for testimony only.

Is Fiscal: Y

Summary: Current law creates the Safe, Clean, and Reliable Drinking Water Supply Act of 2012, which, if approved by the voters, would authorize the issuance of bonds in the amount of \$11,140,000,000 pursuant to the State General Obligation Bond Law to finance a safe drinking water and water supply reliability program. Current law provides for the submission of the bond act to the voters at the November 4, 2014, statewide general election. This bill would repeal these provisions. This bill contains other related provisions and other current laws.

[SB 1410](#)

([Wolk](#) D) Wildlife management areas: payments.

Introduced: 2/21/2014

Last Amend: 4/21/2014

Status: 4/22/2014-From committee: Do pass and re-refer to Com. on APPR. with recommendation: To consent calendar. (Ayes 9. Noes 0.) (April 22). Re-referred to Com. on APPR.

Is Fiscal: Y

Summary: Current law requires the Department of Fish and Wildlife, when income is derived directly from real property acquired and operated by the state as a wildlife management area, as defined, to pay annually to the county in which the property is located an amount equal to the county taxes levied upon the property at the time title to the property was transferred to the state, and any assessments levied upon the property by any irrigation, drainage, or reclamation district. This bill would appropriate \$19,000,000 from the General Fund to the department to make payments to counties for unpaid amounts under these provisions.

[SB 1420](#)

([Wolk](#) D) Water management: urban water management plans.

Introduced: 2/21/2014

Last Amend: 4/21/2014

Status: 4/21/2014-From committee with author's amendments. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Com. on N.R. & W.

Is Fiscal: Y

Summary: Would require an urban water management plan to quantify and report on distribution system water loss. The bill would authorize water use projections to display and account for the water savings estimated to result from adopted codes, standards, ordinances, or transportation and land use plans, when that information is available and applicable to an urban water supplier. The bill would require the plan, or amendments to the plan, to be submitted electronically to the Department of Water Resources and include any standardized forms, tables, or displays specified by the department.

[SB 1447](#)

([Fuller](#) R) Bay Delta Conservation Plan: judicial review.

Introduced: 2/21/2014

Status: 3/17/2014-Referred to Com. on RLS.

Is Fiscal: N

Summary: Current law imposes requirements on the Department of Water Resources in connection with the preparation of a Bay Delta Conservation Plan. This bill would state the intent of the Legislature to enact legislation establishing judicial review procedures for the Bay Delta Conservation Plan.

Total Measures: 46

Total Tracking Forms: 46