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Date:	Bill:	State/Fed	Position:	Summary:	Pillar:	Bill Status:
05/12/26	SB 1327- Weights and measures: Electric Vehicle Supply Equipment (EVSE): State Authority.	State	Oppose	This bill would shift oversight of EV charging equipment to the California Energy Commission, an agency that does not administer or enforce weights and measures laws. For Yolo County, this would remove a functioning, locally responsive system and replace it with a distant regulatory structure that lacks field presence, complaint-response capacity, and the ability to verify device accuracy in real time, particularly in rural communities.	Thriving Residents Operational Excellence	<i>Action: 2026-05-14 - May 14 hearing: Held in committee and under submission.</i> <i>Pending: Senate Appropriations Committee</i>
05/06/26	State budget process. <i>Senate & Assembly Budget committees</i>	State	Budget Request	Yolo County issued a budget request letter to the Senate & Assembly Budget committees to advocate on a longstanding property tax fairness issue, which has reduced Yolo County's property tax revenues for over 30 years, costing the County millions of dollars (approximately \$3 million annually in the 2025-26 fiscal year). Yolo County's ERAF shift can be reduced by statute with no effect on Yolo County schools or the State General Fund. Using this approach, inequity would be reversed directly and handled at the local level.	Robust Economy Operational Excellence Thriving Residents	Potential budget trailer bill.

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05/06/26	SB 1087- Sustainable Communities Modernization.	State	Support	The bill, SB 1087 shifts the focus of the Sustainable Communities Strategy (SCS) framework to measurable results, making it more effective. The SCS framework under SB 375 was established in 2008, at a very different moment in time. SB 375 predates today's housing affordability crisis, updated housing production mandates, increased climate urgency, post-pandemic travel patterns, major electrification policies, and expanded equity goals.	Sustainable Environment Thriving Residents Flourishing Agriculture	UPDATED <i>Status: Engrossed on May 27, 2026 - 50% progression</i> <i>Action: 2026-06-22 - June 22 set for first hearing canceled at the request of author.</i> <i>Hearing: Jun 29 @ 2:30 pm in State Capitol, Room 437</i>
05/06/26	AB 2474- Office of Emergency Services- Statewide public alert and early warning software platform mandate.	State	Oppose- unless amended	This bill requires the Office of Emergency Services (Cal OES) to procure a statewide public alert and early warning software platform and mandate that all local governments utilize that system. This raises significant concerns related to local flexibility, destabilization of proven and locally focused alerting systems and processes, and the imposition of considerable unfunded mandates on local governments.	Thriving Residents Operational Excellence	<i>Action: 2026-04-13 - In committee: Set, first hearing. Hearing canceled at the request of author.</i> <i>Pending: Assembly Emergency Management Committee</i>
05/06/26	AB 2026- Modernizing Groundwater Recharge Permitting.	State	Support	This bill modernizes California's ground water recharge policy by improving permitting processes, making it easier to safely capture flood flows and maintaining strong safeguards for water right holders.	Sustainable Environment Flourishing Agriculture	<i>Status: Engrossed on May 27 2026 - 50% progression</i> <i>Action: 2026-06-10 - Referred to Coms. on N.R. & W. and E.Q.</i>

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						<i>Pending: Senate Natural Resources and Water Committee</i>
05/06/26	AB 2443- Caller of Last Resort (COLR), Relief of responsibilities.	State	Oppose	This measure would abandon essential responsibilities and phase out reliable and affordable access to basic telephone service for all Californians.	Operational Excellence	<i>Status: Introduced on February 20, 2026 - 25% progression Action: 2026-03-09 - Referred to Com. on C. & C. Pending: Assembly Communications and Conveyance Committee</i>
04/24/26	SB 828- Fireworks licenses and permits: disqualifying conditions: storage facilities: local jurisdictions.	State	Support	This bill would address regulatory gaps for fireworks license eligibility, strengthen local government coordination for permitting, and increase oversight of fireworks activities across state and local agencies to comprehensively protect public safety.	Operational Excellence	<u>UPDATED</u> <i>Status: Engrossed on January 26 2026 - 50% progression Action: 2026-06-17 - Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Com. on L. GOV. Pending: Assembly Local Government Committee Hearing: Jul 1 @ 1:30 pm in State Capitol, Room 447</i>
03/31/26	AB 2508- Eliminating state	State	Oppose (Sign-on)	This measure would eliminate the current funding stream for the state's Public Purpose	Sustainable Environment	<i>Status: Introduced on February 20, 2026 - 25% progression</i>

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	funding stream for Public Purpose Programs including energy efficiency and research and development programs.			Programs, including energy efficiency (EE) and research and development programs, and instead force them to compete for more volatile and scarce Greenhouse Gas Reduction Funds (GGRF). Injecting this level of uncertainty into the state's EE programs will compound the current affordability crisis by eliminating the benefits of EE to both individual ratepayers and the energy system as a whole.		Action: 2026-05-14 - In committee: Held under submission.
03/23/26	SB 1159- People not Bots	State	Support	This measure would protect CA public agencies from being overwhelmed by swarming Artificial Intelligence (AI) systems and clarifies terms like "person", "interested person", "participant", and "member of the public", to refer to natural persons not to AI systems capable of autonomously producing infinite requests, comments, or petitions.	Thriving Residents Operational Excellence	UPDATED Action: 2026-06-09 - From committee with author's amendments. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Com. on P. & C.P. Pending: Assembly Privacy and Consumer Protection Committee Hearing: Jun 23 @ 1:30 pm in State Capitol, Room 437
03/23/26	AB 2216- Delta Conservancy Expansion	State	Support	This measure would expand and update the Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta Conservancy (Delta Conservancy) to cover the remaining	Collaborative Community	Status: Engrossed on May 26 2026 - 50% progression

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				portions of Sacramento, Solano, San Joaquin, and Yolo Counties by creating a Valley Program and better serve its current jurisdiction in the legal Delta and Suisun Marsh.	Sustainable Environment Flourishing Agriculture	Action: 2026-06-15 - From committee chair, with author's amendments: Amend, and re-refer to committee. Read second time, amended, and re-referred to Com. on N.R. & W.
03/12/26	AB 1549- Domestic Violence Program, Extending Batterer's Intervention pilot program until July 1, 2030.	State	Support	This measure seeks to extend the sunset date for the AB 372 pilot program that has allowed six counties (including Yolo County) to run overhauled Batterer's Intervention Programs (BIPs) to study and identify best practices to prevent future domestic violence abuse from anyone granted probation for a domestic violence conviction.	Thriving Residents	UPDATED <i>Status: Enrolled on June 15 2026 - 75% progression</i> <i>Action: 2026-06-15 - In Assembly. Ordered to Engrossing and Enrolling.</i>
03/12/26	AB 1607- Maddy's Fund, removing sunset.	State	Support	This measure seeks to remove the sunset date on the Maddy Fund, ensuring access to critical, life-saving emergency health care for uninsured people. Removing the sunset (that has already been extended numerous times) would provide medical infrastructure assurances for ongoing financial assistance for our essential health care providers.	Thriving Residents	<i>Status: Engrossed on April 20 2026 - 50% progression</i> <i>Action: 2026-06-18 - From committee: Do pass and re-refer to Com. on PUB. S. (Ayes 11. Noes 0.) (June 17). Re-referred to Com. on PUB. S. Pending: Senate Public Safety</i>

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						Committee Hearing: Jun 30 @ 8:30 am in 1021 O Street, Room 2200
03/12/26	AB 1941- Strengthening prevention against metal theft contributing to critical communications infrastructure.	State	Support	This measure provides strengthened enforcement tools by establishing the category of organized metal theft and supporting better information-sharing among law enforcement, public agencies, telecommunications providers, and recyclers through a statewide data system.	Operational Excellence	Status: Engrossed on May 22 2026 - 50% progression Action: 2026-06-04 - From committee chair, with author's amendments: Amend, and re-refer to committee. Read second time, amended, and re-referred to Com. on PUB. S. Pending: Senate Public Safety Committee Hearing: Jun 23 @ 8:30 am in State Capitol, Room 112
02/27/26	Trailer Bills impacting IHSS in the January 2026-2027 budget	State	Oppose	Several Proposals impacting In Home Supportive Services (IHSS) program in the Governor's proposed January budget: 1. Elimination of the IHSS Back-Up Provider System. 2. Shifting State IHSS Costs to Counties	Thriving Residents	

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				3. Elimination of the IHSS Residual Program		
02/27/26	SB 872- Protecting California's Water	State	Support	This measure proposes a \$300 million annual allocation from the Greenhouse Gas Reduction Fund over 20 years to strengthen CA's core water infrastructure.	Sustainable Environment Flourishing Agriculture	<i>Status: Engrossed on May 19 2026 - 50% progression Action: 2026-05-26 - Referred to Com. on W., P., & W. Pending: Assembly Water, Parks and Wildlife Committee Hearing: Jun 30 @ 9:00 am in State Capitol, Room 444</i>
02/27/26	AB 1643- Improvements to the Child Support Program.	State	Support	This measure would strengthen consistent statewide child support payment processing and improve coordination between agencies.	Thriving Residents	<i>Action: 2026-05-14 - In committee: Held under submission.</i>
02/27/26	HR 6903- Ensuring Children Receive Support Act	Fed	Support	This measure would prevent issuance of a passport to individuals with significant child support arrears.	Thriving Residents	<i>Action: 2026-04-28 - Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. Pending: Senate Finance Committee</i>