

Thanks to all who were able to participate in this morning's Florida League of Cities Monday Morning Call-In. Below is a list of the bills discussed. Click [HERE](#) to listen to a recording of the call. To view the League's legislative bill summaries on the bills below and more, click [HERE](#).

### **Summary of February 7, 2022 FLC Monday Morning Call-In**

#### **Amber Hughes Update:**

- [CS/HJR 1](#) (Tomkow) **Additional Homestead Property Tax Exemption for Specified Critical Public Service Workforce** and [CS/HB 1563](#) (Tomkow) **Implementing Bill** – **Oppose** – CS/HJR 1 and CS/HB 1563 will be heard today, February 7, at 1:30 p.m. in the House Local Administration & Veterans Affairs Subcommittee. This is the second of three committee stops in the House.
- [CS/HB 301](#) (Roach) **Financial Disclosures** – **Oppose** – CS/HB 301 will be heard today, February 7, at 1:30 p.m. in the House Local Administration & Veterans Affairs Subcommittee. This is the second of three committee stops in the House.
- [CS/HB 3](#) (Leek) ) **Law Enforcement Officer, Benefits, Recruitment, and Training** – **Support** – CS/HB 3 will be heard on Tuesday, February 8, at 3:30 p.m. in the House Judiciary Committee. This is the final committee stop in the House.

#### **David Cruz Update:**

- [HB 739](#) (Borrero) **Local Government Land Development Actions** – **Oppose** – HB 739 will be heard today, February 7, at 1:30 p.m. in the House Local Administration & Veterans Affairs Subcommittee. This is the first of three committee stops in the House. There is an amendment to HB 739 that will address many of our concerns. The League will be neutral on **HB 739** if the amendment is adopted.
- [CS/SB 974](#) (Gruters) **Sovereign Immunity** – **Support** – CS/SB 974 will be heard Tuesday, February 8, at 3:00 p.m. in the Senate Community Affairs Committee. This is the second of three committee stops in the Senate.

#### **Jeff Branch Update:**

- [SB 1162](#) (Broxson) and [HB 621](#) (Fine) **Infrastructure Project Funding** – **Oppose** – SB 1162 & HB 621 have not been put on the agenda for this week.
- [SB 7042](#) (Regulated Industries) **Community Association Building Safety** – **Watch** – SB 7042 is waiting to be heard in the Senate Appropriations Committee.

#### **Rebecca O'Hara Update:**

- [HB 1555](#) (McClain) **Private Property Rights to Prune, Trim, and Remove Trees** – **Support** – HB 1555 will be heard today, February 7, at 1:30 p.m. in the House Local Administration & Veterans Affairs Subcommittee. This is the second of three committee stops in the House.

#### **Tara Taggart Update:**

- [SB 224](#) (Gruters) **Regulation of Smoking in Public Places** – **Support** – SB 224 will be heard today, February 7, at 2:30 p.m. in the Senate Environment and Natural Resources Committee. An amendment has been filed to SB 224 that would exempt cigars from the bill. This is the second of three committee stops in the Senate.
- [SB 1670](#) (Hutson) **Cybersecurity** and [SB 1694](#) (Hutson) **Public Records/Criminal Intelligence Information or Criminal Investigative Information** – **Watch** – SB 1670 & SB 1694 will be heard

on Tuesday, February 8, at 12:30 p.m. in the Senate Military and Veterans Affairs, Space, and Domestic Security Committee. This is the first of three committee stops in the Senate.

- [CS/HB 325](#) (Fischer) **Vacation Rentals** – **Oppose** – We anticipate that CS/HB 325 will be heard in the House Ways & Means Committee on Wednesday. Please reach out to the members of the House Ways & Means Committee and express opposition to the bill.

**Announcements:**

- If you have feedback on any of the bills above, please contact the lobbyist tracking the bill.
- The next Monday Morning Call-In will be held on February 14 at 9:00 a.m. Conference Call Phone Number: (888) 585-9008; Conference Room Number: 301-563-714#