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Week 5 was busy at the Capitol. Committee activity is increasing as we head towards “turnaround”, which is when most bills have to be successfully passed by the chamber in which they were introduced or be dead for the session. That date is February 24. We’ll likely see one more week of heavy committee activity, then action will switch to the full chamber on each side as they consider bills forwarded from committee.

We continue to see a large influx of new bills on tax policy. Some of these changes would impact the consulting engineering industry in obvious ways, some would not. There are far more bills than the legislature will have time to consider, and the next few weeks should help show which ones are going to receive serious consideration this session. Many of them will never even receive a committee hearing. A concerning trend shows more legislation aimed at not only limiting state revenues, but also placing restrictions on local units of government and their ability to raise revenue.

HB 2429, which would remove the sunset on the Board of Regents ability to use CM at risk in certain situations, was passed by the House Education Budget Committee Thursday. After some early disagreement from the Associated General Contractors, all parties now seem to be comfortable with the bill moving forward.

There were two new bills affecting the Fire Marshal’s office this week, one of which seems to reflect an ongoing distrust between the Fire Marshal’s office and the legislature. HB 2657 would create an oversight panel for the State Fire Marshal’s office, composed of three Senators and four Representatives. The bill gives the oversight committee broad authority to investigate and monitor, but does not spell out what enforcement remedies would be available. The bill is not scheduled for a hearing at this time.

The House Energy and Utilities Committee amended HB 2455 this week to require KDOT to study the long term feasibility of using the gas tax as the primary revenue stream for transportation infrastructure. There are no hard measurables in the bill, just an order to KDOT to conduct such a study with appropriate stakeholder groups.

ACEC Kansas testified Thursday in Senate Commerce against SB 318, which would require any firm doing state work to have 70% of the employees involved be Kansas residents. ACEC shared concerns with compliance issues and costs, the possibility of retaliatory legislation from other states, and the mobile nature of the design industry. The Committee has not scheduled a time to work the bill, and may not do so at all.

The Senate Transportation Committee Tuesday passed SR 1805, the livable streets resolution. The Committee first adopted a suggestion from KSPE that would soften the language from “are required” to “is encouraged” when referring to coordination between agencies and

municipalities. With that amended language, the resolution seemed to have universal support and will likely be voted on by the Senate in the next week or two.

Stay tuned....

Bill Number and Sponsor	Bill Subject	Current Status	Last Action
<a href="#">SB 3</a> Legislative Post Audit Committee	Concerning water; establishing the Kansas natural resources subcabinet	In Senate Ways and Means	<b>01/11/2011 - Senate</b> Referred to Ways and Means
<a href="#">SB 70</a> Senate Ways and Means Committee	Limitation on entitlement to capital improvement state aid	In Senate Education	<b>03/02/2011 - Senate</b> Scheduled Hearing in Education: Monday, 3/7/2011, 1:30 PM, Rm 152-S; Possible Action: Tuesday, 3/8/2011, 1:30 PM, Rm 152-S
<a href="#">SB 86</a> Senate Assessment and Taxation Committee	5 year phase out of capital gains tax	In Senate Assessment and Taxation	<b>03/02/2011 - Senate</b> Withdrawn from Ways and Means; rereferred to Assessment and Taxation
<a href="#">Sub for SB 95</a> Senate Assessment and Taxation Committee	Five-year phase out of income tax on corporations	In Senate Assessment and Taxation	<b>03/09/2011 - Senate</b> Committee Report: Substitute bill reported without recommendation by Assessment and Taxation; Withdrawn from Calendar; referred to Assessment and Taxation; Scheduled Hearing in Assessment and Taxation: Tuesday, 3/15/2011, 10:30 AM, Rm 152-S
<a href="#">SB 98</a> Senate Assessment and Taxation Committee	Elimination of certain sales tax exemptions, imposition of sales tax on certain services, provision of sales tax exemption for certain purchases of food, and reduction of sales tax and certain income tax rates	In Senate Assessment and Taxation	<b>03/04/2011 - Senate</b> Scheduled Staff briefing in Assessment and Taxation: Tuesday, 3/8/2011, 10:30 AM, Rm 152-S; (cont'd) Wednesday, 3/9/2011, 10:30 AM, Rm 152-S
<a href="#">SB 140</a> Senate Commerce Committee	Kansas Small and Disadvantaged Business Development Program Act	In Senate Commerce	<b>02/14/2011 - Senate</b> Scheduled Hearing: Thursday, 2/17/2011, 8:30 AM, Rm 548-S
<a href="#">SB 171</a> Anthony Hensley, D-19th	Reinstatement of prevailing wage for state construction projects	In Senate Commerce	<b>02/10/2011 - Senate</b> Referred to Commerce
<a href="#">SB 180</a> Senate Local Government Committee	Annexation procedures; deannexation; board of county commissioners duties; election required, when; homestead exemption; appeal process	In Senate Local Government	<b>02/16/2011 - Senate</b> Scheduled Hearing: Monday, 2/21/2011, 9:30 AM, Rm 159-S

<a href="#">H Sub for SB 191</a> Senate Natural Resources Committee	Appropriations; department of agriculture; laboratory testing	In Conference Committee	<b>02/09/2012 - House</b> Acceded; Appointed Schwartz, Schroeder and Carlin
<a href="#">SB 208</a> Senate Ways and Means Committee	Long-term capital improvement program and facilities plans by public safety state agencies	In Senate Ways and Means	<b>02/17/2011 - Senate</b> Referred to Ways and Means
<a href="#">SB 220</a> Senate Ways and Means Committee	Abolishing the office of the state fire marshal and transferring the duties and functions thereof to the division of facilities management, the Kansas bureau of investigation and the division of emergency management	In Senate Federal and State Affairs	<b>03/09/2011 - Senate</b> Scheduled Hearing in Federal and State Affairs: Tuesday, 3/15/2011, 10:30 AM, Rm 144-S
<a href="#">SB 223</a> Senate Ways and Means Committee	Public facilities; accessibility standards, disabled persons	In House Federal and State Affairs	<b>01/19/2012 - House</b> Scheduled Hearing in Federal and State Affairs: Monday, 1/23/2012, 1:30 PM, Rm 346-S
<a href="#">SB 232</a> Senate Ways and Means Committee	Reduction to state income tax rates based on selected actual state general fund receipts computations, and sales tax rates and distribution	In Senate Assessment and Taxation	<b>03/10/2011 - Senate</b> Referred to Assessment and Taxation
<a href="#">SB 235</a> Senate Ways and Means Committee	University engineering initiative act	In Senate Ways and Means	<b>03/16/2011 - Senate</b> Referred to Ways and Means; Scheduled Hearing and Possible Action in Ways and Means: Friday, 3/18/2011, 10:30 AM, Rm 548-S
<a href="#">SB 268</a> Senate Commerce Committee	Enacting the Kansas Small and Disadvantaged Business Development Act	In Senate Commerce	<b>01/12/2012 - Senate</b> Referred to Commerce
<a href="#">SB 301</a> Senate Federal and State Affairs Committee	Board of Technical Professions; terms of members	In Senate Federal and State Affairs	<b>02/08/2012 - Senate</b> Scheduled Hearing in Federal and State Affairs: Tuesday, 2/14/2012, 10:30 AM, Rm 144-S
<a href="#">SB 310</a> Senate Natural Resources Committee	Establishing local enhanced management areas	In Senate Natural Resources	<b>02/08/2012 - Senate</b> Scheduled Action in Natural Resources: Thursday, 2/9/2012, 8:30 AM, Rm 159-S
<a href="#">SB 312</a> Senate Ways and Means	Sales and compensating use tax; rate of taxation and distribution of revenues	In Senate Assessment and	<b>01/23/2012 - Senate</b> Referred to Assessment and Taxation

Committee		Taxation	
<a href="#">SB 318</a> Senate Commerce Committee	Requiring employment of Kansas workers for certain state contracts and tax benefits	In Senate Commerce	<b>02/03/2012 - Senate</b> Scheduled Hearing in Commerce: Thursday, 2/9/2012, 8:30 AM, Rm 548-S
<a href="#">SB 329</a> Senate Transportation Committee	Historic properties; projects within environs; city opt out of state historic preservation officer review	In Senate Local Government	<b>02/03/2012 - Senate</b> Scheduled Hearing in Local Government: Tuesday, 2/7/2012, 9:30 AM, Rm 159-S
<a href="#">SB 342</a> Senate Transportation Committee	Establishing a safety corridor program	In Senate Transportation	<b>02/08/2012 - Senate</b> Scheduled Final Action in Transportation: Wednesday, 2/15/2012, 8:30 AM, Rm 152-S
<a href="#">SB 375</a> Senate Natural Resources Committee	Adding a new exemption for solid waste permit	In Senate Natural Resources	<b>02/08/2012 - Senate</b> Scheduled Hearing in Natural Resources: Thursday, 2/9/2012, 8:30 AM, Rm 159-S
<a href="#">SB 387</a> Senate Federal and State Affairs Committee	Qualifications of the state fire marshal	In Senate Federal and State Affairs	<b>02/08/2012 - Senate</b> Referred to Federal and State Affairs; Scheduled Hearing in Federal and State Affairs: Tuesday, 2/14/2012, 10:30 AM, Rm 144-S
<a href="#">SB 396</a> Senate Judiciary Committee	Lateral support of land and buildings; protections for party walls	In Senate Judiciary	<b>02/08/2012 - Senate</b> Referred to Judiciary; Scheduled Hearing in Judiciary: Thursday, 2/16/2012, 9:30 AM, Rm 548-S
<a href="#">SB 405</a> Ralph Ostmeyer, R-40th	Existing private wastewater systems	In Senate Natural Resources	<b>02/09/2012 - Senate</b> Referred to Natural Resources
<a href="#">SB 409</a> Tom Holland, D-3rd	Authorizing transfer of moneys to local ad valorem tax reduction fund	In Senate Assessment and Taxation	<b>02/09/2012 - Senate</b> Referred to Assessment and Taxation
<a href="#">SCR 1611</a> Vicki Schmidt, R-20th	Constitutional amendment; creating a contingency reserve fund in the state treasury; annual transfers; withdrawals only under certain circumstances	In Senate Ways and Means	<b>02/03/2012 - Senate</b> Scheduled Hearing in Ways and Means: Tuesday, 2/7/2012, 10:30 AM, Rm 548-S
<a href="#">SR 1804</a> Senate Transportation Committee	Requesting a long-term transportation funding plan	Adopted	<b>02/02/2012 - Senate</b> Final Action: Adopted; Yeas 34, Nays 5

<a href="#">SR 1805</a> Senate Transportation Committee	Roads and highways; livable streets	On General Orders in Senate	<b>02/07/2012 - Senate</b> Committee Report recommending resolution be adopted as amended by Transportation
<a href="#">HB 2026</a> House Federal and State Affairs Committee	Kansas immigration accountability act	In House Federal and State Affairs	<b>01/19/2011 - House</b> Referred to Federal and State Affairs
<a href="#">HB 2036</a> Bill Otto, R-9th	Interpretation of federal statutes; regulations and national codes	In House Judiciary	<b>01/26/2011 - House</b> Scheduled Hearing: Thursday, 2/3/2011, 3:30 PM, Rm 346-S
<a href="#">HB 2065</a> House Local Government Committee	Cities annexation; deannexation; changes	In House Local Government	<b>02/03/2011 - House</b> Scheduled Hearing: Thursday, 2/10/2011, 3:30 PM, Rm 144-S
<a href="#">HB 2072</a> House Judiciary Committee	Civil procedure, commercial property liens; state construction registry, notice of commencement and notice of furnishings	In House Judiciary	<b>02/03/2011 - House</b> Scheduled Hearing: Thursday, 2/10/2011, 3:30 PM, Rm 346-S
<a href="#">HB 2084</a> House Local Government Committee	Consolidation of cities and counties by dual majority vote	In House Local Government	<b>02/03/2011 - House</b> Scheduled Hearing: Thursday, 2/10/2011, 3:30 PM, Rm 144-S
<a href="#">HB 2088</a> House Commerce and Economic Development Committee	Municipalities; sprinkler systems, residential housing; changes	In Senate Local Government	<b>02/16/2011 - Senate</b> Scheduled Hearing: Tuesday, 2/22/2011, 9:30 AM, Rm 159-S
<a href="#">HB 2091</a> Lance Kinzer, R-14th	Decreasing rate of sales and compensating use tax	Stricken from Calendar	<b>01/26/2012 - House</b> Stricken from Calendar
<a href="#">HB 2096</a> House Vision 2020 Committee	Providing for a coordinated water data repository system; granting preservation easements; drinking water costs in water plan storage rates	In House Agriculture and Natural Resources	<b>01/20/2012 - House</b> Committee Report recommending bill be passed as amended by Vision 2020; bill now in Agriculture and Natural Resources
<a href="#">HB 2109</a> House Agriculture and Natural Resources Committee	Creating the Kansas dam rehabilitation program	In House Agriculture and Natural Resources	<b>02/23/2011 - House</b> Withdrawn from Appropriations; rereferred to Agriculture and Natural Resources
<a href="#">HB 2116</a> House Vision 2020 Committee	Establishing state property tax levy for state water infrastructure maintenance, construction, renovation and acquisition	In House Taxation	<b>01/28/2011 - House</b> Referred to Taxation

<a href="#">HB 2120</a> House Government Efficiency Committee	Kansas government effectiveness and efficiency commission act	In Senate Federal and State Affairs	<b>03/03/2011 - Senate</b> Referred to Federal and State Affairs; Scheduled Hearing in Federal and State Affairs: Thursday, 3/10/2011, 10:30 AM, Rm 144-S
<a href="#">HB 2127</a> House Federal and State Affairs Committee	Municipalities; demand coordination by federal government and state government; regulations, policies	In House Local Government	<b>02/09/2011 - House</b> Scheduled Hearing: Tuesday, 2/15/2011, 3:30 PM, Rm 144-S
<a href="#">HB 2140</a> Special Committee on Legislative Streamlining	Repealing certain expired committees, task forces and requests for reports to the legislators	In Senate Ways and Means	<b>02/22/2011 - Senate</b> Referred to Way and Means
<a href="#">S Sub for HB 2149</a> House Agriculture and Natural Resources Committee	University Engineering Initiative Act	In House Appropriations	<b>04/27/2011 - House</b> Scheduled Hearing (cont'd) and Possible Action in Appropriations: Thursday, 4/28/2011, 9:00 AM, Rm 346-S
<a href="#">HB 2156</a> Gene Suellentrop, R-105th	Five-year phase out of income tax on corporations	In House Taxation	<b>02/07/2011 - House</b> Referred to Taxation
<a href="#">HB 2160</a> House Taxation Committee	Establishing the simplified state tax structure committee	In House Taxation	<b>02/23/2011 - House</b> Scheduled Discussion and Possible action: Thursday, 3/3/2011, 3:30 PM, Rm 783 DSOB
<a href="#">HB 2165</a> House Taxation Committee	Elimination of certain sales tax exemptions, imposition of sales tax on certain services, provision of sales tax exemption for certain purchases of food, and reduction of sales tax and certain income tax rates	In House Taxation	<b>02/07/2011 - House</b> Referred to Taxation
<a href="#">HB 2170</a> House Transportation Committee	Rail service improvement program loans and grants	In House Transportation	<b>02/08/2011 - House</b> Referred to Transportation
<a href="#">HB 2175</a> House Transportation Committee	Abolishing the Highway Advisory Commission	In Conference Committee	<b>05/12/2011</b> Scheduled Meeting in Conference Committee: Thursday, 5/12/2011, 1st recess of 2nd chamber, Rm 159-S
<a href="#">HB 2183</a> House Agriculture and	An act concerning environmental protection; relating to the interstate	In House Agriculture and	<b>02/10/2011 - House</b> Scheduled Hearing: Tuesday, 2/15/2011,

Natural Resources Committee	environmental freedom compact	Natural Resources	9:00 AM, Rm 783 DSOB
<a href="#">HB 2198</a> House Appropriations Committee	School districts; capital improvements fund; limitation on state aid entitlement	In House Education Budget	<b>02/09/2011 - House</b> Referred to Education Budget
<a href="#">HB 2200</a> House Education Committee	Concerning school districts; relating to state aid for capital improvements and capital outlay	In Senate Education	<b>03/28/2011 - Senate</b> Withdrawn from Ways and Means; rereferred to Education
<a href="#">HB 2211</a> House Veterans, Military and Homeland Security Committee	Creating a preference for contracts for the performance of any job or service by a disabled veteran business	In House Commerce and Economic Development	<b>01/18/2012 - House</b> Scheduled Hearing in Commerce and Economic Development: Monday, 1/23/2012, 1:30 PM, Rm 785 DSOB
<a href="#">HB 2212</a> Steven R. Brunk, R-85th	Mill levy adjustments; resolutions, publication requirements	On General Orders in House	<b>02/06/2012 - House</b> Committee Report recommending bill be passed as amended by Taxation
<a href="#">HB 2225</a> House Transportation Committee	Rail service improvement loans and grants	In House Transportation	<b>02/09/2011 - House</b> Referred to Transportation
<a href="#">HB 2239</a> House Local Government Committee	Providing the district court with the authority to assess damage claims for vacating roads for counties less than 30,000	In House Judiciary	<b>02/10/2011 - House</b> Referred to Judiciary
<a href="#">HB 2256</a> House Commerce and Economic Development Committee	Contracts with small minority businesses	In House Commerce and Economic Development	<b>02/10/2011 - House</b> Referred to Commerce and Economic Development
<a href="#">HB 2272</a> House Agriculture and Natural Resources Committee	Exempting certain minor construction projects from state and federal water regulations	In House Agriculture and Natural Resources	<b>02/11/2011 - House</b> Referred to Agriculture and Natural Resources; Scheduled Hearing: Thursday, 2/17/2011, 9:00 AM, Rm 783 DSOB
<a href="#">HB 2294</a> House Local Government Committee	Annexation procedures; deannexation; board of county commissioners duties; election required, when; homestead exemption; appeal process	In Senate Local Government	<b>03/09/2011 - Senate</b> Scheduled Hearing in Local Government: Tuesday, 3/15/2011, 9:30 AM, Rm 159-S
<a href="#">HB 2358</a> House Appropriations	Decreasing sales tax rate and earned income tax credit and food sales tax	In House Taxation	<b>02/21/2011 - House</b> Referred to Taxation

Committee	refund amounts		
<a href="#">HB 2368</a> House Appropriations Committee	Concerning appropriations; deleting the 20% credit to the state general fund	Stricken from Calendar	<b>01/26/2012 - House</b> Stricken from Calendar
<a href="#">HB 2369</a> House Appropriations Committee	Implementation of state fire marshal orders by a board of education	In House Education	<b>03/07/2011 - House</b> Scheduled Hearing in Education: Thursday, 3/10/2011, 9:00 AM, Rm 784 DSOB
<a href="#">HB 2370</a> House Appropriations Committee	Abolishing the office of the state fire marshal and transferring the duties and functions thereof to the division of facilities management, the Kansas bureau of investigation and the division of emergency management	In House Transportation and Public Safety Budget	<b>03/07/2011 - House</b> Scheduled Hearing in Transportation and Public Safety Budget: Thursday, 3/10/2011, 3:30 PM, Rm 142-S
<a href="#">HB 2379</a> House Taxation Committee	Reallocation of assessments after exemption of property and issuance of bonds in community improvement districts	In House Taxation	<b>03/11/2011 - House</b> Referred to Taxation
<a href="#">HB 2381</a> House Taxation Committee	Reduction to state income tax rates based on selected actual state general fund receipts computations, and sales tax rates and distribution	On General Orders in House	<b>03/15/2011 - House</b> Committee Report recommending bill be passed by Taxation
<a href="#">HB 2429</a> Legislative Educational Planning Committee	Removal of expiration date for the State Educational Institution Project Delivery Construction Procurement Act	In House Education Budget	<b>01/18/2012 - House</b> Scheduled Hearing in Education Budget: Monday, 1/23/2012, 3:30 PM, Rm 159-S
<a href="#">HB 2442</a> House Social Services Budget Committee	Relating to employment of disabled individuals and competitive bids for state contracts	In House Appropriations	<b>02/07/2012 - House</b> Scheduled Action in Appropriations: Wednesday, 2/8/2012, 8:30 AM, Rm 346-S
<a href="#">HB 2450</a> House Commerce and Economic Development Committee	Enacting the Kansas Small and Disadvantaged Business Development Act	In House Commerce and Economic Development	<b>01/13/2012 - House</b> Commerce and Economic Development
<a href="#">Sub for HB 2455</a> House Energy and Utilities Committee	Motor fuel tax; long-term feasibility study	On General Orders in House	<b>02/07/2012 - House</b> Committee Report recommending substitute bill be passed by Energy and Utilities
<a href="#">HB 2463</a> House Commerce and	Requiring employment of Kansas workers for certain state contracts and tax	In House Commerce and	<b>01/18/2012 - House</b> Referred to Commerce and Economic



Economic Development Committee	benefits	Economic Development	Development
<a href="#">HB 2472</a> House Energy and Utilities Committee	Rural water districts; definitions	On Consent Calendar in House (3rd day)	<b>02/07/2012 - House</b> Committee Report recommending bill be passed and placed on Consent Calendar by Energy and Utilities
<a href="#">HB 2515</a> House Commerce and Economic Development Committee	Competitive Bid Protection Act	On General Orders in House Above the Line in House	<b>02/02/2012 - House</b> Committee Report recommending bill be passed as amended by Commerce and Economic Development
<a href="#">HB 2516</a> House Agriculture and Natural Resources Committee	Allowing a water bank charter to become permanent	In House Agriculture and Natural Resources	<b>02/08/2012 - House</b> Scheduled Action in Agriculture and Natural Resources: Thursday, 2/9/2012, 9:00 AM, Rm 783 DSOB
<a href="#">HB 2517</a> House Agriculture and Natural Resources Committee	Making the water transition assistance program permanent	In House Agriculture and Natural Resources	<b>02/08/2012 - House</b> Scheduled Action in Agriculture and Natural Resources: Thursday, 2/9/2012, 9:00 AM, Rm 783 DSOB
<a href="#">HB 2528</a> House Energy and Utilities Committee	Water; relating to stream bank stabilization	In House Energy and Utilities	<b>01/26/2012 - House</b> Referred to Energy and Utilities
<a href="#">HB 2556</a> House Transportation Committee	Establishing a safety corridor program	In House Transportation	<b>02/08/2012 - House</b> Scheduled Hearing in Transportation: Tuesday, 2/14/2012, 1:30 PM, Rm 783 DSOB
<a href="#">HB 2616</a> House Local Government Committee	Emergency conditions requiring reconstruction or repair of bridges	In House Transportation	<b>02/03/2012 - House</b> Referred to Transportation
<a href="#">HB 2622</a> House Local Government Committee	Historic properties; projects within environs; city opt out of state historic preservation officer review	In House Local Government	<b>02/03/2012 - House</b> Referred to Local Government
<a href="#">HB 2628</a> House Taxation Committee	Reducing sales tax rate to 5.3% commencing July 1, 2012	In House Taxation	<b>02/06/2012 - House</b> Referred to Taxation
<a href="#">HB 2639</a> House Local Government	Pertaining to commercial solid waste activity	In House Local Government	<b>02/08/2012 - House</b> Scheduled Hearing in Local Government:

Committee			Tuesday, 2/14/2012, 3:30 PM, Rm 144-S
<a href="#">HB 2643</a> House Energy and Utilities Committee	Allowing eligible water right holders to create reservoir improvement districts	In House Energy and Utilities	<b>02/08/2012 - House</b> Referred to Energy and Utilities
<a href="#">HB 2649</a> House Government Efficiency Committee	Repeal of certain water statutes	In House Government Efficiency	<b>02/08/2012 - House</b> Referred to Government Efficiency; Scheduled Hearing in Government Efficiency: Wednesday, 2/15/2012, 3:30 PM, Rm 546-S
<a href="#">HB 2657</a> Bill Otto, R-9th	Joint Committee on the Oversight of the State Fire Marshal's Office created	In House Transportation and Public Safety Budget	<b>02/08/2012 - House</b> Referred to Transportation and Public Safety Budget
<a href="#">HB 2663</a> House Energy and Utilities Committee	Creating the efficiency Kansas loan program	In House Energy and Utilities	<b>02/09/2012 - House</b> Referred to Energy and Utilities; Scheduled Hearing in Energy and Utilities: Tuesday, 2/14/2012, 9:00 AM, Rm 785 DSOB
<a href="#">HB 2663</a> House Energy and Utilities Committee	Creating the efficiency Kansas loan program	In House Energy and Utilities	<b>02/09/2012 - House</b> Referred to Energy and Utilities; Scheduled Hearing in Energy and Utilities: Tuesday, 2/14/2012, 9:00 AM, Rm 785 DSOB
<a href="#">HB 2667</a> House Taxation Committee	Comprehensive plan for reduction of sales tax rate and income tax rates, elimination of certain sales tax exemptions, imposition of sales tax on certain services and provision of sales tax exemption for certain purchases of food	In House Taxation	<b>02/09/2012 - House</b> Referred to Taxation
<a href="#">HB 2685</a> House Energy and Utilities Committee	Allowing eligible water right holders to create reservoir improvement districts	In House Energy and Utilities	<b>02/09/2012 - House</b> Referred to Energy and Utilities; Scheduled Hearing in Energy and Utilities: Friday, 2/10/2012, 9:00 AM, Rm 785 DSOB
<a href="#">HB 2687</a> House Government Efficiency Committee	State Building Advisory Commission, reports and recommendations on state capital improvement budget estimates	In House Government Efficiency	<b>02/09/2012 - House</b> Referred to Government Efficiency
<a href="#">HB 2692</a> House Vision 2020 Committee	Distribution of sales and use tax revenue; funding streams to the state water plan fund	In House Taxation	<b>02/09/2012 - House</b> Referred to Taxation

<a href="#">HB 2705</a> House Government Efficiency Committee	State building construction, monthly progress reports on capital improvement projects by secretary of administration	In House Government Efficiency	<b>02/10/2012 - House</b> Referred to Government Efficiency
<a href="#">HB 2708</a> House Appropriations Committee	Renewable energy resources	In House Energy and Utilities	<b>02/10/2012 - House</b> Referred to Energy and Utilities
<a href="#">HCR 5005</a> House Energy and Utilities Committee	Establishing targets for energy development, consumption and costs	In House Energy and Utilities	<b>01/21/2011 - House</b> Referred to Energy and Utilities; Scheduled Hearing: Thursday, 1/27/2011, 9:00 AM, Rm 785 DSOB
<a href="#">HCR 5013</a> House Federal and State Affairs Committee	Constitutional amendment to provide revenue, expenditure and taxation limitations on state government	In House Taxation	<b>02/11/2011 - House</b> Referred to Taxation