League of Women Voters Tracking on key New Mexico Legislation 2023- 01/26/23  
Bills the LWVNM Opposes are *italicized*  
 site: https://www.nmlegis.gov/Legislation/Legislation\_List – hit “go”  
For updated info on LWVNM action on legislation go to: https://www.lwvnm.org/Action

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| **Bill** | **Legislation Name/Description** | **Sponsor** | Date\* | **Status** |
|  | Top Priority Legislation – A |  |  |  |
|  | **Voting & Elections** |  |  |  |
| HJR1 | Independent Redistricting Commission CA – we are funded | Figueroa | 1/30 | HGEI |
|  | Native American Voting Rights Act – **in NMVRA** |  |  |  |
| SB180 | Elections Changes – fix bill | Duhigg |  | SRC |
| SB43 | Intimidation of Election Workers | Duhigg |  | SJC/SFC |
|  | Felon Restoration of Voting Rights – **in NMVRA** |  |  |  |
|  | IPRA requests to county clerks – **In SB180** |  |  |  |
| HB54 | Open Primaries no party change | Figueroa | 1/27 | HGEI |
| SB73 | Open Primaries no party change | O”Neill |  | SRC |
| SB101 | Permanent Request for Absentee Ballots | Pope |  | SRC |
|  | New Mexico Voting Rights Act (NMVRA) |  |  |  |
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|  | **Reproductive Justice - priority** |  |  |  |
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| HB7 | Reproductive & Gendering-Affirming Health Care | Serrato |  | HHHS |
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|  | **Budget &Taxes – priority (1)** |  |  |  |
| HB144 | Increase Certain Child Income Tax Credit | Chandler |  | HHHS |
| HB119 | Income Tax Brackets Changes | Chandler | 1/30 | HTR |
| HB120 | Limit the Capital Gains Tax Deduction | Chandler | 1/30 | HTR |
| SB189 | Increase the Corporate Income Tax – enact minimum tax | Wirth/Chandler |  | STBT |
| SB63 | Increase the Alcohol Tax – earmarked domestic violence | Tallman |  | STBT |
| HB123&124 | Increase the Tobacco products tax | Thomson |  | HHHS |
|  | *Oppose anti-pyramiding legislation unless offset* |  |  |  |
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| SB147 | Tax Changes – includes the Tax Expenditure Budget | Shendo |  | STBT |
| SB164 | Future Oil & Gas Lease Royalty Rates | Tallman |  | SCON |
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|  | **Legislative modernization & Ethics – Priority** |  |  |  |
| HJR2 | Length of Legislative Sessions CA | Figueroa |  | HGEI |
| HJR8 | Legislative Salaries CA | Rubio |  | HGEI |
| HB103 | Campaign Reporting Act Changes | McQueen | 1/27 | HGEI |
| SB42 | Campaign Reporting Act Changes | Wirth/Duhigg |  | SRC |
| SB91 | Conduct of former legislators | Lopez |  | SRC |
| SB 34 | Ban former legislators as lobbyists for 2 years | Pope | *1/27* | SRC |
| SB125 | Disclosure Act & Financial Disclosure | Tallman |  | SRC |
| SB153 | Publication of Supplemental Appropriations | Rodriguez |  | SRC |
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|  | **Secondary Priorities** |  |  |  |
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|  | **Health Care** |  |  |  |
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| HB27 | Breast Exam Health Coverage | Chandler | **1/27** | HJC |
| HB47 | Rural Health Care Project Revolving Fund | Matthews |  | HHHS |
| HB51 | Prescription Drug Affordability Act | Herndon |  | HHHC |
| HB53 | Delivery of Necessary Diabetic Resources | Thomson |  | HHHS |
| SB232 | Health Insurer Provider Info & Reimbursements | Pirtle | 1/27 | SHPAC |

(1) the tax bills will be heard individually, but usually rolled into one bill in Tax & Revenue Committee

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| **Bill** | **Legislation Name/Description** | **Sponsor** | Date\* | **Status** |
|  | Secondary Priorities continued |  |  |  |
|  | **Criminal Justice including gun safety** |  |  |  |
| HB9 | Unlawful Possession of a Firearm by a Minor | Herndon |  | HJC |
| HB50 | Possession of large capacity gun magazines | Roybal Caballero |  | HCPA |
| HB72 | Possession of Semiautomatic Firearm Converter | Roybal Caballero |  | HJC |
| HB100 | 14 Day Waiting Period on Gun Sales | Romero |  | HCPA |
| HB101 | Large Capacity Magazines and Assault Weapons | Romero |  | HCPA |
| SB116 | Minimum Age to 21 on Automatic/Semi-Automatic Firearms | Hamblen |  | SHPAC |
| *SB* | *Rollback on bail reform – opposed* | *Lopez/Dixon* |  |  |
| *HJR9* | *Denial of Bail – CA – opposed* | *Reeb Rehm* |  | *HGEI* |
|  | **Education** |  |  |  |
| HB82 | Student Loan Bill of Rights Act | Chandler |  | HEC |
| HB126 | Changing Graduation Requirements for some | A.G. Romero |  | HEC |
| HB130 | K-12 Plus Program | Garrett |  | HEC |
| SB4 | Healthy Universal School meals | Padilla | 1/30 | SEC |
| SJR1 | State Board of Education CA | Neville |  | SRC |
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|  | **Environment** |  |  |  |
| HB32 | Energy Storage System Income Tax Credit | Sariñana | 1/24 | HENR |
| HB45 | Natural Heritage Conservation Act Amendments | McQueen | 1/24 | HRDL |
| HB67 | Energy Facilities Bonds and Gross Receipts | Chandler | 1/24 | HENR |
| HB91 | Natural Resource Trustee Changes | Ferrary |  | HENR |
| HB95 | Renewable Energy Office in SLO | Lujan |  | HGEI |
| *HB96* | *Combined Cycle Natural Gas as Renewable - opposed* | *Townsend* | *1/24* | *HENR* |
| HB121 | Water Right Lease Effective Date | Chandler |  | HENR |
| SB1 | Regional Water System Resiliency Act | Wirth | 1/24 | SCON |
| SB8 | Geothermal Resource Development | Ortiz y Pino |  | SCON |
| SB22 | Electric Vehicle Income Tax Credit | Tallman | 1/24 | STBT |
| SB30 | State Purchase of Electric Vehicles | Soules |  | STBT |
| SB45 | Geothermal Ground-Coupled Heat Pump Credit | Soules |  | STBT |
| SB56 | Eliminating Cap on Distributed Energy | Soules |  | SCON |
| SB57 | Water Trust Fund | Wirth |  | SCON |
| SB59 | Study NM High Speed Railroad | Soules |  | STBT |
| SB60 | Photovoltaic Systems in New Public Schools | Soules |  | SEC |
| SB72 | Create Wildlife Corridors Fund | Stewart |  | SCON |
| SB74 | Energy Generation Facility Requirements | Soules |  | SCON |
| SB77 | New Home Build Renewable Requirements | Soules |  | SCON |
| SB78 | Center for Dryland Resilience | Soules |  | SEC |
| SB127 | High Speed Border to Border Railroad | Soules |  | STBT |
| SB161 | Restrict Certain Pesticides | Stewart |  | SCON |
|  | **Other Topics** |  |  |  |
| HB25 | Increase in minimum wage and indexing | Chandler | 1/24 | HLVM |
| HB134 | Menstrual products in high schools | Trujillo |  | HEC |
| SB83 | Telecom Act Cramming Definition | Tallman |  | STBT |
| SB155 | Use of Telecomm Fund for Broadband | Padillm |  | **SIRC** |

\* Date of Committee meeting or floor CA – Constitutional amendment – goes on the next general election ballot  
Concur: Amended in one chamber. Goes back to the other chamber for concurrence   
Confer: Conference Committee

**HOUSE KEY**: HCPA – Consumer & Public Affairs; HGEI – House Gov’t, Elections & Indian Affairs: HEC- House Education Committee; HTR – House Tax & Revenue; HAAW - Agriculture, Acequias, Water **Resources;**  HEENR – House Energy, Environment & Natural Resources; HCED **–** House Commerce & Economic Development; HAFC – House Appropriations & Finance; HHHS – House Health and Human Services; HRLC- House Rural Development, Land Grants & Cultural Affairs; HTPC; House Transportation, Public Works & Capital Improvements; HR – House Rules; HJC – House Judiciary; HLVM - House Labor & Veterans & Military Affairs**;** HCAL –House Calendar (for a vote); P-House – passed House; L- House-Lost in House; H-con - House Concurrence

**SENATE KEY:** SRC – Senate Rules Committee; SHPAC – Senate Health & Public Affairs; SJC – Senate Judiciary Committee; SCON – Senate Conservation; STBT – Senate Tax, Business & Transportation; SCAL – Senate Calendar (for vote); SEC – Senate Education Committee; SCC – Senate Committee on Committees; SIRC – Senate Indian, Rural and Cultural Affairs; SCAL – Senate Calendar for a vote; P-Senate – Passed Senate; L-Senate – Lost in Senate;   
  
**OTHER KEYS:** Gov – on Gov. desk; Law - signed by the Governor; P-veto – Pocket veto;   
Signed – Memorials do not require the Governor’s signature