League of Women Voters Tracking on key New Mexico Legislation 2025 – Updated 01/31/25
Bills the LWVNM Opposes are *italicized*
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| **Bill**  | **Legislation Name/Description**  | **Sponsor** | Date\* | **Status** |
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|  | **Voting & Elections & Ethics - Priority** |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| SJR | Independent Redistricting Commission CA  | Figueroa |  |  |
| HB121 | County Redistricting Act | Cates |  | HGEI |
| SJR1 | Salary Commission – CA  | Figueroa/Wirth |  | SRC |
| SB16 | Non-Majority Voters in Primary Elections  | Figueroa/Wirth |  | SRC |
| SB85 | Campaign Finance Fix bill  | Wirth |  | SJC |
| SB218 | Election Changes | Duhigg |  | SRC |
| SB90 | Limit Former Legislators from Lobbying for 2 years | Pope |  | SRC |
| HJR2 | Eliminate Pocket Vetoes  | McQueen |  | HJC |
|  | **Environment - Priority** |  |  |  |
| HB32 | Electric or Alt Fuel School Buses | Sariñana |  | HTPC |
| HB33 | Prohibit New Emissions in High Ozone Counties | Sariñana |  | HENR |
| HB34a | Oil Conservation Protect Health & Environment | Sariñana |  | HENR |
| HB35 | Children’s Health Protection Zones  | Sariñana | 2/4 | HENR |
| HB51 | Energy Storage Systems Income Tax Credit | Sariñana  |  | HTR |
| HB85 | Non-functional turf - | Cates |  | HGEI |
| HB128 | Creating a Local Solar Access Fund | Szczepanski | 2/4 | HENR |
| HB88 | Electric Vehicle Charging Station Zoning Act | Hochman-Vigil |  | HTPC |
| SB9 | Enhancing Pipeline Penalties | Soules |  | STBT |
| SB23 | Increase Oil & Gas Royalties - **Barbara** | Munoz | 2/4 | SCON |
| SB60 | High School Water Management Pilot Program | Padilla |  | SCON |
| SB99 | No Fuel Less Than Zero Carbon Intensity | Sedillo Lopez |  | SCON |
| SB29 | Water Project Fund Appropriation | Munoz | 2/4 | SCON |
| SB4 | Clean Horizons & Greenhouse Gas Emissions  | Stewart |  | SFC |
| SB5 | Game Commission Reform  | Campos |  | SFC |
| SB22a | Water Quality & Pollution  | Wirth |  | SJC |
| SB21 | Pollutant Discharge Elimination System Act | Wirth |  | SJC |
| SB37 | Strategic Water Reserve Fund | Stefanics |  | SCON |
| SB210 | Water Law Violation | Campos |  | SCON |
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|  | **Health Care - Priority** |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| HB186 | State Administered Health Coverage Plan | Szczepanski |  | HHHC |
| HB15 | Health Care Strategic Recruitment Plan | Anaya |  | HHHC |
| SB14 | Oversight of healthcare consolidation - **Dick** | Duhigg |  | SHPAC |
| SB1 | Behavioral Health Trust Fund **– Dick** | Munoz |  | SHPAC |
| SB2 | Public Health & Safety Initiatives - **Dick** | Shendo | 2/3 | SHPAC |
| SB3 | Behavioral Health Reform & Investment Act - **Dick** | Wirth | 2/3 | SHPAC |
| HB70 | Medicaid Waiver for Behavioral Health - **Dick** | T. Lujan |  | HHHC |
| HB79/SB104 | Audiology & Speech- Language Pathology Compact | Thomson |  | HJC |
| HB81 | Occupational Therapy Licensure Compact  | Thomson |  | HJC |
| HB82 | Physical Therapy Licensure Compact  | Thomson |  | HJC |
| HB118 | Professional Recruitment & Retention Act **Akkana** | Cates |  | HGEI |
| SB46 | Interstate Medical Licensure Act **Akkana** | L. Trujillo |  | SHPAC |
| SB80 | Medicare Supplement Open Enrollment - **Dick** | Stefanics |  | SHPAC |
| SB12 | Out of State Telehealth Providers **Akkana** | Sedillo Lopez |  | SHPAC |
| SB88 | Medicaid Trust Fund & State Supported Fund - **Dick** | Munoz/Sharer |  | SHPAC |
| SB105 | Social Work Licensure Compact – **Akkana** | L. Trujillo |  | SHPAC |
| SB106 | Psychology Interjurisdictional Compact - **Akkana** | L. Trujillo |  | SHPAC |

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|  | Housing - Priority |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| SB144 | Affordable Housing Act Funding | Gonzales |  | SHPAC |
| SB145 | Housing Trust Fund & Affordable Housing | Gonzales |  | SHPAC |
| SB205 | State Office of Housing Planning & Protection | Padilla |  | SHPAC |
| HB114 | Ban Discriminatory Restrictive Covenants - Janie | Chavez | 2/5 | HGEI |
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|  | Education |  |  |  |
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| HB63 | Public School Funding Formula Changes - Meredith | G.A. Romero | 2/3 | HEC |
| HB69 | Loan Forgiveness Multiplier Act - Meredith | Garrett | 1/31 | HGEI |
| SB64 | School Career Development Success Project | Brandt/Gurrola | 2/3 | SEC |
| SJR3 | State Board of Education CA | Soules |  | SRC |
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|  | Budgets & Taxes |  |  |  |
|  | Note; all tax changes and credits will end up in the Omnibus Tax bill with obe number |  |  |  |
|  | Limit Income Tax Capital Gains Deduction  |  |  |  |
|  | Increase the PIT on High Earners |  |  |  |
|  | Alcohol tax |  |  |  |
| SB20 | Tobacco tax | Hickey |  | STBT |
|  | *Property Tax exemptions – oppose any new ones* |  |  |  |
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|  | **Immigration** |  |  |  |
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| *SB87* | *Ban local communities from not supporting ICE - oppose* | *Brantley* |  | *SHPAC* |
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|  | **Other Topics** |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| HB86 | Human Trafficking Changes - **Dick** | Thomson | 2/4 | HCPA |
| HB11a | Paid Family & Medical Leave  | Chandler |  | HCED |
| HB31 | 4th Degree Felony for Shooting Threat – **Review** | Garrett |  | HCPA |
| HB38  | Possession of Weapon Conversion Device - **Meredith** | Cates | 1/30 | HCPA |
| HB12 | ERPO Changes - **Dick** | Garrett | 2/5 | HJC |
| HB27 | Librarian Protection Act - **Dick** | Cates |  | HEC |
| *HB83* | *Permitless Carry of Firearms - Oppose* | *Block* | *2/4* | *HCPA* |

\* 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 - if one body does not concur with changes made by the other chamber

**HOUSE KEY**: HCPA – Consumer & Public Affairs; HGEI – House Gov’t, Elections & Indian Affairs: HEC- House Education Committee; HTR – House Tax & Revenue; HAAW - Agriculture, Acequias, WaterResources; 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, only legislative leaders

HB128 Creating the Local Solar Access Fund               Szczepanski