

## NEVADA ASSOCIATION OF COUNTIES (NACO)

Board of Directors' Meeting

June 30, 2023, 9:30am

**NACO Conference Room**

**304 South Minnesota Street**

**Carson City, NV 89702**

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### **AGENDA**

Some NACO Board members may attend via remote technology from other locations. Items on the agenda may be taken out of order. The NACO Board may combine two or more agenda items for consideration. The NACO Board may remove an item from the agenda or delay discussion relating to an item on the agenda at any time.

### **Call to Order, Roll Call and Pledge of Allegiance**

1. Public Comment. Please Limit Comments to 3 Minutes.
2. Approval of Agenda. **For Possible Action.**
3. NACO President's Report.
4. NACO Executive Director's Report.
5. Approval of Minutes of the April 28, 2023, NACO Board of Directors Meeting. **For Possible Action**
6. Discussion and Recap of the 2023 NACo County Leadership Institute in Washington, D.C., Commissioner Alexis Hill, Washoe County.
7. Possible Approval of the Reappointment of Commissioners William McCurdy, Delmo Andreozzi, Laurie Carson and Supervisor Stacey Giomi to the Board of Trustees of the Fund for Hospital Care to Indigent Persons (IAF). **For Possible Action**
8. Update on the 2023 NACO Annual Conference, Hosted by Elko County.
9. Summary of Outcomes from the 2023 Legislative Session. **For Possible Action**
10. Update and Presentation from the Department of Indigent Defense Services (DIDS) Regarding County Maximum Contribution, State Reimbursements, and State Fiscal Relief for

Implementing Pre-Trial Release Hearings. Marci Ryba, Executive Director of DIDS and Mary Walker, Walker and Associates.

11. Possible Approval to Authorize NACO's Executive Director to Provide Performance Bonus for Government Affairs Staff as a Result of Efforts During the 82<sup>nd</sup> Session of the Nevada Legislature. **For Possible Action**
12. Update from NACO Public Health Coordinator.
13. **Update and Possible Action.** Regarding Public Lands and Natural Resources Issues Affecting Counties Including:
  - a. Updates from the NACO Public Lands and Natural Resources Subcommittee.
  - b. Discussion Regarding PILT Funding, and Presentation by AEON on Valuation of Public Lands. **For Possible Action**
14. Updates from Members of the National Association of Counties Board of Directors and Western Interstate Region (W.I.R.) Board of Directors.
15. NACO Board Member Updates.
16. Public Comment. Please Limit Comments to 3 Minutes.

Adjournment.

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# 2023 NACo Annual Conference & Exposition

Schedule as of: 06/26/2023

## Thursday, July 20, 2023

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*Jul. 20*  
7:30 am to 5:00 pm

### Conference Registration Open

*Jul. 20*  
8:00 am to 4:30 pm

### FEMA Just-in-Time Recovery Management Training

As the frequency, severity and cost of natural disasters continues to increase, county officials must be prepared to respond to and recover from these events. To assist in this effort, NACo has partnered with FEMA to provide members with a day-long training. Known as the [“Just In Time” program](#), this in-person training will highlight all the federal resources available to counties following a disaster, information on how to apply for these funding opportunities and an overview of the documentation procedures.

*Jul. 20*  
9:00 am to 10:00 am

### CIO Technology Speed Sharing

Level 4 | Ballroom F

*Jul. 20*  
10:30 am to 5:15 pm

### NACo's 2023 CIO Forum

Level 4 | Ballroom F

This year's annual CIO Forum is focused on moving beyond being successful and making an impact by building resiliency through neurodiversity and skills training for IT, as well as developing short term and long-term strategies that bring innovation and transformation and keeps pace with the changing landscape of technology. Technology areas that will be covered include workforce, cybersecurity collaboration, change management, criminal justice and innovative opportunities.

*Jul. 20*  
4:00 pm to 5:00 pm

### NACo Ambassadors Meeting

*Jul. 20*  
5:30 pm to 7:00 pm

### CIO Forum Reception

Level 4 | Ballroom G

# Friday, July 21, 2023

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*Jul. 21*  
**7:00 am to 6:30 pm**

## **Conference Registration Open**

*Jul. 21*  
**8:00 am to 9:00 am**

## **Autonomous Innovation (AI) Focus Group**

Level 3 | Room 4

*Jul. 21*  
**8:00 am to 9:30 am**

## **First-Time Attendee Orientation**

Level 1 | Ballroom A

All first-time attendees are welcome to join us to learn about NACo and how to make the most of the Annual Conference. Due to limited space, this session is open to county officials and staff attending their first NACo conference. This event is invite only.

*Jul. 21*  
**8:30 am to 9:15 am**

## **Policy Coordinating Committee Meeting #1**

*Jul. 21*  
**9:00 am to 5:00 pm**

## **Community Economic and Workforce Development Policy Steering Committee (Offsite Meeting)**

Community, Economic and Workforce Development Policy Steering Committee members will travel to the Austin Community College Highland Campus to discuss critical issues and policy priorities on all matters pertaining to economic and workforce development, public works, and increasing and preserving affordable housing. Members will also consider and vote on policy resolutions that will be used to guide NACo's advocacy efforts.

*Jul. 21*  
**9:30 am to 4:30 pm**

## **Agriculture and Rural Affairs Policy Steering Committee Meeting**

Join NACo's Agriculture & Rural Affairs Policy Steering Committee to learn about the diverse challenges facing rural America today, as well as key insights and innovations that may provide county leaders with tools to help their rural communities thrive. Committee members will hear from leading thinkers and decisionmakers from across the agriculture sector and rural development space, including nationally renowned policy experts, stakeholders, and federal partners. The committee will also participate in discussions on the 2023 Farm Bill and its impact on counties, and consider resolutions to shape NACo's advocacy on agriculture and rural policy.

*Jul. 21*  
**9:30 am to 4:30 pm**

## **Environment, Energy and Land Use Policy Steering Committee Meeting**

Federal partners and national policy experts will join the Environment, Energy and Land Use Policy Steering Committee to discuss committee policy priorities including the implementation of the Inflation Reduction Act and the Bipartisan Infrastructure Law; recycling and waste management; the status of the Waters of the U.S. regulation; addressing per- and polyfluoroalkyl substances; and building resilient water infrastructure.

*Jul. 21*  
**9:30 am to 4:30 pm**

### **Finance, Pensions and Intergovernmental Affairs Policy Steering Committee**

NACo's Finance, Pensions and Intergovernmental Affairs Policy Steering Committee meeting will discuss a wide range of matters of importance to counties related to county revenues and fiscal management, federal tax reform, pension and retirement benefits, municipal bonds, the intergovernmental partnership and the balance of federalism, elections, and more. The committee will also hold its business meeting to consider policy resolutions related to relevant federal actions and updates to our platform.

*Jul. 21*  
**9:30 am to 4:30 pm**

### **Health Policy Steering Committee**

NACo's Health Policy Steering Committee will be joined by national experts and thought leaders to discuss timely health policy issues relevant to counties, such as social determinant of health data integration, overdose prevention strategies for counties, and improving healthcare access through federally qualified health centers. The committee will consider also and vote on policy resolutions that will be used to guide NACo's advocacy efforts before Congress and the administration during the 2023 – 2024 term.

*Jul. 21*  
**9:30 am to 4:30 pm**

### **Human Services and Education Policy Steering Committee Meeting**

National experts, county leaders and policymakers will join the Human Services and Education Policy Steering Committee to discuss policy priorities and best practices for strengthening the child care workforce, strengthening food systems, and preventing child abuse and neglect via concrete economic supports for families. The committee will also reflect on lessons learned from county investments in programs for children and families using ARPA Recovery Funds.

*Jul. 21*  
**9:30 am to 4:30 pm**

### **Justice and Public Safety Policy Steering Committee**

Justice and Public Safety Policy Steering Committee members will be joined by Congressional and federal agency officials to discuss critical issues, including addressing mental health in the criminal justice system, disaster mitigation and response, and the outlook for the committee's policy priorities in the 118th Congress.

*Jul. 21*  
**9:30 am to 4:30 pm**

### **Public Lands Policy Steering Committee**

Join the Public Lands Policy Steering Committee for discussions with federal land

management agencies on implementation of the Bipartisan Infrastructure Law, species conservation efforts, wildfire mitigation, energy and mineral development and improving recreation-based economies.

*Jul. 21*  
**9:30 am to 4:30 pm**

### **Telecommunications and Technology Policy Steering Committee**

The Telecommunications & Technology Policy Steering Committee will discuss topics including broadband infrastructure funding, internet affordability and adoption measures at the local level, rural cellular initiatives, next-generation 911 funding support, cybersecurity initiatives at the local level, and more. The committee will also hold its business meeting to review and vote on policy resolutions proposed before the committee for consideration.

*Jul. 21*  
**9:30 am to 4:30 pm**

### **Transportation Policy Steering Committee**

Join the Transportation Policy Steering Committee to learn more about how counties are working together with our intergovernmental partners, as well as one another, to rebuild and modernize our nation's infrastructure. During this meeting, we will hear from subject matter experts who will discuss various aspects of the significant role counties play in transportation and infrastructure. The committee will also vote on policy resolutions during this meeting.

*Jul. 21*  
**3:00 pm to 4:30 pm**

### **The Workforce Network Advisory Council (WNA Council) Meeting**

Level 3 | Room 4

*Jul. 21*  
**4:30 pm to 6:00 pm**

### **Minnesota Delegation Caucus**

Level 3 | Room 9C

*Jul. 21*  
**4:30 pm to 6:00 pm**

### **NACA Board Meeting**

Level 1 | Room 3

*Jul. 21*  
**4:30 pm to 6:30 pm**

### **Exhibit Hall Opening and Welcome Reception**

*Jul. 21*  
**5:00 pm to 5:45 pm**

### **Policy Coordinating Committee Meeting #2**

*Jul. 21*  
**5:00 pm to 6:00 pm**

### **County Talks, Presented by NACo**

*Jul. 21*

### **NACHFa Meeting**

5:00 pm to 6:00 pm

Level 3 | Room 10C

*Jul. 21*

**New Mexico Delegation Reception**

5:00 pm to 6:30 pm

Fairmont Austin Hotel

*Jul. 21*

5:00 pm to 7:00 pm

**Multi-State Delegation Reception – Indiana, Michigan, New York, Virginia & Wisconsin**

Austin Marriott Downtown

*Jul. 21*

5:30 pm to 6:30 pm

**NextGen/CLI/HPLA Combined Reception**

Level 3 | Room 9A

*Jul. 21*

5:30 pm to 6:30 pm

**North Carolina Caucus**

Level 4 | Room 17

*Jul. 21*

5:30 pm to 7:30 pm

**Police Jury Association of Louisiana Reception**

Hilton Austin

*Jul. 21*

6:00 pm to 9:00 pm

**ISACo/UCCI Dinner**

Flemening's Prime Steakhouse and Wine Bar

*Jul. 21*

6:30 pm to 7:30 pm

**North Carolina Reception**

Level 4 | Room 14

*Jul. 21*

6:30 pm to 9:30 pm

**County IT/Cybersecurity Executive Meetup hosted by Celerium and NACo**

*Jul. 21*

6:45 pm to 8:45 pm

**Digital Counties Survey Awards Dinner 2023**

Austin Marriott Downtown

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## **Saturday, July 22, 2023**

*Jul. 22*

6:30 am to 8:00 am

**NACo E-Bike Ride, Sponsored by BikeTexas**

*Jul. 22*  
**7:30 am to 5:00 pm**

## **Conference Registration Open**

*Jul. 22*  
**8:00 am to 9:30 am**

## **County Executive Roundtable Breakfast**

*Jul. 22*  
**8:00 am to 9:45 am**

## **NACo GIS Subcommittee Meeting**

The Geographic Information Systems (GIS) Subcommittee of the Information Technology Standing Committee focuses on GIS education, national trends and proposed legislation that might affect GIS. Members are county elected officials, surveyors and planners, GIS directors and other county GIS leadership. The subcommittee will hear from national organizations and partners on relevant topics on current and future landscape of GIS policies and practices including uncrewed vehicles.

*Jul. 22*  
**8:00 am to 10:00 am**

## **Gulf States Counties and Parishes Caucus Meeting**

Hear from policy experts on pressing federal issues impacting Gulf Coast counties and parishes. Caucus members will also discuss federal legislative priorities and strategize for future GSCPC events and initiatives. Caucus membership is open to all NACo county and parish government officials from Texas, Mississippi, Louisiana, Alabama and Florida.

*Jul. 22*  
**8:00 am to 4:00 pm**

## **CBP Global Entry Interviews**

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- Once your application has been reviewed, you will receive a message in your account notifying you of the results. If you are “conditionally approved” for Global Entry and are invited to schedule an interview,
- Log into your TTP account and select “Schedule Interview”:
  - From the Schedule Appointment page, scroll to the bottom of the page and select “Do you have an access code?”.
  - Enter the “Access Code” **76ZBA5485** to schedule an interview appointment for the private event.
  - Enrollment location **NACo 2023** will display, and you can select the date and time for your interview.

*Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, CBP is experiencing a significant backlog of applications. To complete your interview, it is recommended you submit your application as soon as possible.*

**Interviews will be conducted at  
the Austin Convention Center,  
500 Cesar Chavez St, Austin, TX  
78701**

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## **About Global Entry**

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Global Entry is available for citizens, and lawful permanent residents of the U.S., as well as citizens of Argentina, Brazil, Colombia, Germany, South Korea, the Netherlands, Mexico, Panama, Singapore, India, Taiwan, and the United Kingdom. Canadian citizens and residents can receive Global Entry benefits through membership in the NEXUS program. To find out if additional requirements must be met, please visit [www.GlobalEntry.gov](http://www.GlobalEntry.gov), select the “International Arrangement” link on the left and then the country of citizenship.

*Jul. 22*  
**8:30 am to 9:30 am**

### **Military Communities Network Breakfast**

Room 9BC Level 3

County leaders who serve in or near jurisdictions with military installations are invited to join this breakfast meeting. Meet with officials from the U.S. Department of Defense and learn about opportunities to partner with local military installations for improved community outcomes.

*Jul. 22*  
**8:30 am to 9:45 am**

### **Curbing the Crisis: County Recommendations to Advance Housing Affordability**

Navigate the complex landscape of county authority and housing affordability. Hear from NACo Housing Task Force members on specific policy recommendations and best practices that can be tailored and implemented in your community.

*Jul. 22*  
**8:30 am to 9:45 am**

### **Nationwide Workshop: Social Security, Efficient Retirement Plan Distributions and Lifetime Income**

Level 3 | Room 8

*Jul. 22*  
**8:30 am to 9:45 am**

### **Reskilling for Recovery: Summit on Workforce Development**

Level 1 | Ballroom A

County governments are critical to the nation's workforce, employing more than 1 in every 50 American workers. Post-pandemic, counties have been increasing workforce capacity to address residents' needs and lay the groundwork for economic recovery. Join this workforce development summit to hear innovative solutions for making investments to improve the county government workforce. All county administrators, human resource and benefit professionals are encouraged to attend this workshop and become a part of NACo's new Workforce Network.

*Jul. 22*  
**8:30 am to 10:00 am**

### **Mental Health Commission Meeting**

NACo's Commission on Mental Health and Wellbeing will meet to conduct business, including recommendations for policy and programmatic best practices.

*Jul. 22*  
**8:30 am to 10:00 am**

### **Resilient Counties Advisory Board Breakfast: Planning for Disaster Housing**

Level 1 | Ballroom G

Through the Resilient Counties Advisory Board (RCAB), NACo works to strengthen county resiliency by building leadership capacity to identify and manage risk and allow counties to become more flexible and responsive to extreme weather events. Hagerty Consulting will provide expert testimony on affordable housing challenges and alternative housing studies and solutions. Counties will gain insights into pre-disaster planning that aims to facilitate affordable housing solutions and hear about emerging housing technologies and strategies to bridge the gap between immediate post-disaster and longer-term housing needs.

*Jul. 22*  
**9:00 am to 1:00 pm**

### **NACE Executive Committee Meeting**

Level 3 | Room 10

*Jul. 22*  
**9:00 am to 3:00 pm**

### **Exhibit Hall Open**

*Jul. 22*  
**10:00 am to 11:00 am**

### **National Association of Civil County Attorneys meeting**

Level 4 | Room 18A

*Jul. 22*  
**10:00 am to 12:00 pm**

### **Large Urban County Caucus (LUCC) Business Meeting**

NACo's Large Urban County Caucus meeting will feature conversations with national and local leaders on topics of importance to urban counties, homelessness and housing, income equality and economic development.

*Jul. 22*  
**10:00 am to 12:00 pm**

### **NACLGBTGLA Caucus Meeting**

Level 4 | Room 19A

*Jul. 22*  
**10:00 am to 12:00 pm**

### **NACo IT Standing Committee**

The Information Technology Standing Committee, which consists of elected officials and county IT leaders, will focus on national trends and policies that could impact county technologies. Topics will cover cyber security resiliency, technology best practices, cloud vendor checklists. An overview of NACo pilots will be shared with members as well.

*Jul. 22*  
**10:00 am to 12:00 pm**

### **National Association of County Human Services Administrators**

Level 3 | Room 5

*Jul. 22*  
**10:00 am to 12:00 pm**

### **Rural Action Caucus (RAC) Business Meeting**

NACo's Rural Action Caucus will discuss issues important to rural America and to hear from guest speakers who are helping to shape policies important to rural communities.

*Jul. 22*  
**12:00 pm to 1:00 pm**

### **What is NACo EDGE?**

Level 3 | Room 8

How to help your county generate revenue and streamline processes while enhancing your workforce. Find out about how to give your county the NACo

EDGE.

*Jul. 22*  
**12:00 pm to 1:15 pm**

### **CORE Justice Network + SJC Site Luncheon**

This invite-only luncheon will host leaders from Safety + Justice Challenge counties & NACo's County Officials advancing Racial Equity (CORE) in Justice network members. Participants will have the opportunity to hear updates on MacArthur's Safety + Justice Challenge with a focus on initiatives to advance racial equity throughout the criminal legal system and hear about the role and voice of lived experience in this work. County officials will have the opportunity to share their current challenges and goals to advance racial equity.

*Jul. 22*  
**12:00 pm to 1:15 pm**

### **Hold for State Association and Affiliate Lunches**

*Jul. 22*  
**12:00 pm to 1:15 pm**

### **Membership Standing Committee Meeting**

The Membership Standing Committee advises and supports NACo's membership recruitment and retention efforts while championing county engagement in NACo.

*Jul. 22*  
**12:00 pm to 1:15 pm**

### **National Association of Hispanic County Officials (NAHCO) Luncheon**

Marriott Courtyard & Residence Inn Austin Downtown

*Jul. 22*  
**12:00 pm to 1:15 pm**

### **National Council of County Association Executives (NCCAE) Business Meeting & Luncheon**

*Jul. 22*  
**12:00 pm to 1:15 pm**

### **NOBCO / NABCO Annual Meeting**

Level 4 | Ballroom F

*Jul. 22*  
**12:00 pm to 1:15 pm**

### **Utah Caucus**

Level 4 | Room 15

*Jul. 22*  
**12:00 pm to 1:30 pm**

### **Colorado Caucus**

Level 3 | Room 6A

*Jul. 22*  
**12:00 pm to 1:30 pm**

### **NACIO Awards & Membership Meeting**

Level 3 | Room 7

Jul. 22  
12:00 pm to 1:30 pm

### **NDCO Annual Luncheon**

Level 4 | Ballroom G

Jul. 22  
12:00 pm to 3:00 pm

### **Healthy Counties Luncheon & Forum**

Level 1 | Ballroom A

Successful efforts to address health inequities require cross-systems collaboration. Learn from national experts and county leaders about opportunities (e.g., funding, partnership models) for multi-sector stakeholders to address the most pressing public health challenges, such as maternal health, mental health and others.

Jul. 22  
1:00 pm to 3:00 pm

### **Veterans and Military Services Committee Meeting**

The Veterans and Military Services Committee will hear from county officials, advocates, federal experts and those with lived experience on the challenges and opportunities facing women in the veteran and military community and children and youth in military families. Committee members will also discuss federal policy priorities and the relaunch of Operation Green Light for Veterans as avenues for better serving our veterans, service members and their families. Content warning: this meeting will include discussion of military sexual trauma (MST).

Jul. 22  
1:30 pm to 3:00 pm

### **Arts as a Catalyst for Change: Hosted by the NACo Arts & Culture Commission**

County leaders work with arts and culture partners to advance policy priorities. Learn how to support the economic prosperity of residents and address pressing community needs through creative expression and engagement.

Jul. 22  
1:30 pm to 3:00 pm

### **DCR Advisory Committee Meeting**

Jul. 22  
1:30 pm to 3:00 pm

### **Economic Development on the Border: Hosted by the International Economic Development Task Force**

In today's global economy, local economic development often does not stop at the county, state or even national lines. Rather, international trade and business partnerships can help drive local economies forward. In this session, learn from county peers located on or near our northern and southern borders about the value of North American trade and managing economic relationships with our Canadian and Mexican counterparts. *Hosted by the International Economic Development Task Force, this session is open to all attendees.*

Jul. 22

### **Immigration Reform Task Force Meeting**

**1:30 pm to 3:00 pm**

The Immigration Reform Task Force (IRTF) will meet to discuss the latest developments on immigration reform, the impact of federal immigration policy on local governments and communities, and hear from policy experts.

*Jul. 22*

**1:30 pm to 3:00 pm**

### **NACo Programs and Services Committee Meeting**

The NACo Programs and Services Standing Committee will receive updates on NACo's programs and services and generate recommendations for the NACo officers and the board on future programming. This meeting is open to all conference attendees.

*Jul. 22*

**1:30 pm to 3:00 pm**

### **National Association of County Intergovernmental Relations Officials (NACIRO) Annual Business Meeting**

Level 4 | Room 18B

*Jul. 22*

**1:30 pm to 3:00 pm**

### **Western Interstate Region (WIR) Board of Directors Meeting**

The Western Interstate Region (WIR) is dedicated to the promotion of Western interests within NACo, including public land issues (use and conservation), community stability and economic development, and the promotion of the traditional western way of life. WIR Board Members will discuss county involvement in energy production, balancing resource development needs and public access to federal lands and opportunities to grow rural Western economies.

*Jul. 22*

**1:45 pm to 3:00 pm**

### **NACo Board of Directors Forum**

*Jul. 22*

**3:15 pm to 4:30 pm**

### **General Session #1**

*Jul. 22*

**4:30 pm to 5:00 pm**

### **NACo 2nd Vice President Candidates Forum**

*Jul. 22*

**5:00 pm to 6:00 pm**

### **Alabama Delegates Caucus**

Level 3 | Room 6A

*Jul. 22*

**5:00 pm to 6:00 pm**

### **Kansas Association of Counties Caucus**

Level 4 | Room 15

*Jul. 22*

**5:00 pm to 6:00 pm**

### **Pennsylvania Counties Caucus**

Level 3 | Room 10C

- Jul. 22*  
**5:00 pm to 6:00 pm**  
**Women of NACo (WON) Business Meeting & Workshop**  
Level 3 | Room 9BC
- Jul. 22*  
**5:00 pm to 6:30 pm**  
**Georgia Reception**  
Level 3 | Room 9A
- Jul. 22*  
**5:00 pm to 6:30 pm**  
**NACo Arts & Culture Commission Reception**  
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**Idaho Association of Counties Reception**  
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**5:30 pm to 7:30 pm**  
**Healthy Counties Advisory Board Reception**
- Jul. 22*  
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**Reception for Graduates of NACo's Leadership Programs**
- Jul. 22*  
**5:30 pm to 7:30 pm**  
**Workforce Development and Economic Mobility Reception**  
  
All are welcome to join this workforce development and economic mobility focused reception. Special thank you to our partners at Walmart. We also acknowledge counties in the Economic Mobility Leadership Network for their hard work and contributions.
- Jul. 22*  
**6:00 pm to 7:00 pm**  
**National Conference of Republican County Officials (NCRCO) Business Meeting**  
Level 4 | Room 12
- Jul. 22*  
**6:00 pm to 7:00 pm**  
**Women of NACo (WON) Reception**  
Level 3 | Room 10B
- Jul. 22*  
**6:00 pm to 8:00 pm**  
**Texas Reception and Caucus**  
Texas Association of Counties
- Jul. 22*  
**6:30 pm to 8:30 pm**  
**NACo Board of Directors Reception**

# Sunday, July 23, 2023

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*Jul. 23*  
7:30 am to 8:15 am

## Non-Denominational Worship Service

*Jul. 23*  
8:00 am to 1:00 pm

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- Enter the "Access Code" 76ZBA5485 to schedule an interview appointment for the private event.
- Enrollment location NACo 2023 will display, and you can select the date and time for your interview.

*Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, CBP is experiencing a significant backlog of applications. To complete your interview, it is recommended you submit your application as soon as possible.*

## **Interviews will be conducted at the Austin Convention Center, 500 Cesar Chavez St, Austin, TX 78701**

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**Saturday, July 22 – 8am- 4**

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*Jul. 23*  
**8:00 am to 5:00 pm**

### **Conference Registration Open**

*Jul. 23*  
**8:45 am to 10:00 am**

### **Generating Clean Energy in Your County: A Place-Based Approach**

Unprecedented federal resources from both the Bipartisan Infrastructure Law and the Inflation Reduction Act are incentivizing the deployment of clean energy technologies, including solar and wind energy. This workshop will focus on how counties can prepare for and evaluate the options, costs and potential benefits of generating clean energy. You will hear from county leaders on place-based initiatives that enable the planning and installation of clean energy developments. This panel will also explore the resources available to counties, including the SolSmart program, which provides no-cost technical assistance to

reduce non-hardware costs for residents, businesses, nonprofits and government facilities to meet electricity needs through solar energy.

*Jul. 23*  
**8:45 am to 10:00 am**

## **Implementing New ARPA Guidance: Understanding Eligible Uses and Reporting Requirements**

Championed by U.S. Sens. John Cornyn (R-Texas) and Alex Padilla (D-Calif.), the bipartisan State, Local, Tribal and Territorial Fiscal Recovery, Infrastructure and Disaster Relief Flexibility Act grants additional latitude to county governments in investing resources from the American Rescue Plan's (ARPA) Coronavirus State and Local Fiscal Recovery Fund, which allocated \$65.1 billion directly to every county, parish and borough. The new flexibility includes allowable investments in infrastructure, community development, and disaster response. Participants will hear an overview of the U.S. Treasury Department's new Interim Final Rule that outlines the updated eligible uses under the Cornyn/Padilla amendment, the coinciding reporting requirements, and how counties are implementing this new rule ahead of the December 31, 2024 deadline.

*Jul. 23*  
**8:45 am to 10:00 am**

## **Improving Economic Stability for Young Children Through Two-Generation Strategies**

Learn from county officials who have successfully implemented two-generation approaches to improve economic stability and well-being for young children. The session will explore how working with children and the adults in their lives can support economic mobility.

*Jul. 23*  
**8:45 am to 10:00 am**

## **Leaving a Lasting Legacy through the Power of a Strong Leadership Model**

County leaders have the opportunity to shape our communities for years to come. But how can you ensure your impact lasts beyond your time in office? This workshop, powered by NACo's High Performing Leadership Academy, will supply you with tools to create a legacy by harnessing a leadership motto. More than just a catchy phrase, a leadership motto is a guiding principle that informs your every action. In this workshop, learn how to identify and develop your own powerful leadership motto and strategies for integrating your motto into your leadership style and decision-making.

*Jul. 23*  
**8:45 am to 10:00 am**

## **Reducing Recidivism and Improving Outcomes after Incarceration**

Counties nationwide operate 90 percent of all local jails and provide services to people leaving jails and on community supervision. People leaving jails often face a variety of challenges – from housing and employment to behavioral health treatment and recovery services. Additionally, the Medicaid Inmate Exclusion Policy (MIEP) results in higher rates of recidivism, increased health care costs and poorer health outcomes. During this session, attendees will hear from national experts and county leaders on the latest trends in re-entry and community supervision.

*Jul. 23*  
**9:00 am to 12:00 pm**

### **Exhibit Hall Open**

*Jul. 23*  
**9:00 am to 12:00 pm**

### **NACo Board of Directors Meeting**

*Jul. 23*  
**10:00 am to 11:45 am**

### **NACA Idea Exchange**

*Jul. 23*  
**10:30 am to 11:45 am**

### **Building the Future: Strategies for Bipartisan Infrastructure Law Implementation**

This session will explore ways county leaders can apply for funding under the Bipartisan Infrastructure Law to build a foundation for long-term sustainability. The workshop will highlight county programs, including broadband deployment, transportation projects, energy efficiency, and water and sewer improvements.

*Jul. 23*  
**10:30 am to 11:45 am**

### **Fireside Chat: Improving Services and Optimizing Revenue and Cost-Savings**

In our electoral system, the nation's county governments typically administer and fund elections at the local level, including overseeing polling places and voting systems, and coordinating poll workers for federal, state and local elections. The specifics of election administration align with federal standards but vary from county to county and state to state, resulting in a variety of approaches to ensure safe, secure and fair elections. During this session, participants will hear from county election officials on the basics of election administration and will walk away with an understanding of key authorities and themes that are common and unique to counties across the country.

*Jul. 23*  
**10:30 am to 11:45 am**

### **Navigating Crisis Communication**

Join the National Association of County Information Officers (NACIO) for robust discussion and Q&A focused on crisis communications and today's uniquely challenging news landscape. More than ever, county officials are navigating the world of "fake news" and communicating in the face of natural disasters and other crises. Learn key tips for rapid response communications, remaining calm under pressure, and adhering to a strong sense of audience and objective.

*Jul. 23*  
**10:30 am to 11:45 am**

### **NCCAE Continuing Education Discussion Session**

*Jul. 23*  
**10:30 am to 11:45 am**

### **Next Generation General Membership Meeting**

Level 3 | Room 4

*Jul. 23*  
**10:30 am to 11:45 am**

## **Partnering with the Department of Defense and Landowners for National Security and Resilience**

This workshop will bring together officials from the U.S. Department of Defense's Readiness & Environmental Protection Integration (REPI) Program and leaders from counties that neighbor military installations to discuss partnerships to advance climate resiliency. Participants will learn about the REPI Program's critical role in strengthening local capacity to build resiliency and discover opportunities to leverage REPI funding as a non-federal match.

*Jul. 23*  
**10:30 am to 11:45 am**

## **Revitalizing County Health, Public Safety and Legal Systems**

Examine how counties are strengthening our health, public safety and legal systems to make real the promise of ensuring justice for all. Learn about key resources counties are leveraging to center the experiences of underserved populations and address social determinants of health. This session will highlight county strategies for improving health equity within, and across, our health, human services and criminal legal systems.

*Jul. 23*  
**10:30 am to 11:45 am**

## **Understanding Lessons Learned and Trends in Elections**

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*Jul. 23*  
**12:00 pm to 2:00 pm**

## **NACo Achievement Awards Lunch & General Session #2**

The Achievement Awards Luncheon & General Session will feature best-in-category winners of NACo's Achievement Awards program and keynote speakers. This luncheon is open to all conference attendees.

*Jul. 23*  
**2:30 pm to 3:45 pm**

## **Making the Most of August Recess: Advocacy Tips for County Officials**

Level 4 | Room 18 C & D

*Jul. 23*  
**2:30 pm to 5:00 pm**

## **Achieving the American Dream: Summit on Strategies to Promote Economic Mobility**

County policies, programs, partnerships and funding can create pathways to improved financial prosperity for our residents. This capstone to NACo's multi-

year partnership with the Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation will focus on four key policy areas to support inter-generational wealth-building, equitable access to broadband, workforce development for infrastructure projects, housing finance and measuring progress.

*Jul. 23*  
**2:30 pm to 5:00 pm**

### **Enhancing Wellbeing: Summit on Mental Health**

Level 1 | Ballroom A

In response to increasing mental health caseloads across the country, county officials are partnering with local and state leaders to develop behavioral health continuums of care. NACo's Mental Health Commission will lead a discussion of best practices around intergovernmental partnerships that support the 988 Lifeline and crisis response, the entry point to behavioral health systems of care; bolster the increased need and resulting shortage of a behavioral health workforce; and to address exclusionary policies that often preclude effective behavioral health care options that can reduce recidivism and other cyclical service utilization patterns.

*Jul. 23*  
**2:30 pm to 5:00 pm**

### **Safeguarding Our Counties: Summit on Disaster Resiliency**

As the frequency, severity and cost of natural disasters increases, this summit will provide attendees with an overview of federal resources available to help bolster community resiliency, including strengthening local energy grids, critical infrastructure and households. This session will also highlight innovative county solutions that have been implemented to safeguard against future disasters.

*Jul. 23*  
**2:30 pm to 5:30 pm**

### **Mobile Workshop: 911 Emergency Communications and STAR Flight Mobile Tour**

CTECC (Combined Transportation, Emergency & Communications Center) improves emergency response coordination and cooperation by providing a centralized public safety facility sustaining the operations of shared, critical emergency communications and transportation management for the region. CTECC is jointly owned by Travis County, the City of Austin, Texas Department of Transportation and the Capital Metropolitan Transportation Authority.

STAR Flight is the only 24/7 aerial emergency medical service in Texas that performs highly specialized emergency response services, including emergency medical transport, still and swift water rescue, search and rescue, high angle rescue, fire suppression/aerial reconnaissance, and law safety assistance. STAR (Shock Trauma Air Rescue) Flight is owned and operated by Travis County and serves 19 counties in central Texas.

This tour is open to all conference attendees on a first-come, first-served basis.

*Jul. 23*  
**2:30 pm to 5:30 pm**

### **Mobile Workshop: Community First! Village Mobile Tour**

Community First! Village is a 51-acre master planned community that provides affordable, permanent housing and a supportive community for the disabled, chronically homeless in Central Texas. Since 2005, this transformative residential program has been a staple of Mobile Loaves & Fishes and has

become the largest community-based model in the country lifting homeless men and women up off the streets into community and home.

This tour is open to all conference attendees on a first-come, first-served basis.

*Jul. 23*  
**2:30 pm to 5:30 pm**

### **Mobile Workshop: Engaging Global Businesses with Dell Technologies and TACC's Vislab**

University of Texas at Austin

County officials serve as key leaders to drive economic development efforts for their communities. On this tour, county leaders will learn firsthand how to work closely with multinational companies from the experience of Dell Technologies and Travis County. Attendees will also have the chance to experience the Texas Advanced Computing Center (TACC)'s Vislab – a state-of-the-art facility at the University of Texas built to explore the intersection between human perception and large-scale visual analysis. *Hosted by the International Economic Development Task Force, this tour is open to all conference attendees on a **first-come, first-served basis**.*

Buses depart from the Trinity Street exit of the Austin Convention Center

*Jul. 23*  
**3:00 pm to 5:00 pm**

### **NACo Credentials Meeting**

*Jul. 23*  
**5:00 pm to 6:30 pm**

### **NACIO Awards Celebration**

Fairmont Hotel Rules & Regs Rooftop Bar

*Jul. 23*  
**5:30 pm to 6:30 pm**

### **California Caucus**

Level 4 | Room 16

*Jul. 23*  
**5:30 pm to 6:30 pm**

### **Meet the Researchers: Counties and Pew Reception**

Hosted by The Pew Charitable Trusts, this networking reception will offer opportunities to meet Pew researchers and talk county priorities.

*Jul. 23*  
**5:30 pm to 6:30 pm**

### **Missouri Delegation Caucus**

Level 4 | Room 19A

*Jul. 23*  
**5:30 pm to 6:30 pm**

### **National Democratic County Officials Policy Briefing**

Level 4 | Room 18B

*Jul. 23*  
**5:30 pm to 6:30 pm**

### **Nebraska Caucus**

Hyatt Place Austin Downton | Meeting Room 1

*Jul. 23*  
**5:30 pm to 7:30 pm**

### **Arizona Caucus**

Level 4 | Room 11

*Jul. 23*  
**5:30 pm to 7:30 pm**

### **NACo's DEI Reception**

Austin Marriott | Rye Bar

*Jul. 23*  
**6:30 pm to 8:00 pm**

### **California Delegation Reception**

*Jul. 23*  
**7:00 pm to 9:00 pm**

### **Large Urban County Caucus and Rural Action Caucus Joint Reception**

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## **Monday, July 24, 2023**

*Jul. 24*  
**8:00 am to 9:00 am**

### **Listening Session with the Counties of Hawai'i**

Level 3 | Room 4

The U.S. Department of Defense's Readiness and Environmental Protection Integration (REPI) Program has increased efforts to preserve and protect cultural, natural and land resources that benefit Hawai'i residents and the DOD mission. County leaders from the state of Hawai'i are invited to discuss their experiences, priorities and questions with representatives of the DOD's REPI program.

*Jul. 24*  
**8:00 am to 9:00 am**

### **Maryland, Ohio, Virginia, West Virginia Regional Caucus Breakfast**

Level 3 | Room 6A

*Jul. 24*  
**8:00 am to 5:00 pm**

### **Conference Registration Open**

*Jul. 24*  
**9:30 am to 11:45 am**

### **NACo Annual Business Meeting**

Join the Annual Business Meeting of the National Association of Counties where county members will consider policy resolutions, elect a slate of officers for the 2023-2024 term, and conduct other business as necessary.

*Jul. 24*  
**12:00 pm to 1:30 pm**

### **Conference Break (Lunch on Your Own)**

*Jul. 24*  
**2:00 pm to 2:45 pm**

### **Central Region Caucus Meeting**

Level 4 | Room 19A

All attendees from the Central Region are invited to learn more about NACo and what is happening in the region. The Central Region includes the following states: Iowa, Illinois, Indiana, Kansas, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, Ohio, Oklahoma, Wisconsin.

*Jul. 24*  
**2:00 pm to 2:45 pm**

### **Northeast Region Caucus Meeting**

Level 3 | Room 19B

All attendees from the Northeast Region are invited to learn more about NACo and what is happening in the region. Northeast Region includes the following states: Massachusetts, Maryland, Maine, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania, West Virginia.

*Jul. 24*  
**2:00 pm to 2:45 pm**

### **South Region Caucus Meeting**

Level 3 | Room 8

All attendees from the South Region are invited to learn more about NACo and what is happening in the region. The South Region includes the following states: Alabama, Arkansas, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky, Louisiana, Mississippi, North Carolina, South Carolina, Tennessee, Texas.

*Jul. 24*  
**2:00 pm to 2:45 pm**

### **West Region Caucus Meeting**

Level 4 | Room 18B

All attendees from the West Region are invited to learn more about NACo and what is happening in the region. The West Region includes the following states: Alaska, Arizona, California, Colorado, Hawaii, Idaho, Montana, North Dakota, New Mexico, Nevada, Oregon, South Dakota, Utah, Washington, Wyoming.

*Jul. 24*  
**3:00 pm to 4:15 pm**

### **Breaking the Stigma: Empowering Mental Health Champions**

County elected officials and staff play a critical role as the front-line service providers during trying times. This pressure and exposure to trauma can have a lasting impact on elected officials and county employees alike. This workshop will feature a training from the National Council on Mental Wellbeing's Mental Health First Aid program, equipping attendees with strategies for identifying and responding to mental health issues in the workplace, techniques to identify team members facing mental health or substance abuse challenges, and how to build a culture and organization that supports wellbeing.

*Jul. 24*  
**3:00 pm to 4:15 pm**

### **Economic Development Reimagined: Strategies for Coal, Energy and Rural Communities**



Explore economic development trends and opportunities for coal-impacted, energy and rural counties. This workshop will showcase inventive, forward-looking frameworks to overcome economic shocks, build resilience and strive for community vitality. Walk away inspired by the potential within your community.

*Jul. 24*

**3:00 pm to 4:15 pm**

### **Robert's Rules 101: Crash Course**

Robert's Rules can help you run an efficient meeting. But how do you run an effective meeting? This workshop is a crash course in Robert's Rules where we will deliver tools to minimize meeting disruptions, define proper procedures and apply Robert's Rules to real-life parliamentary examples.

*Jul. 24*

**3:00 pm to 4:15 pm**

### **The Opioid Epidemic in Rural America: Creating Justice System Pathways to Care**

While no corner of the country has been untouched by the opioid epidemic, the overdose crisis has hit rural America particularly hard. Between 1999 and 2015, overdose deaths increased 325 percent in rural counties. Additionally, people with substance use disorder are often routed into the legal system and incarcerated, which may disrupt treatment and increase overdose risks. Hear from members of NACo's Opioid Solutions Leadership Network and the Reaching Rural Initiative about how rural counties are adopting solutions to the persistent challenges in addressing substance use disorder.

*Jul. 24*

**3:00 pm to 4:15 pm**

### **Trends in Federal and State Preemption**

County authority and responsibility is granted by state constitutions and statutes, and states are increasingly passing laws that preempt county authorities and limit local policymaking in a range of issues. This session will explore county authority in revenue generation and land use planning, state preemption of county authority to manage, protect and tax local land, and point participants toward solutions that can be tailored for unique local circumstances.

*Jul. 24*

**3:00 pm to 5:00 pm**

### **Enacting Policies and Service Delivery that Benefit All**

Level 4 | Room 11

County leaders can help improve the trajectory for everyone in our communities by making equitable decisions in policy and service delivery. Learn about the unique opportunities open to each of us, regardless of our function in county government, and how we can leverage resources to ensure equity is central to our governance.

*Jul. 24*

**4:30 pm to 5:00 pm**

### **NACo New Board of Directors Organizational Meeting**

Level 1 | Ballroom B & C

*Jul. 24*

**6:00 pm to 9:30 pm**

### **NACo All-Conference Closing Reception**

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**NEVADA ASSOCIATION OF COUNTIES (NACO)**

Board of Directors' Meeting

April 28, 2023, 9:30am

**NACO Conference Room**

**304 S. Minnesota Street**

**Carson City, NV 89703**

**UNADOPTED MINUTES**

**Attendance:** President Higbee, President Elect Giomi, Vice President Hall, Past President Kirkpatrick, Churchill County Commissioner Scharmann, Clark County Commissioner Gibson, Douglas County Commissioner Gardner, Elko County Commissioner Andreozzi, Esmeralda County Commissioner Keyes, Humboldt County Commissioner Tipton, Lander County Commissioner Waits, Lincoln County Commissioner Reese, Lyon County Commissioner Henderson, Nye County Commissioner Boskovich, Pershing County Commissioner Crim, Washoe County Commissioner Hill, Washoe County Commissioner Herman, White Pine County Commissioner Carson, Humboldt County Comptroller, Gina Rackley and NACO Staff (Vinson Guthreau, Jennifer Berthiaume, Jacob Brinkerhoff, Amy Hyne-Sutherland, and Amanda Berg)

The meeting was called to order at 9:30 a.m.

1. **Public Comment.** Commissioner Reese informed the Board that President Biden had signed the State of Emergency Declaration requested by the Governor to support the current and future flooding issues across the State.
2. **Approval of Agenda.** The agenda was approved on a motion by Commissioner Waits with second by Commissioner Herman.
3. **NACO President's Report.** President Higbee encouraged the Board to attend the National Association of Counties (NACo) Annual Conference in July. He also encouraged attendance at the upcoming Western Interstate Region conference in St. George Utah, noting that members of Congress had been invited and are expected to attend.
4. **NACO Executive Director's Report.** Vinson also discussed the NACo Annual Conference and reminded the Board that the election for the 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President of the Association would be conducted during the event. He also reminded the Board that per the approved NACO calendar the next Board meeting would take place in June in Clark County and the agenda will include a detailed summary of the 2023 Legislative Session.
5. **Approval of Minutes of the March 31, 2023, NACO Board of Directors Meeting.** Commissioner Gibson called attention to an error in the minutes, he was in attendance for the meeting not Clark County Commissioner Jones. The minutes were approved upon correction on a motion by President Elect Giomi with second by Commissioner Henderson.
6. **Discussion and Possible Approval of NACO Resolution 23-02, "Resolution in Support of Historic Routes Preservation Act – Recognize and Honors County Authority Over Historic Roads."** President Higbee directed the Board's attention to the resolution included in the agenda packet and reminded the Board of their previous discussions regarding the

item and the window for the introduction of the bill in Congress, noting that the expected introduction will be Bi-partisan and will include language tying the issue to Last Mile Broadband connectivity. Commissioner Henderson announced that Lyon County had passed a resolution in support that month. President Elect Giomi also informed the Board that Carson City had engaged their federal lobbyist to watch for the bill's introduction. The resolution was approved on a motion by Commissioner Gardner with a second by Commissioner Henderson.

7. **Ratification and Approval Regarding NACO Executive Director Appointment to the Joint Operating Committee for Camp Alamo Learning Center, in Lincoln County.** Past President Kirkpatrick gave the Board an overview of the agreement between Clark and Lincoln Counties and UNR Extension, including a facilities committee to oversee the maintenance of the facility. Past President Kirkpatrick then described the make up of the Joint Operating Committee and noted that she wanted NACO to be involved because it is important for the members to understand 4-H. Vinson further explained NACO's inclusion on the committee because the facility will be available to 4-H clubs across the state. He also clarified that the appointment is for the NACO Executive Director not him personally and that whoever sits in the position will automatically serve on the committee. Commissioner Carson noted that the committee was well thought out. The appointment of the NACO Executive Director to the committee was ratified on a motion by Commissioner Carson with second by Vice President Hall.
8. **Possible Approval of the Reappointment of Roger Mancebo to the Nevada Rural Housing Authority, Board of Directors.** President Higbee noted Mr. Mancebo's active and influential participation on the Authority and his reappointment was approved on a motion by Commissioner Waits with second by Commissioner Henderson.
9. **Approval of NACO's Investment Reports for January, February, and March of 2023.** Vinson discussed both the reports and the statements in item 10, reminding the Board that they are presented quarterly for review and approval. He informed the Board that the investments are seeing stabilization and gains and that the Association's financial statements remain on track with the Board's approved budget. He discussed the need for some additional outreach due to lower than expected Associate Membership renewals and that conference sponsorships have begun to be submitted. The investment reports were approved on a motion by President Elect Giomi with second by Commissioner Tipton.
10. **Approval of NACO's Financial Statements for January and February of 2023.** The financial statements were approved on a motion by Commissioner Herman with second by President Elect Giomi.
11. **Update Regarding Ongoing Opioid Lawsuits, Settlement Disbursements and The One Nevada Agreement, Mark J. Krueger, Chief Deputy Attorney General, Consumer Counsel, Office of the Attorney General.** Vinson informed the Board that because additional settlement dollars have been coming in per the {One Nevada} agreement, he felt it timely to have Mr. Krueger address them. Mr. Krueger noted the recent turnover in county staff and expressed his desire to have a large meeting following the Legislative Session that would include Commissioners as well as key staff members to ensure that the necessary people understand where the situation lies. He also reminded the Board of the agreement entered into by the counties that allows for the AG's office to negotiate on their behalf ensuring the most settlement dollars are received. Mr. Krueger noted the extended release of funds over several years and that because there are multiple sources of funds, there are

multiple reporting requirements. He stated that the AG's IT Department is working to build a program that will aggregate the counties individual reports and ensure that all proposed projects fall into allowable uses of the funds. Mr. Krueger also discussed the need for collaboration between the state, counties, and cities for shared services to ensure that duplicative efforts are not wasting the available dollars, noting that the AG's office will help facilitate and support those conversations. He also noted the need for community-based programming and stated that he will be creating a Listserv to ensure proper communications with those that need to be involved in the conversations. Past President Kirkpatrick thanked Mr. Krueger for proposing the meeting and concurrent with the decision to wait until after the end of the legislative session. Commissioner Scharmann agreed and suggested working with NACO on the organization of the meeting. Mr. Krueger stated that he would move forward working with Vinson on the coordination for the meeting. Amy reminded the Board that she is available as a resource to support the counties and is in contact with the State regarding the reporting needs. Mr. Kreuger stated that working with the State to make reporting as easy as possible. President Higbee concluded the item by noting that the topic would be a good one for an educational session at the Annual Conference in September.

12. **Update on NACO Bills and Other Policy Issues Affecting Counties During the 82<sup>nd</sup> Session of the Nevada Legislature.** Jennifer drew the Board's attention to the Bill Tracker included in the supplemental back up materials provided the previous day, including an overview of how the document is designed. She then gave the Board an update on the status of the Association's Bills, all of which had survived the most recent deadline and noted that SB41, which would revise provisions related to child welfare, had been declared exempt. Commissioner Waits inquired as to the effective dates of the bills passed, specifically SB20 which would change the process for filling vacancies on County Commissions and Jennifer explained that the bills being tracked have different effective dates, but that SB20, if passed would likely be effective July 1. Vinson discussed the forty days remaining in the legislative session and announced that while the local elected official's salary bill had not received a work session, he does see a small window to a path forward, noting that judicial salaries are being considered after being brought forth for three consecutive sessions. He also discussed the possibility of finding a mechanism to amend the NRS to enable the elected officials' salaries to be adjusted without having to request legislative permission. Commissioner Gardner discussed a recent meeting where he discovered that staff under the elected officials are often paid more and if there isn't a mechanism to make pay more equitable that the ability to find qualified people to run for those offices might be affected. President Elect Giomi concurred with Commissioner Gardner and stated that Carson City had already seen the effect with candidates running for Sheriff. Commissioner Andreozzi stated that it is important to recognize the efforts of staff during the session and noted that so far, their work has been tremendous on behalf of the counties. Vinson next discussed budgets being watched, noting that the Extension budget would be heard on the 5<sup>th</sup> of May, the China Spring Youth Camp budget had been recommended for closure, and the child welfare budget would be heard the next day. Concerns were discussed on SB226 regarding prevailing wage and Vinson informed the Board that it was declared exempt, and that staff would be working with the sponsor on an amendment. SB233, which would affect heavy equipment taxes, was opposed by staff and the Board was informed that the Assessors are working on with the sponsor on concerns with the language. The Board also received updates on AB213 which would make changes to housing and affordable housing statutes for Washoe and Clark Counties, and SB205 regarding OHV registrations. Opposition to SB68 was discussed as it would allow oversite of local dollars by unelected boards, and AB68 was passed out of the Assembly and will move the discussion on China Spring Youth Camp Funding to the Senate. The discussion by staff was concluded by the Board being reminded

that staff is tracking over half of the bills and that the pace of the Session would be picking back up with the next deadline, second house committee passage on May 19th. Commissioner Andreozzi expressed concerns with the legality of SB433 that would allow the Labor Commission to determine what a Public Works Project is, and the significant impacts of resetting property tax value included in AJR7 had failed. Commissioner Gardner expressed ongoing concerns with SB81 which would extend the sunset on the requirement for Carson City, Storey, Douglas, Lyon, and Washoe Counties to conduct regional planning efforts and would also add cities and legislators to those discussions. Vinson explained that the bill had been amended to make the city and legislative representatives non-voting but there are still concerns with their participation because planning is not a city or legislative function. He concluded the discussion by informing the Board that the bill would move forward but that he and Jennifer will continue to work towards ensuring the final outcome is the least detrimental as possible. No action was taken on the item.

13. **Update from NACO Public Health Coordinator.** Amy informed the Board that she had participated in the recent National Summit on Emergency Preparedness and had obtained a lot of valuable resources that had been put on the NACO website, including some developed by the National Association of Counties (NACo). She also discussed the Rural Health Information Hub that contains several toolkits and third-party resources beneficial to stakeholder discussions and encouraged the Counties to include mental and behavioral health components in their future emergency planning. She announced the Nevada Emergency Preparedness Summit will be held in June in Churchill County and encouraged the Board to ensure their emergency management staff participate in the event. Amy discussed upcoming online training opportunities for County Health Officers and announced May as National Mental Health Awareness Month and informed the Board that NACo also had a toolkit with resources to assist counties in reducing the stigma surrounding mental health discussions. She reminded the Board that she is a resource to assist the counties with their required Opioid Needs Assessments and that there is funding available from the state for technical assistance and to help with the development of the plans. Commissioner Waits discussed Lander County's current struggles with having enough foster families, including those able to provide emergency foster care, and Amy said she would investigate solutions that the county could consider implementing. She shared the model of Austin's House in the Carson/Douglas area, as a possibility Commissioner Carson suggested looking into the use of closing Nevada Division of Forestry facilities as group homes. Amy stated that long term prevention programs are also something to consider, which could include programs to reduce ACES (Adverse Childhood Experiences) and support parents with parenting classes and other resources to reduce the need for foster care longterm. Amy also stated that residential treatment and recovery housing with access to wrap-around support services is an approved use of Opioid funds, which can also have an impact on the need for foster services longterm.

14. **Update and Possible Action. Regarding Public Lands and Natural Resources Issues Affecting Counties Including:**

- a. **Updates from the NACO Public Lands and Natural Resources Subcommittee.** Jacob gave the Board an overview of the discussion held the previous day. He discussed a draft addendum to land management agency MOUs with the counties and informed the Board that Humboldt County is spearheading the drafting of that document and that the proposed addendum would be brought before the Board in June. He informed the Board that NASA withdrawals are moving forward and Commissioner Waits informed the Board that Lander County had declared a state of emergency regarding wild horses and requested an item on a future Board agenda.

- b. **Discussion and Possible Approval of NACO Comment Letter Regarding Conservation and Landscape Health, Proposed Rule to Bureau of Land Management (BLM).** Jacob explained that the proposed rule will have significant impacts to counties and drew the Board's attention to the draft letter included in the agenda materials. He informed the Board that he would like to continue working on the Association's comments until the submission deadline and that the suggested action for the item is to approve comment submission and to allow the final letter to be approved by the Subcommittee because there will not be another Board meeting prior to the submission deadline. President Elect Giomi expressed concern with relying to heavily on the inclusion of NEPA as the main argument against passage of the proposed rule. Jacob noted that inclusion of NEPA requirements would slow things down by requiring comment periods but that other arguments against passage of the proposed rule would be added to the final comment letter. Commissioner Tipton noted that grazing is one of the strongest conservation tools the Bureau has to work with, and Commissioner Henderson inquired as to other comments being submitted by the state. Jacob informed the Board that the issue has been discussed with DCNR and that comments are also expected from SLUPAC, and the Farm Bureau and collaborative discussions would be ongoing. Commissioner Carson inquired as to how the rule would affect county RMP and land and water use plans, to which Jacob informed the Board that there is no language in the proposed rule that acknowledges BLM's obligations for consistency with local land use plans and noted that the comments submitted would include adherence to existing law, i.e. FLPMA and he will add consultation with counties to the letter. President Elect Giomi moved to approve the letter in concept and to direct staff and the Subcommittee to continue to work on the letter and approve the final submission. Commissioner Andreozzi cautioned on using the BLM acronym within the letter due to competing usage in popular culture. Commissioner Reese suggested copying all members of the Congressional Natural Resources committees and the Nevada Delegation. President Elect Giomi amended his motion to include the sending of the final document as suggested. The item was then approved on a second by Commissioner Henderson.

15. **Updates from Members of the National Association of Counties Board of Directors and Western Interstate Region (W.I.R.) Board of Directors.** Past President Kirkpatrick informed the Board that the housing taskforce she had been appointed to isn't producing suggested solutions as expected. President Higbee discussed the Agriculture and Rural Affairs Steering Committee's recommendations to the reauthorization of the Farm Bill, including the re-inclusion of fire management on public lands. Past President Kirkpatrick also stated that she would like to see some Nevada resolutions being proposed at the national level going forward to which President Higbee agreed. President Higbee and Past President Kirkpatrick also encouraged participation on NACo Policy Steering Committees. Vinson informed the Board that any Commissioner's wishing to serve on one of the Committees should let him know and staff will get them enrolled.
16. **NACO Board Member Updates.** Board members gave updates on activities within their counties.
17. **Public Comment.** Holly Gatske from the University of Nevada, Reno thanked the Board for their support of Extension at the legislature.

The meeting was adjourned at 12:03 p.m.

## Agenda # 6

[NACo Leadership Academy](#)





## Agenda Item 7

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May 26, 2022

Mr. Richard Whitley, Director  
Nevada Department of Health and Human Services  
4126 Technology Way, Ste. 100  
Carson City, NV 89706

Director Whitley,

This letter serves as official notification for your Office, and the Division of Health Care Financing and Policy, that the Board for the Fund for Hospital Care to Indigent Persons (the IAF Board), as authorized by NRS 428.206, approved the following payments to counties, to be made for FY23. Pursuant to the Board's decision on March 14, 2022, each county should receive the following distribution to dedicate to a portion of their assessment for the non-federal share of the Medicaid Long Term Care Program. This letter is to request disbursement from the fund in the following amounts, paid directly to each county:

COUNTY	AMOUNT
Carson City	\$ 499,596.40
Churchill County	216,584.96
Clark County	10,691,978.12
Douglas County	192,195.91
Elko County	280,140.64
Esmeralda County	13,564.23
Eureka County	4,099.33
Humboldt County	210,630.72
Lander County	105,572.74
Lincoln County	58,729.71
Lyon County	484,479.13
Mineral County	95,255.60
Nye County	273,315.39
Pershing County	105,106.56
Storey County	8,934.77
Washoe County	2,593,644.88
White Pine County	52,912.31
<b>Total Distribution</b>	<b>15,886,741.39</b>



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Thank you to you and your staff for your assistance with the IAF Fund and your ongoing partnership with this program. Please don't hesitate to reach out to me directly if there is any additional information that we can provide.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Vinson W. Guthreau".

Vinson Guthreau  
Executive Director  
Nevada Association of Counties

cc: file  
Stacey Johnson, DHHS  
Melissa Laufer-Lewis, DHCFP  
Phillip Burrell, DHCFP  
Sarah Lamb, DHCFP  
Tiffany Lewis, DHCFP  
Nevada County Human Services Administrators  
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## **Tuesday, September 26th**

Plan to arrive in Elko for afternoon educational sessions and the Annual President's Reception to celebrate our 2023 NACO President and Lincoln County Commissioner, Varlin Higbee. This year's event will be held at the famed [Ruby 360](#), don't miss the world class views and stunning natural surroundings.

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This year the Annual Business and Board of Directors meetings will be held in the afternoon to allow for more indepth discussions and, as always, Nevada's Commissioners will elect the 2024 NACO Vice President.

## **Wednesday, September 27th**

The day will begin with an education session, followed by the General Session with an engaging Keynote speaker and afternoon educational sessions. Attend the Annual Banquet, to see who will be given the Participatory Democracy Award and who will be inducted into the NACO Honor Roll. Catered by the world renowned Star, this Basque feast is not to be missed.

**Thursday, September 28th**

The conference will wrap up mid-day following additional workshops, and one final chance to mingle with your fellow county officials and staff.

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**We look forward to seeing you this September in Elko County!**

For questions or additional information please contact Amanda at [aberg@nvnaco.org](mailto:aberg@nvnaco.org) or 775-883-7863

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Agenda Item 9

2023 NACO Bill Tracker Final

NACO	Priority	Support	Oppose	New Bills
Failed 1st Deadline	Failed 2nd Deadline	Failed 3rd Deadline	Failed 4th Deadline	Declared Exempt - Failed

Bill	Description	Sponsor	Tag	Note
<a href="#">AB47</a>	Revises provisions governing the operation of off-highway vehicles.	Cmtee on Growth & Infra.	NACO	NACO (E - Chapter 25) Allows government entities to construct, operate and maintain off-highway vehicle trails near or adjacent to paved highways. Signed by the Governor 5.24.23
<a href="#">SB21</a>	Revises certain classifications based on populations.	Cmtee on Gov't Affairs	NACO	(E - Chapter 55) NACO - Raises the population thresholds for from 45k to 52k assisting, Douglas, Nye counties in receiving additional mandates that are intended for urban counties. Also lowers thresholds for other frontier / rural counties, bringing them in line with intent of initial population thresholds in original legislation. Includes an amendment to allow Lyon county to collect a school district tax.
<a href="#">SB22</a>	Revises provisions relating to the publication of legal notices.	Cmtee on Gov't Affairs	NACO	(E - Chapter 56) NACO - This revises requirements related to the publication of legal and public notices. This bill allows counties to post these notices electronically to meet the NRS requirements for posting timelines.
<a href="#">AB2</a>	Revises provisions relating to public safety.	Cmtee on Growth & Infra.	Support	(E - Chapter 10) Blue light bill, allows local government vehicles to display non-flashing blue lights for the purpose of road construction, maintenance or repair as well as assisting with traffic accidents.
<a href="#">AB34</a>	Revises provisions relating to water.	Cmtee on Natural Resources	Support	(E- Chapter 176) Previously, notices by the State Engineer had to appear in a newspaper of general circulation for 4 consecutive weeks. This bill strikes the "consecutive" requirement and adds that the notice also be on the DCNR Division of Water Resources website. Removed requirements for certain water maps to be on mylar and tracing linen and clarifies that the State Engineer must include blank forms for proof of appropriation to those claiming certain water rights.
<a href="#">AB52</a>	Makes various changes to the Open Meeting Law.	Cmtee on Gov't Affairs	Support	(E - Chapter 198) Clarifies that for the purposes of Open Meeting Law unless all members of a public body must be elected officials, if there is a vacancy/absence in the voting membership, the quorum and number of votes necessary to take action is reduced to exclude the vacant member(s); also specifies that nonvoting members are not counted for purposes of determining a quorum of a public body. Allows public bodies to conduct a meeting by means of a remote technology and specifies that if a public body will take administrative action against an individual they must provide meeting information to that individual in writing.
<a href="#">AB60</a>	Revises provisions governing local improvements.	Cmtee on Gov't Affairs	Support	(E - Chapter 181) Requires notice and a hearing on proposed modifications to neighborhood improvement districts. Also requires that the board of a neighborhood improvement district to prepare an annual amendment to the assessment roll to include estimated expenditures for the next fiscal year; a hearing with written notice or electronic mail (if requested) 21 days prior to the meeting; and confirmation of the amendment by resolution with a mailed notice. The amendment must be listed as a separate agenda item and cannot be approved as a group of agenda items in a single vote.

<a href="#">AB68</a>	Revises provisions governing the assessment imposed on certain counties for the operation of a regional facility for the treatment and rehabilitation of children.	Cmtee on Judiciary	Support	(E - Chapter 37) China Spring Youth Camp; dictates the calculation for assessments paid by all counties except for Clark (below 700k), each county shall pay 50% of the total aggregated assessment amount, divided by the total number of bed days for the preceding 2 fiscal years then multiplied by the number of days used by the assessed county.
<a href="#">AB177</a>	Revises provisions governing parcel datasets.	Gull, DeLong, Dickman, Collett	Support	(E - Chapter 152) This would require the State Demographer to provide fiscal year-end parcel dataset of a county to an association for operators, specifically the Underground Service Alert of Northern California and Nevada, upon written request.
<a href="#">AB454</a>	Revises provisions relating to legal services for indigent defendants.	Cmtee on Judiciary	Support	(E - Chapter 285) Indigent Defense: Requires the Board on Indigent Defense Services to adopt regulations establishing rates of hourly compensation in counties under 100k for attorneys other than public defenders, and in all counties for appointed attorneys representing a petitioner who files a post conviction petition for habeas corpus. Establishes that counties are financially responsible unless they have met their max or transferred their responsibility for indigent defense.
<a href="#">SB2</a>	Revises provisions relating to emergency management.	Cmtee on Gov't Affairs	Support	(E - Chapter 31) Allows the Chief of the Division to activate the State Disaster Identification Coordination Committee of the Division of Emergency Management in the case of imminent emergency or disaster. The Committee also activates during any state, county or city declared emergency, including public health emergency, for the purposes of coordinating response, and emergency response activities.
<a href="#">SB18</a>	Revises provisions governing required meetings of planning commissions in certain counties.	Cmtee on Gov't Affairs	Support	(E - Chapter 53) Allows planning commissions, in counties of <100,000 to conduct meetings quarterly instead of the current monthly meeting requirement. Counties of Clark and Washoe would still be required to meet at least monthly.
<a href="#">SB118</a>	Revises provisions relating to public health.	Cmtee on Health & Human Services	Support	(E - Chapter 239) Removes the requirement that two counties must be adjacent in order to form a health district. Makes an appropriation of \$15M from the State General Fund to the Division of Public and Behavioral Health of the Department of Health and Human Services.
<a href="#">AB410</a>	Revises provisions relating to industrial insurance.	Asm. Jauregui, Yeager,	Oppose	(E - Chapter 217) Would expand the stress-related injuries that may be compensable under industrial insurance; including a mental injury which afflicts a first responder and which is caused by extreme stress for which the primary cause was witnessing an event or series of events that arose out of and during the course of employment.
<a href="#">AB518</a>	Revises provisions relating to indigent defense.	Cmtee on Ways & Means	Oppose	(E - Delivered to the Gov. 6.9.23) This bill makes changes to the maximum contribution formula, and how that number is calculated. 1) It creates a statutory number, tying that number to what was spent in the preceding fiscal year, and then tying that to inflation. 2) a local government cannot include capital expenditures into the contribution formula 3) counties over 100k must contribute 25% of the cost of death penalty cases, and 4) reports of contributions by counties are due to the DIDS, May 31st of the preceding year.

<a href="#">SB226</a>	Revises provisions governing governmental financial administration.	Sen. Cannizzaro; Asm. Yeager	Oppose	(E - Chapter 520) A declaration of legislative intent regarding prevailing wage on public works jobs being essential to the economic well-being of this State, increasing the number of skilled construction workers, enhancing the workforce and increasing redevelopment opportunities. Further declares that careful scrutiny of novel leasing and financial arrangements entered into and incentives offered by a public body is necessary to ensure workers are paid the prevailing wage. Requires the Labor Commissioner make any adopted regulation regarding public works to be consistent with this intent. Allows an organization to partner with a state agency or local government to provide private financing only for the construction of a hospital, medical education building or medical research building in this State if the organization qualifies as a tax-exempt organization and a supporting organization under certain provisions of the Internal Revenue Code; and is organized and operated to support a state agency or local government in the construction of hospitals or such medical buildings.
<a href="#">AB528</a>	Establishes a program to provide matching funds to certain qualified projects related to the prevention of homelessness and provision of assistance to persons who are experiencing homelessness.	Yeager		(E - Delivered to Gov. 6.9.23) Would create a program to provide matching funds of up to \$100M to qualified projects intended to serve homeless individuals and families or those at risk of becoming homeless. The matching funds must be used exclusively for the acquisition, construction, installation and equipping of a qualified project.
<a href="#">AB5</a>	Provides for a study of unfunded mandates on local governments.	Cmtee on Gov't Affairs		Pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3.1, no further action allowed. LEAGUE OF CITIES - Directs the Department of Taxation to use an independent contractor to conduct a study on unfunded mandates on local governments on the immediately preceding fiscal year.
<a href="#">AB10</a>	Authorizes the designation of a tax increment area for certain transportation and housing reinvestment purposes.	Cmtee on Gov't Affairs		Pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3.1, no further action allowed. CITY OF LAS VEGAS - Creates a transportation and housing reinvestment zone and tax increment area to defray the cost of transportation improvements and projects as well as mixed-use, multi-family, affordable housing within the zone. Based on property tax revenue. Zones expire after 30 years.
<a href="#">AB59</a>	Revises provisions concerning the confidentiality of certain personal information of certain persons.	Cmtee on Gov't Affairs		Pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3.1, no further action allowed. SECRETARY OF STATE - Allows employees of the Secretary of State's Office and certain members of their family to request that their personal information be kept confidential.
<a href="#">AB61</a>	Revises provisions governing the canvass of city elections.	Cmtee on Leg. Op's & Elec.		Pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3.1, no further action allowed. LEAGUE OF CITIES - Pertaining to city elections; if election results are not received by the city government from the County Clerk with enough time to canvass before the 10th day following the election, the governing body must meet as soon a "practicable" to canvass returns and for a certification to be transmitted to the Secretary of State.
<a href="#">AB63</a>	Requires the Director of the Department of Transportation and the Director of the Department of Public Safety to review, study and prepare reports regarding certain issues relating to traffic safety.	Cmtee on Growth & Infra.		Pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3.1, no further action allowed. STOREY COUNTY - Requires NDOT to conduct a safety study on I80 between Vista Blvd. and Wadsworth Interchange. The study shall assess fiscal feasibility, speed limit reduction, restricting certain vehicles, signage and additional lanes; as well as a timeline for interchange upgrades, and a timeline for the additional lanes. Requires coordination between Lyon, Storey and Washoe county managers. Also requires a study from the Department of Public Safety.
<a href="#">AB87</a>	Revises provisions relating to animals.	Hardy		Pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3.1, no further action allowed. ASSEMBLYWOMAN HARDY - Requires places of public accommodation to ask individuals with service animals to remove the animal if it begins being aggressive or threatening to others, if they fail to do so, a fine of not more than \$500 can be charged. These must be noticed by visible signage.

<a href="#">AB88</a>	Requires proof of identity to vote in an election.	Hafen		Pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3.1, no further action allowed. ASSEMBLYMAN HAFEN - Requires individuals to provide one form of proof of identity to vote in person, acceptable forms of ID include: current, valid driver's license or ID issued by the DMV or a Federally recognized Indian Tribe ID with a "recognizable" picture. Requires the DMV to issue a free ID to individuals experiencing financial hardship and additional requirements for mail in ballots.
<a href="#">AB90</a>	Revises provisions relating to water.	Gurr		Pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3.1, no further action allowed. ASSEMBLYMAN GURR - Pertaining to water diversion, authorizes the State Engineer to grant an application for a temporary change for a period not to exceed 10 years. The State Engineer must give notice of any application filed for more than 1 year. Also establishes fees for examining, filing, issuing and recording.
<a href="#">AB93</a>	Authorizes the installation and use of automated traffic enforcement systems in school zones and school crossing zones.	Cmtee on Growth & Infra.		Pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3.1, no further action allowed. JOINT INTERIM STANDING COMMITTEE ON GROWTH AND INFRASTRUCTURE - Allows local authority to install and use automated traffic enforcement systems to enforce speed limits and U-turn prohibitions in school zones and crossings. Evidence must be reviewed by law enforcement before a citation is issued, excludes such violations from demerit points.
<a href="#">AB95</a>	Makes various changes relating to public office.	Orentlicher	Oppose	Pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3.1, no further action allowed. ASSEMBLYMAN ORENTLICHER - Requires nonpartisan, partisan and city candidates to file a petition and a declaration of candidacy. Amends the process by which County Clerks verify petitions of candidacy, increases the time a clerk has from 10 days to 20 days to complete the signature verification of an independent candidate for partisan office. Defines "caregiving services" with a requirement for associated costs to be reported.
<a href="#">AB96</a>	Revises provisions relating to the confidentiality of certain personal information of peace officers and retired peace officers.	Dickman		Pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3.1, no further action allowed. ASSEMBLYWOMAN DICKMAN - Adds peace officer or retired peace officer to the list of those who can request that their personal information be kept private in county recorder records.
<a href="#">AB102</a>	Prohibits certain competitions in which certain animals are taken.	Asm. Watts; Sen. Scheible	Oppose	Pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3.1, no further action allowed. ASSEMBLYMAN WATTS - Prohibits any type of competition involving taking "covered" animals. Covered animals include: beavers, bobcats, coyotes, fox, mink, muskrats, otters, rabbits, skunks or weasels. Includes penalties for organizing or participating in such a competition.
<a href="#">AB105</a>	Revises provisions related to broadband Internet.	Watts		Pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3.1, no further action allowed. ASSEMBLYMAN WATTS - Makes an addition to Chapter 111 of NRS to allow broadband service providers to access and use nonexclusive easements, public right-of-way and other property of a public utility or a video service provider, for the purpose of installing, maintaining and operating equipment or facilities to provide broadband internet.
<a href="#">AB115</a>	Revises provisions relating to substance use disorders.	Orentlicher		Pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3.1, no further action allowed. ASSEMBLYMAN ORENTLICHER - Would allow counties to establish a program for the prevention of overdoses and disease to include a hygienic space where people who are at least 18 years of age may consume drugs that they have obtained before arriving in the space.
<a href="#">AB129</a>	Revises provisions governing certain county fair and recreation boards.	Cmtee on Gov't Affairs		Pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3.1, no further action allowed. ASSEMBLY COMMITTEE ON GOVERNMENT AFFAIRS - Increases the number of County Fair and Recreation Board Members from 14 to 15 in Clark County with the additional member representing a Latino or Hispanic business.
<a href="#">AB142</a>	Revises provisions governing certain sales of property.	O'Neill	Support	Pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3.1, no further action allowed. ASSEMBLYMAN O'NEILL - Under current law, sale of property must be done between 9am and 5pm, sold to the highest bidder and be conducted at the courthouse in which the property (or part of it) is located. This bill would eliminate the time constraint, would allow for sale of property over the internet and authorizes the governing body of the county to authorize such activity to occur.
<a href="#">AB170</a>	Revises provisions relating to certain offenses involving concentrated cannabis.	Monroe-Moreno, Thomas, Cameron Miller,		Pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3.1, no further action allowed. (4.15.23) Decreases the penalty for the possession of one-eighth of an ounce or less of concentrated cannabis to a misdemeanor, indicates that a child who has a first or second offense related to this amount has not committed a delinquent act, authorizes peace officers to issue a child a citation for possession of this amount, and expands the definition of alcohol or marijuana offense to include this specified amount of concentrated cannabis.



<a href="#">AB209</a>	Revises provisions relating to certain providers of health care.	Gonzalez, Anderson, Carter, Gray, Gurr,		Pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3.1, no further action allowed. ASSEMBLYMEMBER GONZALEZ - Would prevent a physician from withholding information from a patient that may be used in civil litigation and require physicians to have professional liability insurance.
<a href="#">AB230</a>	Revises the deadline for returning mail ballots by mail.	Yurek, Gallant, Hansen,		Pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3.1, no further action allowed. This would revise the deadline for mail-in ballots mailed to city or county clerks from on or before the day of the election by 5pm to on or before the last day of the period for early voting and received before the time set for closing of the polls on the day of the election.
<a href="#">AB240</a>	Revises provisions governing the cultivation, growing or production of cannabis by certain persons.	O'Neill	Support	Pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3.1, no further action allowed. This bill, was brought at the request of Carson City and provides for limitations on home grow operations. It's an attempt to get a handle on the number of home grows that become a nuisance to local residents. The bill would require home grows to be housed in an enclosed space, allow for inspections by sheriff's and health departments/districts.
<a href="#">AB278</a>	Requires the Public Employees' Retirement Board to consider certain Nevada-based investments.	Orentlicher		Pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3.1, no further action allowed. ASSEMBLYMAN ORENTLICHER - Would require the Public Employees' Retirement Board to hear and consider at least 10 proposals from the Nevada startup investment class each quarter. Would also require a report to be prepared for LCB with all proposals, those that were invested in and the reasons for or against investment.
<a href="#">AB297</a>	Revises provisions governing pretrial release hearings.	O'Neill	Support	Pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3.1, no further action allowed. ASSEMBLYMAN O'NEILL - This bill would revise the 48-hour pre-trial release hearing requirement to exclude Saturdays, Sundays and Legal Holidays from the 48-hour calculation.
<a href="#">AB307</a>	Revises provisions relating to elections.	Asm. Dickman, Gray, Gallant, Hansen, DeLong, Gurr, Asm. Gallant,		Pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3.1, no further action allowed. ASSEMBLYWOMAN DICKMAN - Would establish procedures for the use of absent ballots in an election; requiring proof of identity for voting in person; would require the DMV to issue identification cards at no charge; voters to include certain personal identifying information with their absent ballot; would prohibit a person from returning an absent ballot on behalf of a voter; and would repeal provisions that require county and city clerks to prepare and distribute mail ballots to certain registered voters for every election
<a href="#">AB314</a>	Revises provisions governing the regulation of home-based businesses by counties, cities and towns.	Taylor, DeLong, Dickman, Gray & Nguyen;	Oppose	Pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3.1, no further action allowed. ASSEMBLYWOMAN GALLANT - Would restrict the authority of a BOCC (or a governing body of a city or town board) to adopt an ordinance that prohibits a home-based business from operating in a residential zoned area, or regulate or tax a home based business differently from any other business. Further, this bill would authorize a BOCC to adopt an ordinance that requiring a home based business to comply with local zoning requirements for parking, right-of-way, and storage of vehicles, trailers and equipment.
<a href="#">AB320</a>	Establishes provisions relating to Internet privacy.	Asm. Dickman, Gurr, La Rue Yurek,		Pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3.1, no further action allowed. ASSEMBLYWOMAN DICKMAN - Would require business to conduct a data protection assessment on or before 1/1/25 with regards to information access to children
<a href="#">AB326</a>	Revises provisions relating to elections.	Kasama, Dickman, DeLong, Gallant. Grav.		Pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3.1, no further action allowed. ASSEMBLYMAN YUREK - Would create the Election Crimes Unit within the Elections Division of the Office of the Secretary of State; the unit would establish a complaint system and hotline to report election irregularities; the Unit would receive and review complaints, notices and reports concerning alleged election irregularities, and be authorized to conduct investigations or make referrals relating to alleged election irregularities. Would require a report to the Governor and Legislature on election irregularities.
<a href="#">AB331</a>	Revises provisions governing court interpreters.	Duran		Pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3.1, no further action allowed. ASSEMBLYWOMAN DURAN - Would add requirements to the already existing certification and registration of court interpreters to include conditional certification and registration and establish circumstances when a certified or registers interpreter is not available and the court may use a non-certified or registered interpreter.
<a href="#">AB365</a>	Revises provisions governing federal grants.	Cmtee on Gov't Affairs		Pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3.1, no further action allowed. COMMITTEE ON GOVERNMENT AFFAIRS - Would require that any block or discretionary Federal Grant that is received by a State agency, be distributed or used to directly benefit counties based on proportion to the percentage of population in the state. Would make an additional requirement for state agencies to notify the Office of Federal Assistance within the Governor's Office of any or each grant received, the total amount of the grant and the allocation of the grant by county and if the state agency does not award sub grants or execute any necessary contracts related to the grant within 120 days of receiving the grant.

<a href="#">AB368</a>	Revises provisions governing public administrators.	Cmtee on Gov't Affairs	Pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3.1, no further action allowed. Authorizing the boards of county commissioners of all counties to abolish the office of public administrator. This is a continuation of a bill that NACO assisted with in 2019, that allowed counties under 100k to abolish the office of public administrator and then make it an appointed office.
<a href="#">AB370</a>	Revises provisions governing elections.	Asm. Hansen, Dickman, Gurr, Hafen, Hardy, Kasama, Koenig,	Pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3.1, no further action allowed. ASSEMBLYWOMAN HANSEN - Would require the Secretary of State to enter into a cooperative agreement with each court for each jury commissioner to submit a monthly report to the Secretary of State and county clerk that includes information about those who were not qualified to act as a juror. Would require the Secretary of State to submit a monthly report to each county clerk regarding DMV reporting on individuals that have obtained a license in another state and would require each county clerk to compare information on the statewide voter registration list with the federal Systematic Alien Verification for Entitlements Program
<a href="#">AB377</a>	Revises provisions relating to public employees.	Cmtee on Gov't Affairs	Pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3.1, no further action allowed. COMMITTEE ON GOVERNMENT AFFAIRS - Would add bailiffs and deputy marshals as local government employees and prevent the county and the employee organization representing bailiffs or deputy marshals from negotiating any matter under control of the judiciary if a court does not have a recognized collective bargaining unit.
<a href="#">AB379</a>	Revises provisions concerning the confidentiality of certain personal information of certain persons.	Cmtee on Gov't Affairs	Pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3.1, no further action allowed. COMMITTEE ON GOVERNMENT AFFAIRS - Would allow any justice or judge, senior justice or judge, court appointed master, clerk of the court, court administrator, or court executive officer to submit a written request instead of a court order to the county recorder for their information to be kept confidential.
<a href="#">AB393</a>	Establishes the Doctors for Nevada Program to attract providers of health care to this State.	Asm. Kasama; Sen. Lange	Pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3.1, no further action allowed. ASSEMBLYWOMAN KASAMA - Would establish a Doctors for Nevada program with the Office of Science, Innovation and Technology. The program would reimburse medical school debt for doctors who relocate to NV, provide stipends to residents who agree to practice in NV for at least 2 years and reimburse medical school debt for those residents.
<a href="#">AB397</a>	Revises provisions governing public safety.	Kasama	Pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3.1, no further action allowed. ASSEMBLYWOMAN KASAMA - would revise the rules for the "once a felon, always a felon" rule, adds mandated alcohol or substance abuse treatment for what constitutes a prior offense.
<a href="#">AB402</a>	Revises provisions relating to licensing.	Hafen	Pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3.1, no further action allowed. ASSEMBLYMAN HAFEN - Would require each regulatory body of the state to submit a report to the Governor and Legislature every other year with information on the occupation and professions that were licensed and regulated.
<a href="#">AB417</a>	Revises provisions relating to indigent defense services.	O'Neill	Pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3.1, no further action allowed. ASSEMBLYMAN O'NEILL - Would require the Board on Indigent Defense Services to solicit comments from the BOCC and each court and consult with the county and courts on enabling quality indigent defense services prior to adopting regulations.
<a href="#">AB435</a>	Revises provisions governing behavioral health.	Cmtee on Health & Human Services	Pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3.1, no further action allowed. COMMITTEE ON HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES - Would authorize DBPH to administer a grant program to award grants for integrated treatment of co-occurring disorders. Would require the Commission on Behavioral Health to establish metrics to evaluate behavioral health care across the state and recommend incentive to make improvements. Would also require reporting to the Legislature and Medicaid coverage of tribal-based behavioral health.
<a href="#">AB446</a>	Revises provisions governing guardianship of minors.	Cohen	Pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3.1, no further action allowed. ASSEMBLYWOMAN COHEN - Makes changes to the guardianship provisions for minors. Would strike compensation for guardian ad litem from the estate of the protected minor or the county if the minor is determined to be indigent, as well as strike provisions related to guardians making investments.
<a href="#">AB450</a>	Revises provisions governing the real property transfer tax.	Considine	Pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3.1, no further action allowed. ASSEMBLYWOMAN CONSIDINE - Would nullify a property tax exemption on a transfer of real property between affiliated business entities if one of those entities was created solely to evade the tax on transfers of real property.

<a href="#">AJR3</a>	Proposes to amend the Nevada Constitution to establish certain rights relating to the environment.	Asm. Peters, Watts & Thomas; Sen. Donate & Scheible	Oppose	Pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3.1, no further action allowed. ASSEMBLYMEMBERS PETERS, WATTS; AND THOMAS - Would make an addition to the Nevada Constitution guaranteeing the right to a clean and healthy environment, would mandate the conservation, protection and maintenance of the state's natural resources, would require that the duties be carried out equitably regardless of race, ethnicity, gender, geography or wealth, and would prohibit action that would cause unreasonable degradation, diminution or depletion of the environment.
<a href="#">AJR7</a>	Proposes to amend the Nevada Constitution to revise certain provisions relating to property taxes.	Anderson & Considine		Pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3.1, no further action allowed. ASSEMBLYWOMAN ANDERSON - Would amend the Nevada Constitution regarding the abatement or partial exemption on single family residence property tax. The real property that has been sold or transferred would not be eligible for any abatements or exemptions for 1 fiscal year. The Legislature would be required to provide for a program to refund taxes imposed on disabled people over the age of 62.
<a href="#">SB15</a>	Makes various changes related to guardianships.	Cmtee on Judiciary		Pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3.1, no further action allowed. A bill pertaining to Guardianships. 1) It reorganizes the State Guardianship office 2) Increases allowable fees to be charged for the production of documents by the County recorders office. 3) Requires that any governmental entity that holds records, needed in an investigation and during the scope of an investigation to provide requested documents free of charge.
<a href="#">SB31</a>	Authorizes a cannabis establishment to move to a new location under the jurisdiction of a different local government under certain circumstances.	Cmtee on Commerce & Labor		Pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3.1, no further action allowed. CANNABIS COMPLIANCE BOARD - Allows for the relocation of an existing MJ dispensary to a different location, in a different county, as long as the new county is not Clark or Washoe, and the new local government has approved, through ordinance, the relocation and establishment of the dispensary.
<a href="#">SB33</a>	Revises provisions related to cannabis.	Cmtee on Commerce & Labor		Pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3.1, no further action allowed. CANNABIS COMPLIANCE BOARD - This is a regulatory clean-up bill, nothing around licensing or local authority has changed. Most significantly there is no longer a distinction between medical cannabis and retail. However, there are provisions related to cannabis consumption lounges including: address of the lounge attached or immediately adjacent to an existing retail store included on the application; not more than 50% of licenses issued can be for consumption lounges; at least 50% of consumption lounge licenses must be issued to social equity applicants.
<a href="#">SB48</a>	Revises provisions relating to air quality.	Cmtee on Natural Resources		Pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3.1, no further action allowed. CLARK COUNTY - Under existing law, a portion of revenue from air quality fees is provided to the Clark County School District for various purposes. This bill would modify that funding allocation given the amount of unspent revenue under this program by the CCSD and revert that portion that goes to the CCSD to the Clark County Air Quality District. Only applies to Clark County as it is only their fees that get diverted in state law.
<a href="#">SB51</a>	Revises provisions relating to the compensation of certain county commissioners.	Cmtee on Gov't Affairs		Pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3.1, no further action allowed. NYE COUNTY - Separates the salary of County Commissioners, from other elected officials, and builds in a 2% raise every year, for a County Commissioner who has served at least 4 years.
<a href="#">SB53</a>	Revises provisions relating to elections.	Cmtee on Leg. Op's & Elec.		Pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3.1, no further action allowed. SECRETATRY OF STATE - Elections bill pertaining to candidate filings, moving the date from the first Monday in March for filing, or declaration of candidacy, to the first Monday in February.
<a href="#">SB64</a>	Revises provisions relating to school districts.	Cmtee on Education		Pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3.1, no further action allowed. LT. GOVERNER - Allows for the appointment of school board trustees, in school districts of counties larger than 100k in population. The appointments would be from cities and counties larger than 60k; one appointment from the board of county commissioners and one appointment from each city. Also requires that every 5 years, the legislative auditor would be required to perform an audit of each school district. The Board of County Commissioners would then have one appointment to the school board of trustees in those counties with incorporated cities of less than 60k.

<a href="#">SB69</a>	Revises provisions relating to disciplinary proceedings against the holder of a license or registration card issued by the Cannabis Compliance Board.	Cmtee on Commerce & Labor		Pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3.1, no further action allowed. This bill, if amendment is adopted, has been "gutted" and one of the provisions, in addition to additional fines for illegal possession of MJ.; making possession of such a felony, it does add a sweep and carve out of the 5m dollars of money allocated to local governments to off set impacts of MJ legalization. (VG 4.13.23 - Henderson, NACO, League to oppose. )
<a href="#">SB75</a>	Requires the election of a registrar of voters.	Sen. Titus; Asm. Dickman		Pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3.1, no further action allowed. This bill requires the Registrar of Voters to become an elected office - currently in Clark and Washoe Counties only - this is an appointed position.
<a href="#">SB84</a>	Revises provisions governing the confidentiality of the personal information of certain persons.	Buck		Pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3.1, no further action allowed. SENATOR BUCK - Adds teachers to the list of people allowed to request that their personal information be kept confidential in records of a county recorder.
<a href="#">SB96</a>	Revises provisions relating to taxation.	Cmtee on Rev. & Econ. Dev.	Support	Pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3.1, no further action allowed. This bill addresses property tax rates and abatements. Essentially mimicking the language of the NACO bill from the 2021 session and creating a floor on the amount of the abatement that can be applied.
<a href="#">SB122</a>	Revises provisions relating to crimes.	Buck		Pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3.1, no further action allowed. This bill prohibits targeted picketing in residential areas.
<a href="#">SB130</a>	Revises provisions relating to the emergency powers of the Governor.	Titus, Buck, Krasner, Hansen &		Pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3.1, no further action allowed. This bill makes reforms to the Governor's emergency powers - among them, it would allow the BOCC to review emergency orders related to public health and determine if the severity or scope of them are necessary for their local jurisdiction.
<a href="#">SB135</a>	Revises the deadline for returning mail ballots by mail.	Titus, Krasner, Goicoechea, Buck, Stone,		Pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3.1, no further action allowed. Revises deadline for receiving mail in ballots - under this law all mail in ballots will have to be postmarked by the final day of early voting and received by the fourth day following early voting.
<a href="#">SB142</a>	Enacts the Homeless Persons' Bill of Rights.	Harris, Scheible, Flores,		Pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3.1, no further action allowed. Creates a homeless bill of rights, and authorizes civil actions to be brought, if rights are perceived to have been infringed.
<a href="#">SB156</a>	Revises the Open Meeting Law.	Ohrenschall		Pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3.1, no further action allowed. A bill to modernize open meeting law - allowing virtual participation and establishing rules around virtual participation, meetings and other local government business under OML.
<a href="#">SB157</a>	Revises provisions relating to elections.	Hansen, Buck, Titus, Goicoechea,		Pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3.1, no further action allowed. This bill eliminates same day voter registration, or changes to your voter registration between early voting and on election day.
<a href="#">SB213</a>	Revises provisions relating to taxes on transient lodging.	Cmtee on Gov't Affairs		Pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3.1, no further action allowed. This bill requires the distribution of transient lodging tax, up to 1% be distributed to a legislatively created tourism district. The existing law governing this tax, required that it be spent on infrastructure related to roads, and other tourism based impacts. (VG: not sure if this is an issue, flagging for others 3.7.23)
<a href="#">SB245</a>	Provides that peace officers are immune from civil liability under certain circumstances.	Sen. Hansen, Stone & Goicoechea; Asm. Gray		Pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3.1, no further action allowed. Provides peace officers with immunity from civil liability while in the performance of their duties as a said peace officer.
<a href="#">SB304</a>	Revises provisions related to public safety.	Cannizzaro, Dondero Loop,		Pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3.1, no further action allowed. A bill pertaining to fire departments and requires any fire department created by a local governing body, of a county, city or town to abide by certain national standards, including national fire codes, and worker safety.
<a href="#">SB337</a>	Revises provisions governing the forfeiture of property.	Hansen		Pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3.1, no further action allowed. This bill would provide for a uniform procedure on the issue of civil forfeiture. (The seizing of property, monetary items by law enforcement, even if a person has not been convicted of crime) It also allows for a series of penalties if the uniform act is violated.

<a href="#">SB374</a>	Revises provisions relating to property taxes.	Sen. Stone, Hansen, Krasner, Buck,		Pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3.1, no further action allowed. This bill provides exemptions on property taxes for those 55 or older who are deemed a military veteran.
<a href="#">SB432</a>	Revises provisions governing economic development.	SeEVERS Gansert	Oppose	Pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3.1, no further action allowed. This bill diverts tax abatements that are now rolling off of GOED projects, specifically in Storey County and "pools" 80% of the now assessed tax revenue to pay for growth impacts in neighboring counties.
<a href="#">AB381</a>	Revises provisions governing guardianship.	Cmtee on Judiciary		Pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3.2, no further action allowed. COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY - Would require a petition for the appointment of guardianship to include additional information such as telephone number and email. The petition would also need to include reasons and documentation on why a guardian is needed, appointment of a guardian ad litem and the scope and duties of the guardian ad litem. Would require the court to set an hourly rate of compensation for the guardian ad litem.
<a href="#">AB419</a>	Revises provisions governing tax abatements for certain renewable energy facilities.	Hafen	Support	Pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3.2, no further action allowed. ASSEMBLYMAN HAFEN - Would require wholesale solar power operators to keep that power in-state, if power is sent out of state then the company would not get a tax abatement. Amendment to define Power Station.
<a href="#">SB268</a>	Requires the Secretary of State to submit an advisory question to voters concerning the regulation of the sale and use of fireworks in all counties of the State of Nevada.	Ohrenschall	Oppose	Pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3.2, no further action allowed. This requires the S.O.S. to put forth an advisory question on the ballot, that advises on the regulation and use of fireworks in Nevada.
<a href="#">SB318</a>	Revises provisions related to homeless persons.	Scheible & Harris		Pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3.2, no further action allowed. Allows cities to impose additional sewer fees to fund homeless services.
<a href="#">AB8</a>	Revises the composition of a metropolitan police committee on fiscal affairs.	Cmtee on Gov't Affairs		Pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3.3, no further action allowed. (5.22.23) (R1) Clark County Metro Police Committee on Fiscal Affairs; specifies that the county will have three representatives and each participating political subdivision may have two; as well as two voting members from the general public.
<a href="#">AB14</a>	Creates the Business Licensing Working Group.	Cmtee on Judiciary		Pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3.3, no further action allowed. (5.22.23) (R1) Establishes the Business Licensing Working Group within the Office of the Secretary of State to make recommendations on the consolidation of the electronic business licensing during the 23-24 interim. NACO must appoint 3 individuals to the working group, one each from Clark and Washoe and an additional member from one of the other counties.
<a href="#">AB66</a>	Revises provisions relating to ethics in government.	Cmtee on Leg. Op's & Elec.		Pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3.3, no further action allowed. (5.22.23) (R1) Adds definitions to the Commission on Ethics to include among others, Chair, Party and Published Opinion. The establishment of statutory ethical standards, confidentiality, time extensions, Chair and Vice Chair duties, Commission counsel duties, Commission jurisdiction, defining impropriety in relation to
<a href="#">AB86</a>	Revises provisions relating to animal welfare. (BDRÂ 50-203)	Hardy		Pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3.4, no further action allowed. (5.27.23 JCB) (R1) Revises provisions related to treatment of dogs, including properly fitted restraints, outdoor shelter and water requirements. Includes prohibitions against depriving animals from ventilation, veterinary care, and grooming; exemption for those that are indigent; a definition of abandonment that excludes animals being taken to the pound or animal shelter.
<a href="#">AB92</a>	Authorizes a board of county commissioners to create the office of county counsel.	Koenig		Pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3.3, no further action allowed. (5.22.23) Authorizes BOCCs to create an office of county counsel to perform many of the noncriminal duties that would previously be assigned to the district attorney such as providing legal opinions, being present at BOCC meetings, reviewing contracts, drafting ordinances and amendments, providing legal opinions and preparing legal papers. Amends the definition of "district attorney" to include mention of office of county counsel.

<a href="#">AB104</a>	Revises provisions governing the submission of legislative measures for city charters.	Dickman & O'Neill		Pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3.3, no further action allowed. (5.22.23) (R1) Would allow cities incorporated by special charter to request 1 legislative measure per regular session to amend the city charter, in addition to the authorized number of measures based on population. Includes Carson City as well as Boulder City, Caliente, Carlin, Elko, Henderson, Las Vegas, Mesquite, North Las Vegas, Reno, Sparks, Wells and Yerington. Imposes a limit on the number of times a city may request the additional legislative measure authorized by this bill to not more than twice every ten years.
<a href="#">AB171</a>	Revises provisions governing public works.	Duran, Torres, Anderson, Gonzalez, Bilbray-Asm. Gray, O'Neill, DeLong,		Pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3.3, no further action allowed. (5.22.23) (R1) Allows a public body after notice and a public hearing to award a contract to the best value bidder if it is determined that the public work presents unique and complex construction challenges and must consider whether the contractor offers fringe benefits, compliance history, and the offering of workforce training.
<a href="#">AB173</a>	Revises provisions governing public works.		Support	Pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3.3, no further action allowed. (5.22.23) (R1) Would require that each bid submitted for any public work contain the name of each first tier subcontractor that will be paid over \$100K.
<a href="#">AB190</a>	Revises provisions relating to elections.	Kasama		Pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3.3, no further action allowed. (5.22.23) (R1) Requires the Secretary of State to create instructions for registering to vote, updating voter registration and cancelling voter registration to be provided to title companies, apartment associations, and would allow property management companies to distribute to anyone who purchases or sells real estate or enters into a lease.
<a href="#">AB387</a>	Revises provisions relating to water.	Cmtee on Natural Resources		Pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3.3, no further action allowed. (5.22.23) (R1) Would require instead of encourage the State Engineer to consider the best available water science and provide a definition of the best available science, and would make the appropriation of underground waters subject to all existing rights regardless of where the points of diversion are located if the State Engineer finds a hydrologic connection sufficient to cause a conflict with existing rights. Would also require the State Engineer to deny applications to appropriate water for beneficial use if, and to determine the availability of unappropriated groundwater based on whether, the proposed use or change conflicts with existing rights.
<a href="#">AB392</a>	Makes various changes relating to property.	Kasama, Jauregui & Gurr		Pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3.4, no further action allowed. 5.27.23 (R1) Would prohibit deceptive, overly restrictive or contracts that would create a security interest in the property such as a lien.
<a href="#">SB83</a>	Revises provisions governing the confidentiality of the personal information of certain civilian employees of law enforcement agencies.	Daly		Pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3.3, no further action allowed. SENATOR DALY - Adds civilian employees who provide support services to law enforcement agencies to the list of people allowed to request that their personal information be kept confidential in records of a county recorder.
<a href="#">SB90</a>	Designates the wild mustang as the official state horse of the State of Nevada.	Cmtee on Natural Resources		Pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3.3, no further action allowed. This bill designates the Mustang as the Official State Horse of Nevada.
<a href="#">SB215</a>	Revises provisions relating to mechanical voting machines and mechanical recording devices.	Cmtee on Leg. Op's & Elec.		Pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3.3, no further action allowed. Revises provisions relating to mechanical voting machines and mechanical voting devices requiring the governing body of a county or city to return money appropriated or granted for the purchase of a mechanical voting system or mechanical recording device.
<a href="#">SB250</a>	Revises provisions relating to catalytic converters.	Ohrenschall, Nguyen & Spearman		Pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3.3, no further action allowed. This addresses catalytic converter theft, provides from penalties, and jail time for organized theft rings.
<a href="#">SB296</a>	Revises provisions related to traffic stops.	Sen. Harris, Spearman, Donate, Ohrenschall,		(Pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3.3, no further action allowed.) This bill prohibits law enforcement from making primary enforcements stops for low level offenses, which is defined as expired registration, lack of permits for unregistered vehicles and for certain smaller levels of speeding. Any evidence acquired in a such a traffic stop is considered inadmissible in court for the purposes of a crime or a prosecution, or charge or violation.
<a href="#">SB394</a>	Revises provisions governing abatements and partial abatements of certain taxes.	Cmtee on Rev. & Econ. Dev.		Pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3.3, no further action allowed. (R1) Bill amended to limit abatements by GOED to \$500,000.

<a href="#">SB427</a>	Revises provisions relating to occupational safety and health.	Cmtee on Gov't Affairs	Pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3.3, no further action allowed. This is another bill that addresses planning for excessive heat mitigation, especially as it pertains to workers. Could have impact on public works jobs, as there are several requirements upon the employer when the temperature reaches above 95 degrees. There are shaded facilities that will need to be provided by the employer, mandatory rest and break times, and nearby potable cool water facilities.
<a href="#">AB303</a>	Revises provisions relating to the towing of a motor vehicle under certain circumstances.	Cmtee on Growth & Infra.	Pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3.4, no further action allowed. 5.27.23 (R1) Would specify that vehicles cannot be towed solely based on registration status and expands the option to pay a hardship tariff to certain additional circumstances where a vehicle is towed from a residential complex.
<a href="#">AB1</a>	Authorizes certain counties to impose additional local sales and use tax under certain circumstances.	Cmtee on Revenue	No further action taken. 6.6.23 ESMERALDA COUNTY - Applies to counties with 15k or less population, allows for the BOCC to enact an ordinance to impose a local sales and use tax of one-quarter of 1 percent to support the operation of a solid waste management system. Ordinance must be approved by registered voters in the county.
<a href="#">AB99</a>	Revises provisions governing Medicaid rates of reimbursement.	Brown-May	No further action taken. (6.6.23 JCB) (R1) Would require the the Division of Health Care Financing and Policy at DHHS to submit a report every 4 years to IFC and Joint HHS Standing Committee; would also require the Division to conduct a study to determine the cost to the State General Fund to increase the reimbursement rate to Long-term Care Providers (LCP) and for annually adjusting the reimbursement rate for LCPs to account for Cost of Living Adjustments and then submit a report of the findings and recommendations to the IFC for the 2025 Legislative Session. Would "long-term care provider" as providers of Medicaid home- and community-based waiver services including home health and private duty nursing services.
<a href="#">AB200</a>	Revises provisions governing legislative measures that may be requested for a regular legislative session.	McArthur	No further action taken. (6.6.23) Makes reductions to the number of legislative measures that can be requested to be drafted. Incumbent members of the Assembly from 10 to 6, Incumbent members of the Senate from 20 to 12, new members of the Assembly from 6 to 4, new members of the Senate from 12 to 7. Prefiles for Incumbent members of the Assembly from 4 to 2, Incumbent members of the Senate from 8 to 5, new members of the Assembly from 2 to 1, and new members of the Senate from 4 to 2. Also reduces the number of requests from Committees, the Governor, Lt. Governor, Secretary of State, Treasurer, Controller, and Attorney General & NACO (from 5 to 4).
<a href="#">AB253</a>	Provides for the permitting and regulation of certain events at which the sale and consumption of cannabis or cannabis products is allowed.	Cameron Miller	No further action taken. 6.6.23 (R1) Designates temporary cannabis events, would require a temporary cannabis event permit and a Board licensed portable cannabis vendor permit. Would establish requirements for portable cannabis vendors, and expand the definition of social equity applicants and would make requirements for the issuance of cannabis event organizer licenses and portable cannabis vendor licenses in a local governmental jurisdictions that limit the number of business licenses issued and require compliance with all local rules and ordinances.
<a href="#">AB263</a>	Enacts provisions relating to the transmission of Legionnaires' disease by building water systems in certain health care facilities.	Watts	No further action taken. 6.6.23 (R1) Would require health-care facilities where a patient stay could exceed 24 hours, that receives State or Federal Medicaid or Medicare funds, or where medically fragile or immunocompromised patients are housed to adopt and implement a water management plan to minimize the transmission of Legionnaires' disease, to include annual review of the plan and notification to a health authority upon suspicion or diagnosis of Legionnaires' disease connected to the health-care facility.
<a href="#">AB301</a>	Revises provisions relating to public employees.	Hibbetts, D'Silva, Yurek & Carter	No further action taken. 6.6.23 (R1) Would expand the definition of a police officer to include school police officers, juvenile probation officers, and bailiffs or deputy marshal of a municipal court, as well as a marshal or deputy marshal of any city or township. These individuals would be added to the list of those covered by the Nevada Occupational Diseases Act.
<a href="#">AB312</a>	Establishes provisions relating to environmental justice.	Peters	No further action taken. 6.6.23 (R1) This creates the Environmental Justice Advisory Council, consisting of of nine members selected by the Governor; the council will provide advice to the Legislature and the Division of Environmental Protection of the State Department of Conservation and Natural Resources and be required to submit a biennial report to the Legislature as well as recommendations for legislation. The Council would also award grants of money to eligible entities for projects that maximize climate health, public health and environmental, workforce and economic benefits; and prioritize disadvantaged communities.

<a href="#">AB313</a>	Revises provisions relating to mining reclamation.	Peters	Oppose	No further action taken. 6.6.23 (R1) Would require that mining operations submit a revised reclamation plan if they are renewing a permit for water pollution control or a major modification of a permit to engage in mining. Would also require that the plan contain provisions for backfilling should an open pit be excavated below the pre-mining water table. Mining applicants would have to assume responsibility for reclamation of any surface water and groundwater affected by exploration or mining operations.
<a href="#">AB315</a>	Establishes various provisions relating to geothermal energy.	Hardy		No further action taken. 6.6.23 (R1) Would direct the Director of the Office of Energy within the Office of the Governor to conduct a study during the 2023"2024 Interim concerning the use of geothermal energy in Nevada and apply for federal grants related to geothermal resources development and foster the growth of geothermal resources in the state. Would also require best practices for issuing a permit for geothermal energy to consider environmental impacts.
<a href="#">AB338</a>	Revises provisions governing health care.	Peters		No further action taken. 6.6.23 (R1) This would require DHHS to include a requirement for the State to pay for creative art therapy provided to Medicaid patients in the State Plan as well apply for a waiver for the Federal Medicaid requirements to receive Federal Funding for creative art therapy. (5.8.23 JCB)
<a href="#">AB351</a>	Establishes the Deferred Retirement Option Program for certain public employees.	Yurek & Hibbetts		No further action taken. 6.6.23 Would establish the Deferred Retirement Option Program within the Public Employees' Retirement System that would allow police and firefighters with 25 years of service and eligible for retirement the opportunity to access lump-sum benefits in addition to the service retirement allowance. If these individuals choose to participate in this program they must designate a time period of participation not to exceed 84 consecutive months and agree to terminate their employment upon completion of the program. Declared exempt.
<a href="#">AB369</a>	Revises provisions governing the administration of justice.	Orentlicher & Gonzalez		No further action taken. 6.6.23 (R1) Would expand the circumstances for which a person could be considered indigent if they have a household income of less than 200% of income limit and for penalties related to minor traffic offences or misdemeanors and require the court to inform a defendant that they may be eligible for a waiver or reduction of the fine. (5.8.23 JCB) (Clark County drafted a conceptual amendment that would likely reduce the fiscal impact of the bill on the court system. 4.5.23 JCB) (Work Session - Accept and Do Pass; Nays- Hansen, Gallant, Yurik, Gray, Hardy, Floor Statement assigned to Assemblyman Orentlicher. 4.14.23 JCB)
<a href="#">AB416</a>	Provides an exemption from property taxation for accessory dwelling units leased to certain tenants.	Summers-Armstrong		No further action taken. 6.6.23 (R1) Would provide a property tax exemption for for an accessory dwelling unit, if the accessory dwelling unit is rented or leased to a tenant receiving assistance under the Housing Choice Voucher Program with annual verification of eligibility.
<a href="#">AB429</a>	Revises provisions relating to aviation.	Gurr, Dickman, Hafen, Gray,	Support	No further action taken. 6.6.23 (R1) Would create the Aviation Commission under GOED, and add membership criteria including NACO, in 2 year staggered terms with the Governor ensuring that at least one member of the appointed commission is a resident of a county whose population is less than 100,000.
<a href="#">AB441</a>	Revises provisions relating to industrial insurance.	Cmtee on Commerce & Labor		No further action taken. 6.6.23 (R1) Workers Compensation; would require insurers to make claims available for inspection and reproduction at an office within the state or electronically. Would also allow an office operated by an insurer or its third-party administrator to keep reproductions of certain files rather than the original copies. Would expand the circumstances under which a physician or chiropractic physician may be involuntarily removed from an insurer's list with an ability to reapply for inclusion on the panel.
<a href="#">AB445</a>	Revises provisions relating to the mental health of children.	Newby		No further action taken. 6.6.23 Would allow for tax abatement for a business that provides children's mental health services that locates or expands in the state. Partial abatements would be approved in counties over 100K if they have been recommended by the county and an evaluation of the number of Medicaid patients to be served. The business must abide by county permitting.
<a href="#">AB449</a>	Authorizes a credit or refund of property taxes under certain circumstances when an applicable partial abatement of taxes was not applied or claimed.	Asm. Gallant, Gray, Dickman, D'Silva & McArthur;		No further action taken. 6.6.23 (R1) Would allow a taxpayer to claim entitlement to a partial tax abatement for single-family owner-occupied homes for the immediately preceding fiscal year if the county treasurer determines the taxpayer failed (without having to prove good cause) to claim the partial abatement, the county treasurer is authorized, with the concurrence of the assessor and without the approval of the board of county commissioners, to correct the tax roll for the immediately preceding fiscal year at any time during that fiscal year.



<a href="#">AB490</a>	Authorizes the establishment of academic medical districts.	Yeager		No further action taken. 6.6.23 Would create an academic medical district for the purpose of economic development and medical care access in an area that includes an academic medical center, a full-service, nonprofit hospital with at least 200 beds (UMC), and 50 acres of land. Authorizes government entities, BOCC and City Council to utilize the ordinance process, with at least 3 public hearings to create the academic medical district. Allows for the ordinance to include the creation of a tax increment area for the payment of bonds to offset the costs of the district. Would also allow businesses in the district that provide health care or conduct scientific research to apply to GoED for tax abatements, including local sales and use tax. The Board of Directors for the medical district may not include any elected officials or employees of participating entities (Section 16).
<a href="#">AB529</a>	<b>Revises provisions relating to the compensation of certain county officers.</b>	<b>Asm. O'Neill, Anderson, Taylor,</b>		<b>No further action taken. 6.6.23 (Emergency Measure) This is the county elected, and commissioner, pay bill complete with opt out language.</b>
<a href="#">AJR4</a>	Proposes to amend the Nevada Constitution to create an independent redistricting commission.	Asm. Hafen, O'Neill, Dickman, Kasama,		No further action taken. 6.6.23 ASSEMBLYMEN HAFEN - Currently under Article 4 of the Nevada Constitution, the Legislature is required to divide members of the Senate and Assembly among the counties and legislative districts of the state following each census. This joint resolution would instead create the Independent Redistricting Commission which would be responsible for apportionment of state legislators and the U.S. House of Representatives.
<a href="#">ACR7</a>	Directs the Joint Interim Standing Committee on Revenue to conduct a study regarding wealth taxes during the 2023-2024 interim.	Anderson & Considine		No further action taken. 6.6.23 Directs the Joint Interim Standing Committee on Revenue to conduct a study regarding wealth taxes during the 2023-2024 interim.
<a href="#">SB41</a>	Revises provisions relating to child welfare.	Cmtee on Health & Human Services	NACO	No further action taken. 6.6.23 NACO - A bill addressing child welfare services. This bill provides that the incentive funding, provided by the block grant to Clark and Washoe to deliver child welfare services will no longer be considered an incentive and will be part of overall block grant funding to the those counties to deliver child welfare services. The matrix will still be measured to confirm that those counties are delivering the objective of incentive payments. Further, the interim committee on Health and Human Services will conduct a statewide study on unfunded mandates and the impacts of those mandates to funding of child welfare services.
<a href="#">SB68</a>	Establishes programs to provide certain assistance relating to housing.	Cmtee on Rev. & Econ. Dev.	Oppose	No further action taken. 6.6.23 CLARK COUNTY REGIONAL HEALTH POLICY BOARD - This creates a fund to address affordable housing needs and utilizes proceeds from the real estate transfer tax to fund certain projects for affordable housing. The bill makes conforming changes on income and expenses of those who are eligible for affordable housing.
<a href="#">SB102</a>	Makes an appropriation to the Division of Water Resources of the State Department of Conservation and Natural Resources to award grants of money for the development and maintenance of water resource plans.	Goicoechea		No further action taken. 6.6.23 Appropriates 1m dollars to DCNR - Water Resources to allow for the awarding of grants for water infrastructure projects.
<a href="#">SB112</a>	Revises provisions governing groundwater basin assessments.	Goicoechea & Titus		No further action taken. 6.6.23 This bill makes some reforms to the special assessment BOCC's can charge for groundwater basins to pay well drillers, operators or well advisory boards. Under this law, none of the fees can be used to compensate State Engineer, or their operational or office staff. Raises minimum charge by BOCC to \$2.
<a href="#">SB140</a>	Authorizes certain counties to obtain reimbursement of costs incurred for certain activities that are subject to the excise tax on live entertainment.	Hansen, Goicoechea, Buck, Titus & Stone		No further action taken. 6.6.23 This bill makes changes to the distribution of the live entertainment tax. Currently 100% of that tax goes to the state general fund. This bill would allocate 50% of the proceeds of live entertainment taxes in counties under 9k in population: Esmeralda, Eureka, Lander, Lincoln, Mineral, Pershing & Storey Counties. The purpose of the funds would be to mitigate the impacts from live entertainment events on those counites.
<a href="#">SB162</a>	Revises provisions relating to voting in county and city jails.	Scheible		No further action taken. 6.6.23 Requires the establishment of polling places in county jails.

<a href="#">SB180</a>	Revises provisions relating to groundwater boards.	Goicoechea	Support	No further action taken. 6.6.23 Current law gives the governor authority over creating groundwater boards. This proposal would allow BOCC to create a groundwater board and appoint the members, after 4 years, the State engineer can dissolve the groundwater board, unless they receive a formal request from the BOCC to maintain such board.
<a href="#">SB185</a>	Establishes provisions relating to businesses.	Neal		No further action taken. 6.6.23 Creates the Business Opportunity Outreach Division, for microbusinesses (employs less than 10 people) within the department of State Purchasing. Local governments, and governing bodies would be required to coordinate and collaborate with the newly created office and if necessary, provide procedures for microbusiness.
<a href="#">SB233</a>	Revises provisions governing taxes imposed on certain heavy equipment.	Cannizzaro	Oppose	No further action taken. 6.6.23 This creates a new tax structure for the rental of heavy equipment. Proposes multiple exemptions for government agencies, including counties, federal government, but then charges a 2% gross receipts tax, which is then reverted to the dept of taxation, then the dept of tax remits that back down to counties. no structure in place for state to do this, also makes a carveout for just one industry, the rental industry and expands the type of equipment that would be covered.
<a href="#">SB396</a>	Imposes a tax on the retail sale of certain digital products.	Neal		No further action taken. 6.6.23 Establishes a digital goods tax, and would require a tax collected for counties in the same manner as Sales and Use Taxes. The bill also requires a threshold for digital goods sold before the tax would need to be remitted to local governments and other taxing entities.
<a href="#">SB405</a>	Revises provisions relating to elections.	Cmtee on Leg. Op's & Elec.		No further action taken. 6.6.23 OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR - this is the governor's bill that requires voter id. and requires the DMV to create identification for individuals for free of charge to allow for voting, if they are unable to obtain a driver's license. This bill also eliminates the requirement that every county clerk and election official mail a mail in ballot to every registered voter in a county. Under the proposal, the date for receiving a mail in ballot is also shortened.
<a href="#">SB430</a>	Revises provisions relating to partial refunds of property taxes to certain persons who are 66 years of age or older.	Hammond		No further action taken. 6.6.23 This bill provides tax abatements to individuals 55 years or older in certain circumstances, mostly pertaining to income levels. If the homeowner is within federal poverty guidelines they would qualify for an abatement of property taxes paid, if they receive partial rent payments for their house they can qualify for a partial abatement.
<a href="#">SB496</a>	Revises provisions relating to the film industry.	Sen. Lange, Pazina, Daly,		No further action taken. 6.6.23 This is the bill to provide film industry tax credits to encourage and entice Sony Pictures/Entertainment to relocate to Clark County.
<a href="#">SB509</a>	Revises provisions governing stadium infrastructure projects.	Cmtee on Finance		No further action taken. 6.6.23 Stadium Infrastructure bill - would allow the Clark County Stadium Authority to carry out the Southern Nevada Tourism Innovation Act to provide financing for a Major League Baseball stadium project. Would require the BOCC to create a sports and entertainment improvement district to assist in financing or refinancing the MLB stadium project as well as issue general obligations of the County upon the request of the Board of Directors of the Stadium Authority. This bill would also require the Clark County BOCC to create a resort corridor homelessness prevention and assistance fund for people who are at risk of becoming homeless or are currently experiencing homelessness.
<a href="#">AB97</a>	Revises provisions relating to government administration.	Hardy		(Vetoed by the Governor - 6.3.23) Would restrict local governments from limiting or prohibiting the use of acceptable refrigerants through building code but would allow cities, counties, and government entities to prohibit the construction or use of evaporative cooling mechanisms, or restrict water service to properties utilizing these mechanisms.
<a href="#">AB160</a>	Revises provisions governing the sealing of certain criminal records.	Cameron Miller, Yeager, Monroe-Moreno. Asm.		(E - Vetoed by the Governor 6.16.23) Requires the Department of Public Safety, Division of Communications and Compliance to develop and implement a process to identify eligible convictions and charges and do a monthly review of the list to transmit to each court with jurisdiction to order sealed the eligible record by January 1, 2027. Includes a restoration of civil rights.
<a href="#">AB172</a>	Revises provisions governing collective bargaining for certain public employees.	Anderson, Duran, Carter, Considine & Cmtee on Health & Human Services		(E - Vetoed by the Governor 6.16.23) Requires school districts to provide each employee organization recognized by the school district, information relating to each employee of the bargaining unit represented by the employee organization regardless of affiliation by January 1 and July 1 each year. Employees may in writing to their employer elect to withhold their information and for the purposes of this bill any information shared is not considered a public record.
<a href="#">AB201</a>	Revises provisions relating to planning for the provision of behavioral health care.	Cmtee on Health & Human Services		(E - Vetoed by the Governor 6.16.23) Would require DHHS to track federal and state spending on children's behavioral health; compile a report with recommendations to submit to the Governor and LCB; present the information before the Joint Interim Standing Committee on Health and Human Services. Would require each Regional Behavioral Health Policy Board to advise DCFS on children's behavioral health with yearly reporting to DBPH and DCFS. Establishes a statewide mental health consortium.

<a href="#">AB235</a>	Revises provisions governing public works projects.	Monroe-Moreno		(E - Vetoed by the Governor 6.1.23) Would require that those who perform custom fabrication on a public work project to be paid a prevailing wage.
<a href="#">AB242</a>	Revises provisions relating to elections.	Cmtee on Leg. Op's & Elec.		(E - Vetoed by the Governor 6.16.23) Would require that all votes cast in person be done through a mechanical voting system and that each polling place have at least two voting booths designed, designated and equipped for elderly or disabled individuals. Would require Clerks and all election board officials to be trained on the specialized voting booths.
<a href="#">AB246</a>	Revises provisions governing elections.	Torres, Marzola, Watts, Gonzalez, Anderson, Backus, Bilbray-Axelrod,		(E - Vetoed by the Governor 6.16.23) An election bill related to language accessibility, would require voting materials in any language required by the counties within the state; translator services from the SOS; requires the SOS notify clerks of any new language requirements in odd numbered years, with an assessment of U.S. Census data and if they find that at least 5k voting age citizens in the state who are members of a minority group and are of limited-English proficiency then the SOS must post election materials/information in that language, when that number reaches 20k then the SOS will work with clerks to offer, sample ballots, in person voting, and mail in ballots in that language. Would require the county clerks to ensure voting materials are available once 5k people are identified as minorities with limited-English proficiency. Enabling language for counties to establish a toll-free telephone number for language interpretation.
<a href="#">AB258</a>	Enacts certain provisions governing the confidentiality of certain personal information of a donor, member or volunteer of a nonprofit organization.	Backus & Kasama	Oppose	(E - Vetoed by the Governor 6.16.23) Would prevent government entities from sharing personal information of donors, members or volunteers of nonprofit organizations. Would allow any individual that believes that a government entity, officer or employee who has violated the sharing of personal information to bring civil action with the possibility of financial relief and those who knowingly and willfully share the personal information is guilty of a misdemeanor.
<a href="#">AB265</a>	Revises provisions relating to mental health.	Asm. Gorelow, Cameron Miller, Monroe-Moreno &		(E - Vetoed by the Governor 5.29.23) Would create a statewide mental health consortium tasked with representing all mental health consortia and establish policies and treatment for children with emotional disturbance, intellectual disabilities, developmental disabilities, substance use disorders and co-occurring disorders as well a compile strategies, goals and services in the long-term strategic plan prepared by each mental health consortium. Would allow the statewide and each consortia one BDR each.
<a href="#">AB298</a>	Revises provisions governing housing.	Jauregui		(E - Vetoed by the Governor 6.1.23) (Companion to AB213) This would require rental agreements to include a separate appendices that contain clear and concise information on all fees that may be charges during the term of the agreement as well as an explanation of tenant rights at the local, state and federal level and would prohibit a landlord from charging an application fee minors.
<a href="#">AB305</a>	Revises provisions governing public works.	Monroe-Moreno, Considine & Thomas		Vetoed by the Governor 6.16.23 (R1) Would require contractors and subcontractors on Public Works in vertical construction to utilize women apprentices who are veterans or minorities for at least 2% of the hours of labor and for those engaged in horizontal construction to utilize women apprentices wo are veterans or minorities at least 1% of the labor hours.
<a href="#">AB359</a>	Revises provisions relating to the imposition by certain counties of additional taxes on fuels for motor vehicles.	Monroe-Moreno, Watts, Thomas & Cameron		(E- Vetoed by the Governor 6.1.23) Would revise the provisions governing the effectuation of additional annual increases in certain taxes imposed on fuels for motor vehicles in Clark County from a majority of voters, and keep authorization for such increases under the BOCC .
<a href="#">AB394</a>	Revises provisions governing elections.	Cmtee on Leg. Op's & Elec.		(E- Vetoed by the Governor 6.1.23) Would require the Secretary of State to establish a procedure for the abstract or certification of results for any election is not timely prepared or transmitted as required.
<a href="#">AB456</a>	Revises provisions relating to railroads.	Cmtee on Growth & Infra.		(E - Vetoed by the Governor 6.1.23) Would prohibit a person from installing a wayside detector system and requires a person who installs a wayside detector system alongside or on a railroad to ensure such systems are located within a certain distance of each other and requires the operator of any train, rolling stock or on-track equipment to take certain actions when passing wayside detector systems not located in this manner as well as establishes requirements for the alarms on wayside detectors. Would prohibit trains exceeding 7,500 feet in length.

<a href="#">SB20</a>	Revises provisions relating to the process for filling a vacancy in the office of county commissioner.	Cmtee on Gov't Affairs	NACO	(Vetoed by the Governor 5.31.23) NACO - Currently under NV Law, if a vacancy occurs on a BOCC it is filled by the Office of the Governor. This bill is intended to bring Counties in parity with Cities who through their individual charter's are allowed to establish a process for filling vacancies on the City Council and the Office of Mayor. The bill sets forth three options for a County Commission to fill a vacancy: 1) Submit a list of two names to the Governor to then choose one of the individuals; 2) establish a public ordinance process to fill the seat with a person of the same political party as the most recent holder of the office; 3) declare a special election to fill the seat for the unexpired term.
<a href="#">SB60</a>	Revises provisions relating to campaign practices.	Cmtee on Leg. Op's & Elec.		(Vetoed by the Governor 6.16.23) This bill allows for candidate filing fees to be paid via credit card, in addition to the traditional methods of cash or check. Further it requires the S.O.S. to adopt a cyber security plan, which all local governments will be required to adhere too, once adopted by regulation. This bill extends the vote counting to 9 days for ballots received and postmarked by election day.
<a href="#">SB81</a>	Revises provisions governing regional planning.	Daly	Oppose	(Vetoed by the Governor 6.16.23) This bill requires and extends the requirement of annual meetings to 2027 between Carson City, Douglas County, Lyon County, Storey County and Washoe County, and the cities, to meet and discuss growth impacts and issues. Annual reports between the counties is required to be provided that outlines positive and negative impacts and summarizes the discussions.
<a href="#">SB88</a>	Requires the Joint Interim Committee on Natural Resources to conduct an interim study of certain state agencies.	Cmtee on Natural Resources		(Vetoed by the Governor 6.16.23) Requires the Interim Committee on Natural Resources to study state natural resources agencies, to be conducted in the interim 2023/2024.. Agencies included are: Board of Wildlife Commissioners, Commission on Minerals, DCNR, State Environmental Commission.
<a href="#">SB104</a>	Revises provisions relating to traffic offenses.	Cmtee on Growth & Infra.		(Vetoed by the Governor 6.16.23) This bill relates to the civil infraction for speeding and traffic violations. The law makes changes regarding the ability of the DMV to suspend or revoke a person's license for the failure to pay the civil fine. Further, allows for the reinstatement of driving and driver license privileges based on the suspension or revocation of these because of a civil infraction, or failure to pay.
<a href="#">SB169</a>	Revises provisions governing master plans.	Cmtee on Gov't Affairs		(Vetoed by the Governor 5.31.23) This would require that the master plan in counties with a population of 100,000 or more (Clark and Washoe Counties) includes a heat mitigation element. Includes a plan to provide heat mitigation services such as cooling spaces, public drinking water, shade over paved surfaces and urban tree canopies.
<a href="#">SB262</a>	Revises the qualifications for membership on certain town advisory councils and boards.	Sen. Flores, Donate, Scheible, Spearman,		(Vetoed by the Governor 6.16.23) This bill addresses town councils and advisory boards - and removes the requirement that members of these boards have to be qualified electors to serve.
<a href="#">SB272</a>	Revises provisions relating to governmental administration.	Donate, Daly, Dondero		(Vetoed by the Governor 6.16.23) This bill affects purchasing, and requires a local government (and state agency) to post on the internet purchasing contracts awarded for the preceding fiscal year, by September 1. Included in this info must be the number of contracts awarded to minority, woman, and LGBTQ owned businesses.
<a href="#">SB301</a>	Revises provisions governing public works.	Sen. Lange, Donate,		(Vetoed by the Governor 6.16.23) This bill expands prevailing wage requirements on public works jobs to include employees or workers who deliver or pick up supplies or materials from a job site that is considered part of a public works job.
<a href="#">SB371</a>	Revises provisions governing local governments.	Cmtee on Gov't Affairs		(Vetoed by the Governor 6.16.23) This bill allows, cities or counties to set rent control related policies.
<a href="#">SB384</a>	Establishes certain provisions relating to the award of grants of federal money by a state agency for the development of broadband services and infrastructure.	Daly		(Vetoed by the Governor 6.16.23) This bill creates certain criteria when considering the awarding of grant, or funds to a project or bidder under the Bipartisan Infrastructure Law, specifically for broadband projects. Additional preference is provided to underserved companies, those that pay prevailing wage, and / or those that have certified training programs for their employees.
<a href="#">SB404</a>	Makes various changes relating to elections.	Cmtee on Leg. Op's & Elec.		(Vetoed by the Governor 6.1.23) This addresses changes to our elections - creates provisions around election worker safety. This bill enables county clerk / election officials to begin counting early voting returns including mail in ballots the first day of early voting. There are parameters that limit contesting of election outcomes. Further, establishing new rules around contesting an election - and limiting election and voting audits.

<a href="#">SB419</a>	Makes revisions relating to public health.	Cmtee on Health & Human Services	(Vetoed by the Governor 6.16.23) This bill would provide Medicaid "for all" including undocumented populations. Further, the bill creates a public health data and innovation hub, and provides for tax abatements for health related economic development and expansion.
<a href="#">SB433</a>	Revises provisions relating to prevailing wages.	Daly	(Vetoed by the Governor 6.3.23) This bill expands the types of funding and public financing, mostly around non-monetary provisions where prevailing wage would then be applied to a project.
<a href="#">SB443</a>	Revises provisions relating to voter registration.	Cmtee on Leg. Op's & Elec.	(Vetoed by the Governor 6.16.23) Related to elections: would require proof of identity to register to early vote or vote on election day. If a DMV issued ID is not used then they must also provide proof of residence. Would also require the DMVs in Clark and Washoe to be open on Saturdays, Sundays and outside the hours of 8am-5pm during a period for voter registration prior to an election.
<a href="#">AB46</a>	Makes various changes relating to historical markers.	Cmtee on Natural Resources	(E - Chapter 279) Transfers the installation, maintenance, and repair responsibilities of all historical markers to the Nevada Division of State Parks.
<a href="#">AB56</a>	Revises provisions relating to the operation of certain motor vehicles on certain portions of a highway.	Cmtee on Growth & Infra.	(E - Chapter 125) Would allow authorized vehicles (including coroner vehicles and hazardous material vehicles) to drive on the paved shoulder on a controlled-access highway where legally placed signage allows such vehicles to drive on the shoulder in that manner.
<a href="#">AB58</a>	Revises provisions relating to regional commercial air service in this State.	Cmtee on Ways & Means	(E - Chapter 449) Specifies that the Nevada Air Service Development Commission is part of the Office of Economic Development and revises the members of the commission to include a NACO representative with all members serving 2 year staggered terms. Repeals the statutory definitions of "large hub airport" "non-hub airport" and "small hub airport" and makes an appropriation to the Fund for Aviation of \$1,000,000 for FY 2023-2024 and \$1,000,000 for FY 2024-2025.
<a href="#">AB62</a>	Revises provisions governing property tax exemptions for low-income housing.	Cmtee on Revenue	(E - Chapter 232) Expands exemption from property taxes for low-income properties for the applicable year if a portion of the property meets the qualification of a "low-income" unit and is financed by the Federal Low-Income Tax Credits or the the federal housing trust fund. Also allows the same exemption for housing for low-income elderly and persons with disabilities.
<a href="#">AB101</a>	Revises provisions relating to informants.	Gonzalez	(E - Chapter 83) Amends requirements for prosecutors to disclose informant information to defendants, including: criminal history, cooperation agreement, benefits that have been requested, offered or provided in exchange for testimony or information, statements made by the informant about the defendant, recantation of statements, and any other cases in which they have been an informant. If this disclosure could be dangerous to the informant, then the prosecutor may instead disclose to the attorney for the defendant. Clarifies the definition of a cooperation agreement to include a person who was in jail or prison; the definition of an informant; revises the records that must be maintained by the office of the prosecuting attorney; and clarifies what information the prosecutor must file and serve if the prosecutor intends to use testimony from the informant.
<a href="#">AB112</a>	Establishes provisions relating to wildlife crossings.	Cmtee on Growth & Infra.	(E - Chapter 246) Creates the Wildlife Crossings Account in the State General Fund to be administered by the Director of the Department of Transportation. NDOT must consult NDOW to identify locations and strategies, develop and publish an inventory, and consult with grazing permit holders and adjacent private landowners where wildlife crossings would be located to avoid or mitigate impacts on livestock management or private land use . Includes a \$5 million General Fund appropriation. Provides a definition of wildlife.

<a href="#">AB121</a>	Revises provisions relating to incarcerated persons.	Asm. Considine, Anderson, Bilbray-Axelrod, Gonzalez & Summers-Armstrong; Sen. Nguyen	(E - Chapter 184) Requires the Department of Corrections to provide incarcerated offenders with physical copies of their mail, however allows the DOC to be exempted from this rule if they conduct an evidence based study that compliance with this requirement would be a danger to staff or the offenders. Also requires the DOC to have offenders complete a medical release of information, in the case that the offender becomes hospitalized or diagnosed with a serious illness the Department must notify anyone listed on the medical info release form and ensure timely access to prescription medication. Would require city and county jails to ensure that a medical release is done at the time of intake and the ability to update it as needed, if the incarcerated individual is hospitalized the jail would have to notify those listed on the medical release forms within 24 hours, if the individual is diagnosed with a critical medical condition they must allow them to make a phone call within 4 hours, and would also require city and county jails to ensure access to new and refill prescriptions.
<a href="#">AB135</a>	Revises provisions relating to homelessness.	Cmtee on Health & Human Services	(E - Chapter 280) Requires a homeless person to submit a signed statement certifying that they are homeless, opposed to an affidavit, to obtain a certified or official copy of their birth certificate from a person or governmental organization, other than the State Registrar. Applicants are allowed 30 days to provide missing application documents. Prohibits the government entity from requiring the signed statement to be notarized. Requires schools to print the 988 information on the back of student IDs, and establishes a process for those in crisis to obtain identification.
<a href="#">AB138</a>	Provides Medicaid coverage for certain types of behavioral health integration services.	Cmtee on Health & Human Services	(E - Chapter 392) Requires the State plan for Medicaid to include coverage for behavioral health services, including mental health, substance disorder treatment, including collaborative care management services. Contains an appropriation for from the State General Fund to the Division of Health Care Financing and Policy of the Department of Health and Human Services for system modifications and to pay the nonfederal share of expenditures incurred for the services.
<a href="#">AB139</a>	Revises provisions governing certain demographic information collected by governmental agencies.	Asm. Brittney Miller, D'Silva,	(E - Chapter 430) Requires government entities that collect demographic information to add a category to include a separate category for persons of Middle Eastern or North African decent. Amendment to add a co-sponsor, passed out of Assembly Government Affairs and referred to Ways and Means.
<a href="#">AB143</a>	Revises provisions governing counties.	O'Neill	(E - Chapter 195) Allows a BOCC to quitclaim deed property over to homeowners and businesses. Notice must be sent to those affected and if they would like to opt-out they can do so at the County recorder. Amended to changed the effective date to 10/1/23 and sunset on 6/30/25 as well as require a report by the County Recorder to the Joint Interim Standing Committee on Government Affairs with the number of conveyances initiated or completed.
<a href="#">AB148</a>	Revises provisions relating to child welfare.	Marzola	(E - Chapter 397) Creates a procedure for the appointment of a guardian ad litem for an incapacitated parent or guardian of a minor during child welfare proceedings with the consideration of the best interests of the minor and the wishes of the parent or guardian. Communications are considered privileged and also prohibits the guardian ad litem to taking action to terminate parental rights. Requires the court to review the appropriateness of the placement of a child who is in the custody of an agency which provides child welfare services in a qualified residential treatment program within 60 days of placement, every six months thereafter and at each annual hearing.

<a href="#">AB156</a>	Revises provisions relating to substance use disorders.	Cmtee on Health & Human Services	(E - Chapter 398) Allows DPBH within DHHS to accept and deposit into a separate account gifts, grants, donations, bequests or money from any other source for the purpose of funding the bulk purchase of opioid antagonists and is not subject to the law governing budgeting by other State Agencies. Requires substance treatment providers to prioritize people to receive services for the treatment of alcohol and substance use disorder by means of Federal funding then State funding. Allows the State Board of Pharmacy to allow a pharmacist who registers with the Board to assess a patient to determine whether the patient has an opioid use disorder and if medication-assisted treatment would be appropriate for the patient; and to prescribe and dispense a drug for medication-assisted treatment.
<a href="#">AB164</a>	Revises provisions related to outdoor recreation.	Yeager	(E - Chapter 77) Establishes the Outdoor Education Advisory Working Group in the 23-24 interim to submit a report to the 83rd Legislature and incorporate outdoor recreation in the public school curriculum in the State. The Working Group will be allowed one bill draft request, and the membership would include one superintendent and one public school pupil with parent permission. Allows the Advisory Board on Outdoor Recreation to serve as the technical advisory committee for the for the Outdoor Recreation and Grant Program.
<a href="#">AB184</a>	Establishes an incentive program for the purchase of certain zero-emission medium-duty and heavy-duty vehicles.	Asm. Watts, Cameron Miller, Yeager, Kasama &	(E- Chapter 245) Creates the Clean Trucks and Buses Incentive Program. Requires that 35% of Federal allocation for the Carbon Reduction Program be deposited into the account beginning 2024. Includes incentives for entities that purchase clean trucks and buses, with specified incentives for minority groups. Those that receive incentives from the program are required to submit a report to the Division of Environmental Protection. Makes an appropriation to the program.
<a href="#">AB189</a>	Revises provisions governing construction start times in certain counties and cities.	Jauregui	(E - Chapter 91) Clark County construction start times. If the BOCC or the city council adopt an ordinance restricting construction work hours in a declarant controlled community (new construction owned by the builder before any residents move in), it must be start no later than 5 AM from April 1-September 30.
<a href="#">AB191</a>	Revises provisions relating to water conservation.	DeLong, Dickman, Gallant & Gurr	(E - Chapter 188) Revises the definition of "supplier of water" excluding a public or private entity that has less than 15 service connections.
<a href="#">AB192</a>	Revises provisions relating to elections.	Gonzalez	(E - Delivered to Gov. 6.9.23) Requires uniformity of mail in ballot envelopes and return envelopes, the SOS is required to establish a system for distinguishing envelopes between each city and county. Allows the SOS to enter a contract for the purchasing of the envelopes and to serve as the point of contact for the contract; also includes specifications for the size and location requirements for distance signs on non-electioneering areas. Enabling language for cities and counties to use the SOS provided ballots and envelopes with time/notification requirements
<a href="#">AB193</a>	Revises provisions relating to custodial interrogations of children.	ASIII. Gonzalez, D'Silva, Thomas, Anderson	(E - Delivered to Gov. 5.31.23) Amends Chapter 62C of NRS to prohibit a peace officer or other person authorized to conduct a custodial interrogation from knowingly making a materially false statement regarding certain evidence or making express or implied promises of leniency. Would also make any information obtained in violation would presumed to be involuntary and inadmissible.
<a href="#">AB208</a>	Establishes a program to provide structured family caregiving to certain recipients of Medicaid.	Cmtee on Health & Human Services	(E - Delivered to Gov. 6.9.23) Requires the Nevada Department of Health and Human Services to apply to the Federal DHHS for a home and community-based services waiver to include structured family caregiving for those suffering from dementia covered by Medicaid, includes provisions to choose the caregiver and caregiving location, however the caregiver must be or become an employee of an agency and be properly trained. Includes appropriations for information system modifications/updates.

<a href="#">AB210</a>	Revises provisions governing public works.	Duran, Torres, Gonzalez, Carter, Gorelow, La	(E - Chapter 92) Requires contractors who engage on a public work to provide workers with written or electronic notice at the time of hire of the website of the Labor Commissioner where prevailing wage rates are posted as well as the name and physical business address of the contractor. Also requires the contractor to have written or electronic acknowledgement of receipt of any notice for at least 2 years and contains a penalty for any person who willfully fails to pay prevailing wage.
<a href="#">AB213</a>	Revises provisions governing residential zoning.	Jauregui	(E - Chapter 200) Requires local governments to submit an annual report to the Housing Division, which the Division would then compile and publish on it's website. Each local government is required to reply to applications within 10 days or the application would be deemed complete and corrected applications within 5 days, to post a list of all land use planning applications related to residential housing on their website and would allow local governments to offer increased density for multifamily housing. Adds that cities in Clark County have 45 days to act upon a parcel map waiver and cities in all other counties have 60 days.
<a href="#">AB214</a>	Revises provisions governing certain regional transportation commissions.	Asm. Anderson; Sen. Daly & Goicoechea	(E - Chapter 78) Would require the Regional Transportation Commissions in Clark and Washoe to establish an advisory committee to advise on construction, installation and maintenance of benches, shelters and transit stops. Would also require the commission or any of it contractors that operate the transit system to maintain video and audio recordings that may be used as evidence where an employee may have been hurt and to provide those recordings to the respective union if requested.
<a href="#">AB219</a>	Makes various changes to the Open Meeting Law.	Considine	(E - Chapter 41) Moves provisions concerning public comment into a new section of the Open Meeting Law. Requires that for meetings lasting more than one day that public comment must be offered at either the beginning of each day of the meeting or after each item on the agenda. If a meeting is conducted via remote technology then there must be a way for the public to participate, meeting notice must be posted at the physical address of the public body and at the location of the meeting. If contested items or regulations are on the agenda then a physical location must be provided for members of the public to participate.
<a href="#">AB225</a>	Revises provisions concerning the confidentiality of personal information of certain persons.	Newby	(E - Chapter 93) Would allow individuals who feel threatened to petition a district court for the personal information contained in the records of the county recorder to be kept confidential for a period of 5 years.
<a href="#">AB257</a>	Revises provisions relating to forensic medical examinations of certain victims of certain crimes.	Summers-Armstrong	(E - Delivered to Gov. 6.9.23) Authorizes a county to seek reimbursement from the State for costs incurred from a strangulation examination of a victim of domestic battery by strangulation. Contains an appropriation to the Division of Child and Family Services of the Department of Health and Human Services.
<a href="#">AB261</a>	Revises provisions relating to water.	Cmtee on Natural Resources	(E - Delivered to the Gov. 6.9.23) Requires the Executive Director of the Office of Economic Development to include a maximum water efficiency statement, with Regional Development Authorities in Clark and Washoe required to include strategies for water conservation in the State through recruiting and marketing.
<a href="#">AB262</a>	Revises provisions relating to state-owned vehicles.	Watts	(E - Chapter 204) Requires to the extent possible, for State vehicle purchases to give preference to low emission and total cost over service life. Also requires the State to give preference to ethanol blended fuel, and ensuring diesel vehicles can use biodiesel and maintain records on fuel type used. Contains a declarative statement that it is the policy of the State to pursue and transition to zero-emission vehicles, mentions "publicly-owned transportation fleets" which could seem to apply to local governments.



<a href="#">AB266</a>	Revises provisions relating to governmental administration.	ASML TORRES, Duran, Gonzalez, D'Silva, Brittney Miller & Nguyen; Sen. Flanagan	(E - Delivered to Gov. 6.9.23) Requires each BOCCs and governing bodies of cities to designate one or more employees to create a language access plan in coordination and collaboration with the Office for New Americans (ONA) within in the Office of the Governor. Also includes reporting requirements to LCB and the Joint Interim Standing Committee on Government Affairs ONA. Further requires Clark and Washoe counties to ensure that planning commission notices are accessible via internet link in every language that voting materials are required to be prepared in accordance with state and federal law and make good faith efforts to find certified translators for the information.
<a href="#">AB275</a>	Revises provisions governing the sealing of criminal records.	Asm. Hardy, Hafen, Yurek, Noyes	(E - Chapter 154) Would prohibit a court or agency of criminal justice in this State from charging any fees related to the sealing of a criminal record if, at the time the crime for which the record to be sealed was committed, the petitioner was being sex trafficked. The petition must include a certifying statement from the sex trafficking victim.
<a href="#">AB277</a>	Establishes provisions governing rural emergency hospitals.	Yurek, Gray, Gurr, Brittney Miller,	(E - Delivered to the Gov. 6.9.23) Concerning rural hospitals - would create a new definition and section in statute to define and create the term "Rural Emergency Hospital". Require that this newly defined type of hospital in rural areas, be included in the state Medicaid plan.
<a href="#">AB286</a>	Makes various changes relating to elections.	Cameron Miller, Anderson	(E - Delivered to the Gov. 6.9.23) Requires that county clerks and facility administrators coordinate to establish procedures for in-person voting and the collection and security of voting ballots and a process for same-day voter registration as well as inform detained persons of voting information, includes a reporting requirement and a prohibition on electioneering.
<a href="#">AB310</a>	Revises provisions governing affordable housing.	Monroe- Moreno	(E - Delivered to the Gov. 6.9.23) Would establish the Nevada Supportive Housing Development Fund in the State Treasury and would require the Housing Division within the Department of Business and Industry to develop and implement a supportive housing program as well to require the supportive housing grant program to include a process for applying for a grant to train and build the capacity of supportive housing partnerships and assess the progress of supportive housing in Nevada.
<a href="#">AB350</a>	Revises provisions governing forfeiture of property.	Cmtee on Judiciary	(E - Chapter 157) Would require each law enforcement agency to include additional information on property seizures and forfeitures in their already required reports to the Office of the Attorney General.
<a href="#">AB356</a>	Enacts provisions relating to mobile tracking devices.	Asm. Dickman, La Coneii,	(E -Chapter 190) Would make it illegal to place an electronic tracking device on the vehicle of an individual without the individual knowing.
<a href="#">AB364</a>	Revises provisions governing the Board of Medical Examiners.	O'Neill, Anderson, Brown-May,	(E - Chapter 258) Increases the size of the Board of Medical Examiners from 9 members to 11 members, to include one physician assistant and one practitioner of respiratory care.
<a href="#">AB391</a>	Revises provisions governing public works.	Dickman Cmtee on Gov't Affairs	(E - Delivered to the Gov. 5.31.23) Authorizes local government to state a preference that a contractor on the public work give preference for hiring labor to local residents that have a valid ID and proof of address.
<a href="#">AB400</a>	Revises various provisions relating to education.	Cmtee on Education	(E - Chapter 387) Pertaining to local government - Allows cities and counties to apply to sponsor a charter school with the requirement to report annually to the Department of Education, the State Public Charter School Authority and the Director of the Legislative Counsel Bureau.
<a href="#">AB404</a>	Revises provisions governing civil actions against a provider of health care for professional negligence.	Cmtee on Judiciary	(E - Delivered to the Gov. 6.9.23) Raises the cap on noneconomic damages for medical malpractice lawsuits from \$350,000 to \$750,000. Increases by \$80,000 every year for five years beginning Jan. 1, 2024. After the cap reaches \$750,000 in 2028, it would increase by a flat rate of 2.1 percent a year "" rather than increasing at the annual rate of inflation.

<a href="#">AB407</a>	Revises provisions governing the release of personal information by the Director of the Department of Motor Vehicles.	Carter	(E - Chapter 162) Would prohibit the director to the DMV from releasing any personal information for any purpose of enforcement of immigration laws unless, the requester submits a written release from the person about whom the information is requested or the Director releases the personal information pursuant to an order, subpoena or warrant issued by a court of competent jurisdiction.
<a href="#">AB434</a>	Revises provisions governing prescription drugs.	Cmtee on Health & Human Services	(E - Chapter 390) Prohibits pharmacy benefit managers and health carriers, including governmental entities that provide coverage for employees from discriminating against a covered entity for participating in a discount drug program; exempts pharmacy benefit managers that manage prescription drug benefits under Medicaid.
<a href="#">AB444</a>	Revises provisions concerning child welfare.	Backus	(E - Chapter 389) Establishes provisions concerning proceedings in which the legal or physical custody of an Indian child who is or may be in need of protection,
<a href="#">AB448</a>	Revises provisions governing the real property transfer tax.	Yeager & Jauregui	(E - Chapter 460) Would cancel the tax exemption for the transfer of real property to a business formed for the purpose of evading real property transfer tax. Declared exempt.
<a href="#">AB519</a>	Establishes provisions governing capital projects of school districts.	Cmtee on Ways & Means	(E - Delivered to the Gov. 6.9.23) This bill affects Elko County, specifically, it would require the BOCC to levy a tax between 1 cent and 25 cents of every \$100 of assessed valuation of taxable property for the purpose of school district capital projects. Gives the Elko County BOCC until June 30, 2024 to levy such a tax, if not done by then the rate will be 25 cents on each \$100 of assessed valuation of taxable property within the county. The tax cannot be included in total ad valorem. Would also allow counties under 100K to also levy the same tax for school district capital projects.
<a href="#">AJR6</a>	Proposes to amend the Nevada Constitution to adopt the National Urges the Congress of the United States to deschedule marijuana as a schedule I controlled substance.	Asm. Watts, Bilbray-Asm. D'Silva,	(Enrolled and delivered to Secretary of State. File No. 24.) Proposing to amend the Nevada Constitution for Nevada to join the National Popular Vote Compact to elect the President by National Popular Vote.
<a href="#">AJR8</a>	Revises provisions relating to juvenile justice.	Brittney Miller,	(Enrolled and delivered to Secretary of State. File No. 25.) Urges the Congress of the United States to de-schedule marijuana as a schedule I controlled substance.
<a href="#">SB8</a>	Requires the Department of Public Safety to adopt certain regulations relating to unmanned aerial vehicles.	Cmtee on Gov't Affairs	(E - Chapter 101) Designates criminal investigators employed by the Division of Child and Family Services of the Department of Health and Human Services as category II peace officers.
<a href="#">SB11</a>	Revises provisions governing pest control.	Cmtee on Growth & Infra.	(E - Chapter 446) Requires the Department of Public Safety to adopt regulations regarding unmanned aerial vehicles (drones). Allows the use of drones, or unmanned aerial vehicles for certain scheduled inspections to ensure compliance with building and fire codes and laws, ordinances, regulations and rules adopting or establishing building and fire codes.
<a href="#">SB13</a>	Revises various provisions of the Charter of Carson City.	Cmtee on Natural Resources	(E - Chapter 49) Clarifies that employees of a governmental agency who engage in pest control must obtain a license as an applicator from the State Department of Agriculture. Also requires that records be kept at each place of business where a person sells or distributes restricted-use pesticides.
<a href="#">SB16</a>	Revises provisions relating to local governments.	Cmtee on Gov't Affairs	(E - Chapter 52) Carson City's Charter Bill, revises the charter to require the Board of Supervisors to realign the boundaries of city council wards whenever the population of a ward exceeds any other ward by more than 5 percent or he population in a ward exceeds the population in any other ward by more than 5 percent as determined by the preceding national decennial census.
<a href="#">SB19</a>			(E - Chapter 54) While this is written to be permissive statewide, this is specific to the Southern Nevada Supplemental Airport (Ivanpah). Allows a BOCC to form an unincorporated town after holding a public hearing on the matter and forgo the requirement for a town advisory board. Also allows for annexation of the territory under certain circumstances, usually mandated by state or federal law.

<a href="#">SB23</a>	Authorizes certain legislative bodies to amend a redevelopment plan to remove an area from a redevelopment area under certain circumstances.	Cmtee on Gov't Affairs	(E - Chapter 57) Authorizes a city government whose population is less than 25,000 to amend a redevelopment plan through a public process to remove part of a redevelopment area if the removal will not negatively affect any outstanding bonds or securities, the area consists primarily of single-family or multifamily residential dwellings of three stories or less, or both; and the removal is in the best public interest for the purpose of property tax collections.
<a href="#">SB37</a>	Authorizes governmental attorneys to volunteer as third-party neutral mediators under certain circumstances.	Cmtee on Judiciary	(E - Chapter 32) Authorizes the use of attorneys, including D.A.'s, to be used as third party mediators.
<a href="#">SB39</a>	Provides that certain records received, obtained and compiled by the Board on Indigent Defense	Cmtee on Judiciary	(E - Chapter 107) Allows certain client records to be held as confidential, including the expansion to electronic records within DIDs.
<a href="#">SB42</a>	Revises provisions relating to the funding of medical assistance to indigent persons.	Cmtee on Health & Human Services	(E - Chapter 44) This allows for additional payments to hospitals and reimbursement rates if the state requires, in their Medicaid plan, additional rates of reimbursements for medical assistance to indigent persons.
<a href="#">SB43</a>	Makes various changes relating to services for aging persons and persons with disabilities.	Cmtee on Health & Human Services	(E - Chapter 104) Disability services bill that expands those residents of a county (and a state) serving on the board of aging and disability services to be employees, or officials of a county or state. (This expands the county voice on boards) and this requires the division to review ways to avoid duplicative services. This will be done by coordination with the statewide independent living council and in accordance with the state plan for independent living.
<a href="#">SB54</a>	Revises provisions relating to elections.	Cmtee on Leg. Op's & Elec.	(E - Chapter 428) Requires the S.O.S office to produce a training manual on elections procedures every 2 years for county clerks and elections officials. Additionally requires the S.O.S. to develop and provide a training course to all clerks and elections officials that the state is required to reimburse for per diem and travel expenses.
<a href="#">SB55</a>	Revises various provisions relating to courts.	Cmtee on Judiciary	(E - Chapter 33) - Requires a court to grant a credit of not less than the State minimum wage to a person who performs court-ordered community service and revises provisions under which a criminal case can be transferred from one justice court to another. Also changes the title of "deputy clerk" to "clerk of the court" along with revisions governing a clerk's appointment, duties, and liabilities.
<a href="#">SB63</a>	Revises provisions relating to the Judicial Department of State Government.	Cmtee on Judiciary	(E - Chapter 427) Allows for remote communication and connection to be a viable means of conducting judicial proceedings. Requires that all judges notice and be allowed to move court proceedings to a location, within the county of jurisdiction based on an a emergency, if needed.
<a href="#">SB92</a>	Revises provisions relating to sidewalk vendors.	Sen. Donate, Flores & Ohrenschall; Asm.	(E - Chapter 228) Concerning mobile food vendors, standardizes licensing; and health regulations. Requires the governing body of a county or city (over 100K) to post a map of the areas where sidewalk vending is permitted. Prohibits vending within 1500ft of a resort hotel or event facility, does however allow vending within 1,500 feet of a location zoned exclusively for residential use.
<a href="#">SB155</a>	Revises provisions relating to crimes.	Ohrenschall	(E - Chapter 270) Allows for homeless individuals who commit misdemeanor offenses to be assigned to diversionary and specialty court programs. Authorizes the court that assigns a homeless person to complete a program of treatment to waive or reduce any fine, administrative assessment or fee that would otherwise be imposed.

<a href="#">SB166</a>	Revises provisions relating to collective bargaining by public employees.	Sen. Pazina, Daly, Dondero Loop & Nguyen; Hansen, Stone, Titus, Goicoechea, Krasner &	(E - Chapter 459) Allows law enforcement supervisors to engage in collective bargaining and to create a collective bargaining unit separate from the employees they supervise. The bill also excludes certain employees who provide civilian support services to a law enforcement agency from being deemed supervisory employees. Also allows for separate bargaining units for supervisory employees who are category I, category II, and category III peace officers and supervisory employees who are firefighters.
<a href="#">SB205</a>	Revises provisions relating to the registration of off-highway vehicles.		(E - Chapter 442) Allows pre payment of OHV registration for up to 3 years in advance. Also states that the existing exemption from registration for OHVs that are registered or certified in another state applies only if the OHV is registered or certified in a state that provides a similar exemption from registration for off-highway vehicles registered in this State.
<a href="#">SB208</a>	Requires counties and cities to enact certain ordinances relating to battery-charged fences.	Flores, Stone, Goicoechea, Daly, Krasner & Ohrenschall	(E - Chapter 212) Requires local government to enact an ordinance that regulates battery-charged - electric - fences. The ordinance requires that a battery-charged fence be located on property not zoned exclusively for residential use (or be located on property designated for residential use that is also located in a rural zoning area or governed by certain provisions of law relating to Lake Tahoe), use a battery that is not more than 12 volts of direct current; have an energizer that meets the most current standards set forth by the International Electrotechnical Commission; be surrounded by a nonelectric perimeter fence or wall; be not more than a certain height; and be marked with certain conspicuous warning signs located on the battery-charged fence. The ordinance is prohibited from requiring a permit for the installation or use of a battery-charged fence that is in addition to an alarm system permit issued by the county or city; imposing installation or operational requirements for a battery-charged fence that are inconsistent with the standards set forth by the International Electrotechnical Commission; or prohibiting the installation or use of a battery-charged fence.
<a href="#">SB211</a>	Revises provisions relating to marriage.	Harris, Nguyen, Flores, Donate,	(E - Chapter 214) Allows for the County Clerk of a county where a marriage license is issued to issue an amended marriage license if a party to the marriage receives a certified order of name change from a court in this state or another state. Allows the County Recorder to charge a fee for the recording or filing of an amended certificate of marriage.
<a href="#">SB216</a>	Establishes provisions relating to elections.	Cmtee on Leg. Op's & Elec.	(E - Chapter 244) Requires each county and city clerk to schedule meetings with each Indian tribe located in whole or in part within the county to discuss details related to the next scheduled election cycle. Also requires the S.O.S to allow electors and registered voters who reside on an Indian reservation or Indian colony to register to vote, apply for and cast a ballot using the system of approved electronic transmission.
<a href="#">SB222</a>	Revises provisions relating to juries.	Harris, Daly, Donate, Flores, Ohrenschall	(E - Chapter 208) Allows a district judge or jury commissioner to request a list of the names and addresses of persons who receive public assistance for use in the selection of jurors from DHHS. Contains an appropriation of \$20K from the State General Fund to the Administrative Office of the Courts to establish a connection to the information technology systems of DHHS.
<a href="#">SB225</a>	Revises provisions governing peace officers.	Harris	(E - Chapter 422) Requires an affidavit on applications for certification of peace officers stating that the applicant is not disqualified from serving as a peace officer; has not been discharged, disciplined or asked to resign from employment with a law enforcement agency for certain conduct; and has not resigned from employment or otherwise separated from employment with a law enforcement agency while an investigation concerning certain alleged conduct was pending.

<a href="#">SB235</a>	Revises provisions relating to pretrial release.	Cmtee on Judiciary	(Approved by the Governor - File No. 416) Allows a court to continue a pre-trial release hearing at the request of either party or the court for good cause or as agreed to by the parties. Allows remote technology appearance, DAs and any attorney employed by a district attorney to prosecute a person in a county other than the county by which the district attorney is employed for the limited purpose of conducting a pretrial release hearing, a public defender or the state public defender to represent a defendant in any county. Further allows a justice of the peace to conduct a pretrial release hearing in a municipal court and vice versa.
<a href="#">SB243</a>	Revises provisions relating to catalytic converters.	Sen. Nguyen, Donate,	(E - Chapter 119) Creates penalties for catalytic converter theft and possession, and the intent to sell them. Strengthens penalties under certain circumstances - and limits whom a person may purchase a converter from.
<a href="#">SB247</a>	Revises provisions relating to regional planning.	Cmtee on Gov't Affairs	(E - Chapter 120) Enables instead of requires, the board of county commissioners and the city council of each of the three largest cities in Clark County to establish a regional planning coalition by cooperative agreement.
<a href="#">SB257</a>	Revises provisions governing tax abatements for certain renewable energy facilities.	Daly	(E - Chapter 121) Revises payroll reporting requirements for renewable energy facilities that receive tax abatements and requires payroll and compliance reports to be submitted quarterly during the term of construction and annual reports to be submitted as required at all other times. The term of construction commences when a building permit is issued by the applicable city or county and does not end until the facility goes online or at another time that is determined by the Director of the Office of Energy within the Office of the Governor.
<a href="#">SB261</a>	Revises provisions relating to local governments.	Neal	(E - Chapter 124) Under current law, local governments are required to provide information on proposed regulations, rules, ordinances, on how the effect businesses, usually through a business impact statement. Under this provision the affected local governments are expanded and the business impacts, adverse or otherwise, must be shared with the chambers of commerce as well. Also requires a local government to maintain an electronic mailing list of local chambers of commerce, trade associations and owners and officers of businesses and to update the list not later than January 31 of each year.
<a href="#">SB264</a>	Revises provisions relating to collective bargaining.	Donate & Pazina	(E - Chapter 79) Allows a civilian employee of a metropolitan police department may be a member of an employee organization only if such employee organization is composed exclusively of civilian employees of a metropolitan police department.
<a href="#">SB277</a>	Revises provisions relating to cannabis.	Harris, Flores, Neal & Nguyen	(E - Chapter 423) Cannabis Compliance Board - mostly clean up language, it still maintains local authority and there are no preemption clauses, it makes various compliance changes regarding entrances to cannabis establishments, raises the age to 21 for possession and purchase of cannabis among other requirements. Deems adult-use cannabis establishments to be a dual licensee and authorizes establishments to engage in activities relating to the medical use of cannabis to the same extent as if the adult-use cannabis establishment held a medical cannabis establishment license of the same type.
<a href="#">SB316</a>	Makes various changes relating to criminal law.	Scheible, Spearman, Harris, Nguyen & Ohrenschall	(E - Chapter 130) Adds the name of a defendant and the associated case number to the annual report that the district attorney in each county must submit to the Attorney General concerning cases that included a charge of murder or voluntary manslaughter and transfers the responsibilities of the Attorney General concerning the report to the Department of Sentencing Policy.
<a href="#">SB327</a>	Revises provisions relating to elections.	Ohrenschall	(E - Chapter 419) Requires county and city clerks to establish polling places, ballot drop boxes and temporary branch polling places (for early voting) within the boundaries of Indian Reservations or Colonies unless a tribe elects not to have one established by submitting a notice to the clerk.
<a href="#">SB331</a>	Revises provisions relating to state and local emergency management plans.	Scheible	(E - Chapter 405) Requires an emergency management plans to address the needs of people with pets during and after an emergency. Also requires at least one shelter to be designated to accommodate people with pets and include provisions for evacuation, shelter and transport of people with pets to the extent practicable.

<a href="#">SB338</a>	Revises provisions relating to off-highway vehicles.	Flores	(E - Chapter 131) Revise the definition of "large all-terrain vehicle" to include any all-terrain vehicle that includes seating capacity for at least two people and total seating capacity for at least four people; or a truck bed.
<a href="#">SB354</a>	Revises provisions relating to justices of the peace.	Scheible	(E - Chapter 133) This bill requires justices of the peace to pass the Multistate Professional Responsibility Examination.
<a href="#">SB362</a>	Revises provisions relating to public safety.	Neal & Flores	(E - Chapter 435) Requires peace officers to render medical aid, or coordinate medical aid to an individual who is unable to breathe to the extent possible. Also requires each law enforcement agency to adopt certain policies and procedures governing the performance by peace officers of works protected by copyright in certain circumstances.
<a href="#">SB363</a>	Revises provisions relating to affordable housing.	Sen. Spearman, Daly, Harris, Harris, Spearman, Donate,	(E - Chapter 526) This expands the list of priority projects for affordable housing within the State Housing Division: women who are veterans, women who were previously incarcerated, survivors of domestic abuse or violence, elderly woman who have unstable or inadequate living arrangements.
<a href="#">SB368</a>	Revises provisions relating to real property.	Sen. Harris; Asm. Watts & Backus	(E - Chapter 457) This is the covenant and conveyance bill that prohibits the use of discriminatory language in county records. Under the provisions of this bill it must be done with a court order, and filed within 10 days of finding the record.
<a href="#">SB391</a>	Revises provisions relating to governmental entities.		(E - Chapter 225) Prohibits a city or county from using a siren, bell or alarm that is currently or was previously sounded on specific days or times in association with an ordinance enacted by the county which required persons of a particular race, ethnicity, ancestry, national origin or color to leave the county or a city, town or township within the county by a specific time. Exception include: emergency, testing or certain celebrations.
<a href="#">SB406</a>	Revises provisions relating to elections.	Cmtee on Leg. Op's & Elec.	(E - Delivered to the Governor 5.23.23) Would make it illegal for a person to use, threaten or attempt to use force, intimidation, coercion, violence, restraint or undue influence or to disseminate information about an elections official; would authorize certain employees of the Office of the Secretary of State, county or city clerk or registrar of voters, and the spouse, domestic partner or minor child, to request that personal information be kept confidential; and would authorize this group to also request the DMV to display an alternate address on his or her driver's license, commercial driver's license or identification card.



## 2023 SESSION OF THE NEVADA LEGISLATURE

### Summary of Legislative Outcomes

NACO staff worked hard to advocate for the interests of counties during the 2023 Legislative Session. Both Vinson and Jennifer monitored and engaged in the Legislative process on a full-time basis; Jacob, NACO's Natural Resources Manager, analyzed all natural resources related legislation, including proposed policies related to water and land use; Amanda helped monitor hearings and spent numerous hours preparing the NACO bill tracker each week; and NACO's Public Health Coordinator, Amy, engaged with the Nevada Association of County Human Service Administrators and the Nevada Public Health Association on legislative updates.

The NACO Legislative Committee met weekly and provided critical input to NACO staff. NACO worked closely with County Commissioners, county staff, as well as individual county lobbyists throughout the session. This session NACO reviewed over 1000 bills and actively tracked approximately over a third of those, nearly 400 of these bills had some impact on counties and local government. The legislation we tracked had a nexus to county operations, administration, authority, finances, or other priorities. As directed by the Board and the Legislative Committee, NACO took support, neutral, and opposition positions on bills, and monitored others. The NACO team also focused on bills that counties initially opposed, however, based on work done through conversations with legislative sponsors, committee chairs and legislative leadership amendments, NACO was able to lessen impacts to Counties, or avoid impacts to local government all together. This allowed us to take a neutral or monitor position on some of the most egregious bills that ultimately failed to make it through the process.

NACO successfully worked on amendments to bills, or proposed legislation directly related to local elected official salaries, public administrators, administration of indigent defense, local government revenues, housing, homelessness, land use and development, county roads, employment, broadband infrastructure, collective bargaining, and marijuana, to make sure that county authority was preserved, and fiscal impacts were minimized.

Even though the number of bills proposed was less than in the 2021 session, NACO remained very concerned and proactive about extensive impacts to local government. There will no doubt be fiscal impacts to counties – especially urban counties. However, when all was said and done local governments, NACO and our individual counties came out better than we initially feared.

#### **NACO Sponsored Bills:**

NACO sponsored five bills this session, four successfully passed both chambers and three were signed by the Governor:

[AB 47](#) allows government entities to construct, operate and maintain off-highway vehicle trails near or adjacent to paved highways.

[SB 21](#) revises the classifications of populations in certain provisions of the Nevada Revised Statutes (NRS) by raising the population threshold of 45,000 to 52,000.

[SB22](#) revises provisions relating to the publication of legal notices, allowing for electronic posting in addition to print.

Unfortunately, despite our lobbying efforts directly to leadership in the Governor's office, he vetoed Senate Bill (SB) 20, which would have allowed for a local government process for filling vacancies on a Board of County Commissioners. Lastly, Senate Bill 41, which addressed child welfare services, potential funding solutions and would have provided streamlined reporting of Child Welfare Service delivery failed to meet the final deadline for consideration.

## **Budget**

Finally, the State budget impacts counties in a number of ways, mainly through assessments to counties for various State functions. This session saw historic funding for education and county healthcare programs. There will be fiscal impacts, as mentioned above, for counties – including significant ones for our urban counties.

Counties will see restored state funding for the China Spring Youth Camp, along with the adoption of AB 68, which represents the work of the NACO – led working group to reform governance of the Camp. The bill included an agreed upon, more equitable local funding formula.

The Department of Health and Human Services is working on the final list of their county assessments for the 24/25 biennium, and while there will be increases to assessments due to expanded Medicaid programs, we expect those increases to be minimal – NACO will distribute that list to all counties when it is available. Additionally, through a state appropriation secured by Counties, local governments will see relief to the Pre Trial Release mandate that was passed in the 2021 Legislative Session.

***Below is a summary of all the actions that counties must take as a result of legislation passed, and key bills that may impact county operations. Also attached is the NACO bill tracker, which includes the final outcome of each bill that NACO tracked.***

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## **BILLS THAT PERTAIN TO LOCAL GOVERNMENT OR REQUIRE COUNTY ACTION**

***Italics indicate actions that counties must take; text in purple indicate actions that county elected officials must take.***

[AB2](#) – Allows local government vehicles to display non-flashing blue lights for the purpose of road construction, maintenance or repair as well as assisting with traffic accidents.

[AB52](#) – Clarifies that for the purposes of Open Meeting Law unless all members of a public body must be elected officials, the quorum and number of votes necessary to take action is reduced to exclude vacant member(s); also specifies that nonvoting members are not counted



for purposes of determining a quorum of a public body. Allows public bodies to conduct a meeting by means of a remote technology and specifies that if a public body will take administrative action against an individual, they must provide meeting information to that individual in writing. *NACO supported this measure, as it will assist our local governing boards to meet quorum. The Bill also clarifies and streamlines the use of technology, while maintaining the transparency required of local governments.*

**AB56** - Allows authorized vehicles (including coroner vehicles and hazardous material vehicles) to drive on the paved shoulder on a controlled-access highway where legally placed signage allows such vehicles to drive on the shoulder in that manner.

**AB58** – Specifies that the Nevada Air Service Development Commission is part of the Office of Economic Development and revises the members of the commission to include a NACO representative with all members serving 2-year staggered terms. Repeals the statutory definitions of “large hub airport” “non-hub airport” and “small hub airport” and makes an appropriation to the Fund for Aviation of \$1,000,000 for FY 2023-2024 and \$1,000,000 for FY 2024-2025.

**AB62** – Expands exemption from property taxes for low-income properties for an applicable year if a portion of the property meets the qualification of a "low-income" and is financed by Federal Low-Income Tax Credits or the federal housing trust fund. Also allows the same exemption for housing for low-income elderly and persons with disabilities.

**AB68** – China Spring Youth Camp; dictates the calculation for assessments paid by all counties except for Clark, each county shall pay 50% of the total aggregated assessment amount, divided by the total number of bed days for the preceding 2 fiscal years then multiplied by the number of days used by the assessed county. *This bill represents the agreement from the NACO-led working group and will impact assessments, in a fair way, for the local government contribution to the China Spring Youth Camp, which serves 16 of Nevada’s Counties.*

**AB101** – Amends requirements for prosecutors, (i.e. District Attorneys) to disclose informant information such as a summary of criminal history, a copy of any cooperation agreement, and any benefit that has been or will be provided to the informant in exchange for his or her testimony to defendants.

**AB112** – Creates the Wildlife Crossings Account in the State General Fund to be administered by the Director of the Department of Transportation (NDOT) and requires the Department to consult with grazing permit holders and adjacent private landowners where wildlife crossings may be located to avoid or mitigate impacts on livestock management or private land use.

**AB121** – *Requires city and county jails to ensure that a medical release is completed at the time of intake* and the ability to update it as needed, if an incarcerated individual is hospitalized the *jail would have to notify those listed on the medical release forms within 24 hours*, if the individual is diagnosed with a critical medical condition they must allow them to make a phone call within 4 hours, and would also *require city and county jails to ensure access to new and refill prescriptions.*

**AB135** – *Prohibits the government entity from requiring the signed statement from an unboxed person to be notarized* for the purpose of obtaining a certified or official copy of their birth certificate from a person or governmental organization.

**AB139** – *Requires government entities that collect demographic information to add a category to include a separate category for persons of Middle Eastern or North African descent.*

**AB143** - Allows a Board of County Commissioners to quitclaim deed property over to homeowners and businesses. Sunsets on 6/30/25 and *requires a report by the County*

*Recorder to the Joint Interim Standing Committee on Government Affairs with the number of conveyances initiated or completed.*

**AB177** - Requires the State Demographer to provide fiscal year-end parcel dataset of a county to an association for operators, specifically the Underground Service Alert of Northern California and Nevada, upon written request. *NACO supported this legislation which strengthens "call before you dig" rules.*

**AB189** - Concerning Clark County construction start times, *if the Board of County Commissioners or the city council adopt an ordinance restricting construction work hours in a declarant-controlled community* (new construction owned by the builder before any residents move in), *it must be start no later than 5 AM from April 1-September 30.*

**AB191** - Revises the definition of "supplier of water" excluding a public or private entity that has less than 15 service connections.

**AB192** - Allows cities and county clerks to use the Secretary of State provided election ballots and envelopes with time/notification requirements.

**AB213** - *Requires local governments to submit an annual report to the Housing Division. Each local government is required to reply to land use planning applications within 10 days or the application would be deemed complete and reply to corrected applications within 5 days, to post a list of all land use planning applications related to residential housing on their website and allows local governments to offer increased density for multifamily housing.*

**AB219** - Moves provisions concerning public comment into a new section of the Open Meeting Law. *Requires that for meetings lasting more than one day that public comment must be offered at either the beginning of each day of the meeting or after each item on the agenda.*

**AB225** - Allows individuals who feel threatened to petition a district court for the personal information contained in the records of the county recorder to be kept confidential for a period of 5 years.

**AB257** - Authorizes a county to seek reimbursement from the State for costs incurred from a strangulation examination of a victim of domestic battery by strangulation.

**AB266** - *Requires each Board of County Commissioners to designate one or more employees to create a language access plan* in coordination and collaboration with the Office for New Americans (ONA) within in the Office of the Governor. Also *requires Clark and Washoe counties to ensure that planning commission notices are accessible via internet link in all languages that voting materials are required to be prepared in.*

**AB286** - *Requires that county clerks and facility administrators coordinate to establish procedures for in-person voting and the collection and security of voting ballots and a process for same-day voter registration as well as inform detained persons of voting information, includes a reporting requirement and a prohibition on electioneering.*

**AB350** - *Requires each law enforcement agency to include additional information on property seizures and forfeitures in their already required reports to the Office of the Attorney General.*

**AB391** - Authorizes local government to state a preference that a contractor on the public work give bidder's preference for hiring labor to local residents that have a valid ID and proof of address.

**AB400** - Allows cities and counties to apply to sponsor a charter school with the requirement to report the location of the school, the geographic area served, the number of pupils and pupil demographics, annually to the Department of Education, the State Public Charter School Authority, and the Director of the Legislative Counsel Bureau.

**AB410** – Expands stress-related injuries that may be compensable under industrial insurance; including a mental injury which afflicts a first responder, and which is caused by extreme stress for which the primary cause was witnessing an event or series of events that arose out of and during the course of employment.

**AB448** – Cancels the tax exemption for the transfer of real property to a business formed for the purpose of evading real property transfer tax.

**AB454** - Requires the Board on Indigent Defense Services to adopt regulations establishing rates of hourly compensation in counties under 100k for attorneys other than public defenders, and in all counties for appointed attorneys representing a petitioner who files a post-conviction petition for habeas corpus. Establishes that *counties are financially responsible unless they have met their maximum contribution formula or transferred their responsibility for indigent defense to the Department of Indigent Defense Services.*

**AB518** – Changes the maximum contribution formula for indigent defense, and how that number is calculated, after efforts by NACO and other individual county stakeholders, the formula is tied to inflation and is set at the number in regulations adopted by the Department of Indigent Defense Services *Further, this legislation includes a state appropriation to fund the implementation of pre-trial Release hearings, through a stipend program, and further implements in NRS the requirement for expenditure reporting by Counties in regard to Indigent Defense.*

**AB 519** – *Requires the Elko County Board of Commissioners to levy a tax between 1 cent and 25 cents of every \$100 of assessed valuation of taxable property for the purpose of school district capital projects. The Board of County Commissioners has until June 30, 2024 to levy such a tax, if not done by then the rate will be 25 cents on each \$100 of assessed valuation of taxable property within the county.* The tax cannot be included in total ad valorem. Also allows counties under 100K to levy the same tax for school district capital projects.

**AB528** – Creates a program to provide matching grant funds of up to \$100M to qualified projects intended to serve homeless individuals and families or those at risk of becoming homeless. The matching funds must be used exclusively for the acquisition, construction, installation and equipping of a qualified project.

**SB11** – Allows the use of drones, or unmanned aerial vehicles for certain scheduled inspections to ensure compliance with building and fire codes and laws, ordinances, regulations, and rules adopting or establishing building and fire codes.

**SB13** – Clarifies that *employees of a governmental agency who engage in pest control must obtain a license as an applicator from the State Department of Agriculture.*

**SB18** – Allows planning commissions, in counties of <100,000 to conduct meetings quarterly instead of the current monthly meeting requirement. *A NACO-supported measure that will help lessen the burden of unnecessary meetings in smaller jurisdictions.*

**SB19** – Allows a Board of County Commissioners to form an unincorporated town after holding a public hearing on the matter and forgo the requirement for a town advisory board. Also allows for annexation of the territory under certain circumstances, usually mandated by state or federal law.

**SB37** – Authorizes the use of attorneys, including D.A.'s, to be used as third-party mediators.

**SB42** – Allows for additional payments to hospitals and reimbursement rates if the state requires, in their Medicaid plan, additional rates of reimbursements for medical assistance to indigent persons.

**SB43** – Expands those residents of a county serving on the board of aging and disability services to be employees, or officials of a county or state.

**SB54** – Requires the Secretary of State to produce a training manual on elections procedures every 2 years for **county clerks and elections officials**. Additionally requires the Secretary of State to develop and provide a training course to all clerks and elections officials that the state is required to reimburse for per diem and travel expenses.

**SB55** – Requires a court to grant a credit of not less than the State minimum wage to a person who performs court-ordered community service and revises provisions under which a criminal case can be transferred from one justice court to another. Also changes the title of “deputy clerk” to “clerk of the court” along with revisions governing a clerk’s appointment, duties, and liabilities.

**SB63** – Allows for remote communication and connection to be a viable means of conducting judicial proceedings. Requires that all judges notice and be allowed to move court proceedings to a location within the county of jurisdiction based on an emergency, if needed.

**SB92** – Standardizes licensing; and health regulations for mobile food vendors. *Requires the governing body of a county or city (over 100K) to post a map of the areas where sidewalk vending is permitted.* Prohibits vending within 1500ft of a resort hotel or event facility, does however allow vending within 1,500 feet of a location zoned exclusively for residential use.

**SB118** – Removes the requirement that two counties must be adjacent in order to form a health district and establishes the fund for Public Health Infrastructure, along with a per-capita state appropriation to fund the account.

**SB155** – Allows for homeless individuals who commit misdemeanor offenses to be assigned to diversionary and specialty court programs.

**SB208** – *Requires local government to enact an ordinance that regulates battery-charged - electric - fences.*

**SB211** – Allows a County Clerk of a county where a marriage license is issued to issue an amended marriage license if a party to the marriage receives a certified order of name change from a court in this state or another state. Allows the County Recorder to charge a fee for the recording or filing of an amended certificate of marriage.

**SB216** – *Requires each county and city clerk to schedule meetings with each Indian tribe located in whole or in part within the county to discuss details related to the next scheduled election cycle.*

**SB226** – Allows an organization to partner with a state agency or local government to provide private financing only for the construction of a hospital, medical education building or medical research building in this State if the organization qualifies as a tax-exempt organization and a supporting organization under certain provisions of the Internal Revenue Code; and is organized and operated to support a state agency or local government in the construction of hospitals or such medical buildings, also makes a Legislative declaration that local governments should not enter into lease-buy back agreements for the sole purpose of avoiding prevailing wage

**SB235** – Allows a court to continue a pre-trial release hearing at the request of either party or the court for good cause or as agreed to by the parties. Allows remote technology appearance, DAs and any attorney employed by a district attorney to prosecute a person in a county other than the county by which the district attorney is employed for the limited purpose of conducting a pretrial release hearing, a public defender, or the state public defender to represent a defendant in any county. Further allows a justice of the peace to conduct a pretrial release hearing in a municipal court and vice versa.

**SB247** – Enables (*does not require*), the board of county commissioners and the city council of each of the three largest cities in Clark County to establish a regional planning coalition by cooperative agreement.

**SB261** – Under current law, local governments are required to provide information on proposed regulations, rules, ordinances, on how the effect businesses, usually through a business impact statement. Under this provision the affected *local governments are expanded and the business impacts, adverse or otherwise, must be shared with the chambers of commerce as well. Also requires a local government to maintain an electronic mailing list of local chambers of commerce, trade associations and owners and officers of businesses and to update the list not later than January 31 of each year. Under these provisions of business impact statement disclosure, a public meeting would only be required to consider the ordinance, if two or more entities requested such a hearing.*

**SB316** – Adds the name of a defendant and the associated case number to the annual report that the **district attorney in each county must submit to the Attorney General concerning cases that included a charge of murder or voluntary manslaughter** and transfers the responsibilities of the Attorney General concerning the report to the Department of Sentencing Policy.

**SB327** – *Requires County and city clerks to establish polling places, ballot drop boxes and temporary branch polling places (for early voting) within the boundaries of Indian Reservations or Colonies unless a tribe elects not to have one established by submitting a notice to the clerk.*

**SB331** – *Requires an emergency management plan to address the needs of people with pets during and after an emergency. Also requires at least one shelter to be designated to accommodate people with pets and include provisions for evacuation, shelter, and transport of people with pets to the extent practicable. NACO worked to create this legislation as to the “extent practicable” and removed the mandate to require the availability of pet services and sheltering coordination in times of declared emergency.*

**SB368** – *Prohibits the use of discriminatory language in county records.*

**SB391** – *Prohibits a city or county from using a siren, bell or alarm that is currently or was previously sounded on specific days or times in association with an ordinance enacted by the county which required persons of a particular race, ethnicity, ancestry, national origin or color to leave the county or a city, town or township within the county by a specific time.*

*Please don't hesitate to contact NACO if you would like additional information or assistance with any of the information contained in this document.*

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**INFORMATION REGARDING THE PRE-TRIAL HEARING SUPPLEMENTAL  
COMPENSATION FOR JUDGES, DISTRICT ATTORNEYS AND PUBLIC  
DEFENDERS WEEKEND STIPEND IN AB 518 SECTION 7.3**

**Background:**

In 2021, the Nevada Legislature passed [AB 424](#) which required a pretrial release hearing within 48 hours of a person’s arrest (“the 48-hour rule”). This caused a tremendous burden on our rural counties, but even more so for our rural Judges, District Attorneys and Public Defenders. In fact, one of our rural Judges has only had 4 days off this year up until late May. The Judges, DAs and PDs are working weekends and holidays without pay. During the 2021 session, the “48-hour rule” was the largest fiscal impact to rural counties.

During this past 2023 Legislative Session, that just ended, representatives from NACO, The Nevada League of Cities, individual Counties and Cities, along with DAs, Judges, and many other stakeholders worked to try to get some changes to the 48-hour rule. We were unsuccessful. However, Senate Judiciary Committee Chair Melanie Scheible and Vice Chair Dallas Harris supported a monetary solution, if we had a proposal. The proposal was created and supported by the Counties, Cities, DAs, Judges, Public Defenders, and others. The Speaker of the Assembly Steve Yeager supported it as well and allowed for an amendment to AB 518, Section 7.3 which requires a State appropriation of \$1,474,200 to fund a \$450 stipend for weekend work for the Judges, DAs, and Public Defenders. Now, we need to implement it. Below is detailed information regarding AB 518, Section 7.3.

**Pre-Trial Hearing Supplemental Compensation for Judges, DAs and Public Defenders:**

1) There is hereby appropriated from the State General Fund to the Department of Indigent Defense Services the sum of \$1,474,200. Prior to August 1 of each fiscal year, the Director of the Department of Indigent Defense will pay the following entities the following amounts:

Carson City	\$46,800
Churchill County	\$46,800
Douglas County	\$93,600
Elko County	\$93,600
Esmeralda County	\$46,800
Eureka County	\$46,800
Humboldt County	\$46,800
Lander County	\$46,800
Lincoln County	\$93,600
Lyon County	\$93,600
Mineral County	\$46,800
Nye County	\$93,600
Pershing County	\$46,800
Storey County	\$46,800
White Pine County	\$93,600

The amount of funding listed above shall only be used to pay a \$450 per day flat rate stipend for each Judge and District Attorney to work weekends, provide standby pay or hire relief

professionals required to enact the 48 Hour Pre-Trial Release Program in counties whose population is less than 100,000 beginning July 1, 2023. See attached Chart. Any remaining unused funding shall be reimbursed by the counties back to the State Controller.

The funding shall not be used to pay any further staffing costs attributable to the courts, District Attorney, Public Defender, Sheriff, or any other staffing costs. The expenditure of these monies shall be subject to each entity's annual audit. A report of the annual expenditure of the Pre-Trial Hearing Supplemental Compensation shall be provided to the Legislative Counsel Bureau and the Department of Indigent Defense Services by each entity receiving the funding on or before October 1 for the previous fiscal year.

2) The remainder of \$491,400 shall remain with the State Department of Indigent Defense Services to provide a \$450 per day flat rate stipend for each Public Defender to work on weekends, provide stand by pay or hire relief professionals required to enact the 48-hour pre-trial release program in counties whose population is less than 100,000. The State Department of Indigent Defense Services may provide a flat dollar amount by August 1, in addition to the amounts listed above to rural counties for public defender services rather than provide it to the counties on a reimbursement basis.

3) The dollar amounts appropriated above by the State only includes funding for weekend court duties, not holidays. In 2025, we will have to go back to the Legislature to request \$265,000 in State funding to fund the stipend for holidays.

4) The Stipend is a separate program from the Indigent Defense Program. Because the State is paying for the stipend for public defenders, a county cannot use this public defender stipend as part of their indigent defense cap costs. The indigent defense cap is separate from the stipend.

5) There is no unfunded mandate for the counties in this Legislation. However, if the counties wish to augment the stipend to include additional court dates, there is no law prohibiting it. Ultimately, we view this as a first step in trying to mitigate the costs of implementing the "48-hour rule."

6) The \$1,474,200 appropriation is only for the next 2 years. If the program is successful and acceptable to the Judges, DAs and PDs and all the counties fulfill the reporting requirements to the Legislature, Speaker Yeager stated then we could explore a legislative remedy and provide for a permanent state funding source.

7) If there are any problems, corrections or updates which need to be made, we can do so in the 2025 Legislative Session. Please document the problems and contact Mary Walker at [marywalker@gbis.com](mailto:marywalker@gbis.com) if there are problems so she can start writing up a list of improvements to AB 518, please include NACO ([vguthreau@nvnaco.org](mailto:vguthreau@nvnaco.org)) on any suggestions, or feedback as they have been attempting to track the unfunded mandate caused by the 48-hour rule

## Agenda Item 10

8) The links to the two bills dealing with this issue are:

- Funding is in Section 7.3 of [AB 518](#):
- Growing the professionals to work weekends is in [SB 235](#).

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<b>SUMMARY</b>								
<b>AB 424 48 Hour Pre-Trial Release Program</b>								
<b>Cost of Weekend OT Stipend/Relief for Judges, District Attorneys and Public Defenders</b>								
<b>in Rural Counties/Cities</b>								
	<b>Judges</b>			<b>District Attorney-1 Per County</b>		<b>Public Defender-1 Per County</b>		
<b>County/City</b>	<b>Total # JPs and JP/Muni</b>	<b>Total # Muni Judges</b>	<b># of Court Days Weekends</b>	<b>Cost of Weekend OT/Relief \$450 Stipend Per Day</b>	<b>Cost of Weekend OT/Relief \$450 Stipend Per Day</b>	<b>Cost of Weekend OT/Relief \$450 Stipend Per Day</b>	<b>Total Cost County/City</b>	
Carson City	2	0	1 Day-Sundays	23,400	23,400	23,400	70,200	
Churchill	1	1	1-Day Sundays	23,400	23,400	23,400	70,200	
Douglas	2	0	2 Days-1-Sat/1-Sun	46,800	46,800	46,800	140,400	
Elko	4	0	2 Days-Sat/Sun	46,800	46,800	46,800	140,400	
Esmeralda	1	0	1	23,400	23,400	23,400	70,200	
Eureka	1	0	1	23,400	23,400	23,400	70,200	
Humboldt	1	0	1	23,400	23,400	23,400	70,200	
Lander	1	0	1	23,400	23,400	23,400	70,200	
Lincoln	2	0	2-Sat/Sun on call	46,800	46,800	46,800	140,400	
Lyon	3	1	2 Days-Sat/Sun	46,800	46,800	46,800	140,400	
Mineral	1	0	1	23,400	23,400	23,400	70,200	
Nye	4	0	1-Sundays/1 Sat Pool	46,800	46,800	46,800	140,400	
Pershing	1	0	1	23,400	23,400	23,400	70,200	
Storey	1	0	1	23,400	23,400	23,400	70,200	
White Pine	1	1	2 Days-1 Day Each	46,800	46,800	46,800	140,400	
<b>Total Annual</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>3</b>		<b>491,400</b>	<b>491,400</b>	<b>491,400</b>	<b>1,474,200</b>	
Note 1: The calculations above are for a flat rate stipend for each replacement or OT for existing Judge, District Attorney and Public Defender to work Saturdays and/or Sundays year round.								
Note 2: This excludes any Court, DA, PD, Sheriff or other staffing costs.								
Note 3: The Public Defender funding will go to DIDs to pay for Public Defender costs of \$450 stipend per weekend day. One Public Defender per County.								
Note 4: Each County/City will get a flat amount as delineated above in column Total Cost-County/City. Each County/City must only spend this money on Judge relief and District Attorney relief for weekends year round at \$450 per day.								
Note 5: These costs will be subject to annual audits and annual reporting requirements to the Nevada State Legislature.								
Note 6: If SB 235 did not exempt any holidays from the 48 hour provision, then a \$265,500 holiday stipend would be needed to pay a Judge, DA, PD for 9 holidays								