The Florida Senate

COMMITTEE MEETING EXPANDED AGENDA

COMMUNITY AFFAIRS Senator Lee, Chair Senator Bean, Vice Chair

MEETING DATE: Tuesday, January 16, 2018

TIME:

4:00—6:00 p.m. 301 Senate Office Building PLACE:

MEMBERS: Senator Lee, Chair; Senator Bean, Vice Chair; Senators Brandes, Campbell, Perry, Rodriguez, and

Simmons

TAB	BILL NO. and INTRODUCER	BILL DESCRIPTION and SENATE COMMITTEE ACTIONS	COMMITTEE ACTION
1	SB 562 Mayfield (Identical H 627)	Regulation of Smoking; Authorizing municipalities and counties to further restrict smoking within the boundaries of certain public parks, etc. CA 01/16/2018 Fav/CS HP	Fav/CS Yeas 6 Nays 0
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2	SB 614 Montford (Identical H 6003)	Participant Local Government Advisory Council; Abolishing the Participant Local Government Advisory Council, etc.	Fav/CS Yeas 7 Nays 0
		CA 01/16/2018 Fav/CS AGG AP	
3	SB 910 Garcia (Compare H 603)	Local Business Taxes; Providing an exemption from business taxes and fees for certain veterans, spouses and unremarried surviving spouses of such veterans, spouses of certain active duty military servicemembers, specified low-income individuals, and certain businesses in which a majority interest is owned by exempt individuals, etc.	Favorable Yeas 6 Nays 0
		CA 01/16/2018 Favorable AFT AP	
4	SB 874 Passidomo	State Funds; Exempting the State Housing Trust Fund and the Local Government Housing Trust Fund from a provision authorizing the Legislature, in the General Appropriations Act, to transfer unappropriated cash balances from specified trust funds to the Budget Stabilization Fund and General Revenue Fund, etc.	Favorable Yeas 6 Nays 0
		CA 01/16/2018 Favorable ATD AP	

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5	SB 934 Hukill (Identical H 727)	Property Tax Exemptions; Increasing the property tax exemption for residents who are widows, widowers, blind, or totally and permanently disabled, etc.	Favorable Yeas 5 Nays 0
		CA 01/16/2018 Favorable AFT AP	
6	SB 730 Perry (Similar H 607)	Housing Finance Authorities; Exempting from taxation certain notes and mortgages, including interest or income, that are part of a loan made by or on behalf of a housing financing authority, etc.	Fav/CS Yeas 4 Nays 0
		CA 01/16/2018 Fav/CS AFT AP	
7	SB 1144 Perry (Similar CS/H 725)	Permit Fees; Requiring a local government authorized to charge certain fees to post its permit fee and inspection fee schedule on its website with a link to a specified building permit and inspection report; requiring the governing body of a local government, before making any adjustment to a fee schedule, to publish a building permit and inspection report and post it on the local government's website, etc.	Fav/CS Yeas 5 Nays 0
		CA 01/16/2018 Fav/CS AFT AP	
8	SB 494 Lee (Identical H 405)	Linear Facilities; Revising the definition of the term "development" to exclude work by certain utility providers on utility infrastructure on certain rights-of-way or corridors; requiring the consideration of a certain variance standard when including conditions for the certification of an electrical power plant; clarifying that the Public Service Commission has exclusive jurisdiction to require underground transmission lines, etc.	Favorable Yeas 4 Nays 1
		CU 11/14/2017 Favorable CA 12/05/2017 Temporarily Postponed CA 01/16/2018 Favorable	