

The Florida Senate
COMMITTEE MEETING EXPANDED AGENDA

FISCAL POLICY
Senator Gruters, Chair
Senator Osgood, Vice Chair

MEETING DATE: Tuesday, February 24, 2026
TIME: 9:00—11:00 a.m.
PLACE: *Pat Thomas Committee Room, 412 Knott Building*

MEMBERS: Senator Gruters, Chair; Senator Osgood, Vice Chair; Senators Arrington, Avila, Bernard, Boyd, Bracy Davis, Bradley, Burton, Calatayud, Davis, Gaetz, Jones, Leek, Mayfield, Passidomo, Rodriguez, Simon, Truenow, and Yarborough

TAB	BILL NO. and INTRODUCER	BILL DESCRIPTION and SENATE COMMITTEE ACTIONS	COMMITTEE ACTION
1	SB 174 Rodriguez (Similar CS/H 33)	Transportation Facility Designations/Charlie Kirk Memorial Avenue; Providing an honorary designation of a certain transportation facility in a specified county; directing the Department of Transportation to erect suitable markers, etc. TR 01/12/2026 Favorable ATD 02/18/2026 Favorable FP 02/24/2026 Favorable	Favorable Yeas 12 Nays 6
2	SB 194 Martin (Identical CS/H 125)	Charlie Kirk Day of Remembrance; Designating October 14 of each year as "Charlie Kirk Day of Remembrance"; authorizing the Governor to issue an annual proclamation, etc. GO 12/09/2025 Favorable HE 01/21/2026 Favorable FP 02/24/2026 Favorable	Favorable Yeas 12 Nays 6
3	CS/SB 196 Health Policy / Sharief (Compare H 327, H 1515, Linked CS/S 864)	Uterine Fibroid Research Database; Deleting a prohibition on the inclusion of personal identifying information in the uterine fibroid research database, etc. HP 02/11/2026 Fav/CS AHS 02/18/2026 Favorable FP 02/24/2026 Favorable	Favorable Yeas 19 Nays 0

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4	SB 432 Yarborough (Similar CS/CS/H 309)	Controlled Substances; Adding 7-Hydroxymitragynine as a Schedule I controlled substance; excepting from the list of Schedule I controlled substances certain xylazine animal drug products approved by the United States Food and Drug Administration and used for certain purposes; providing criminal penalties and requiring a mandatory minimum term of imprisonment if a person sells, manufactures, or delivers or possesses with intent to sell, manufacture, or deliver xylazine; creating the offense of trafficking in xylazine; providing criminal penalties and requiring a mandatory minimum term of imprisonment and fines based on the quantity of the controlled substance involved in the offense, etc. CJ 01/12/2026 Favorable ACJ 01/21/2026 Favorable FP 02/24/2026 Fav/CS	Fav/CS Yeas 19 Nays 0
5	SB 524 Simon (Compare CS/CS/H 849)	Department of Law Enforcement; Specifying the circumstances under which an appointment or reappointment to the Medical Examiners Commission is considered in force; requiring the commission, rather than the Governor, to appoint district medical examiners for each medical examiner district; specifying that upon approval by the commission, rather than by the Governor, a physician member of the commission is eligible to serve as a district medical examiner; requiring the commission, rather than the Department of Law Enforcement, to establish or develop specified training components or courses, etc. CJ 01/12/2026 Favorable ACJ 01/21/2026 Favorable FP 02/05/2026 Temporarily Postponed FP 02/24/2026 Fav/CS	Fav/CS Yeas 18 Nays 0
6	CS/SB 530 Regulated Industries / Simon (Similar H 1401)	State Lotteries; Revising the powers and duties of the Department of the Lottery; revising the information required to be provided to the department by persons who submit a bid, a proposal, or an offer to negotiate a contract for major procurement; authorizing the Division of Security's sworn law enforcement officers to purchase and present lottery tickets to a lottery retailer to claim a prize under certain circumstances; prohibiting certain false claims relating to state lottery tickets, etc. RI 01/27/2026 Fav/CS AEG 02/18/2026 Favorable FP 02/24/2026 Favorable	Favorable Yeas 18 Nays 0

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7	SB 646 Gaetz (Similar CS/H 477)	Drug Paraphernalia; Revising the definition of “drug paraphernalia” to exclude certain narcotic-drug-testing products, etc. CJ 01/26/2026 Favorable ACJ 02/04/2026 Favorable FP 02/24/2026 Fav/CS	Fav/CS Yeas 18 Nays 0
8	SB 676 Arrington (Compare CS/H 559)	Criminal Offenses; Providing criminal penalties for persons who commit any act that causes, tends to cause, encourages, or contributes to a child committing offenses of specified severities; providing criminal penalties for persons who induce or endeavor to induce, by act, threat, command, or persuasion, a child to commit offenses of specified severities; creating the offense of causing or enticing a minor to commit, or in the presence of a minor committing, animal cruelty, etc. CJ 01/12/2026 Favorable ACJ 01/21/2026 Favorable FP 02/24/2026 Fav/CS	Fav/CS Yeas 18 Nays 0
9	CS/SB 800 Regulated Industries / Mayfield (Compare CS/H 839)	Engineering; Providing penalties for persons found to have repeatedly engaged in the unlicensed practice of engineering; establishing the Engineering Student Loan Assistance Program; providing for the program’s management by the Florida Engineers Management Corporation; providing the purpose of the program, etc. RI 01/20/2026 Fav/CS AEG 02/18/2026 Favorable FP 02/24/2026 Fav/CS	Fav/CS Yeas 18 Nays 0
10	CS/SB 864 Health Policy / Sharief (Identical H 1515, Linked CS/S 196)	Public Records/Uterine Fibroid Research Database; Providing an exemption from public records requirements for certain records and personal identifying information submitted to the Department of Health for inclusion in the uterine fibroid research database; providing for future legislative review and repeal; providing a statement of public necessity, etc. HP 02/02/2026 Fav/CS AHS 02/12/2026 Favorable FP 02/24/2026 Favorable	Favorable Yeas 19 Nays 0

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11	CS/CS/SB 1062 Appropriations Committee on Pre-K - 12 Education / Education Pre-K - 12 / Brodeur (Compare CS/H 1059)	Speech and Debate Education; Designating Florida Speech and Debate Week annually in February; establishing the Florida Debate Initiative, Inc., (FDI) as a statewide speech and debate organization that performs certain functions in support of the Florida Civics and Debate Initiative (FCDI) in the Department of Education; providing the duties of FDI; specifying activities for FDI and FCDI, etc. ED 01/27/2026 Fav/CS AED 02/18/2026 Fav/CS FP 02/24/2026 Favorable	Favorable Yeas 19 Nays 0
12	SB 1072 Calatayud (Similar H 111)	Antisemitism Task Force; Creating the Antisemitism Task Force adjunct to the Office of Civil Rights within the Department of Legal Affairs for a specified purpose; requiring the department to provide administrative and staff support to the task force; requiring the task force to meet quarterly; requiring the task force to annually submit a report and policy recommendations to the Governor and the Legislature by a specified date, etc. GO 02/02/2026 Favorable ACJ 02/18/2026 Favorable FP 02/24/2026 Favorable	Favorable Yeas 18 Nays 0
13	SB 1112 Garcia (Identical H 1287)	Labor Pool Act; Prohibiting a labor pool from charging a certain fee to a third-party user if such user directly employs a laborer for work; requiring a labor pool to register annually with the Department of Commerce; revising the remedies, damages, and costs a court may award the prevailing party in certain actions, etc. CM 01/28/2026 Favorable ATD 02/12/2026 Favorable FP 02/24/2026 Favorable	Favorable Yeas 19 Nays 0
14	CS/SB 1180 Community Affairs / Arrington (Similar CS/CS/H 1051)	Community Development Districts; Providing that specified provisions regarding synthetic turf do not apply to community development districts enforcing deed restrictions; providing that certain members of the governing body of a community development district may be removed by the electors of the community development district; requiring separate petitions for each member sought to be recalled; requiring a specified percentage of electors to sign the petition; providing the grounds for removal of elected members, etc. CA 01/27/2026 Fav/CS EE 02/04/2026 Favorable FP 02/24/2026 Fav/CS	Fav/CS Yeas 18 Nays 0

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15	CS/SB 1404 Health Policy / Burton (Similar CS/H 1295, Compare CS/S 1630)	Memory Care; Requiring licenses for assisted living facilities that provide memory care services; requiring an assisted living facility that serves memory care residents or holds itself out as providing memory care services to obtain a memory care services license; requiring the Agency for Health Care Administration to adopt rules governing memory care services licenses by a specified date; authorizing a facility that served memory care residents without a memory care services license before a specified date to continue to do so if certain requirements are met, etc. HP 02/02/2026 Fav/CS AHS 02/18/2026 Favorable FP 02/24/2026 Fav/CS	Fav/CS Yeas 18 Nays 0
16	CS/SB 1630 Children, Families, and Elder Affairs / Grall (Compare CS/H 1121, CS/S 1404)	Aging and Disability Services; Deleting expired requirements for Medicaid recipients to receive an offer for enrollment for long-term care services; requiring the CARES program to review or perform the initial assessment of an enrollee's level of care; providing procurement requirements for area agencies on aging; requiring that high-risk vulnerable adults be given priority consideration for receiving community-care-for-the-elderly services; revising professional and public guardians' continuing education requirements to include Alzheimer's disease and related dementias, etc. CF 01/27/2026 Fav/CS AHS 02/12/2026 Favorable FP 02/18/2026 Temporarily Postponed FP 02/24/2026 Favorable	Favorable Yeas 19 Nays 0
17	CS/SB 1684 Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services / Calatayud (Similar CS/CS/CS/H 1443, Compare CS/H 1445, Linked CS/S 1686)	Parkinson's Disease Registry; Requiring physicians, osteopathic physicians, and advanced practice registered nurses, respectively, to report certain information to the Parkinson's disease registry; providing limited liability for physicians and advanced practice registered nurses under certain circumstances; revising the membership of the Parkinson's Disease Research Board; requiring the Institute for Parkinson's Disease at the University of South Florida, subject to appropriation, to establish and maintain a statewide Parkinson's disease registry for specified purposes, etc. HP 02/11/2026 Favorable AHS 02/18/2026 Fav/CS FP 02/24/2026 Favorable	Favorable Yeas 18 Nays 0

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18	CS/SB 1686 Health Policy / Calatayud (Similar CS/H 1445, Compare CS/CS/CS/H 1443, Linked CS/S 1684)	Public Records/Parkinson's Disease Registry; Providing an exemption from public records requirements for certain records and personal identifying information submitted to the Parkinson's Disease Registry; providing for future legislative review and repeal; providing a statement of public necessity, etc. HP 02/11/2026 Fav/CS AHS 02/18/2026 Favorable FP 02/24/2026 Favorable	Favorable Yeas 18 Nays 0

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