

## County of Monterey Legislative Report 2019 with Positions - Report as of 2/7/2019

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<a href="#">AB 2</a>	<a href="#">Santiago</a> D	Community colleges: California College Promise.	1/17/2019-A. HIGHHER ED.		Current law establishes the California College Promise, under the administration of the Chancellor of the California Community Colleges, to provide funding, upon appropriation by the Legislature, to each community college meeting prescribed requirements. Current law authorizes a community college to use that funding to waive some or all of the fees for one academic year for certain first-time students who are enrolled in 12 or more semester units or the equivalent at the college and complete and submit either a Free Application for Federal Student Aid or a California Dream Act application. This bill would instead authorize a community college to use California College Promise funding to waive fees for 2 academic years for these students.		
<a href="#">AB 10</a>	<a href="#">Chiu</a> D	Income taxes: credits low-income housing: farmworker housing.	1/17/2019-A. H. & C.D.		Would, under the law governing the taxation of insurers, the Personal Income Tax Law, and the Corporation Tax Law, for calendar years beginning in 2020, increase the aggregate housing credit dollar amount that may be allocated among low-income housing projects by an additional \$500,000,000, as specified, and would allocate to farmworker housing projects \$25,000,000 per year of that amount. The bill, under those laws, would modify the definition of applicable percentage relating to qualified low-income buildings to depend on whether the building is a new or existing building and federally subsidized, or a building that is, among other things, at least 15 years old, serving households of very low income or extremely low income, and will complete substantial rehabilitation, as specified.	Watch	1.14.19 LC watch
<a href="#">AB 11</a>	<a href="#">Chiu</a> D	Community Redevelopment Law of 2019.	1/17/2019-A. H. & C.D.		Current law dissolved redevelopment agencies as of February 1, 2012, and designates successor agencies to act as successor entities to the dissolved redevelopment agencies. This bill, the Community Redevelopment Law of 2019, would authorize a city or county, or two or more cities acting jointly, to propose the formation of an affordable housing and infrastructure agency by adoption of a resolution of intention that meets specified requirements, including that the resolution of intention include a passthrough provision and an override passthrough provision, as defined.	Watch	1.14.19 LC watch
<a href="#">AB 72</a>	Committee on Budget	Budget Act of 2018.	2/6/2019-S. BUDGET & F.R.	2/7/2019 10am - John L. Burton	The Budget Act of 2018 made appropriations for the support of state government for the 2018–19 fiscal year. This bill		

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				Hearing Room (4203) S Budget & Fiscal Rev Mitchell, Chair	would amend the Budget Act of 2018 by amending and adding items of appropriation and making other changes.		
<a href="#">AB 286</a>	<a href="#">Bonta</a> D	Taxation: cannabis.	1/28/2019-A. PRI NT		The Control, Regulate and Tax Adult Use of Marijuana Act (AUMA), an initiative measure approved as Proposition 64 at the November 8, 2016, statewide general election, and additionally amended by statute, imposes an excise tax commencing January 1, 2018, on the purchase of cannabis and cannabis products at the rate of 15% of the average market price of any retail sale by a cannabis retailer. This bill would reduce that excise tax rate to 11% on and after the operative date of this bill until June 1, 2022, at which time the excise tax rate would revert back to 15%. This bill would suspend the imposition of the cultivation tax on and after the operative date of this bill until June 1, 2022.		
<a href="#">AB 331</a>	<a href="#">Medina</a> D	Pupil instruction: high school graduation requirements: ethnic studies.	1/31/2019-A. PRI NT		Would add the completion of a one-semester course in ethnic studies, in either the subject of social studies or English, based on the model curriculum in ethnic studies developed by the Instructional Quality Commission, to the high school graduation requirements commencing with the 2023–24 school year. The bill would authorize local educational agencies to require a full-year course in ethnic studies at their discretion, as specified.		
<a href="#">ACR 1</a>	<a href="#">Bonta</a> D	Immigration: public charges.	1/28/2019-A. HU M. S.		This measure would condemn regulations proposed by the Department of Homeland Security to prescribe how a determination of an alien’s inadmissability is made based on the likelihood that the alien will become a public charge. This measure would also urge the federal government to reconsider and roll back the proposed regulations.	Support	1.14.19 LC support
<a href="#">SB 5</a>	<a href="#">Beall</a> D	Local-State Sustainable Investment Incentive Program.	1/24/2019-S. GO V. & F.		Would establish in state government the Local-State Sustainable Investment Incentive Program, which would be administered by the Sustainable Investment Incentive Committee. The bill would authorize a city, county, city and county, joint powers agency, enhanced infrastructure financing district, affordable housing authority, community revitalization and investment authority or transit village development district to apply to the Sustainable Investment Incentive Committee to participate in the program and would authorize the committee to approve or deny applications for projects meeting specific criteria.	Watch	1.14.19 LC watch
<a href="#">SB 25</a>	<a href="#">Caballero</a> D	California Environmental Quality Act: qualified opportunity zones.	1/16/2019-S. E.Q .		Would establish specified procedures for the administrative and judicial review of the environmental review and approvals granted for projects located in qualified opportunity zones that are funded, in whole or in part, by	Watch	1.14.19 LC watch

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					qualified opportunity funds, or by moneys from the Greenhouse Gas Reduction Fund and allocated by the Strategic Growth Council. Because a public agency would be required to comply with those new procedures, this bill would impose a state-mandated local program.		
<a href="#">SB 45</a>	<a href="#">Allen</a> D	Wildfire, Drought, and Flood Protection Bond Act of 2020.	1/16/2019-S. N.R . & W.		Would enact the Wildfire, Drought, and Flood Protection Bond Act of 2020, which, if approved by the voters, would authorize the issuance of bonds in an unspecified amount pursuant to the State General Obligation Bond Law to finance projects to restore fire damaged areas, reduce wildfire risk, create healthy forest and watersheds, reduce climate impacts on urban areas and vulnerable populations, protect water supply and water quality, protect rivers, lakes, and streams, reduce flood risk, protect fish and wildlife from climate impacts, improve climate resilience of agricultural lands, and protect coastal lands and resources.		
<a href="#">SB 51</a>	<a href="#">Hertzberg</a> D	Financial institutions: cannabis.	1/16/2019-S. B. & F. I.		Would create the Cannabis Limited Charter Banking and Credit Union Law, to be administered by the Commissioner of Business Oversight and the Department of Business Oversight. The bill would create the Cannabis Limited Charter Bank and Credit Union Advisory Board and specify its composition, to include the Treasurer, the Controller, and the Chief of the Bureau of Cannabis Control, and commit to it the general responsibility for ensuring that this law functions in a safe and efficient way.	Watch	1.14.19 LC watch
<a href="#">SB 189</a>	<a href="#">Monning</a> D	Fort Ord Reuse Authority: ex officio members.	2/6/2019-S. GOV . & F.		The Fort Ord Reuse Authority Act establishes the Fort Ord Reuse Authority to prepare, adopt, finance, and implement a plan for the use and development of the territory previously occupied by the Fort Ord military base in the County of Monterey. The act provides that the authority is governed by a board and authorizes representatives of certain entities to serve as ex officio nonvoting members of the board. This bill would specify that the board is authorized to appoint or remove additional ex officio nonvoting members at its pleasure, including, but not limited to, representatives from state agencies or campuses of the University of California or the California State University.		
<a href="#">SCA 1</a>	<a href="#">Allen</a> D	Public housing projects.	12/3/2018-S. RL S.		The California Constitution prohibits the development, construction, or acquisition of a low-rent housing project, as defined, in any manner by any state public body until a majority of the qualified electors of the city, town, or county in which the development, construction, or acquisition of the low-rent housing project is proposed approve the project by voting in favor at an election, as specified. This measure would repeal these provisions.	Watch	1.14.19 LC watch