



Legislation and Governmental Organization Committee

Legislative Priorities for 2011 Legislative Session

Legislation Priorities		Legend for Status of Bills Considered: * AB Chaptered-Law (Bold Face) (V) Bill Vetoed Remaining bills—Did not Pass/Inactive
Subject	Specific Objectives	Outcome
<p>State and Federal Legislation addressing focused integrated planning and environmentally healthy communities</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -- Aggressively pursue legislation addressing Extended Producer Responsibility and waste disposal, and hazardous waste issues. -- Track legislation addressing Bay issues, oil spill, and statewide policies on sea level rise. -- Achieve environmentally healthy communities: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Continue to pursue legislation “Improving Crime Gun Tracing” and against “Open Carrying of Unloaded Handguns”. 	<p>*AB 913 (Feuer) Green Business Program *AB 255 (Wieckowski) HazWaste-Latex Paint SB 419 (Simitian) Waste: Sharps SB 515 (Corbett) Recycling: Batteries</p> <p>*AB 1112 (Huffman) Oil Spill Prevention *AB 56 (Hill) Intrastate Pipeline Safety SB 200 (Wolk) Bay Delta Conservation Plan SB 846 (Berryhill) The California Water Plan: Water Data</p> <p>*AB 144 (Portantino & Ammiano) Open Carrying Unloaded Handguns *AB 809 (Feuer) Long Guns</p>
<p>Resources and incentives for planning, infrastructure and services to assist local governments and related climate change and land use solutions.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Continue legislative partnership with MTC, Air District, and BCDC on these issues. – Pursue legislation addressing RHNA/Housing element review 	<p>SB 582 (Yee) Commute Benefit Policies (V) AB 57 (Beall) MTC (composition) AB 470 (Halderman) Air Pollution Districts-School Bus Retrofits AB 567 (Valadao) Transportation funds-Capital Improvement Projects AB 676 (Torres) Transportation Funds SB 791 (Simitian) Regional Congestion Reduction Charge</p> <p>*AB 1103 (Huffman) Housing Element *AB 1430 (Local Govt Com) Defines terms</p>

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	<p>regarding how affordable housing conversions and assisted living facilities are counted and credited; and how urban and rural areas are categorized.</p>	<p>AB 1220 (Alejo) Land Use/Planning/Time Limits (V) AB 880 (V.M. Perez) CEQA-Expedited Review SB 184 (Leno) Zoning-Inclusionary Housing SB 286 (Wright) Redevelopment</p>
<p>Long Term Financial Disaster Recovery Planning Initiative</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Continue work with CAL-EMA and other agencies to identify and fund regional/ local hazard mitigation and Post Disaster Recovery Planning - Work with CARD (Collaborating Agencies Responding to Disasters) as a region-wide best practice agency. 	<p>Bay Area Regional Disaster Resilience Initiative</p> <p>“Building on a Disaster Resilient Bay Area-Focus on Recovery and Restoration” Workshop, NASA Research Park, Moffett Field, 11/1/11</p>
<p>Finance legislation that includes balanced revenue streams and fiscal reform</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Continue work with the League of California Cities and the California State Association of Counties on structural budget reform. - Track legislation addressing pension reform and Internet privacy and sales tax issues. - Stay abreast of proposals on constitution revisions and Constitutional Convention. 	<p>*AB 184 (Swanson) Seismic Safety Finance Act *ABX114 (Skinner) Energy Upgrade Financing *SB 555 (Hancock) Communities Facilities District *SB 310 (Hancock) Local Government-Financing *SB 790 (Leno) Community Choice Aggregation *SB 201 (DeSaulnier) Flexible Purpose Corporations</p> <p>AB 485 (Ma) Infrastructure Financing AB 723 (Bradford) Energy-Public Goods Charge AB 1086 (Wieckowski) Transactions and Use Taxes-County of Alameda AB 1198 (Norby) Land Use-Regional Housing Need Assessment SB 214 (Wolk) Infrastructure Financing Districts SB 301 (DeSaulnier) Redevelopment-Seismic Retrofits SB 653 (Steinberg) Local Taxation-School District SCA 4 (DeSaulnier & Wolk) Initiative Measures-Funding Source</p>

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<p>State and federal legislation establishing innovative financing and project delivery mechanisms.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Continue to work on legislation that would ensure that COGs, MPOs, and other affected regional planning agencies receive sufficient funds to fulfill obligations under SB 375. – Seek funding to reimburse COGs for Regional Housing Needs Allocation (RHNA) compliance costs. – Seek permanent funding for COG, MPO, and local governments for SB 375 obligations. – Work to ensure that, where a Regional Blueprint has been adopted, consistency with regional blueprints is a consideration in allocation of funds from State agencies and provides incentives for local government – In the development of legislation and agency and state policies on climate change, uphold local flexibility and authority. 	<p>*SB 209 (Corbett) Electric Vehicle Charging Stations *AB 506 (Wieckowski) Bankruptcy-Mediation *SB 226 (Simitian) Environmental Quality</p> <p>SB 878 (DeSaulnier) Regional Planning AB 710 (Skinner) Infill and TOD-Parking AB 343 (Atkins) Redevelopment and SCS AB 392 (Alejo) Brown Act-Posting Agendas AB 441 (Monning) State Planning SB 186 (Kehoe & DeSaulnier) Controller</p> <p>HR 1825 (Blumenauer) Commuter Relief Act</p>
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