

# South Bay Cities Council of Governments

January 28, 2021

TO: SBCCOG Board of Directors  
 FROM: SBCCOG Steering Committee  
 RE: Bills to Monitor and for Action

Adherence to Strategic Plan:  
 Goal B: Regional Advocacy. Advocate for the interests of the South Bay

<p>AB 78 (O'Donnell)</p> <p>Co-author - Gipson</p>	<p>San Gabriel and Lower Los Angeles Rivers &amp; Mountains Conservancy: territory: Dominguez Channel watershed &amp; Santa Catalina Island. Existing law establishes the San Gabriel and Lower Los Angeles Rivers and Mountains Conservancy in the Natural Resources Agency and prescribes the functions and duties of the conservancy with regard to the protection, preservation, and enhancement of specified areas of the Counties of Los Angeles and Orange located along the San Gabriel River and the lower Los Angeles River and tributaries along those rivers. Existing law, for purposes of those provisions, defines "territory" to mean the territory of the conservancy that consists of those portions of the Counties of Los Angeles and Orange located within the San Gabriel River and its tributaries, the lower Los Angeles River and its tributaries, and the San Gabriel Mountains, as described.</p> <p>This bill would additionally include the Dominguez Channel watershed and Santa Catalina Island, as described, within that definition of territory, and would make various related changes to the boundaries of that territory.</p> <p>This bill would require the conservancy to update the San Gabriel and Lower Los Angeles Parkway and Open Space Plan to include the priorities for conservation and enhanced public use within the Dominguez Channel watershed and Santa Catalina Island.</p>	<p>SUPPORT (12/14/20)</p> <p>(Ltr sent 1/4/21)</p>	<p>12/8/20 from printer</p> <p>Previously supported in last session</p>
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<p>HR 763 (Deutsch)</p>	<p>Energy Innovation &amp; Carbon Dividend Act. Imposes a fee on the carbon content of fuels, including crude oil, natural gas, coal, or any other product derived from those fuels that will be used so as to emit greenhouse gases into the atmosphere. The fee is imposed on the producers or importers of the fuels and is equal to the greenhouse gas content of the fuel multiplied by the carbon fee rate. The rate begins at \$15 in 2019, increases by \$10 each year, and is subject to further adjustments based on the progress in meeting specified emissions reduction targets. Imposes a specified fee on fluorinated greenhouse gases.</p>	<p>REQUEST TO CONGRESSMAN LIEU TO SUPPORT RE-INTRODUCING (12/8/20)  (Ltr sent 12/22/20)</p>	<p>To be re-introduced  Previously supported in last session</p>
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## State Legislative Calendar

January 22 – Last day to submit bill requests to Office of Legislative Counsel

February 19 – Last day for bills to be introduced

March 25 – Spring Recess

April 5 Legislature reconvenes

April 30 Last day for policy committee to meet and report to fiscal committees fiscal bills introduced in their house

May 7 Last day for policy committees to meet and report to the floor non-fiscal bills introduced in their house

May 14 Last day for policy committee to meet prior to June 7

May 21 Last day **for fiscal committees to** meet and report to the floor bills introduced in their house. Last day for fiscal committees to meet and report to the floor bills introduced in their house.

June 4 Last day for each house to pass bills introduced in that house.

June 7 Committee meetings may resume

June 15 Budget Bill must be passed by midnight

July 14 Last day for policy committees to meet and report bills

July 16 Summer Recess begins upon adjournment, provided Budget Bill has been passed

Aug. 16 Legislature reconvenes from Summer Recess

Aug. 27 Last day for fiscal committees to meet and report bills

Aug. 30-Sept. 10

Floor session only. No committee may meet for any purpose except Rules Committee, bills referred pursuant to A.R. 77.2, and Conference Committees

Sept. 3 Last day to amend bills on the floor

Sept. 10 Last day for any bill to be passed. Interim Recess begins upon adjournment

Oct. 10 Last day for Governor to sign or veto bills passed by the Legislature before Sept. 10 and in the Governor's possession by Sept. 10