

Legislative Committee Tracked Legislation 2023 Legislative Session as of 06/21/2023

Bold-Bill that directly effects the Department
C - A joint resolution amending the Nevada Constitution, R - A resolution, S - A special act

Bill	BDR	NRS	Description	Sponsors	Status	Notes	Division Most Affected	Position	Amendments and Date	Fiscal Notes
WILDLIFE/HABITAT										
SB334	30	704	Revises provisions relating to energy	Senator Spearman	No Further Action Taken - 06/06	Revising the definition of "renewable energy" to include clean hydrogen for the purposes of provisions governing the portfolio standard.		No Position		
	32		Revises provisions relating to energy	Senator Spearman						
SB176	48-79	533	Revises provisions relating to groundwater basins	Senator Goicoechea	Failed to Pass	Creating the Account for Purchasing and Retiring Water Rights; establishing the Purchasing and Retiring Water Rights Program.	Sent to Habitat 02/21/2023	Watch	03/23/2023-Proposed amendment. Nature Conservancy	
	93		Revises provisions relating to livestock	Senator Goicoechea			Send to Habitat			
AB102	128		Revises provisions governing wildlife.	Assemblyman Watts	FAILED 1st DEADLINE.	Prohibited to organize, sponsor, promote, conduct or participate in contest, tournament, derby or other in which animals taken for prize or other inducement. Beaver, bobcat, coyote, fox, mink, muskrat, otter, rabbit, skunk or weasel	Sent to DO, Game, LE 02/03/2023	Commission Neutral 03/11/2023	03/15/2023-Conceptual amendment proposed. Watts	
SB311	168	501	Revises provisions related to wildlife.	Senator Hansen	Approved by Governor - Upon passage for adopting any regulations and any other preparatory tasks	Requiring the Board of Wildlife Commissioners to establish a program to allow a person to transfer his or her tag to hunt a big game mammal to certain persons.	Sent to DO, DATS 03/24/2023	Commission Supports with an amendment for in-person firearm safety 04/06/2023	Conceptual Amendment provided to say "resident junior hunter"	YES
	208		Revises provisions governing water.	Assemblywoman Kasama			Send to Habitat			
SB269	246	574	Revises provisions related to wildlife.	Senator Ohrenschall	Approved by Governor - Effective October 1, 2023	Prohibiting a person from restraining a dog during any time in which a heat advisory has been issued for the are.	Sent to LE 03/15/2023	Neutral with exemption 05/05/2023	05/03/2023 Amendment - Ohrenschall 03/29/2023-Proposed amendment. Washoe and Clark Co.	
SB141	294	502	Revises provisions related to wildlife.	Senator Hansen	FAILED 1st DEADLINE.	Seeks to eliminate carrying a license or permit to hunt fish or trap.	Sent to Administrators 02/15/2023	Oppose as written 04/06/2023		
AB387	338	533	Revises provisions related to water.	Joint Interim Standing Committee on Natural Resources	Failed 3rd Deadline	Requiring the State Engineer to consider the best available science when rendering decisions.	Sent to Habitat 03/24/2023	No Position	03/29/2023-Proposed amendment. Watts	
AB221	339	501	Authorizes the management of nonpest insects.	Joint Interim Standing Committee on Natural Resources	No Further Action - 06/06	Allows management of terrestrial invertebrates by the Department as designated by the SGCN.	Sent to Diversity, Alan, Jordan 02/23/2023 Refer to Next Tab	Commission Support 03/11/2023	03/13/2023-Conceptual amendment proposed. Watts	YES
AB112	35-340	408	Establishes and funds account to create and maintain wildlife crossings.	Joint Interim Standing Committee on Natural Resources	Approved by Governor - Effective July 1, 2023	Creates Wildlife Crossing Account in the State General Fund. Account administered by DOT. Provisions must be in cooperation with NDOW.	Sent to DO, Habitat, Game 02/06/2023 Refer to Next Tab	Commission Support 03/11/2023	03/09/2023- Two conceptual amendments proposed. Watts	
AB70	45-342	502	Revises provisions relating to the additional fee for a game tag which is used to pay costs related to the management and control of predatory wildlife.	Joint Interim Standing Committee on Natural Resources	Approved by Governor - Effective July 1, 2023	\$3.00 fee can be used for wildlife management activities relating to the protection of nonpredatory big game mammals and their habitat. Removes the min. 80% requirement, and requires prioritizing programs, wildlife management activities and research that will provide the greatest benefit to populations of big game	Sent to Game, Habitat, DO 01/31/2023 Refer to Next Tab	Commission Opposed and would like to direct concerns 05/05/2023	03/06/2023-Conceptual amendment proposed. NDOW	
SB88	S-345		Requires 2023-2024 interim study on state agencies that regulate natural resources.	Joint Interim Standing Committee on Natural Resources	Vetoed by the Governor. (Return to 83rd Session)	If passed, effective July 1, 2023. A study will be conducted during the 2023-2024 interim concerning state agencies that regulate natural resources. Must include without limitation examining the Board of Wildlife Commissioners.	Refer to Next Tab Sent 01/27 - DO	Commission No Position 03/11/2023		
SB90	19-560	235	Designates the wild mustang as the official state horse	Senate Committee on Natural Resources	Failed 3rd Deadline	Designates the wild mustang as the official state horse of the State of Nevada. Amendment provides that the designation complies with the Wild and Free Roaming Horses and Burro's Act		Commission Oppose 03/11/2023	04/04/2023 - Amendment	
SB338	678	490	Revises provisions relating to off-highway vehicles.	Senator Flores	Approved by Governor - Effective October 1, 2023	Revising provisions relating to the operation of certain off-highway vehicles on certain streets and highways	Sent to LE 03/24/2023	No Position		

SB312	743	503	Revises provisions relating to wildlife.	Senator Hansen	FAILED 1st DEADLINE	Authorizing a person who discovers the carcass of a big game mammal to report the location of the carcass to the Department of Wildlife and request that the antlers and horns be donated to a nonprofit organization for display, raffle or auction.	Sent to Administrators 03/24/2023	Support with amendments 04/06/2023	03/28/2023 - Amendmen Hansen	
	744		Revises provisions governing water.	Senator Hansen						
	861		Revises provisions relating to natural resources.	Senate Committee on Natural Resources						
SB421	58-891	701 704	Revises provisions relating to energy.	Senator Ohrenschall	FAILED DEADLINE	Revising provisions governing partial tax abatements for certain renewable energy facilities	Sent to Habitat 03/28/2023	No Position		
AB349	912		Establishes the Nevada Fish and Wildlife Conservation Foundation.	Assembly Minority Leader	No Action Taken - 06/04	Establishing the Nevada Wildlife Conservation Program and Nevada Wildlife Conservation Program Account to support the preservation, protection, management and restoration of wildlife and wildlife habitats.	Sent to Administrators 03/24/2023	Support with proposed amdment to change Board makeup and remove Commission direction 05/05/2023	03/27/2023-Proposed amendment. O'Neill	
SB224	1013	501	Revises the membership of the Board of Wildlife Commissioners.	Senator Goicoechea	FAILED 1st DEADLINE.	Revising the membership of the Board of Wildlife Commissioners.		Commission Oppose 03/11/2023		
SJR2	R-170		SJR: Urges Congress to require the United States Board on Geographic Names to consider renaming the Sheldon Antelope Range.	Senator Hansen	FAILED DEADLINE	Changes the name of the Sheldon Wildlife Refuge to the E.R. Sans National Wildlife Refuge.		Watch		
LAW ENFORCEMENT/FIREARMS										
SB294	15-47	388 439	Revises provisions relating to firearms	Senator Donate	Approved by Governor - Effective October 1, 2023	Creating the crime of unsafe storage of a firearm	Sent to LE 03/17/2023	No Position		
SB367	942	202	Revises provisions relating to public safety.	Senator Cannizzaro	Approved by Governor - Effective July 1, 2023	certain circumstances related to the commission of certain drug offenses.	Sent to LE 03/24/2023	No Position		
AB 355	937	202	Revises provisions relating to firearms	Assemblywoman Jauregui	Veto by Governor, Returned to Assembly with Governor's veto message	Prohibits a person under 21 from using a semiautomatic shotgun or rifle		Commission Opposed 04/11/2023		
ADMINISTRATION										
SB87	23-343	284	Creates the Nevada Natural Resources Corps.	Joint Interim Standing Committee on Natural Resources	Approved by Governor - Effective October 1, 2023	Under certain circumstances without competition certain persons may fill a classified position.	HR 02/06/2023	Commission Support 03/11/2023	03/07/2023-Proposed Amendment. Watts.	
AB361	995		Revises provisions governing federal grants.	Assemblywoman Monroe-Moreno	Approved by Governor - Effective July 1, 2023	Authorizing a department, institution or agency of the Executive Department of the State Government to request the provisional approval of the Interim Finance Committee to accept a grant and revise a work program.	Sent to Jordan 03/24/2023	No Position		
No Longer Tracking										
	54-206		Revises provisions governing animals.	Assemblywoman Hardy				Stop Tracking		
	S-347		Creates 2023-2024 interim study relating to environmental justice.	Joint Interim Standing Committee on Natural Resources			Refer to Next Tab	Stop Tracking		
	20-460		Revises provisions governing the transfer of certain land by a county.	Assemblyman O'Neill				Stop Tracking		
	628		Revises provisions governing natural resources.	Assemblywoman Alexis Hansen				Stop Tracking		
SB159	49-608		Revises provisions relating to pest control.	Senator Hammond	Heard. No Action Taken 04/04/2023	Establishing provisions governing the issuance of a provisional license as an applicator to engage in pest control. Per Ajenne	Sent to Habitat 02/15/2023	Stop Tracking		
WITHDR AWN	816		Revises provisions relating to natural resources.	Senator Scheible		WITHDRAWN		Stop Tracking		
SB265	48		Revises provisions relating to boards and commissions	Senator Donate		State Barbers' Health and Sanitation Board		Stop Tracking		