



Santa Cruz County
Department of Public Works

County of Santa Cruz
Integrated Waste Management Local Task Force Mtg
September 1, 2016, 3-5pm
Santa Cruz County Board Chambers
Chair, Bob Nelson Vice Chair, Larry Laurent

AGENDA

1. Oral Communications
2. Changes to Agenda
3. Oral Communications from Task Force
4. Approval of Minutes (Attached)
March 3, June 9 Joint Mtg (Note: Attendance not required to approve minutes)
5. Organics Update – all
6. Recycling Center Closures - all
7. New County Food Service Requirements – Tim
8. Drug and Sharps Takeback Ordinances Update – All
9. Legislative Update – Tim
10. Call for Agenda Items
11. Adjournment

**Next Meeting of the Santa Cruz County Integrated Waste Management Local Task Force
will be Thursday, December 1, 3-5pm, at the City of Santa Cruz Civic Auditorium
307 Church St, Santa Cruz**

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Minutes

Present: Bob Nelson, Larry Laurent, Scott Hamby, Lowell Hurst, Tony Gregorio, Erica Stanojevic, Alan Schlenger
Staff: Kasey Kolassa, Tim Goncharoff, Beau Hawksford

AGENDA

12. Oral Communications - none
13. Changes to Agenda - none
14. Oral Communications from Task Force
Tim re changes to membership
15. Approval of Minutes
Moved: Lowell Hurst 2nd Alan Schlenger Passed 5-0 (Erica abstained)
16. Joint Meeting with Santa Clara and San Mateo Counties June 9, 10am-1pm (Not June 2)
Quinlan Community Center, 10185 N. Stelling Rd Cupertino
Schedule change approved (Alan, Larry, 6-0)
17. County Franchise update – Kasey
18. Organics Update – all
19. Universal Service - Kasey
20. Pharms/EPR update - Tim
County in discussion with PPSWG
Board of Pharmacy
Cities
21. Updates - all
 - a) fluorescent light bulbs
 - b) batteries
 - c) carpet
 - d) mattresses
22. Recycling Center Closings - all
23. Legislative Update – Tim

State Legislation - CPSC 2015/2016 Legislation Webpages (<http://calpsc.org/policy-and-legislation/2015-legislation/>)

AB 45 (Mullin, D-San Mateo) HHW Collection

SB 1229 (Jackson, D-Santa Barbara and Stone, R-Riverside) Civil Liability Protection for Pharmacies Hosting Medication and Sharps Collection

AB 2039 (Ting, D-San Francisco) Sharps Stewardship

Federal Related Legislation i. **H.R. 2463** (Bera) - Dispose Responsibly of your Pills (DROP) Act

[S. 524](#) (Whitehouse, D-RI) - Comprehensive Addiction and Recovery Act (CARA) of 2015

24. Meeting Schedule for 2016

September 1 County

December 1 City of Santa Cruz

25. Call for Agenda Items

Grants, Recycling improvements for fast food restaurants, etc.; reusable containers at grocery stores; organics; followup/enforcement of ordinances;

26. Adjournment

New Rules for Restaurants in Santa Cruz County



To protect the environment, reduce litter and to encourage the recycling and composting of food service waste, the following rules have been approved by the Santa Cruz County Board of Supervisors.

As of January 1, 2017:

All to-go food service ware provided to customers in the unincorporated areas of Santa Cruz County must be recyclable or compostable, as certified by the Biodegradable Products Institute.

This includes:



- No plastic straws (paper is acceptable)
- No plastic stir sticks (wood is fine)
- All cups (hot or cold) must be certified compostable
- All to-go cutlery must be certified compostable
- No Styrofoam
- No #6 polystyrene products (including hot cup lids)
- All to-go containers must be recyclable or certified compostable



These rules apply to restaurants, grocery stores, farmers markets, food trucks, special events and any other business or event where food is sold to go.

Talk to your food service supplier about available products. Many suitable products are available from major distributors. To be sure a product meets the requirements, check the web site of the Biodegradable Products Institute, www.bpiworld.org.

For more information, contact County Recycling and Solid Waste Services at (831) 454-2160 or go to the County web site at www.santacruzcountyrecycles.org.



SANTA CRUZ COUNTY
INTEGRATED WASTE MANAGEMENT LOCAL TASK FORCE

SPECIAL MEETING
MINUTES

Joint meeting of the Task Forces of Santa Cruz, San Mateo and Santa Clara Counties.

DATE: Thursday, June 9, 2016

TIME: 12:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.
LOCATION: Quinlan Community Center
10185 North Stelling Road, Cupertino, CA 95014

- 1. Call to Order**
- 2. Introductions and Opening Discussion Question - What's the most interesting thing in your brown bag lunch?**
- 3. Public Presentations**
Updates from attendees.
- 4. AB1826 Implementation Efforts**
Updates from attendees.
- 5. Drug and Sharps Ordinances**
Updates from attendees.
- 6. Every Other Week Garbage Collection**
Discussion
- 7. C&D Ordinances and Capacity**
Discussion
- 8. Disaster Preparedness**
Discussion
- 9. Food Rescue Implementation**
Discussion
- 10. Adjournment**

Status of Priority Bills, 2015-2016 Session

Measure	Topic-Status	Description
AB 45 Mullin D) Amended: 1/21/2016 pdf html	Household hazardous waste. 7/1/2016 - Failed Deadline pursuant to Joint Rule 61(b)(13). (Last location was E.Q. on 6/29/2016)	Would require the Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery to adopt one or more model ordinances for a comprehensive program for the collection of household hazardous waste and would authorize a local jurisdiction that provides for the residential collection and disposal of solid waste that proposes to enact an ordinance governing the collection and diversion of household hazardous waste to adopt one of the model ordinances adopted by the department.
AB 133 Committee on Budget) Chaptered: 3/1/2016 pdf html	Budget Act of 2015. 3/1/2016 - Chaptered by Secretary of State - Chapter No. 2, Statutes of 2016	The Budget Act of 2015 appropriated specified amounts for the support of state government for the 2015-16 fiscal year. This bill would amend the Budget Act of 2015 by adding and amending items of appropriation. This bill contains other related provisions.
AB 435 Chang R) Amended: 8/18/2015 pdf html	California Environmental Protection Agency: Natural Resources Agency: Web casts of public meetings and workshops. 8/12/2016 - Failed Deadline pursuant to Joint Rule 61(b)(14). (Last location was 2 YEAR on 8/28/2015)	Would require that each department, board, and commission of the Natural Resources Agency , except as specified, and each department, board, and office of the California Environmental Protection Agency Web cast all onsite public meetings, in a manner that enables listeners and viewers to ask questions and provide public comment by telephone or electronic communication commensurate with those attending the meeting. The bill would require the agencies to make the recording of a Web cast available online for no less than 3 years for subsequent viewing by interested members of the public.
AB 577 Bonilla D) Amended: 7/6/2015 pdf html	Biomethane: grant program. 9/11/2015 - Failed Deadline pursuant to Rule 61(a)(14). (Last location was RLS. on 9/8/2015)	Would require the State Energy Resources Conservation and Development Commission to develop and implement a grant program to award grants for projects that produce biomethane, that build or develop collection and purification technology or infrastructure, or that upgrade or expand existing biomethane facilities. The bill would, upon appropriation, authorize moneys in the fund to be used to fund grants awarded pursuant to the program.
AB 590 Dahle R) Amended: 7/9/2015 pdf html	Greenhouse Gas Reduction Fund. 8/12/2016 - Failed Deadline pursuant to Joint Rule 61(b)(14). (Last location was 2 YEAR on 8/28/2015)	Would provide that moneys in the Greenhouse Gas Reduction Fund, upon appropriation, may be made available for expenditure by the State Energy Resources Conservation and Development Commission for the purposes of maintaining the current level of biomass power generation or geothermal energy generation in the state and revitalizing currently idle facilities in strategically located regions. The bill would establish requirements for an applicant to receive available funding for a facility's eligible electrical generation.
AB 628 Bloom D) Introduced: 2/24/2015 pdf html	Used oil. 7/1/2016 - Failed Deadline pursuant to Joint Rule 61(b)(13). (Last location was 2 YEAR on 7/17/2015)	Current law authorizes the Department of Toxic Substances Control to regulate the disposal of hazardous waste, including used oil, and, for those purposes, defines "used oil" to mean oil that has been refined from crude oil, or any synthetic oil, that has been used, and, as a result of use or as a consequence of extended storage, or spillage, has been contaminated with physical or chemical impurities. This bill would clarify that the synthetic oil referred to in the definition of "used oil" may be from any source.
AB 761	Carbon	Would require the Department of Food and Agriculture, upon an appropriation of moneys

<p>Levine D)</p> <p>Amended: 6/2/2015</p> <p>pdf html</p>	<p>sequestration: working lands.</p> <p>8/12/2016 - Failed Deadline pursuant to Joint Rule 61(b)(14). (Last location was 2 YEAR on 8/28/2015)</p>	<p>therefor, to establish a grant program to fund voluntary projects that increase carbon sequestration and greenhouse gas emissions reductions on working lands, as defined. The bill would require the department, in consultation with the Department of Conservation, the Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery, the State Air Resources Board, and the Department of Water Resources, to develop and adopt project solicitation and evaluation guidelines for the program, as specified.</p>
<p>AB 1005 Gordon D)</p> <p>Amended: 8/15/2016</p> <p>pdf html</p>	<p>California Beverage Container Recycling and Litter Reduction Act: market development payments.</p> <p>8/25/2016 - Action From CONCURRENCE: Senate amendments are concurrent in.To ENROLLMENT.</p>	<p>Current law authorizes the Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery, until a specified authorization is repealed on January 1, 2017, to (1) annually expend up to \$10,000,000 from the California Beverage Container Recycling Fund to make market development payments to an entity certified by the department as a recycling center, processor, or dropoff or collection program for empty plastic beverage containers that are subsequently washed and processed into flake, pellet, or other form, and made usable for the manufacture of a plastic product, or to a product manufacturer for empty plastic beverage containers that are subsequently washed and processed into flake, pellet, or other form, and used by that product manufacturer to manufacture a product, and to (2) expend additional amounts to make market development payments, calculated as provided. This bill would postpone that repeal until January 1, 2018.</p>
<p>AB 1062 Bonta D)</p> <p>Amended: 4/7/2015</p> <p>pdf html</p>	<p>Environmental Justice Small Grant Program.</p> <p>7/1/2016 - Failed Deadline pursuant to Joint Rule 61(b)(13). (Last location was E.Q. on 5/5/2016)</p>	<p>Current law establishes the Environmental Justice Small Grant Program under the jurisdiction of the California Environmental Protection Agency, and prescribes specific criteria and procedures for the implementation of the program. Current law requires that grants be awarded on a competitive basis for projects that are based in communities with the most significant exposure to pollution. This bill would additionally include physical projects, including planning, engineering, and construction, monitoring or filtering technology, and environmental assessments that improve the environment or the environmental health of the community, or that address a specific environmental justice need, among the purposes for which a grant may be awarded.</p>
<p>AB 1063 Williams D)</p> <p>Amended: 8/17/2015</p> <p>pdf html</p>	<p>Solid waste: charges.</p> <p>8/19/2015 - In committee: Set, second hearing. Hearing canceled at the request of author.</p>	<p>Would raise the fee imposed on an operator of a disposal facility to \$4 per ton commencing January 1, 2017. The bill would require a minimum of \$1.50 per ton of the fee collected from each operator, until January 1, 2022, and would authorize some or all of the fee collected thereafter, to be allocated to activities that promote recycling and the highest and best use of materials, as specified. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.</p>
<p>AB 1103 Dodd D)</p> <p>Amended: 6/6/2016</p> <p>pdf html</p>	<p>Solid waste disposal: self- haulers.</p> <p>8/25/2016 - Action From CONCURRENCE: Senate amendments are concurrent in.To ENROLLMENT.</p>	<p>The California Integrated Waste Management Act of 1989, administered by the Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery, generally regulates the disposal, management, and recycling of solid waste. Current law requires exporters, brokers, and transporters of recyclables or compost to submit periodic information to the department on the types, quantities, and destinations of materials that are disposed of, sold, or transferred. This bill would require a self-hauler to submit that information to the department and would require the department to develop regulations that define "self-hauler" to include specified persons and entities.</p>
<p>AB 1108 Burke D)</p> <p>Amended: 8/16/2016</p> <p>pdf html</p>	<p>Zero-emission vehicles.</p> <p>8/17/2016 - Read second time. Ordered to third reading. Re- referred to Com. on RLS. pursuant to Senate Rule 29.10(c).</p>	<p>Current law required the State Air Resources Board to adopt regulations that achieve the maximum feasible reduction of greenhouse gases emitted by passenger vehicles and light-duty trucks and any other vehicles determined by the state board to be vehicles whose primary use is noncommercial personal transportation in the state. This bill would require the state board, no later than December 31, 2017, to adopt a regulation to establish that, by 2025, no less than 15% of all new car sales within the state would be required to be zero-emission vehicles, as defined.</p>
<p>AB 1239 Gordon D)</p>	<p>Tire recycling: California tire</p>	<p>Would require, until January 1, 2024, upon a specified finding by the Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery, a waste tire generator that is a retail seller of new</p>

<p>Amended: 8/16/2016 pdf html</p>	<p>regulatory fee and waste tire program. 8/24/2016 - Re-referred to Com. on NAT. RES. pursuant to Assembly Rule 77.2.</p>	<p>tires to end user purchasers to pay a California tire regulatory fee and to remit that fee to the state on a quarterly schedule for deposit in the California Tire Recycling Management Fund. The bill would require the department to track revenue from the California tire regulatory fee separately and would prohibit those funds from being used for activities other than those specified.</p>
<p>AB 1419 Eggman D) Amended: 8/19/2016 pdf html</p>	<p>Hazardous waste: cathode ray tube glass. 8/24/2016 - In Assembly. Concurrence in Senate amendments pending. May be considered on or after August 26 pursuant to Assembly Rule 77. Re-referred to Com. on E.S. & T.M. pursuant to Assembly Rule 77.2. Joint Rule 62(a), file notice suspended.</p>	<p>Current law requires the Department of Toxic Substances Control to regulate the management and disposal of hazardous waste. Under current regulations, the department classifies a waste as hazardous waste if the waste exceeds certain total threshold limitation concentrations, which are established by the department for various substances, including barium. This bill, except as specified, would provide that used, broken cathode ray tube (CRT) panel glass and processed CRT panel glass that exceeds the total threshold limit concentration only for barium is not a waste and is not subject to regulation by the department if that panel glass meets certain requirements. isting laws.</p>
<p>AB 1435 Alejo D) Amended: 8/18/2015 pdf html</p>	<p>Hazardous waste: toxics: packaging. 8/12/2016 - Failed Deadline pursuant to Joint Rule 61(b)(14). (Last location was 2 YEAR on 8/28/2015)</p>	<p>The Toxics in Packaging Prevention Act generally prohibits a manufacturer or supplier from offering for sale or for promotional purposes in this state a package or packaging component that includes intentionally introduced lead, mercury, cadmium, or hexavalent chromium in the package or in a packaging component. The act exempted from this prohibition, until January 1, 2010, a package or a packaging component if the manufacturer or supplier complied with specific documentation requirements and the package or packaging component did not contain any intentionally introduced lead, mercury, cadmium, or hexavalent chromium, but exceeded a specific maximum concentration level because of the addition of a recycled material. This bill would provide a similar exemption, until January 1, 2019, for a glass beverage, food, or drink container.</p>
<p>AB 1669 Hernández, Roger D) Enrollment: 8/23/2016 pdf html</p>	<p>Displaced employees: service contracts: collection and transportation of solid waste. 8/23/2016 - Senate amendments concurred in. To Engrossing and Enrolling.</p>	<p>Current law requires a local government agency letting a public transit service contract out to bid to give a bidding preference for contractors and subcontractors who agree to retain for a specified period certain employees who were employed to perform essentially the same services by the previous contractor or subcontractor. Such a contractor or subcontractor is required to offer employment to those employees, except for reasonable and substantiated cause. This bill would expand the application of these provisions to exclusive contracts for the collection and transportation of solid waste. The bill would require the information provided to a bona fide bidder to be made available in writing at least 30 days before bids for the service contract are due.</p>
<p>AB 1817 Stone, Mark D) Chaptered: 6/10/2016 pdf html</p>	<p>Solid waste: garbage and refuse disposal districts: board of directors. 6/10/2016 - Chaptered by Secretary of State - Chapter No. 21, Statutes of 2016</p>	<p>Current law authorizes the formation of garbage and refuse disposal districts under certain conditions, and requires that a board of directors of not less than 3 members be appointed for each district. This bill would authorize a district board to provide, by ordinance or resolution, compensation to a member of the board in an amount not to exceed \$100 per day for each day of attendance at a meeting of the board or for each day of service rendered as director by request of the board, and would authorize a member of a district board to receive that compensation for no more than 6 days in a calendar month.</p>
<p>AB 1858 Santiago D)</p>	<p>Automobile dismantling: task</p>	<p>Would, until January 1, 2020, require the Department of Motor Vehicles to collaborate with the State Board of Equalization, the California Environmental Protection Agency, the</p>

<p>Enrollment: 8/23/2016 pdf html</p>	<p>force. 8/23/2016 - Senate amendments concurred in. To Engrossing and Enrolling.</p>	<p>Department of Toxic Substances Control, the State Water Resources Control Board, the Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery, and the State Air Resources Board to review and coordinate enforcement and compliance activity related to unlicensed and unregulated automobile dismantling, including resulting tax evasion, environmental impacts, and public health impacts.</p>
<p>AB 2313 Williams D) Amended: 8/19/2016 pdf html</p>	<p>Renewable natural gas: monetary incentive program for biomethane projects: pipeline infrastructure. 8/23/2016 - Read third time. Passed. Ordered to the Assembly.</p>	<p>Would require the Public Utilities Commission to modify the monetary incentive program for biomethane projects so that the total available incentive limitation for a project, other than a dairy cluster biomethane project, as defined, is increased from \$1,500,000 to \$3,000,000. The bill would require the commission to increase the total available incentive limitation for a dairy cluster biomethane project to \$5,000,000 and would authorize the use of incentive payments subject to this limitation for interconnection costs and costs incurred for gathering lines for transport of biogas to a centralized processing facility for the project.</p>
<p>AB 2334 Mullin D) Amended: 5/27/2016 pdf html</p>	<p>Sales and use taxes: exclusion: alternative energy financing. 8/11/2016 - In committee: Held under submission.</p>	<p>The California Alternative Energy and Advanced Transportation Financing Authority Act authorizes, until January 1, 2021, the authority to provide financial assistance in the form of a sales and use tax exclusion for any lease or transfer of title of tangible personal property constituting a project to any participating party, and defines a project and participating party for those purposes. The act limits the sales and use tax exclusion to \$100,000,000 for each calendar year. This bill would expand those persons eligible for the sales and use tax exclusion, which is limited in amount, to additionally include any contractor for use in the performance of a construction contract for the participating party that will use that property as an integral part of the approved project.</p>
<p>AB 2396 McCarty D) Enrollment: 8/24/2016 pdf html</p>	<p>Solid waste: annual reports. 8/24/2016 - Senate amendments concurred in. To Engrossing and Enrolling.</p>	<p>The California Integrated Waste Management Act of 1989, which is administered by the Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery, establishes an integrated waste management program. Current law requires each state agency to submit an annual report to the department summarizing its progress in reducing solid waste that is due on or before May 1 of each year. This bill would require each state agency to include in that annual report a summary of the state agency's compliance with specified requirements relating to recycling commercial solid waste and organic waste.</p>
<p>AB 2444 Garcia, Eduardo D) Amended: 8/19/2016 pdf html</p>	<p>California Parks, Water, Climate, and Coastal Protection and Outdoor Access For All Act of 2018. 8/22/2016 - Re-referred to Com. on RLS.</p>	<p>Under current law, programs have been established pursuant to bond acts for, among other things, the development and enhancement of state and local parks and recreational facilities. This bill would enact the California Parks, Water, Climate, and Coastal Protection and Outdoor Access For All Act of 2018, which, if approved by the voters, would authorize the issuance of bonds in an amount of \$3,497,500,000 pursuant to the State General Obligation Bond Law to finance a parks, water, climate, and coastal protection and outdoor access for all program. This bill contains other related provisions.</p>
<p>AB 2511 Levine D) Enrolled: 8/22/2016 pdf html</p>	<p>Fertilizing materials: auxiliary soil and plant substances: biochar. 8/19/2016 - In Assembly. Ordered to Engrossing and Enrolling.</p>	<p>Would include biochar, as defined, as a product intended to be used for influencing soils, plant growth, or crop or plant quality for the purposes of the definition of auxiliary soil and plant substances.</p>
<p>AB 2530 Gordon D) Amended: 6/15/2016</p>	<p>Recycling: beverage containers. 8/25/2016 - Action From</p>	<p>Would, beginning March 1, 2018, require a manufacturer of a beverage sold in a plastic beverage container subject to the California Redemption Value to annually report to the Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery, under penalty of perjury, the amount of virgin plastic and postconsumer recycled plastic used by the manufacturer for plastic beverage containers subject to the California Redemption Value for sale in the state in</p>

pdf html	CONCURRENCE: Senate amendments are concurred in. To ENROLLMENT.	the previous calendar year. By expanding the crime of perjury, the bill would impose a state-mandated local program.
AB 2579 Low D) Amended: 6/20/2016 pdf html	Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery: waste characterization study: food service packaging. 7/1/2016 - Failed Deadline pursuant to Joint Rule 61(b)(13). (Last location was E.Q. on 6/21/2016)	Current law establishes the Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery to administer the California Integrated Waste Management Act of 1989, and authorizes the department to hold hearings and conduct investigations in any part of the state necessary to carry out its powers and duties. This bill would require the department, in the next regularly scheduled waste characterization study conducted by the department, to include specified information relating to food service packaging waste management.
AB 2781 Garcia, Eduardo D) Amended: 8/2/2016 pdf html	Supplemental environmental projects. 8/12/2016 - Failed Deadline pursuant to Joint Rule 61(b)(14). (Last location was APPR. on 8/11/2016)	Current law requires each board, department, and office within the California Environmental Protection Agency that has enforcement authority to establish a policy on supplemental environmental projects that benefits disadvantaged communities, as defined. Current law requires that policy to include among other things, allowing the amount of a supplemental environmental project to be up to 50% of the enforcement action. This bill would require an assurance that no less than 10% of the enforcement action monetary penalties received by each board, department, and office within the agency is allocated to supplemental environmental projects in disadvantaged communities.
AB 2812 Gordon D) Enrollment: 8/23/2016 pdf html	Solid waste: recycling: state agencies and large state facilities. 8/23/2016 - Senate amendments concurred in. To Engrossing and Enrolling.	Would require the Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery, on or before July 1, 2017, to develop guidance for collecting and recycling recyclable materials in office buildings of state agencies and large state facilities, except buildings and facilities of community college districts or their campuses. The bill would require that a covered state agency and large state facility, on and after July 1, 2018, provide adequate receptacles, signage, education, and staffing, and arrange for recycling services consistent with specified law, for each office building of the state agency or large state facility.
SB 86 Committee on Budget and Fiscal Review) Amended: 2/22/2016 pdf html	Budget Act of 2015. 3/7/2016 - Ordered to inactive file on request of Senator Leno.	The Budget Act of 2015 appropriated specified amounts for the support of state government for the 2015-16 fiscal year. This bill would amend the Budget Act of 2015 by adding and amending items of appropriation. This bill contains other related provisions.
SB 367 Wolk D) Amended: 8/17/2015 pdf html	Agricultural lands: greenhouse gases. 8/12/2016 - Failed Deadline pursuant to Joint Rule 61(b)(14). (Last location was 2 YEAR on 8/28/2015)	Would authorize, rather than require, the environmental farming program to provide incentives, including loans, grants, research, technical assistance, or educational materials and outreach, to farmers whose practices promote the well-being of ecosystems, air quality, and wildlife and their habitat, and reduce on-farm greenhouse gas emissions or increase carbon storage in agricultural soils and woody biomass, or both.
SB 423 Bates R) Amended:	Surplus household consumer product waste:	Would require the Department of Toxic Substances Control to convene a Retail Waste Working Group, as prescribed, to consider and make findings and recommendations relating to requirements for the management of surplus household consumer products, waste reduction opportunities for those products, and waste management requirements,

8/15/2016 pdf html	management. 8/23/2016 - Ordered to special consent calendar.	as specified. The bill would require the working group to report these findings and recommendations to the Legislature by June 1, 2017.
SB 778 Allen D) Amended: 8/19/2016 pdf html	Automotive repair: oil changes: notification to customers. 8/25/2016 - Action From B., P. & E.D.: Recommended concurrence in Assembly amendments.	The Automotive Repair Act, provides for the registration and regulation of automotive repair dealers by the Bureau of Automotive Repair (bureau), which is under the supervision and control of the Director of Consumer Affairs (director). Current law requires repair dealers to give the customer a written estimated price for labor and parts necessary for a specific job. Current law defines terms for purposes of these provisions. Current law makes a violation of that act, except as specified, punishable as a misdemeanor. This bill would recast these provisions as the Automotive Repair and Maintenance Act and would provide for the registration and regulation of automotive maintenance providers, as defined, in a manner similar to the provisions regarding automotive repair dealers.
SB 842 Committee on Budget and Fiscal Review) Amended: 6/23/2016 pdf html	California Beverage Container Recycling and Litter Reduction Act. 6/28/2016 - Re- referred to Com. on RLS.	The California Beverage Container Recycling and Litter Reduction Act requires the Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery to annually designate convenience zones, as defined, statewide, and requires at least one certified recycling center or location within every convenience zone that accepts all types of empty beverage containers and pays the refund value, if any, at one location, and that is open for business 30 hours per week. This bill would exempt from the requirement that each convenience zone be served by at least one certified recycling center a convenience zone that was served by, or exempted because of, a recycling center that closed between January 1, 2016, and March 31, 2016, inclusive, or that closed as a result of an action taken by the department on or after July 1, 2016.
SB 937 McGuire D) Introduced: 2/2/2016 pdf html	Disaster relief: County of Lake: fires. 5/27/2016 - May 27 hearing: Held in committee and under submission.	The California Disaster Assistance Act generally provides that the state share for disaster project allocations to local agencies is no more than 75% of total state eligible costs, except for specified events for which the state share is up to 100% of state eligible costs. This bill would add the forest fires that occurred in the County of Lake in 2015 to the list of events for which the state share of state eligible cost is up to 100%. This bill contains other related provisions.
SB 970 Leyva D) Amended: 6/29/2016 pdf html	Greenhouse Gas Reduction Fund: grant program: recyclable materials. 8/23/2016 - Read third time. Passed. Ordered to the Senate.	Current law requires certain moneys appropriated by the Legislature from the Greenhouse Gas Reduction Fund to be used by the Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery for a grant program to provide financial assistance to reduce greenhouse gas emissions by promoting in-state development of infrastructure to process organic and other recyclable materials into new, value-added products. This bill would require the department, in awarding a grant for organics composting or anaerobic digestion under the program, to consider, among other things, the amount of greenhouse gas emissions reductions that may result from the project and the amount of organic material that may be diverted from landfills as a result of the project.
SB 1000 Leyva D) Amended: 8/18/2016 pdf html	Land use: general plans: safety and environmental justice. 8/18/2016 - Read third time and amended. Ordered to third reading.	The Planning and Zoning Law requires, after the initial revision of the safety element to address flooding, fires, and climate adaptation and resilience strategies, that for each subsequent revision the planning agency review and, if necessary, revise the safety element to identify new information that was not available during the previous revision of the safety element. This bill would instead require a planning agency to review and revise the safety element to identify new information, as described above, only to address flooding and fires.
SB 1229 Jackson D) Enrollment: 8/16/2016 pdf html	Home-generated pharmaceutical waste: secure drug take-back bins. 8/16/2016 - Enrolled and presented to the Governor at 11:30 a.m.	Would provide that a collector, as defined, is not liable for civil damages, or subject to criminal prosecution, for any injury or harm that results from the collector maintaining a secure drug take-back bin on its premises provided that the collector, not for compensation, acts in good faith to take specified steps, including that the collector regularly inspects the area surrounding the secure drug take-back bin for potential tampering or diversion, to ensure the health and safety of consumers and employees and the proper disposal in the waste stream of home-generated pharmaceutical waste, as defined, contained in the bins. This bill contains other existing laws.
SB 1383	Short-lived	Would require the State Air Resources Board, no later than January 1, 2018, to approve

<p>Lara D)</p> <p>Amended: 8/19/2016</p> <p>pdf html</p>	<p>climate pollutants: methane emissions: organic waste: landfills.</p> <p>8/19/2016 - Read third time and amended. Ordered to third reading. Re-referred to Com. on NAT. RES. pursuant to Assembly Rule 77.2.</p>	<p>and begin implementing a comprehensive strategy to reduce emissions of short-lived climate pollutants to achieve a reduction in methane by 40%, hydrofluorocarbon gases by 40%, and anthropogenic black carbon by 50% below 2013 levels by 2030, as specified. The bill also would establish specified targets for reducing organic waste in landfills. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.</p>
<p>SB 1386 Wolk D)</p> <p>Enrollment: 8/24/2016</p> <p>pdf html</p>	<p>Resource conservation: working and natural lands.</p> <p>8/24/2016 - Assembly amendments concurred in. (Ayes 26. Noes 12.) Ordered to engrossing and enrolling.</p>	<p>Resource conservation: working and natural lands. The California Global Warming Solutions Act of 2006 designates the State Air Resources Board as the state agency charged with monitoring and regulating sources of emissions of greenhouse gases. The act requires all state agencies to consider and implement strategies to reduce their greenhouse gas emissions. This bill would declare it to be the policy of the state that the protection and management of natural and working lands, as defined, is a strategy in meeting the state's greenhouse gas reduction goals, and would require all state agencies, departments, boards, and commissions to consider this policy when revising, adopting, or establishing policies, regulations, expenditures, or grant criteria relating to the protection and management of natural and working lands. Vote: majority. Appropriation: no. Fiscal committee: yes. State-mandated local program: no.</p>