
HOUSE COMMITTEE ON MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENT & HOUSING

NOTICE OF MEETING

DATE: Thursday, May 9, 2024
TIME: Rise of the House
PLACE: Room 135 - State House

SCHEDULED FOR CONSIDERATION

House Bill No. [7838](#)

BY Tanzi, Fogarty, McEntee

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO IN AMENDMENT OF AND IN ADDITION TO THE ACT, PASSED AT THE JANUARY SESSION, A.D. 1883, ENTITLED "AN ACT TO INCORPORATE THE UNION FIRE DISTRICT OF SOUTH KINGSTOWN", AS AMENDED {LC5261/1} (Amends charter of the Union Fire District of South Kingstown by renaming "Reserve Capital Expenditures" to "Capital Projects Fund" and allows the board of wardens to grant tax exemptions to current and retired volunteer firefighters and their spouses.)

03/01/2024 Introduced, referred to House Municipal Government & Housing

03/01/2024 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

03/07/2024 Committee recommended measure be held for further study

05/03/2024 Scheduled for consideration



House Resolution No. [8146](#)

BY Carson, Cortvriend, Noret

ENTITLED, HOUSE RESOLUTION EXTENDING THE REPORTING AND EXPIRATIONS DATES AND AMENDING THE PURPOSE OF THE SPECIAL LEGISLATIVE COMMISSION TO REVIEW AND PROVIDE RECOMMENDATIONS FOR POLICIES THAT DEAL WITH NUMEROUS ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL SHORT-TERM RENTALS ISSUES {LC5846/1} (This resolution would amend and expand the purpose of said legislative commission, and extend the reporting and expirations dates from March 15, 2024, to September 30, 2025, and said commission would expire on December 10, 2025.)

04/05/2024 Introduced, referred to House Municipal Government & Housing

04/05/2024 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

04/11/2024 Committee recommended measure be held for further study

05/03/2024 Scheduled for consideration



Senate Bill No. [2633](#)

BY Sosnowski, Valverde, Gu

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO IN AMENDMENT OF AND IN ADDITION TO THE ACT, PASSED AT THE JANUARY SESSION, A.D. 1883, ENTITLED "AN ACT TO INCORPORATE THE UNION FIRE DISTRICT OF SOUTH KINGSTOWN", AS AMENDED {LC5260/1} (Amends charter of the Union Fire District of South Kingstown by renaming 'Reserve Capital Expenditures' to 'Capital Projects Fund' and allows the board of wardens to grant tax exemptions to current and retired volunteer firefighters and their spouses.)

03/01/2024 Introduced, referred to Senate Housing and Municipal Government

03/22/2024 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

03/28/2024 Committee recommends passage

03/29/2024 Placed on Senate Calendar

04/02/2024 Senate read and passed

04/03/2024 Referred to House Municipal Government & Housing

05/03/2024 Scheduled for consideration



SCHEDULED FOR HEARING AND/OR CONSIDERATION

House Bill No. [8182](#)

BY Carson

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT -- TOURISM AND DEVELOPMENT {LC5847/1} (Requires hosting platforms offering short-term rental of residential property for tourist or transient use to disclose on listings the current, valid registration number and its expiration date.)

04/18/2024 Introduced, referred to House Municipal Government & Housing

05/03/2024 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration



House Bill No. [8205](#)

BY Speakman, Knight

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES -- INDEBTEDNESS OF TOWNS AND CITIES {LC5997/1} (Adds the town of Warren to those towns and cities authorized to issue bonds to finance the uninsured portion of a settlement arising out of litigation against the town or city.)

04/25/2024 Introduced, referred to House Municipal Government & Housing

05/03/2024 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration



House Bill No. [8206](#)

BY Bennett, McNamara, Shekarchi, Solomon, Shanley, Vella-Wilkinson, Casimiro

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- PROPERTY SUBJECT TO TAXATION {LC6013/1} (Exempts from taxation the real and tangible personal property of Rhode Island Coalition Against Domestic Violence, a Rhode Island domestic nonprofit corporation, located in Warwick, Rhode Island.)

04/25/2024 Introduced, referred to House Municipal Government & Housing

05/03/2024 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration



House Bill No. [8224](#)

BY Diaz, J. Lombardi, Slater, Edwards

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES -- RETAIL LICENSES {LC6016/1} (Allows for the issuance of Class BV liquor licenses for the properties located at 94 Carpenter Street and 1023 Broad Street, both in the city of Providence.)

05/01/2024 Introduced, referred to House Municipal Government & Housing

05/03/2024 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration



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