
HOUSE COMMITTEE ON MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENT & HOUSING

PROPOSED SUB A HAS BEEN ADDED FOR H-7652

NOTICE OF MEETING

DATE: Wednesday, May 15, 2024
TIME: Rise of the House
PLACE: Room 101 - State House

SCHEDULED FOR CONSIDERATION

House Bill No. [7652](#)

(City of Providence)

BY Slater, Diaz

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- LEVY AND ASSESSMENT OF LOCAL TAXES {LC5077/1} (Amends provisions relative to the levy and assessment of local taxes and would provide that the city of Providence may adopt a tax classification with unrestricted tax rates for certain classes of property.)

02/15/2024 Introduced, referred to House Municipal Government & Housing

03/08/2024 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

03/12/2024 Committee recommended measure be held for further study

05/10/2024 Scheduled for 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

05/09/2024 Committee recommended measure be held for further study

05/10/2024 Scheduled for consideration



Senate Bill No. [2588](#)

BY DiPalma

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- PROPERTY SUBJECT TO TAXATION {LC5487/1} (Exempts from taxation the real and tangible personal property of the Little Compton Game Club.)

03/01/2024 Introduced, referred to Senate Finance

03/08/2024 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

03/12/2024 Committee recommends passage

03/13/2024 Placed on Senate Calendar

03/19/2024 Senate read and passed

03/20/2024 Referred to House Municipal Government & Housing

05/10/2024 Scheduled for consideration



Senate Bill No. [2857 as amended](#)

BY Bissailon, Zurier, Ruggerio

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- LEVY AND ASSESSMENT OF LOCAL TAXES {LC5712/1} (Amends provisions relative to the levy and assessment of local taxes and would provide that the city of Providence may adopt a tax classification with unrestricted tax rates for certain classes of property.)

03/22/2024 Introduced, referred to Senate Finance

03/29/2024 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

04/04/2024 Committee recommends passage

04/05/2024 Placed on Senate Calendar



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04/11/2024 Senate passed as amended (floor amendment)
04/24/2024 Referred to House Municipal Government & Housing
05/10/2024 Scheduled for consideration

Senate Bill No. [2967](#)

BY Valverde, Ciccone

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- PROPERTY SUBJECT TO TAXATION {LC5749/1} (Exempts from taxation the real and tangible personal property of Wildlife Rehabilitators Association of Rhode Island (Wildlife Clinic of Rhode Island), a Rhode Island domestic nonprofit corporation, located in North Kingstown, Rhode Island.)

04/05/2024 Introduced, referred to Senate Housing and Municipal Government
04/19/2024 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration
04/25/2024 Committee recommends passage
04/26/2024 Placed on Senate Calendar
04/30/2024 Senate read and passed
05/01/2024 Referred to House Municipal Government & Housing
05/10/2024 Scheduled for consideration



Senate Bill No. [2986](#)

BY Burke

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- PROPERTY SUBJECT TO TAXATION {LC5939/1} (Increases the real property exemptions of veterans and the elderly residing in the Town of West Warwick.)

04/16/2024 Introduced, referred to Senate Finance
04/29/2024 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration
05/02/2024 Committee recommends passage
05/03/2024 Placed on Senate Calendar
05/07/2024 Senate read and passed
05/08/2024 Referred to House Municipal Government & Housing
05/10/2024 Scheduled for consideration



Senate Bill No. [3010](#)

BY Tikoian

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO THE NORTH PROVIDENCE CHARTER -- THE SALVATORE MANCINI CENTER ON AGING {LC6003/1} (Amends the charter of the Town of North Providence to create a new department entitled the "Salvatore Mancini Center on Aging.")

04/26/2024 Introduced, referred to Senate Housing and Municipal Government
04/26/2024 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration
05/02/2024 Committee recommends passage
05/03/2024 Placed on Senate Calendar
05/07/2024 Senate read and passed
05/08/2024 Referred to House Municipal Government & Housing
05/10/2024 Scheduled for consideration



PROPOSED SUBSTITUTE

House Bill No. [7652 SUB A](#)

{LC5077/A/1}



SCHEDULED FOR HEARING AND/OR CONSIDERATION

House Bill No. [8208](#)

BY Slater

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES -- ORDINANCES {LC6010/1} (Allows town and city councils to impose penalties for the violation of ordinances and regulations not exceeding the amount of one thousand dollars (\$1,000).)

04/25/2024 Introduced, referred to House Municipal Government & Housing
05/10/2024 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration



House Bill No. [8239](#)

BY Chippendale, Place, Rea

ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF GLOCESTER TO FINANCE THE RENOVATION AND/OR EXPANSION AT THE EXISTING GLOCESTER POLICE STATION AND INCIDENTAL FURNISHINGS AND EQUIPMENT AND TO ISSUE NOT MORE THAN \$10,700,000 BONDS AND NOTES THEREFOR {LC6027/1} (Authorizes the Town of Gloucester to finance the renovation and/or expansion of Gloucester police station and to issue not more than \$10,700,000 bonds and notes therefore.)

05/03/2024 Introduced, referred to House Municipal Government & Housing

05/10/2024 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration



House Bill No. [8254](#)

BY Casey, Phillips, J. Brien

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES -- RETAIL LICENSES {LC6073/1} (Exempts the Downtown Overlay District from the provisions of this section allowing for the city of Woonsocket shall, after application, to have the authority to exempt from the provisions of this section any proposed retailers' license of any class.)

05/08/2024 Introduced, referred to House Municipal Government & Housing

05/10/2024 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration



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