

WTA 2023 General Session Bills of Interest

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HOUSE BILLS	DESCRIPTION/ACTION	WTA POSITION
<p>HB0001 General government appropriations.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fiscal Note Digest 	<p>An act relating to supplemental appropriations for the operation of state government for the fiscal biennium commencing July 1, 2022 and ending June 30, 2024; providing definitions; providing for additional appropriations and transfers of funds for the period of the budget; increasing or decreasing specified amounts; adjusting the number of positions; modifying prior appropriations; providing for duties, terms and conditions and other requirements relating to appropriations for the period of the budget as specified; providing for position and other budgetary limitations; amending existing law by redirecting revenues and making transfers for the period of the budget; providing for carryover of funds beyond the fiscal biennium; and providing for an effective date.</p> <p>Sponsored by: Joint Appropriations Committee <i>01/30/2023 H COW: Considered</i></p>	<p>MONITOR</p>
<p>HB0003 State assessment of independent power producers.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Digest Engrossed 	<p>An act relating to ad valorem taxation; clarifying that the state is responsible for the valuation and assessment of independent power producer property; requiring the release of information to the county assessor; providing for confidentiality of the valuation and assessment of independent power producer property; requiring an agreement for disclosure; and providing for an effective date.</p> <p>Sponsored by: Joint Corporations, Elections & Political Subdivisions Interim Committee <i>1/19/2023 S Received for Introduction</i></p>	<p>SUPPORT</p>
<p>HB0031 BOCES as local education agencies.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Digest Engrossed 	<p>An act relating to education; authorizing a board of cooperative educational services to act as a local education agency for the purpose of applying for and receiving state and federal grants; authorizing rulemaking; making conforming amendments; and providing for an effective date.</p> <p>Sponsored by: Joint Education Interim Committee <i>1/19/2023 S Received for Introduction</i></p>	<p>MONITOR</p>

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<p>HB0032 Education mill levy amendments.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fiscal Note • Digest 	<p>An act relating to education; providing for a reauthorization of the adult education mill levy; clarifying the maximum mill levies school districts and community college districts may levy for board of cooperative services agreements; making conforming amendments; and providing for an effective date.</p> <p>Sponsored by: Joint Education Interim Committee <i>1/20/2023 H Placed on General File</i></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">MONITOR</p>
<p>HB0040 Airport districts.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Digest 	<p>An act relating to aeronautics; authorizing counties and municipalities to establish airport districts; specifying requirements; specifying duties and powers of airport districts; specifying duties of municipalities and counties; authorizing assessments; authorizing the airport district to issue bonds and incur debt as specified; authorizing distribution from fuel taxes to airport districts; requiring cooperation from the aeronautics commission with airport districts and joint powers boards; making conforming amendments; and providing for an effective date.</p> <p>Sponsored by: Joint Transportation, Highways & Military Affairs Interim Committee <i>1/12/2023 H Introduced and Referred to H09 - Minerals</i></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">MONITOR</p>
<p>HB0046 Wyoming public safety communications system trust fund.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fiscal Note • Digest 	<p>An act relating to public safety communications; creating the Wyoming public safety communications system trust fund to be administered by the state treasurer; authorizing the receipt of donations and gifts; authorizing distribution of investment earnings; amending permissible state investments; providing for a continuous appropriation; providing an appropriation; and providing for an effective date.</p> <p>Sponsored by: Joint Transportation, Highways & Military Affairs Interim Committee <i>1/13/2023 H Introduced and Referred to H02 - Appropriations</i></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">MONITOR</p>

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<p><u>HB0048 Active transportation and recreation grant program.</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fiscal Note • Digest 	<p>An act relating to public health; authorizing grants for projects that increase trails, routes or pathways for bicycling, walking or horseback riding; providing an appropriation; and providing for an effective date. Sponsored by: Joint Travel, Recreation, Wildlife & Cultural Resources Interim Committee <i>1/12/2023 H06 – Travel: Do Pass Failed 4-5-0-0-0</i></p>	<p>MONITOR</p>
<p><u>HB0054 Homestead exemption.</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fiscal Note • Digest 	<p>An act relating to taxation; establishing a homestead exemption for primary residences; providing a penalty for false claims; providing a sunset date; providing an appropriation; and providing for an effective date. Sponsored by: Representative(s) Sommers and Senator(s) Baldwin <i>1/17/2023 H Introduced and Referred to H03 - Revenue</i></p>	<p>OPPOSE</p>
<p><u>HB0058 Cigarette tax.</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fiscal Note • Digest 	<p>An act relating to tobacco tax; increasing the tax rate on cigarettes; and providing for an effective date. Sponsored by: Joint Revenue Interim Committee <i>1/11/2023 H Introduced and Referred to H03 - Revenue</i></p>	<p>OPPOSE</p>
<p><u>HB0064 Legislative stabilization reserve account-obligations.</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fiscal Note • Digest 	<p>An act relating to public funds; amending or eliminating unnecessary or obsolete borrowing authority or guarantees from the legislative stabilization reserve account as specified; repealing interfund loan authority for the unemployment compensation fund; repealing borrowing authority for the department of administration and information for purposes of school districts joining the state employees' and officials' group insurance plan; amending the source and amount of loans for the department of transportation as specified; making conforming amendments; and providing for an effective date. Sponsored by: Select Committee on Capital Financing & Investments <i>1/30/2023 S Received for Introduction</i></p>	<p>MONITOR</p>

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<p><u>HB0065 988 suicide prevention.</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fiscal Note • Digest 	<p>An act relating to suicide prevention; establishing the 988 system for suicide prevention and mental health crises; providing requirements for the 988 system; establishing duties of the department of health; providing rulemaking authority; providing for an advisory board; establishing the 988 trust fund and a related reserve account; providing for allocation of funds within and between the accounts; specifying immunity for telecommunications providers; specifying confidentiality of information; providing for implementation of the act; providing appropriations; and providing for an effective date.</p> <p><i>Sponsored by: Joint Revenue Interim Committee</i> <i>1/25/2023 S Received for Introduction</i></p>	<p>MONITOR</p>
<p><u>HB0069 Coal-fired facility closures litigation funding-amendments.</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fiscal Note • Digest • Engrossed 	<p>An act relating to the administration of government; amending permissible purposes and uses of a previous appropriation for commencing and prosecuting lawsuits against states relating to coal exportation and coal-fired electric generation facilities; making conforming amendments; and providing for an effective date.</p> <p><i>Sponsored by: Representative(s) Larsen, L and Knapp and Senator(s) Barlow and Dockstader</i> <i>1/19/2023 S Received for Introduction</i></p>	<p>MONITOR</p>
<p><u>HB0071 Sales tax holiday-back to school.</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fiscal Note • Digest 	<p>An act relating to sales and use taxes; providing for a back to school sales and use tax holiday; specifying items that are and are not subject to the tax holiday exemption; providing rulemaking authority; and providing for an effective date.</p> <p><i>Sponsored by: Representative(s) Brown, Andrew, Olsen and Styvar and Senator(s) Salazar and Schuler</i> <i>1/18/2023 H COW: Failed 23-38-1-0-0</i></p>	<p>OPPOSE FAILED</p>

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<p><u>HB0072 Sales tax revisions.</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fiscal Note • Digest 	<p>An act relating to sales and use tax; providing that the sales tax shall apply to sales of specified services; reducing the sales and use tax rates; repealing the sales tax exemption on food for domestic home consumption; authorizing counties to hold an election to exempt from local excise taxes on food for domestic home consumption; repealing additional sales and use tax exemptions; making conforming amendments; and providing for an effective date.</p> <p><i>Sponsored by: Representative(s) Brown, Nicholas and Niemiec and Senator(s) Driskill</i></p> <p><i>1/12/2023 H Introduced and Referred to H03 - Revenue</i></p>	
<p><u>HB0074 Wyoming outdoor recreation trust fund.</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fiscal Note • Digest 	<p>An act relating to state lands; creating a Wyoming outdoor recreation trust fund account and income account; providing for distribution of funds; requiring audits and reports; providing rulemaking; providing funding for the trust account; making a conforming amendment; and providing for an effective date.</p> <p><i>Sponsored by: Joint Travel, Recreation, Wildlife & Cultural Resources Interim Committee</i></p> <p><i>1/30/2023 S Received for Introduction</i></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">MONITOR</p>
<p><u>HB0089 State investment returns-adequate reserve funding.</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fiscal Note • Digest 	<p>An act relating to the investment of state funds; authorizing specified state permanent fund reserve accounts to maintain larger balances for the benefit of state investment strategies; requiring certifications prior to specified investment activities; providing for the transfer of funds to specified reserve accounts; requiring the repayment of transferred funds as specified; providing that balances in specified reserve accounts are intended to be inviolate; removing encumbrances on specified reserve accounts; defining legislative intent for future appropriations and budget requests; providing legislative findings; and providing for an effective date.</p> <p><i>Sponsored by: Select Committee on Capital Financing & Investments</i></p> <p><i>1/27/2023 H Placed on General File</i></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">MONITOR</p>

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<p><u>HB0098 Property tax-homeowner's exemption.</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fiscal Note • Digest 	<p>An act relating to taxation; establishing a homeowner's exemption for primary residences; providing a penalty for false claims; and providing for an effective date. Sponsored by: Joint Revenue Interim Committee <i>1/17/2023 H Introduced and Referred to H03 - Revenue</i></p>	<p>OPPOSE</p>
<p><u>HB0099 Property tax refund program.</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fiscal Note • Digest 	<p>An act relating to property tax; amending qualifications for the property tax refund program; amending qualifications for the county optional property tax refund program; and providing for an effective date. Sponsored by: Joint Revenue Interim Committee <i>1/26/2023 H Placed on General File</i></p>	<p>SUPPORT</p>
<p><u>HB0100 Acquisition value study.</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fiscal Note • Digest 	<p>An act relating to property tax; requiring a study on the changes necessary to convert the property tax system to a system based on the acquisition value of the property; requiring a report; requiring the joint revenue interim committee to review the report; providing an appropriation; and providing for an effective date. Sponsored by: Representative(s) Jennings, Allemand, Andrew, Angelos, Davis, Heiner, Knapp, Locke, Niemiec, Pendergraft, Penn, Slagle, Strock and Styvar and Senator(s) Hutchings <i>1/17/2023 H Introduced and Referred to H03 - Revenue</i></p>	<p>MONITOR</p>

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<p>HB0121 Property tax deferral program-amendments.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fiscal Note • Digest 	<p>An act relating to property taxes; providing that the property tax deferral program shall be administered by the department of revenue; revising the amount of taxes that can be deferred; revising the calculation of interest; making deferral of taxes contingent on the availability of funds; clarifying eligibility; making conforming changes; requiring rulemaking; repealing a conflicting provision; providing an appropriation; specifying applicability; requiring a report; and providing for effective dates.</p> <p>Sponsored by: Representative(s) Lawley, Harshman, Sommers and Zwonitzer, Dn and Senator(s) Case, Cooper, Rothfuss and Steinmetz <i>1/27/2023 H Placed on General File</i></p>	<p>SUPPORT</p>
<p>HB0124 Electricity generation-taxation.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fiscal Note • Digest 	<p>An act relating to taxation; amending taxation on the production of electricity as specified; providing applicability; and providing for an effective date.</p> <p>Sponsored by: Representative(s) Sommers, Larson, JT, Stith, Walters and Wylie and Senator(s) Barlow and Case <i>1/25/2023 H Placed on General File</i></p>	<p>OPPOSE</p>
<p>HB0135 Cities and towns-abandoned and nuisance buildings.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fiscal Note • Digest 	<p>An act relating to cities and towns; providing a tax credit for expenditures to improve abandoned and nuisance buildings; authorizing cities and towns to designate abandoned and nuisance buildings for purposes of the tax credit; authorizing cities and towns to assess a fee for costs to abate a nuisance or to repair, remove or destroy a dangerous building; and providing for an effective date.</p> <p>Sponsored by: Representative(s) Sherwood, Brown and Conrad and Senator(s) Furphy <i>1/30/2023 H Place on General File</i></p>	<p>MONITOR</p>

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<p>HB0144 Senior citizen district programs and services.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Digest 	<p>An act relating to senior citizen service districts; specifying how senior citizen service revenues may be expended; and providing for an effective date.</p> <p>Sponsored by: Representative(s) Strock, Locke, Slagle and Styvar and Senator(s) Boner</p> <p><i>1/30/2023 H 3rd Reading: Passed 56-3-3-0-0</i></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">MONITOR</p>
<p>HB0150 Early childhood development special districts.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Digest 	<p>An act relating to special districts; authorizing the creation of early childhood development special districts; providing for the formation, functions and powers of early childhood development special districts; authorizing the imposition of assessments; making conforming amendments; providing definitions; and providing for an effective date.</p> <p>Sponsored by: Representative(s) Yin, Berger, Byron and Storer and Senator(s) Schuler</p> <p><i>1/18/2023 H Introduced and Referred to H04 – Education</i></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">MONITOR</p>
<p>HB0151 Property tax exemption-child care facilities.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fiscal Note Digest 	<p>An act relating to taxation and revenue; providing a property tax exemption for property that is used for a child care facility; and providing for an effective date.</p> <p>Sponsored by: Representative(s) Yin, Allred, Andrew, Berger, Byron, Penn, Singh, Storer and Wylie and Senator(s) Brennan, Dockstader and Laursen, D</p> <p><i>1/30/2023 H Placed on General File</i></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">MONITOR</p>
<p>HB0154 Permanent vehicle registration.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fiscal Note Digest 	<p>An act relating to motor vehicles; providing for the permanent registration of specified vehicles; providing a fee exemption for permanently registered vehicles; specifying requirements upon transfer of ownership; and providing for an effective date.</p> <p>Sponsored by: Representative(s) Banks, Andrew, Berger, Byron, Pendergraft, Slagle, Styvar and Tarver and Senator(s) Biteman and Ide</p> <p><i>1/18/2023 H Introduced and Referred to H08 - Transportation</i></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">MONITOR</p>

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<p><u>HB0157 County board dissolution-requirements.</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Digest 	<p>An act relating to counties; specifying the conditions for which county-created boards may be dissolved by a board of county commissioners; making conforming amendments; and providing for an effective date. Sponsored by: Representative(s) Larsen, L <i>1/27/2023 H Placed on General File</i></p>	<p>MONITOR</p>
<p><u>HB0162 County optional tax-affordable housing.</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fiscal Note • Digest 	<p>An act relating to taxation and revenue; providing for an optional excise tax on the sale of real property as specified; providing for distribution of the tax; requiring rulemaking; imposing penalties; making conforming amendments; and providing for effective dates. Sponsored by: Representative(s) Yin and Storer and Senator(s) Gierau <i>1/18/2023 H Received for Introduction</i></p>	<p>OPPOSE</p>
<p><u>HB0163 Mineral royalties-proportional severance tax refunds.</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fiscal Note • Digest 	<p>An act relating to severance taxes; establishing severance tax refunds for specified oil, gas and coal severance taxes based on increased federal royalty rates; authorizing the transfer of government royalty revenue as specified; providing for distribution of the state's share of specified federal mineral royalties; providing for severance tax and ad valorem distributions from federal mineral royalties as specified; requiring rulemaking; providing an appropriation; and providing for effective dates. Sponsored by: Select Federal Natural Resource Management Committee <i>1/20/2023 H Introduced and Referred to H03 - Revenue</i></p>	<p>MONITOR</p>
<p><u>HB0166 Lodging sales tax-exemption.</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fiscal Note • Digest 	<p>An act relating to taxation and revenue; providing for a sales tax exemption for lodging services provided by a licensed guide or outfitter; and providing for an effective date. Sponsored by: Representative(s) Winter, Bear and Sommers <i>1/19/2023 H Introduced and Referred to H05 - Agriculture</i></p>	<p>MONITOR</p>

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<p>HB0170 Public funds-reserves and spending policy.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fiscal Note • Digest 	<p>An act relating to public funds; establishing a spending policy for the Wyoming wildlife and natural resource trust account; modifying expenditures from the wildlife and natural resource trust income account; modifying transfers from the Wyoming's tomorrow scholarship expenditure account as specified; modifying the calculation of the average market value of the Wyoming's tomorrow scholarship endowment fund; making conforming amendments; requiring the transfer of funds; and providing for an effective date.</p> <p>Sponsored by: Representative(s) Harshman, Larsen, L, Nicholas, Northrup and Sommers and Senator(s) Barlow and Rothfuss <i>1/30/2023 Rerefer to H03 - Revenue</i></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">MONITOR</p>
<p>HB0174 Homestead exemption-amendments.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Digest 	<p>An act relating to the code of civil procedure; removing the limit on the value of the homestead applicable to the homestead exemption; and providing for an effective date.</p> <p>Sponsored by: Representative(s) Andrew, Knapp, Sherwood, Singh and Tarver and Senator(s) Biteman, Cooper, Gierau and Hicks <i>1/19/2023 H Introduced and Referred to H03 - Revenue</i></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">MONITOR</p>
<p>HB0195 American rescue plan act appropriations-amendments.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fiscal Note • Digest 	<p>An act relating to the emergency expenses of government; providing definitions; providing appropriations; amending and repealing prior appropriations of COVID-19 relief funds; specifying conditions on the appropriation and expenditure of COVID-19 relief funds; amending prior conditions on the reduction and prioritization of COVID-19 relief funds; providing for the reversion of unexpended funds; authorizing emergency government programs; authorizing rulemaking; requiring reporting; specifying applicability; and providing for an effective date.</p> <p>Sponsored by: Joint Appropriations Committee <i>1/24/2023 H Introduced and Referred to H02 - Appropriations</i></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">MONITOR</p>

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<p><u>HB0203 PMTF and CSPLF reserve accounts-repeal and simplification.</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fiscal Note • Digest 	<p>An act relating to public funds; amending the distribution of excess investment earnings of the permanent Wyoming mineral trust fund and common school account within the permanent land fund; repealing the spending policy for the common school account within the permanent land fund; repealing the permanent Wyoming mineral trust fund reserve account and the common school permanent fund reserve account; making conforming amendments; repealing obsolete provisions; providing for the transfer of funds; and providing for an effective date.</p> <p><i>Sponsored by: Representative(s) Obermueller, Jennings, Yin and Zwonitzer, Dn and Senator(s) Hicks and Rothfuss</i> <i>1/30/2023 Rerefer to H04 - Education</i></p>	<p>MONITOR</p>
<p><u>HB0208 School foundation program reserve account-investments.</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fiscal Note • Digest 	<p>An act relating to school finance; authorizing the investment of the school foundation program reserve account in equities; amending the deposit of investment earnings into the account; and providing for an effective date.</p> <p><i>Sponsored by: House Appropriations Committee</i> <i>1/26/2023 H Placed on General File</i></p>	<p>MONITOR</p>
<p><u>HB0213 Energy production inventory exemption.</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fiscal Note • Digest 	<p>An act relating to ad valorem taxation; providing an exemption for the storage of energy production equipment before installation in this state; and providing for an effective date.</p> <p><i>Sponsored by: Representative(s) Burkhart</i> <i>1/30/2023 H Placed on General File</i></p>	<p>SUPPORT</p>
<p><u>HB0215 Property tax exemptions-elderly and veterans.</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fiscal Note • Digest 	<p>An act relating to property tax; providing a tax exemption for the primary residence of elderly persons and veterans; providing qualifications; providing a definition; and providing for an effective date.</p> <p><i>Sponsored by: Representative(s) Allemand, Andrew, Bear and Ward</i> <i>1/24/2023 H Introduced and Referred to H03 - Revenue</i></p>	<p>MONITOR</p>

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<p><u>HB0225 Senior citizen service districts.</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fiscal Note Digest 	<p>An act relating to counties; requiring that a proposition to impose mill levies for a senior citizen service district be submitted to the resident electors every four (4) years after the election authorizing the mill levy; and providing for an effective date.</p> <p><i>Sponsored by: Representative(s) Crago and Senator(s) Barlow</i> <i>1/25/2023 H Introduced and Referred to H08 – Transportation</i></p>	<p>MONITOR</p>
<p><u>HB0227 Veterans' property tax exemption-amendments.</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fiscal Note Digest 	<p>An act relating to taxation and revenue; increasing the assessed value amount of the veterans' property tax annual exemption; specifying applicability; requiring rulemaking; and providing for effective dates.</p> <p><i>Sponsored by: Representative(s) Newsome, Northrup and Sherwood and Senator(s) Barlow</i> <i>1/25/2023 H Introduced and Referred to H03 – Revenue</i></p>	<p>SUPPORT</p>
<p><u>HB0229 Electronic payment of sales and use taxes.</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Digest 	<p>An act relating to sales and use taxes; clarifying that the department of revenue and county treasurers may collect sales and use taxes electronically; and providing for an effective date.</p> <p><i>Sponsored by: Representative(s) Larson, JT, Berger, Chadwick, Knapp, Lawley, Niemiec, O'Hearn, Tarver, Trujillo, Washut and Wylie and Senator(s) Baldwin, Biteman, Jones, Kolb and Nethercott</i> <i>1/25/2023 H Introduced and Referred to H08 – Transportation</i></p>	<p>MONITOR</p>
<p><u>HB0236 Tax exemption-agricultural repair and parts.</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fiscal Note Digest 	<p>An act relating to taxation and revenue; modifying a sales and use tax exemption on repair and replacement parts for the service of farm implements; and providing for an effective date.</p> <p><i>Sponsored by: Representative(s) Northrup and Senator(s) Laursen, D</i> <i>1/26/2023 H Introduced and Referred to H05 - Agriculture</i></p>	<p>MONITOR</p>

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<p><u>HB0237 Beer Freedom Act.</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fiscal Note • Digest 	<p>An act relating to alcoholic beverages; repealing the excise tax on malt beverages; making conforming amendments; and providing for an effective date.</p> <p><i>Sponsored by: Representative(s) Western, Andrew and Olsen and Senator(s) Nethercott</i></p> <p><i>1/25/2023 H Received for Introduction</i></p>	<p>MONITOR</p>
<p><u>HB0244 Property tax refund program- rental properties.</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fiscal Note • Digest 	<p>An act relating to property tax; amending who may apply for the property tax refund program; specifying the amount of the refund; revising qualifications for the refund program; providing for rulemaking; and providing for an effective date.</p> <p><i>Sponsored by: Representative(s) Henderson, Clouston, Jennings and Zwonitzer, Dn and Senator(s) Cooper</i></p> <p><i>1/26/2023 H Introduced and Referred to H03 - Revenue</i></p>	<p>MONITOR</p>
<p><u>HB0256 Property tax holiday.</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fiscal Note • Digest 	<p>An act relating to property tax; providing a property tax reduction for tax year 2023; providing a sunset date; specifying applicability; and providing for an effective date.</p> <p><i>Sponsored by: Representative(s) Locke, Allemand, Haroldson, Jennings, Styvar and Ward</i></p> <p><i>1/30/2023 H Introduced and Referred to H03 - Revenue</i></p>	<p>OPPOSE</p>
<p><u>HB0288 Electrical generation tax and rebate program.</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fiscal Note • Digest 	<p>An act relating to taxation and revenue; imposing an excise tax on the production of electricity; providing credits for other taxes paid; providing for administration and rulemaking authority; providing penalties; providing for distribution of the tax through a rebate program; and providing for an effective date.</p> <p><i>Sponsored by: Representative(s) Stith and Nicholas and Senator(s) Case</i></p> <p><i>1/27/2023 H Introduced and Referred to H02 – Appropriations</i></p>	<p>OPPOSE</p>

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<p><u>HJ0001 Residential property taxation amendment.</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fiscal Note • Digest 	<p>A joint resolution providing for the assessment of residential real property as a separate property class for the purpose of property tax assessments, specifying how residential real property may be valued and authorizing certain exemptions and subclasses related to residential real property. Sponsored by: Joint Revenue Interim Committee <i>1/17/2023 H Introduced and Referred to H03 - Revenue</i></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">OPPOSE</p>
<p><u>HJ0002 Constitutional amendment-residential property class.</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fiscal Note • Digest 	<p>A joint resolution providing for the assessment of residential real property as a separate property class for the purpose of taxation and authorizing subclasses related to residential real property. Sponsored by: Representative(s) Sommers, Crago, Harshman and Northrup and Senator(s) Pappas <i>1/17/2023 H Introduced and Referred to H03 - Revenue</i></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">MONITOR</p>
<p><u>HJ0004 Residential property tax cap-amendment.</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fiscal Note • Digest 	<p>A joint resolution specifying how residential real property may be valued for the purpose of property tax assessments. Sponsored by: Representative(s) Locke, Allemand, Banks, Davis, Jennings, Styvar and Ward and Senator(s) Laursen, D and Salazar <i>1/18/2023 H Introduced and Referred to H03 – Revenue</i></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">OPPOSE</p>
<p><u>HJ0006 Common school account-investments and distributions.</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fiscal Note • Digest 	<p>A joint resolution proposing to amend the Wyoming Constitution to modify and modernize the common school account within the permanent land fund; requiring that all common school account earnings be transferred to a separate earnings fund; specifying actions and uses of the common school account's earnings; and requiring that the legislature provide a means for making whole any investment losses to the common school account. Sponsored by: House Appropriations Committee <i>1/26/2023 H Introduced and Referred to H02 - Appropriations</i></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">MONITOR</p>

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<p>HJ0007 Permanent mineral trust fund-distributions and investments.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fiscal Note • Digest 	<p>A joint resolution proposing to amend the Wyoming Constitution to modify and modernize the permanent Wyoming mineral trust fund; requiring that all fund earnings be transferred to a separate earnings fund; providing for the expenditure of the fund's earnings; and requiring that the Legislature provide a means for making whole investment and loan losses to the corpus of the fund.</p> <p>Sponsored by: House Appropriations Committee <i>1/26/2023 H Introduced and Referred to H02 - Appropriations</i></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">MONITOR</p>
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SENATE FILES	DESCRIPTION/ACTION	WTA POSITION
<p>SF0001 General government appropriations-2.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fiscal Note Digest 	<p>An act relating to supplemental appropriations for the operation of state government for the fiscal biennium commencing July 1, 2022 and ending June 30, 2024; providing definitions; providing for additional appropriations and transfers of funds for the period of the budget; increasing or decreasing specified amounts; adjusting the number of positions; modifying prior appropriations; providing for duties, terms and conditions and other requirements relating to appropriations for the period of the budget as specified; providing for position and other budgetary limitations; amending existing law by redirecting revenues and making transfers for the period of the budget; providing for carryover of funds beyond the fiscal biennium; and providing for an effective date.</p> <p>Sponsored by: Joint Appropriations Committee <i>1/30/2023 S COW: Passed</i></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">MONITOR</p>
<p>SF0003 Retail liquor license fees.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Digest 	<p>An act relating to alcoholic beverages; revising fees for retail liquor licenses issued after July 1, 2023; and providing for an effective date.</p> <p>Sponsored by: Joint Corporations, Elections & Political Subdivisions Interim Committee <i>1/19/2023 S 3rd Reading: Failed 14-14-0-0-3</i></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">MONITOR</p>
<p>SF0022 Wyoming public safety communications system funding.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fiscal Note Digest 	<p>An act relating to public safety communications; providing an appropriation; establishing funding priority order; and providing for an effective date.</p> <p>Sponsored by: Joint Transportation, Highways & Military Affairs Interim Committee <i>1/20/2023 S 3rd Reading: Failed 15-16-0-0-0</i></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">MONITOR</p>

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<p>SF0030 Apiculture-agricultural land use purpose.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fiscal Note • Digest 	<p>An act relating to taxation and revenue; clarifying that apiculture is an agricultural purpose for tax purposes; making conforming amendments; and providing for an effective date.</p> <p>Sponsored by: Joint Agriculture, State and Public Lands & Water Resources Interim Committee</p> <p><i>1/10/2023 S Introduced and Referred to S05 - Agriculture</i></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">MONITOR</p>
<p>SF0039 Board of equalization-questions before the board.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Digest 	<p>An act relating to the state board of equalization; specifying the power of the board to decide questions; and providing for an effective date.</p> <p>Sponsored by: Joint Revenue Interim Committee</p> <p><i>1/19/2023 H Received for Introduction</i></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">MONITOR</p>
<p>SF0042 Taxation of cigars.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fiscal Note • Digest 	<p>An act relating to tobacco taxes; specifying a maximum tax on cigars; providing that the tax on a premium cigar is due following the sale of the cigar; providing a definition; and providing for an effective date.</p> <p>Sponsored by: Joint Revenue Interim Committee</p> <p><i>1/17/2023 H Received for Introduction</i></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">MONITOR</p>
<p>SF0043 EMS districts.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Digest 	<p>An act relating to improvement and service districts; providing an alternative proceeding to form a district to provide emergency medical services by resolution of a board of county commissioners; specifying the appointment of the board of directors of the district; specifying taxation requirements; and providing for an effective date.</p> <p>Sponsored by: Senator(s) Case and Representative(s) Larsen, L</p> <p><i>1/17/2023 Refer to S10 - Labor</i></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">MONITOR</p>

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<p>SF0063 Tax administration revisions.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Digest 	<p>An act relating to taxation and revenue; clarifying the administration of certain taxes by the department of revenue; providing that the department of revenue may credit or waive interest related to mine product taxes; providing that any assessment or levy of sales and use taxes resulting from an audit or review shall be issued within a specified time of the audit or review; and providing for an effective date.</p> <p>Sponsored by: Joint Revenue Interim Committee <i>1/17/2023 H Introduced for Introduction</i></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">MONITOR</p>
<p>SF0070 Back to school tax holiday.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fiscal Note • Digest 	<p>An act relating to sales and use taxes; providing for a back to school sales and use tax holiday; specifying items that are and are not subject to the tax holiday exemption; providing rulemaking authority; and providing for an effective date.</p> <p>Sponsored by: Senator(s) Schuler, Boner and Dockstader and Representative(s) Olsen <i>1/10/2023 S Introduced and Referred to S03 - Revenue</i></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">OPPOSE</p>
<p>SF0081 Monthly ad valorem tax revisions.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fiscal Note • Digest 	<p>An act relating to ad valorem taxation of mineral production; clarifying the calculation of the payment amount for mineral production; clarifying distribution of monthly ad valorem payments received by the county treasurer; and providing for an effective date.</p> <p>Sponsored by: Senator(s) Barlow, Dockstader and Driskill and Representative(s) Burkhart, Crago, Harshman and Zwonitzer, Dn <i>1/11/2023 S Introduced and Referred to H03 - Revenue</i></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">MONITOR</p>

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<p>SF0090 Wyoming property tax relief authority.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fiscal Note • Digest 	<p>An act relating to the administration of government; creating the Wyoming property tax relief authority; specifying duties and powers of the authority; creating a property tax loan program; authorizing the issuance of bonds under specified conditions; requiring notice of the property tax loan program in assessment notices; providing definitions; providing an appropriation; and providing for effective dates.</p> <p>Sponsored by: Senator(s) Case and Representative(s) Harshman <i>1/27/2023 S Placed on General File</i></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">MONITOR</p>
<p>SF0101 Wyoming legal tender act amendments.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fiscal Note • Digest 	<p>An act relating to the Wyoming Legal Tender Act; requiring the state treasurer to provide for the payment of taxes by specie or specie legal tender; requiring the state treasurer to determine and provide exchange rates for specie and specie legal tender; requiring the state treasurer to exchange specie and specie legal tender for other legal tender currencies; requiring the state treasurer to hold and invest specie and specie legal tender; authorizing the state treasurer to hire consultants; providing rulemaking authority; and providing for effective dates.</p> <p>Sponsored by: Senator(s) Ide, Biteman, French, Hicks, Hutchings, Laursen, D, McKeown and Steinmetz and Representative(s) Allemand, Bear, Jennings and Neiman <i>1/26/2023 S Placed on General File</i></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">MONITOR</p>
<p>SF0103 Sales tax exemption-state legislators.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fiscal Note • Digest 	<p>An act relating to sales tax; providing a lodging tax exemption for members of the state legislature while acting in their official capacity; and providing for an effective date.</p> <p>Sponsored by: Senator(s) Steinmetz, Biteman, Brennan, Driskill, Hicks, Hutchings, Kolb and Salazar and Representative(s) Bear, Davis, Haroldson, Heiner, Sommers, Strock, Ward and Winter <i>1/18/2023 S COW: Failed 7-23-1-0-0</i></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">MONITOR</p>

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<p><u>SF0104 Property tax-mill levy adjustment.</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fiscal Note • Digest 	<p>An act relating to property taxes; specifying requirements on how specified mill levy rates are determined; limiting certain mill levy rates; and providing for an effective date.</p> <p>Sponsored by: Senator(s) Steinmetz, Biteman, Boner, Brennan, Driskill, Gierau, Kinskey, McKeown and Salazar and Representative(s) Bear, Davis, Haroldson, Heiner, Hornok, Jennings, Ward and Winter</p> <p><i>1/13/2023 S Introduced and Referred to S03 - Revenue</i></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">MONITOR</p>
<p><u>SF0110 Personal property-tax exemption.</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fiscal Note • Digest 	<p>An act relating to property taxes; providing a property tax exemption for tangible personal property; making conforming amendments; repealing provisions related to the reporting and valuation of personal property; specifying applicability; and providing for an effective date.</p> <p>Sponsored by: Senator(s) McKeown, Biteman, French, Hutchings, Ide, Laursen, D and Salazar and Representative(s) Neiman</p> <p><i>1/27/2023 S Placed on General File</i></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">SUPPORT</p>
<p><u>SF0121 Indexing unemployment insurance.</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fiscal Note • Digest 	<p>An act relating to labor and employment; revising the calculation of unemployment benefits; specifying applicability; and providing for an effective date.</p> <p>Sponsored by: Senator(s) Driskill, Ide, Laursen, D, Salazar and Steinmetz and Representative(s) Allemand, Bear, Davis, Heiner, Hornok, Jennings, Larson, JT, Neiman, Oakley, Ottman, Pendergraft, Slagle, Strock, Tarver and Wylie</p> <p><i>1/17/2023 S Introduced and Referred to S07 – Corporations</i></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">MONITOR</p>

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<p><u>SF0125 Property tax-limiting the maximum taxable value increase.</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fiscal Note • Digest 	<p>An act related to ad valorem taxation; limiting the maximum annual taxable value increase for purposes of property taxes; striking obsolete language; and providing for an effective date. Sponsored by: Senator(s) Salazar, Biteman, French, Ide and McKeown and Representative(s) Ottman and Pendergraft <i>1/19/2023 S Placed on General File</i></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">OPPOSE</p>
<p><u>SF0132 Study of K-12 education program.</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fiscal Note • Digest 	<p>An act relating to education; modifying the duties of the state board of education as specified; requiring a study; requiring reporting; requiring adoption of graduation standards as specified; providing an appropriation; and providing for an effective date. Sponsored by: Senator(s) Ellis and Representative(s) Andrew, Neiman and Trujillo <i>1/30/2023 Rerefer to S02 – Appropriations</i></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">MONITOR</p>
<p><u>SF0136 Property tax relief-assessment rate reduction.</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fiscal Note • Digest 	<p>An act relating to taxation; decreasing the property tax assessment rate for all other property class; and providing for an effective date. Sponsored by: Senator(s) Biteman, Ide, Kinskey, McKeown, Salazar and Steinmetz and Representative(s) Bear, Byron and Jennings <i>1/30/2023 H Received for Introduction</i></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">OPPOSE</p>

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<p>SF0145 State budgeting and reserves.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fiscal Note • Digest 	<p>An act relating to public funds; repealing accounts and subaccounts as specified; amending appropriations, loan authority, distributions and transfers of funds as specified; amending local government audit withholding requirements; modifying the distribution of revenues as specified; authorizing specified state permanent fund reserve accounts to maintain larger balances; requiring certifications before specified investment activities; providing for the transfer of funds to specified reserve accounts; requiring the repayment of transferred funds as specified; providing that balances in specified reserve accounts are intended to be inviolate; removing encumbrances on specified reserve accounts; repealing a guarantee for the school foundation program account; defining legislative intent for future appropriations and budget requests; providing legislative findings; providing for the transfer from and reversion of funds to the repealed accounts and subaccounts; making conforming amendments; repealing obsolete language; requiring reports; and providing for effective dates.</p> <p>Sponsored by: Senator(s) Kinskey and Hicks <i>1/26/2023 S Placed on General File</i></p>	<p>MONITOR</p>
<p>SF0146 State funded capital construction.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fiscal Note • Digest 	<p>An act relating to state funded capital construction; creating an account; authorizing the inclusion of construction contract provisions related to inflation; providing definitions; providing appropriations for purposes related to state funded capital construction; providing for capital construction grants for purposes of economic development; making appropriations subject to terms and conditions as specified; providing matching funds for specified projects; authorizing the expenditure of prior appropriations as specified; providing for the reversion of funds; creating a task force; authorizing the purchase of land for future construction; and providing for an effective date.</p> <p>Sponsored by: Joint Appropriations Committee <i>1/27/2023 S Placed on General File</i></p>	<p>MONITOR</p>

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<p>SF0160 Tolling authority for I-80.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fiscal Note Digest 	<p>An act relating to highways; creating a highway tolling program; granting powers to the transportation commission; defining duties of the transportation commission and the department of transportation; granting tolling authority for Interstate 80; providing for the review of tolling plans; creating an account; granting bonding authority; requiring accounting and reporting; authorizing loans from the state highway fund; providing rulemaking authority; allowing assistance between state agencies; and providing for an effective date.</p> <p>Sponsored by: Senator(s) Case <i>1/26/2023 Refer to S08 - Transportation</i></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">MONITOR</p>
<p>SJ0001 Amending Wyoming's act of admission lor lease earnings.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Digest 	<p>A joint resolution requesting Congress to introduce a bill and enact law to amend Wyoming's act of admission to authorize the expenditure of earnings for the support of the common schools in Wyoming and to amend the authority for leasing state school lands.</p> <p>Sponsored by: Select Committee on Capital Financing & Investments <i>1/13/2023 H Received for Introduction</i></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">MONITOR</p>
<p>SJ0003 Property tax exemption for the elderly and infirm.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fiscal Note Digest 	<p>A joint resolution to amend the Wyoming Constitution by authorizing a homeowner's property tax exemption for the elderly and infirm.</p> <p>Sponsored by: Senator(s) Dockstader and Representative(s) Allred and Byron <i>1/26/2023 S 3rd Reading: Passed 21-10-0-0-0</i></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">OPPOSE</p>

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<p>SJ0008 Legislative stabilization reserve account-spending limits.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fiscal Note • Digest 	<p>A joint resolution to amend the Wyoming Constitution to limit appropriations from the legislative stabilization reserve account and to authorize additional appropriations from the account for fiscal emergencies upon a three-fourths (3/4) vote of each house of the legislature voting separately.</p> <p>Sponsored by: Senator(s) Hicks, Dockstader, Driskill and Steinmetz and Representative(s) Bear and Jennings</p> <p><i>1/25/2023 S02 – Appropriations: Do Pass Failed 2-3-0-0-0</i></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">MONITOR</p>
<p>SJ0012 Constitutional amendment-property tax valuation.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fiscal Note • Digest 	<p>A joint resolution providing for the assessment of residential real property as a separate property class for the purpose of taxation and providing for valuation of residential real property.</p> <p>Sponsored by: Senator(s) Dockstader and Representative(s) Allred</p> <p><i>1/24/2023 S03 – Revenue: Do Pass Failed 1-4-0-0-0</i></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">OPPOSE</p>
<p>SJ0013 Legislative and executive authority-taxation and spending.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fiscal Note • Digest 	<p>A joint resolution to amend the Wyoming Constitution to specify that the power and control of taxation and spending belongs to the legislative department and the executive department as specified.</p> <p>Sponsored by: Senator(s) Laursen, D and Scott and Representative(s) Heiner</p> <p><i>1/24/2023 S Introduced and Referred to S03 - Revenue</i></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">MONITOR</p>