

List of Bills for Discussion at Legislative Committee – February 4, 2020

1. Senate Bill 2305 – Motor Fuel – Business Enterprise

a. Provides that, if a municipality, county, or road district received a motor fuel tax distribution totaling more than \$1,000,000 in the previous fiscal year, then, in order to receive a distribution for the current fiscal year, that municipality, county, or road district must certify to the Department of Transportation that it has established a minority-owned, women-owned, and veteran-owned business enterprise program that meets or exceeds the requirements of the model program established by the Department of Central Management Services. Effective immediately.

2. Senate Bill 2322 – Local Public Funds – Lobbying

a. Provides that a unit of local government may not use public funds to pay a lobbyist or lobbying entity.

3. Senate Bill 2341 – Township Assessors

- a. Provides that the County Board of Lake County, by backdoor referendum, may vote to discontinue all offices of the township assessor in the county.
- b. Bill amended January 27, 2020

4. House Bill 4135 – Library Districts / Cannabis Revenue

a. Provides that library districts, by ordinance, may impose a 1% tax upon all persons engaged in the business of selling cannabis. Reduces the tax rate the corporate authorities of a county may impose by 1% within a library district if the library district imposes the tax.

5. House Bill 3624 / Senate Bill 2132 – Clean Energy Jobs Act

a. Creates the Clean Energy Jobs Act