

2018 Session IN General Assembly February 9, 2018 Bill Tracker

Short Session Half Time

The Indiana General Assembly is half way through the 2018 Session. The House and Senate finished voting on their bills late Tuesday and will come back to work on Monday, February 12 to begin hearings on each other's proposed legislation. High profile issues surviving include workforce development, redistricting, opioid crisis, Sunday alcohol sales and naming the Firefly as the state insect. Among the issues not making it include mandating townships mergers, hate crimes, raising age to purchase tobacco and who can sell cold beer.

Please find Bills eligible for opposite chamber hearings that are of interest to us.

Both the Senate and House are setting very compressed schedules for action!
Here are some key deadlines:

Legislative Session Calendar

Mar. 5 - Deadline for Senate bills to clear House
Mar. 6 - Deadline for House bills to clear Senate
Mar. 14 - Mandated session ending

- Click here for the: [House Schedule](#)
- Click here for the: [Senate Schedule](#)

Bill filing lists are complete but I will continue to review House and Senate bills that may have impact on us. Below are bills of importance to IASWCD. *Please contact me at [\(317.753.9627\)](tel:317.753.9627) or chizer@inaq.biz with any concerns or needs. Thank you, Cress*

Useful Links

House Committee Schedules: [Latest House Calendar](#)

Senate Committee Schedules: [Latest Senate Calendar](#)

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TRACKING LIST

The State of Indiana has made major changes to its website, including the website for the Indiana General Assembly. To view any bill in its entirety, click here: [Bills](#)

Once there, scroll through the list of Senate and House bills filed and click on the bill you want to view. Once you are on the main page for a particular bill, you will need to click on the following options in the upper left side, which are self-explanatory:

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If you need any assistance please contact me.

House

- **HB 1089:** [St. Joseph River basin commission.](#)

- **HB 1096:** [Construction requirements of MS4 operators.](#)
- **HB 1098:** [Seed commissioner and state chemist.](#)
- **HB 1115:** [Landowner immunity for trail access.](#)
- **HB 1155:** [County repair of subdivision drains.](#)
- **HB 1227:** [Noxious weeds.](#)
- **HB 1233:** [Environmental management matters.](#)
- **HB 1267:** [Water infrastructure task force.](#)
- **HB 1289:** [Local regulation of natural resource development.](#)

Senate

- **SB 20:** [Deer hunting.](#)
- **SB 105:** [State agriculture and animal certification programs.](#)
- **SB 286:** [SPEA study of Indiana environmental policy.](#)
- **SB 330:** [Seed commissioner rulemaking.](#)
- **SB 361:** [Water infrastructure task force.](#)
- **SB 362:** [Regulation of water and wastewater systems.](#)
- **SB 417:** [Distance between water well and septic system.](#)

Other Issues Watch

We will review filed Resolutions for any support or concerns in this section.

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