



## 2020 Session IN General Assembly February 14, 2020 Bill Tracker

### Second Session of the 121<sup>th</sup> Indiana General Assembly

Work started back up for the second half of the session this week with light committee schedules and mainly resolutions being offered in the House and Senate. HB 366 Kankakee River and Yellow River development, cleared the House Ways and Means Committee on Wednesday 19-0 and now moves to the House floor. Please note that I have added two resolutions to our monitoring list. Our bill list only shows bills still alive. Committees and session days will start up again on Monday. Pleased to have the topic of Invasive Species in front of the Rural Caucus next Wednesday.

#### 2020 Session Deadlines

- 2/27 last day for Committee Reports
- 3/3 last day for 3<sup>rd</sup> readings of House Bills in Senate
- 3/3 last day for 3<sup>rd</sup> readings of Senate Bills in House
- 3/14 last day for adjournment of both houses

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) or chizer@iga.biz with any concerns or needs. Thank you, Cress*

#### Useful Links

House Committee Schedules <http://iga.in.gov/documents/d818d017>

Senate Committee Schedules <http://iga.in.gov/documents/85381d73>

Find your Legislator: <http://iga.in.gov/legislative/find-legislators/>

### **TRACKING LIST**

The State of Indiana has made changes to its website, including the website for the Indiana General Assembly. To view any bill in its entirety, click here: <http://iga.in.gov/legislative/2020/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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## House

- [HB 1006: Regulation of tobacco products.](#)
- [HB 1099: Low head dams.](#)
- [HB 1119: Regulation of pesticide use and application.](#)
- [HB 1265: Drinking water testing in Lake County.](#)
- [HB 1309: Department of environmental management.](#)
- [HB 1385: Department of natural resources.](#)

## Senate

- [SB 1: Tobacco and vaping smoking age.](#)
- [SB 46: Storm water fee exemptions.](#)
- [SB 99: Study committee on invasive species.](#)
- [SB 229: Maintenance of regulated drains.](#)
- [SB 254: Water and wastewater utilities.](#)
- [SB 366: Kankakee River and Yellow River development.](#)
- [SB 430: Reservoir conservancy districts.](#)
- [SB 438: Regulation of pesticide use and application.](#)
- [SB 450: Low head dams.](#)

## Other Issues Watch

Resolutions are filed and as ones of interest are researched, they will be listed here.

[SR 30: Honoring the DNR Division of Forestry and the Classified Forest and Wildlands Program and urging increased state funding for the Division of Forestry.](#)

[HR 18: Concerning the protection and conservation of Indiana's natural heritage.](#)

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