



March 10, 2023 Bill Tracker

First Session of the 123rd Indiana General Assembly

After a short break, legislators returned to work Monday with eight weeks left in this session. Committees started hearing bills from the other chamber highlighted by Senate Appropriations beginning work on the Senate Republican's version of the new two-year budget. Higher Ed, State Offices and Agencies, all were on the hearing agendas this week. **IASWCD will be prepared to testify on our funding requests in front of the Senate Appropriations Committee as the opportunity presents. Please keep informing your legislators for support!**

We will be attending the Senate Natural Resources Committee posted for hearing HB 1304 Boat fees and HB1639 Watershed Commissions, Monday morning in room 130 upon adjournment of the Senate Ag Committee in the same room. That committee has only one bill scheduled, HB 1557 Inventory of lost farmland.

Click on the sites below for helpful information of committee members and schedules. And if any of the other Bills on our Tracker are of interest or impacting you, please let me know how and why.

2023 Session Deadlines

- 4/11 Committee Report deadline on Senate Bills in House
- 4/13 Committee Report deadline on House Bills in Senate
- 4/17 last day for 3rd readings of Senate Bills in House
- 4/18 last day for 3rd readings of House Bills in Senate
- 4/29 last day for adjournment of both houses

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/>

I will continue to review House and Senate bills that may have an impact on us. Below are bills of importance to IASWCD. Please contact me at (317.753.9627)

or chizer@inag.biz with any concerns or needs. Thank you, Cress

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/2023/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:

Latest Version

Latest Fiscal Note

Bill Actions

Bill Versions

Committee Reports

Conference Committee Reports

House

- * HB 1001: State budget.<<https://iga.in.gov/legislative/2023/bills/house/1001>>
 - * HB 1041: State board of accounts.<<https://iga.in.gov/legislative/2023/bills/house/1041>>
 - * HB 1132: Land use task force.<<https://iga.in.gov/legislative/2023/bills/house/1132>>
 - * HB 1167: Live streaming and archiving meetings.<<https://iga.in.gov/legislative/2023/bills/house/1167>>
 - * HB 1304: Watercraft registration renewal fee.<<https://iga.in.gov/legislative/2023/bills/house/1304>>
 - * HB 1557: Inventory of lost farmland.<<https://iga.in.gov/legislative/2023/bills/house/1557>>
 - * HB 1639: Watershed development commissions.<<https://iga.in.gov/legislative/2023/bills/house/1639>>
- Senate

- * SB 25: Cigarette tax evasion.<<https://iga.in.gov/legislative/2023/bills/senate/25>>
- * SB 155: IDEM matters.<<https://iga.in.gov/legislative/2023/bills/senate/155>>
- * SB 242: DNR best floodplain mapping data.<<https://iga.in.gov/legislative/2023/bills/senate/242>>
- * SB 412: Natural resources matters.<<https://iga.in.gov/legislative/2023/bills/senate/412>>
- * SB 451: Carbon sequestration pilot project.<<https://iga.in.gov/legislative/2023/bills/senate/451>>
- * SB 473: NPDES limits for discharges to the Ohio River.<<https://iga.in.gov/legislative/2023/bills/senate/473>>

Bill Watch page for bills making it to Governor Holcomb's desk. Please follow the link below for the most recent update: https://www.in.gov/gov/newsroom/2023-bill-watch/<https://Inks.gd//eyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDAsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpbGjJaylslmJ1bGxldGluX2IkljoiMjAyMzAyMjluNzlwNjI0MTEiLCJ1cmwiOiJodHRwczovL3d3dy5pbi5nb3YvZ292L25ld3Nyb29tLzlwMjMtYmIscC13YXRjaC8ifQ.laMgPw6D3hriqAdwutqLSbKwYZwbL_j_hrdDOoY1114/s/586129762/br/154901149331-l>

Other Issues Watch

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

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Thank you for your help! INAg/Cress Hizer appreciates your willingness to contact legislators when called upon during the session. Without the assistance of the client/association, it would be difficult to pass proactive legislation or thwart detrimental language. Thanks for your support.