

KEY LEGISLATION AT THE FEDERAL, STATE, AND LOCAL/REGIONAL LEVELS

Key Federal Legislation in 2019

2019 marked the first session of a two-year Congress (the 116th). All bills listed below will need to be passed by Congress and signed by the president before the end of 2020, or they will need to be reintroduced in the next Congress (the 117th).

Bill	Sponsor	Subject	Valley Water Position	Status
H.R. 548	Calvert	Federally Integrated Species Health (FISH) Act	Support	Introduced and referred to the House Committee on Natural Resources
H.R. 357	Garamendi	Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta National Heritage Area Act	Support	Signed into law as part of the John D. Dingell, Jr. Conservation, Management, and Recreation Act (P.L. 116-9)
S. 40	Barrasso	Bureau of Reclamation Transparency Act	Support and Amend	Introduced and referred to the Senate Committee on Energy and Natural Resources
H.R. 1137	Garamendi	To amend the Water Resources Development Act of 1986 to repeal the authority relating to reprogramming during national emergencies	Support	Introduced and referred to the House Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure
S. 326	Udall	Restrictions Against Illegitimate Declarations for Emergency Re-appropriations (RAIDER) Act of 2019	Support	Introduced and referred to the House Committee on Appropriations
H.R. 1162	Napolitano	Water Recycling Improvement and Investment Act	Support	Hearing held in the House Committee on Natural Resources (June 13, 2019)
H.R. 1132	Speier	San Francisco Bay Restoration Act of 2019	Support	Markup held in House Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure,

				ordered to be reported favorably (September 19, 2019)
H.R. 1497	DeFazio	Water Quality Protection and Job Creation Act	Support	Markup held in House Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, ordered to be reported favorably (October 29, 2019)
H.R. 658	DeLauro	National Infrastructure Development Bank Act of 2019	Support	Introduced and referred to the House Committees on Energy and Commerce; Transportation and Infrastructure; Financial Services; and Ways and Means
H.R. 1417 / S. 611	Lawrence / Sanders	Water Affordability, Transparency, Equity, and Reliability (WATER) Act of 2019	Support	H.R. 1417: Introduced and referred to the House Committees on Transportation and Infrastructure; Energy and Commerce; Ways and Means; and Agriculture; S. 611: Introduced and referred to the Senate Committee on Environment and Public Works
H.R. 1621	McClintock	Water Supply Permitting Coordination Act	Support	Introduced and referred to the House Committee on Natural Resources
H.R. 2313	Huffman	Water Conservation Rebate Tax Parity Act	Support	Introduced and referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means
S. 923	Feinstein	Fighting Homelessness Through Services and Housing Act	Support	Introduced and referred to the Senate Committee on Health,

				Education, Labor and Pensions
H.R. 2473	Harder	Securing Access for the central Valley and Enhancing (SAVE) Water Resources Act	Support and Amend	Hearing held in the House Committee on Natural Resources (June 13, 2019)
H.R. 363	Calvert	Reducing Environmental Barriers to Unified Infrastructure and Land Development (REBUILD) Act of 2019	Support	Introduced and referred to the House Committee on Natural Resources
S. 1932	Gardner	Drought Resiliency and Water Supply Infrastructure Act	Support and Amend	Hearing held in the Senate Committee on Energy and Natural Resources (July 18, 2019)
S. 1730 / H.R. 3115	Harris / Pallone	The Living Shorelines Act of 2019	Support	S. 1730: Introduced and referred to the Senate Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation; H.R. 3115: Markup held in the House Committee on Natural Resources, ordered to be reported favorably (September 25, 2019)
H.R. 3723	Levin	The Desalination Development Act	Support	Hearing held in the House Committee on Natural Resources (July 25, 2019)
H.R. 855	Peters	The Strengthening The Resiliency of Our Nation on the Ground (STRONG) Act	Support	Introduced and referred to the House Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure
S. 403/ H.R. 1159	Whitehouse/ Cicilline	Innovative Materials for America's Growth and Infrastructure Newly Expanded (IMAGINE) Act of 2019	Support and Amend	S. 403: Introduced and referred to the Senate Committee on Environment and Public Works; H.R.

				1159: Introduced and referred to the House Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure; Committee on Science, Space, and Technology; and Committee on Energy and Commerce
H.R. 4033 / S. 2466	Kildee / Harris	Water Justice Act	Support and Amend	H.R. 4033: Introduced and referred to the House Committees on Energy and Commerce; Budget; Ways and Means; Natural Resources; Agriculture; and Transportation and Infrastructure; S. 2466: Introduced and referred to the Senate Committee on Finance.
S. 1837 / H.R. 3254	Gillibrand / Delgado	Protecting Infrastructure and Promoting the Economy (PIPE) Act	Support and Amend	S. 1837: Introduced and referred to the Senate Committee on Environment and Public Works; H.R. 3254: Introduced and referred to the House Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure and the Committee on Energy and Commerce
H.R. 3091	Loebsack	National Flood Research and Education Center Act	Support	Introduced and referred to the House Committee on Science, Space, and Technology and the Committee on

				Transportation and Infrastructure
S. 2236	Booker	Environmental Justice Act of 2019	Support	Introduced and referred to the Senate Committee on Environment and Public Works

Key State Legislation in 2019

2019 marked the first year of a two-year legislative session. The bills listed below that were not signed by the Governor have either died, or have been provided reconsideration as two-year bills and may be heard in the second year of the session.

Bill	Author	Subject	District Position	Status
AB 143	Quirk-Silva D	Shelter crisis: homeless shelters: Counties of Alameda and Orange: City of San Jose.	Support	Signed by the Governor
AB 292	Quirk D	Recycled water: raw water and groundwater augmentation.	Support	2-Year Bill
AB 441	Eggman D	Water: underground storage.	Oppose	2-Year Bill
AB 510	Cooley D	Local government records: destruction of records.	Support	2-Year Bill
AB 533	Holden D	Income taxes: exclusion: turf removal water conservation program.	Support	2-Year Bill
AB 557	Wood D	Atmospheric Rivers: Research, Mitigation, and Climate Forecasting Program.	Support	Dead
AB 658	Arambula D	Water rights: water management.	Support	Signed by the Governor
AB 707	Kalra D	Santa Clara Valley Water District: contracts.	Sponsor	Signed by the Governor
AB 782	Berman D	California Environmental Quality Act: exemption: public agencies: land transfers.	Support	Signed by the Governor
AB 948	Kalra D	Coyote Valley Conservation Program.	Support	Signed by the Governor
AB 1180	Friedman D	Water: recycled water.	Support	Signed by the Governor

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AB 1194	Frazier D	Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta: Delta Stewardship Council.	Oppose	2-Year Bill
AB 1204	Rubio, Blanca D	Public water systems: primary drinking water standards: implementation date.	Support	2-Year Bill
AB 1534	Wicks D	Regional Homeless Management Planning Act.	Support	2-Year Bill
AB 1580	Levine D	Major infrastructure construction projects: oversight committees.	Oppose	2-Year Bill
AB 1588	Gloria D	Drinking water and wastewater operator certification programs.	Support	Signed by the Governor
AB 1745	Kalra D	Shelter crisis: emergency bridge housing community: City of San Jose.	Support	Signed by the Governor
ACA 1	Aguiar-Curry D	Local government financing: affordable housing and public infrastructure: voter approval.	Support	2-Year Bill
SB 1	Atkins D	California Environmental, Public Health, and Workers Defense Act of 2019.	Oppose unless Amended	Vetoed
SB 19	Dodd D	Water resources: stream gages.	Support	Signed by the Governor
SB 200	Monning D	Drinking water.	Support	Signed by the Governor
SB 268	Wiener D	Ballot measures: local taxes.	Support	Vetoed
SB 332	Hertzberg D	Wastewater treatment: recycled water.	Oppose unless Amended	2-Year Bill
SB 414	Caballero D	Small System Water Authority Act of 2019.	Support	2-Year Bill
SB 487	Caballero D	Department of Water Resources: aerial snow survey.	Support	Vetoed