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Bills of interest:

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appointing powers

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appointing powers

Elected members of
governing body of a
metropolitan or municipal
government capped

Termination of future
taxes for Davidson
County Convention
Center

See Bills attached

Convention Center

There is an amendment expected this week around how tax dollars are spent received from the Nashville Convention Center. We have encouraged the general assembly to stay focused on the tourism and bringing in conventions for the center and city. We will post once the amendment is filed.



Beer & Liquor or Both?

An amendment filed early last week that will remove the authority of the Beer Board and give its power to the Tennessee Alcoholic Beverage Commission passed out of Department & Agencies Subcommittee today, unanimously. We are working with the sponsor to make certain that if your ABC license gets revoked, it doesn't revoke your beer license as well. In addition we are looking to make certain that the legislation doesn't negatively impact the businesses in the Tourism Development Zone. The bill would only impact this area of the city. We are also interested in having a year long look at our current liquor law and beer laws across the state and will be pushing for a review of this as well. We are looking to make that amendment in the Senate bill.

Mayor's Race - Current Status

Nashville will have its fourth mayor in 5 1/2 years due to Mayor Cooper's decision not to run for re-election.

Candidates who have announced their intent to run:

Senator Jeff Yarbrow - Jeff holds the State Senate district 21 and represents 1/3 of Davidson county at the State Legislature

Sharon Hurt, At-large Metro Councilwoman

Natasha Brooks-educator and former congressional candidate

Fran Bush-former school board member

Quincy McKnight-payment management executive

Metro Councilman Freddie O'Connell - whose district includes downtown and part of Midtown

Matt Wiltshire - was economic development chief for Nashville's three previous mayors and most recently was an official at the Metropolitan Development and Housing Agency.

Jim Gingrich - the former chief operating officer of global investment manager AllianceBernstein (NYSE: AB)

Alice Rolli - a former aide to Gov. Bill Haslam and campaign manager for Sen. Lamar Alexander

Bernie Cox - candidate for mayor in 2019

Others may still enter the race. The deadline to include a name as candidate is May 18 for the August 3 election.

SB75/HB28**Adoption of comprehensive growth plan prior to annexation.**

Sponsors Sen. Watson, Bo; Rep. Lamberth, William

Category Local Government

Summary Deletes requirement that municipalities adopt a comprehensive growth plan and have an approved urban growth boundary prior to annexing unincorporated territory. Requires all counties and municipalities that have an effective flood insurance rate map or flood hazard boundary map published by FEMA that identifies a special flood hazard area within the political boundaries of the county or municipality to meet the requirements for participation in the national flood insurance program administered by FEMA. Gives a county or municipality that does not currently have an effective flood insurance rate map or flood hazard boundary map published by FEMA that identifies a special flood hazard area within the political boundaries of the county or municipality 24 months from the effective date of any future flood insurance rate map or flood hazard boundary map published by the FEMA to meet the requirements for participation in the national flood insurance program.

Fiscal Note (Dated March 2, 2023) Other Fiscal Impact The extent of any decrease in local expenditures associated with funding for economic and community development boards cannot reasonably be determined.

Senate Status 03/15/23 - Set for Senate State & Local Government Committee 03/21/23.

House Status 03/15/23 - Set for House Local Government Committee 03/21/23.

SB87/HB48**Elected members of governing body of a metropolitan or municipal government capped.**

Sponsors Sen. Watson, Bo; Rep. Lamberth, William

Category Local Government

Summary Caps the number of members that may be elected to the governing body of a metropolitan or municipal government to 20 members.

Amendment Summary	House amendment 2 (004259) caps at 20 the number of members that may be elected to the governing body of a metropolitan or municipal government following the next general election for the governing body and applies the same cap to any metropolitan or municipal government formed after the effective date of the act. Requires such entities to establish district boundaries using the most recent federal census to ensure that a reapportionment maintains substantially equal representation based on population and complies with state and federal law. Provides that the 20-member cap takes effect as of the next general metropolitan election after the effective date of this act. If the council fails to take the necessary legislative action to effectuate the act prior to the qualifying date for the next general election after the effective date of this act, then the terms of the current council members are extended for one year and the county election commission shall set a special election to be held on the first Thursday of August of 2024, with council members assuming office on September 1, 2024. Council members elected on the first Thursday in August of 2024 will have three-year terms and thereafter, will serve four-year terms. Empowers the governing body of a metropolitan or municipal government to take any legislative action required to effectuate this act, regardless of any provision of a charter or private act to the contrary. Authorizes a newly formed metropolitan government to provide for the initial election of council members on a date as set by the charter, as long as the initial terms do not exceed four years and expire on August 31, after the next subsequent general election held.
Fiscal Note	(Dated January 27, 2023) Decrease Local Expenditures \$424,900/FY24-25/Nashville Davidson County \$509,800/FY25-26 and Subsequent Years/ Nashville Davidson County Other Fiscal Impact The extent and timing of any permissive increase in local expenditures relative to raising councilmember salaries cannot be reasonably forecasted. Additionally, in the event that a referendum for a charter amendment is necessary, there will be an estimated one-time, mandatory local expenditure of \$2,500.* HB 48 - SB 87
Senate Status	03/09/23 - Senate passed.
House Status	03/06/23 - House passed with amendment 2 (004259).
Executive Status	03/13/23 - Enacted as Public Chapter 0021 effective March 9, 2023.

SB153/HB175

Ober Gatlinburg tourist resort description change.

Sponsors	Sen. Niceley, Frank; Rep. Carr, Dale
Category	Alcoholic Beverages
Summary	Revises the description of Ober Gatlinburg for purposes of designating the facility as a premier type tourist resort.
Senate Status	01/20/23 - Referred to Senate State & Local Government Committee.
House Status	01/30/23 - Withdrawn in House.

SB161/HB160

Changes to the requirements for applicants for server permits.

Sponsors	Sen. Briggs, Richard; Rep. Marsh, Pat
Category	Alcoholic Beverages

Summary	Makes changes to the requirements for applicants for server permits, including specifying that an applicant must not have been convicted of a felony offense involving the use or threat of violence to a human being with the previous four years.
Amendment Summary	House State Government Committee amendment 1 (002008) decreases, from within the previous eight years to within the previous four years, the amount of time that applicants for server permits must not have been convicted of certain felonies or crimes to be eligible applicants. Decreases, from within the previous five years to within the previous four years, the amount of time that applicants for server permits must not have had their server permit or any similar permit revoked to be eligible applicants. Removes embezzlement and dishonesty as offenses that make applicants ineligible for server permits. Adds the use or threat of violence to a human being and fraud as an offense that makes applicants ineligible for server permits, if committed within the previous four years.
Fiscal Note	(Dated January 22, 2023) Increase State Revenue Exceeds \$400/FY23-24 and Subsequent Years/ABC Fund
Senate Status	03/15/23 - Set for Senate State & Local Government Committee 03/21/23.
House Status	03/15/23 - Set for House Finance, Ways & Means Committee 03/21/23.

SB165/HB397 Annual report by Tennessee Wine and Grape Board.

Sponsors	Sen. Walley, Page; Rep. Littleton, Mary
Category	Alcoholic Beverages
Summary	Adds the state and local government committee of the senate and the state government committee of the house of representatives to the list of entities to which the Tennessee Wine and Grape Board must submit its annual report. Broadly captioned.
Fiscal Note	(Dated January 22, 2023) NOT SIGNIFICANT
Senate Status	01/21/23 - Referred to Senate State & Local Government Committee.
House Status	03/01/23 - Taken off notice in House Department & Agencies Subcommittee.

SB174/HB178 Sevierville - selling of alcohol and beer for consumption on premises.

Sponsors	Sen. Niceley, Frank; Rep. Carr, Dale
Category	Alcoholic Beverages
Summary	Authorizes Sevierville to obtain a license to sell alcohol and beer for consumption on premises designated by the city with the alcoholic beverage commission and local beer board. Broadly captioned.
Senate Status	01/21/23 - Referred to Senate State & Local Government Committee.
House Status	01/24/23 - Referred to House Department & Agencies Subcommittee.

SB184/HB444 **Authorization of package stores and liquor-by-the-drink in certain municipalities.**

Sponsors Sen. Walley, Page; Rep. Shaw, Johnny

Category Alcoholic Beverages

Summary Authorizes the city of Moscow and other municipalities with a population between 570 and 699 persons that employ a full-time police department to hold a referendum on the question of whether to authorize package stores and liquor-by-the-drink in their respective jurisdictions.

Amendment Summary Senate State and Local Government Committee amendment 1, House State Government Committee amendment 1 (004587) authorizes the city of Moscow in Fayette County to hold a local option referendum to permit the manufacture, receipt, sale, storage, transportation, distribution, and possession of alcoholic beverages, within the territorial limits of the municipality, by a majority vote. Authorizes certain municipalities, with populations between 570 and 699 according to the 2020 federal census or subsequent census, to hold a local option referendum on the condition that the municipality has a full-time police department.

Fiscal Note (Dated February 23, 2023) NOT SIGNIFICANT

Senate Status 03/16/23 - Set for Senate Floor 03/20/23.

House Status 03/17/23 - Set for House Floor 03/20/23.

SB200/HB304 **Opiate antagonist nasal spray to be kept on premises of certain establishments.**

Sponsors Sen. Lamar, London; Rep. Jones, Justin

Category Alcoholic Beverages

Summary Requires establishments that have gross sales of alcoholic beverages of more than \$500,000 per calendar year, as a condition of receiving or renewing a liquor-by-the-drink license, to keep an opiate antagonist nasal spray in an easily accessible location on the premises and to provide satisfactory proof of such to the alcoholic beverage commission.

Fiscal Note (Dated January 20, 2023) NOT SIGNIFICANT

Senate Status 03/07/23 - Senate State & Local Government Committee deferred to 03/21/23.

House Status 01/25/23 - Referred to House Department & Agencies Subcommittee.

SB233/HB379 **Time allowed for an unarmed security guard to complete general**

Sponsors Sen. Yarbro, Jeff; Rep. Beck, Bill

Category Professions & Licensure

Summary Decreases the amount of time an unarmed security guard applicant has from the date of employment to complete general training and pass an examination from 15 days to 10 days. Broadly captioned.

Fiscal Note (Dated January 22, 2023) NOT SIGNIFICANT

Senate Status 03/15/23 - Set for Senate Commerce & Labor Committee 03/20/23.
House Status 03/15/23 - Set for House Business & Utilities Subcommittee 03/21/23.

SB312/HB259 Sevierville - premiere type tourist resort.

Sponsors Sen. Niceley, Frank; Rep. Carr, Dale
Category Taxes Sales
Summary Defines Sevierville as a premiere type tourist resort for purposes of sales tax distribution.
Fiscal Note (Dated February 20, 2023) Decrease State Revenue Net Impact \$1,264,100/FY23-24 and Subsequent Years Increase Local Revenue \$2,330,700/FY23-24 and Subsequent Years/ Sevier County Decrease Local Revenue Net Impact \$1,066,600/FY23-24 and Subsequent Years/City of Sevierville
Senate Status 01/26/23 - Referred to Senate State & Local Government Committee.
House Status 02/22/23 - Taken off notice in House Finance, Ways & Means Subcommittee.

SB399/HB1178 City of Goodlettsville - hotel/motel tax.

Sponsors Sen. Haile, Ferrell; Rep. Garrett, Johnny
Category Local Government
Summary Clarifies that certain privilege taxes imposed by Davidson County on the privilege of occupancy in a hotel do not apply to hotels located within the City of Goodlettsville, which has previously imposed an occupancy tax.
Fiscal Note (Dated February 5, 2023) Decrease Local Revenue \$830,600/Each FY23-24 through FY25-26/Davidson County \$664,400/FY26-27 and Subsequent Years/Davidson County Forgone Local Revenue \$359,300/FY23-24 and Subsequent Years/Davidson County
Senate Status 02/21/23 - Taken off notice in Senate State & Local Government Committee.
House Status 02/07/23 - Referred to House Property & Planning Subcommittee.

SB415/HB378 Denial of employee permit application - request for hearing.

Sponsors Sen. Yarbro, Jeff; Rep. Beck, Bill
Category Alcoholic Beverages
Summary Increases, from 30 days to 60 days, the number of days in which a person may request a hearing pursuant to the Uniform Administrative Act following the denial of an application for an employee permit by the alcoholic beverage commission. Broadly captioned.
Fiscal Note (Dated January 24, 2023) NOT SIGNIFICANT

Senate Status 01/26/23 - Referred to Senate State & Local Government Committee.
House Status 02/01/23 - Caption bill held on House clerk's desk.

SB422/HB876 Annual report on the wine industry and viticulture.

Sponsors Sen. Lundberg, Jon; Rep. Lafferty, Justin

Category Alcoholic Beverages

Summary Authorizes the Tennessee wine and grape board to issue its annual report on the wine industry and viticulture in this state, and on current and future activities of the board, electronically to the governor, the commissioner of finance and administration, the chair of the agriculture and natural resources committee of the house of representatives, and the chair of the energy, agriculture and natural resources committee of the senate.

Fiscal Note (Dated January 27, 2023) NOT SIGNIFICANT

Senate Status 01/26/23 - Referred to Senate State & Local Government Committee.

House Status 02/02/23 - Caption bill held on House clerk's desk.

SB427/HB476 Historic zoning commission recommendations.

Sponsors Sen. Lundberg, Jon; Rep. Crawford, John

Category Property & Housing

Summary Requires that the recommendations submitted by a regional historic zoning commission to a county or municipal legislative body regarding the creation of a historic district or zone identify the statutory criteria or criterion met by the proposed historic zone or district. Broadly

Fiscal Note (Dated January 28, 2023) NOT SIGNIFICANT

Senate Status 01/26/23 - Referred to Senate State & Local Government Committee.

House Status 02/01/23 - Caption bill held on House clerk's desk.

SB438/HB624 Alcoholic beverage license.

Sponsors Sen. Niceley, Frank; Rep. Jernigan, Darren

Category Alcoholic Beverages

Summary Makes the licensed establishments to sell alcoholic beverages permanent. Requires each licensee who offers to go alcoholic beverages to take an additional training focused on compliance with to-go alcohol law and avoiding sales to minors.

Fiscal Note (Dated February 25, 2023) Increase State Revenue \$3,390,000/FY23-24 and Subsequent Years Increase Local Revenue \$3,390,000/FY23-24 and Subsequent Years

Senate Status 03/15/23 - Set for Senate State & Local Government Committee 03/21/23.
House Status 03/01/23 - Taken off notice in House Department & Agencies Subcommittee.

SB506/HB488 **Allocating tax on beer and soft drinks to the highway fund.**

Sponsors Sen. Powers, Bill; Rep. Boyd, Clark

Category Taxes General

Summary Extends the repeal date from July 1, 2028 to August 1, 2028, for the allocation of a portion of the beer tax and the tax on soft drinks to the highway fund for the purpose of funding programs for the prevention and collection of litter and trash and matters related to the program. Broadly captioned.

Fiscal Note (Dated March 13, 2023) NOT SIGNIFICANT

Senate Status 03/14/23 - Senate Finance Revenue Subcommittee deferred to first calendar of 2024.

House Status 02/01/23 - Referred to House Finance, Ways & Means Subcommittee.

SB507/HB1119 **Electronic storage of documents by wineries.**

Sponsors Sen. Powers, Bill; Rep. Carr, Dale

Category Alcoholic Beverages

Summary Authorizes wineries and farm wine producers in this state to maintain copies of their licenses, permits, and other documents electronically for purposes of establishing compliance with the law. Authorizes wineries and farm wine producers beginning July 1, 2024, that hold two or more licenses or permits to choose the expiration date for such licenses or permits within certain parameters.

Fiscal Note (Dated February 25, 2023) Increase State Revenue \$78,700/Strategic Technology Solutions Increase State Expenditures \$122,700/ABC Fund

Senate Status 02/28/23 - Senate State & Local Government recommended. Sent to Senate Finance, Ways & Means.

House Status 03/15/23 - House Finance Subcommittee placed behind the budget.

SB510/HB865 **Rules pertaining to automobile clubs and associations.**

Sponsors Sen. Walley, Page; Rep. Keisling, Kelly

Category Transportation Vehicles

Summary Allows the commissioner of commerce and insurance to promulgate rules pertaining to automobile clubs and associations. Broadly captioned.

Fiscal Note (Dated January 28, 2023) NOT SIGNIFICANT

Senate Status 01/30/23 - Referred to Senate Transportation & Safety Committee.

House Status 02/02/23 - Caption bill held on House clerk's desk.

SB513/HB471 Annual report on tourist development zone.

Sponsors Sen. Lundberg, Jon; Rep. Crawford, John

Category Local Government

Summary Authorizes a municipality or public authority in which a tourism development zone is located to file with the commissioner of finance and administration and the state building commission its annual report concerning the zone in an electronic format. Broadly captioned.

Fiscal Note (Dated January 27, 2023) NOT SIGNIFICANT

Senate Status 03/15/23 - Set for Senate State & Local Government Committee 03/21/23.

House Status 03/15/23 - Set for House Local Government Committee 03/21/23.

SB555/HB491 Projects that may be funded under the Tourism Development Authority

Sponsors Sen. Powers, Bill; Rep. Johnson, Curtis

Category Tourism

Summary Expands the types of projects that may be funded under the Tourism Development Authority Act to include performing arts centers. and museums. Clarifies the sources of revenue to fund such projects. Excludes ad valorem real property taxes from such sources of revenue that are available to fund projects under the Act.

Fiscal Note (Dated March 1, 2023) NOT SIGNIFICANT

Senate Status 03/13/23 - Senate passed.

House Status 03/17/23 - Set for House Consent 03/20/23.

SB591/HB764 **Abolishes community oversight boards and creates police advisory and review committees.**

Sponsors Sen. Pody, Mark; Rep. Davis, Elaine

Category Criminal Law

Summary Abolishes community oversight boards and authorizes municipalities to create police advisory and review committees to ensure the timely, fair, and objective review of citizen complaints and to make recommendations concerning such complaints. Specifies membership, appointment process, and terms for members of police advisory and review committees.

Fiscal Note (Dated March 10, 2023) Other Fiscal Impact There may be a mandatory decrease in local expenditures of an unknown amount in FY23-24 and subsequent years. To the extent that any municipal governing body elects to create a committee, the relevant municipality will realize a permissive increase in expenditures for which the amount and timing are unknown.

Senate Status 03/15/23 - Set for Senate State & Local Government Committee 03/21/23.

House Status 03/15/23 - Set for House Criminal Justice Subcommittee 03/21/23.

SB643/HB1102 **Penalty for not posting sign on drinking while pregnant.**

Sponsors Sen. Powers, Bill; Rep. Littleton, Mary

Category Alcoholic Beverages

Summary Increases from \$25 to \$30, the civil penalty imposed by the alcoholic beverage commission for each day a licensee that sells alcoholic beverages at retail not for consumption on the premises, or a licensee that sells alcoholic beverages for consumption on the premises, fails to post a sign provided by the commission containing a warning that drinking alcoholic beverages during pregnancy can cause birth defects, including fetal alcohol syndrome and fetal alcohol effects.

Amendment Summary House Departments & Agencies Subcommittee amendment 1 (003944) prohibits a person holding a license to sell wine or beer for off-premises consumption from placing wine or beer in an area immediately adjacent to nonalcoholic beverages containing the same name or a similar brand name and shall equip such display with signs indicating the beverages are for available only to those over the age of 21.

Fiscal Note (Dated February 24, 2023) NOT SIGNIFICANT

Senate Status 03/07/23 - Senate State & Local Government Committee deferred to first calendar of 2024.

House Status 03/15/23 - Taken off notice in House State Government Committee.

SB647/HB596 **No Quit Act.**

Sponsors Sen. Lamar, London; Rep. Powell, Jason

Category Labor Law

Summary Enacts the "No Quit Act"; requires an employer that is requesting an employee to voluntarily resign to provide the employee with written notice of the rights, privileges, and benefits the employee waives or loses if the employee voluntarily resigns. Broadly captioned.

Fiscal Note (Dated March 10, 2023) NOT SIGNIFICANT
Senate Status 03/14/23 - Taken off notice in Senate Commerce & Labor Committee.
House Status 02/01/23 - Referred to House Banking & Consumer Affairs Subcommittee.

SB648/HB1279 Termination of future taxes for Davidson County convention center.

Sponsors Sen. Johnson, Jack; Rep. Davis, Elaine
Category Taxes Business
Summary Terminates future increases to the metropolitan government tourist accommodation tax and previously authorized privilege taxes that were increases from the base tax, for which proceeds are used to fund the convention center in Davidson County. Terminates other additional fees, taxes, and surcharges deposited into the "convention center fund." Terminates allocations of sales and use tax revenue derived from sales within the tourist development zone in which the convention center is located.
Senate Status 03/15/23 - Set for Senate State & Local Government Committee 03/21/23.
House Status 02/07/23 - Referred to House Finance, Ways & Means Subcommittee.

SB649/HB650 Installation of vehicle immobilization device.

Sponsors Sen. Johnson, Jack; Rep. McCalmon, Jake
Category Transportation Vehicles
Summary Prohibits a person from knowingly installing a vehicle immobilization device on a motor vehicle parked on private property in this state. Broadly captioned.
Amendment Summary Senate amendment 1 (004385) enacts the "Booting Consumer Protection Act" which requires that people who install vehicle immobilization devices must take debit and credit cards as payment to remove the device. States that if the credit or debit card payment cannot be complete due to an undue delay a billing invoice is sufficient in regards to payment. Requires W-2 and tax statements for work. Allows cash and online payments to be accepted as payment with online payments having convenience fees. Sets limits on removing the immobilization device and details violations of the installer of the immobilization device.
Fiscal Note (Dated February 15, 2023) Other Fiscal Impact Due to multiple unknown factors, the extent and timing of any recurring decrease in state revenue and mandatory recurring decrease in local revenue and expenditures cannot reasonably be determined.
Senate Status 03/06/23 - Senate passed with amendment 1 (004385).
House Status 03/15/23 - Set for House Banking & Consumer Affairs Subcommittee 03/21/23.

SB653/HB638 Clarification on restrictions by alcoholic beverage commission.

Sponsors Sen. Johnson, Jack; Rep. Bricken, Rush

Category Alcoholic Beverages

Summary Clarifies that restrictions on festival operators receiving certain services or items of value not authorized by the alcoholic beverage commission do not apply to an independent property owner, tenant, producer, or promoter of a festival.

Fiscal Note (Dated March 16, 2023) NOT SIGNIFICANT

Senate Status 03/15/23 - Set for Senate State & Local Government Committee 03/21/23.

House Status 03/15/23 - Set for House Department & Agencies Subcommittee 03/22/23.

SB767/HB789 Share of state sales and use tax revenue appropriated to municipalities.

Sponsors Sen. Lowe, Adam; Rep. Richey, Bryan

Category Taxes Sales

Summary Increases, over a five-year period, from 4.6030 percent to 5.0909 percent, the share of state sales and use tax revenue appropriated to municipalities. Reduces, over a five-year period, from 29.0141 percent to 28.5262 percent, the share of state sales and use tax revenue deposited to the state general fund.

Fiscal Note (Dated February 20, 2023) Increase State Revenue \$137,900/FY24-25/MTAS \$220,500/FY25-26/MTAS \$330,800/FY26-27/MTAS \$441,100/FY27-28/MTAS \$551,400/FY28-29 and Subsequent Years/MTAS Decrease State Revenue \$13,788,300/FY24-25/General Fund \$22,050,000/FY25-26/General Fund \$33,080,700/FY26-27/General Fund \$44,111,400/FY27-28/General Fund \$55,142,000/FY28-29 and Subsequent Years /General Fund Increase Local Revenue \$13,650,400/FY24-25 \$21,829,500/FY25-26 \$32,749,900/FY26-27 \$43,670,200/FY27-28 \$54,590,600/FY28-29 and Subsequent Years HB 789 - SB 767

Senate Status 03/14/23 - Taken off notice in Senate Finance Revenue Subcommittee.

House Status 02/22/23 - House Finance Subcommittee placed behind the budget.

SB769/HB984 Notice of sale, transfer, or disposal of inventory prior to selling or closing establishment.

Sponsors Sen. Yarbro, Jeff; Rep. Beck, Bill

Category Alcoholic Beverages

Summary Increases from ten to 14 days the amount of time a licensee must give advanced notice to the commission of the sale, transfer, or disposal of inventory prior to selling or closing the licensee's establishment. Broadly captioned.

Fiscal Note (Dated February 5, 2023) NOT SIGNIFICANT

Senate Status 02/06/23 - Referred to Senate State & Local Government Committee.

House Status 02/02/23 - Caption bill held on House clerk's desk.

SB771/HB1345 Notice required by licensed caterer contracted to provide and sell alcoholic beverages.

Sponsors Sen. Yarbro, Jeff; Rep. Beck, Bill

Category Alcoholic Beverages

Summary Requires a licensed caterer to provide notice to the alcoholic beverage commission at least two business days, instead of calendar days, before an event at which the licensed caterer has contracted to provide and sell alcoholic beverages on a form developed by the commission. Broadly captioned.

Fiscal Note (Dated February 14, 2023) NOT SIGNIFICANT

Senate Status 02/06/23 - Referred to Senate State & Local Government Committee.

House Status 02/02/23 - Caption bill held on House clerk's desk.

SB847/HB960 In-person warning by alcoholic beverage commission for licensee failing to post warning signage.

Sponsors Sen. Lowe, Adam; Rep. Bricken, Rush

Category Alcoholic Beverages

Summary Authorizes the commission to make an in-person warning as an alternative to a written warning when notifying a licensee of a violation for failure to post a warning sign on the premises that consumption of alcohol during pregnancy may be detrimental to a fetus. Broadly captioned.

Fiscal Note (Dated February 6, 2023) NOT SIGNIFICANT

Senate Status 02/02/23 - Introduced in the Senate

House Status 02/02/23 - Caption bill held on House clerk's desk.

SB852/HB1145 Tennessee Valley Railroad Museum in Chattanooga - premier style

Sponsors Sen. Watson, Bo; Rep. Vital, Greg

Category Alcoholic Beverages

Summary Designates the Tennessee Valley Railroad Museum in Chattanooga as a premier type tourist resort for purposes of consumption of alcoholic beverages on the premises.

Senate Status 02/06/23 - Referred to Senate State & Local Government Committee.

House Status 02/07/23 - Referred to House Department & Agencies Subcommittee.

SB870/HB1275 Training requirements for security guards and officers who are retired law enforcement.

Sponsors Sen. Jackson, Ed; Rep. Cochran, Mark
Category Professions & Licensure
Summary Exempts security guards and officers who are retired law enforcement officers with 20 or more years of service and who retired in good standing from certain training requirements. Broadly captioned.
Amendment Summary Senate Commerce & Labor Committee amendment 1, House Commerce Committee amendment 1 (005244) removes requirements for armed security officers if they are a retired law enforcement officer with at least 20 years of service and has certification regarding the Law Enforcement Officers Safety Act of 2004 and a current state firearm test. Allows for temporary registration cards to officers.
Fiscal Note (Dated February 24, 2023) NOT SIGNIFICANT
Senate Status 03/16/23 - Set for Senate Floor 03/20/23.
House Status 03/16/23 - Taken off notice in House Calendar & Rules Committee.

SB993/HB867 Sale and consumption of alcoholic beverages on commercial passenger buses.

Sponsors Sen. Yager, Ken; Rep. Littleton, Mary
Category Alcoholic Beverages
Summary Authorizes sale and consumption of alcoholic beverages on certain commercial passenger buses.
Amendment Summary House State Government Committee amendment 1 (004944) authorizes the sale and consumption of alcoholic beverages on certain commercial passenger buses.
Fiscal Note (Dated February 27, 2023) Increase State Expenditures - \$696,000/FY23-24/ABC Fund Increase State Revenue \$77,500/FY23-24/ABC Fund \$62,500/FY24-25 and Subsequent Years/ABC Fund \$236,900/FY23-24 and Subsequent Years /General Fund Increase Local Revenue \$170,500/FY23-24 and Subsequent Years Other Fiscal Impact The increase in expenditures incurred by the ABC will be accommodated through current fee revenue.
Senate Status 03/15/23 - Set for Senate Finance, Ways & Means Committee 03/21/23.
House Status 03/15/23 - Set for House Finance, Ways & Means Subcommittee 03/22/23.

SB1132/HB1277 Filling vacancy or removing an appointed member of historic zoning commission.

Sponsors Sen. McNally, Randy; Rep. Cochran, Mark
Category Property & Housing
Summary Removes the authority of a chief executive of a county or municipality to appoint or remove an appointed member of the historic zoning commission.
Fiscal Note (Dated February 15, 2023) NOT SIGNIFICANT

Senate Status 03/06/23 - Senate passed.
House Status 03/15/23 - Set for House Local Government Committee 03/21/23.

SB1156/HB1516 **Creation of a state fire permit for mobile food units.**

Sponsors Sen. Stevens, John; Rep. Shaw, Johnny

Category Retail Trade

Summary Requires the state fire marshal to create a state fire permit that mobile food units may obtain annually to demonstrate fire safety and electrical code compliance to local governments. Requires a local government to recognize the state fire permit in its jurisdiction. Prohibits the local government from requiring a local fire permit if the mobile food unit holds a state fire permit.

Fiscal Note (Dated March 17, 2023) Increase State Revenue Exceeds \$75,000/FY23-24 and Subsequent Years Increase State Expenditures \$295,900/FY23-24 \$261,400/FY24-25 and Subsequent Years Decrease Local Revenue Exceeds \$30,200/FY23-24 and Subsequent Years

Senate Status 03/15/23 - Set for Senate State & Local Government Committee 03/21/23.

House Status 02/07/23 - Referred to House Business & Utilities Subcommittee.

SB1196/HB1335 **Retention requirements of hotel tax records.**

Sponsors Sen. Taylor, Brent; Rep. White, Mark

Category Taxes Business

Summary Increases the period that records related to paying the hotel tax must be retained by the operator from three years to four years.

Fiscal Note (Dated February 6, 2023) NOT SIGNIFICANT

Senate Status 02/06/23 - Referred to Senate State & Local Government Committee.

House Status 02/02/23 - Caption bill held on House clerk's desk.

SB1326/HB1176 **Airport authority board of commissioners.**

Sponsors Sen. Bailey, Paul; Rep. Garrett, Johnny

Category Government Organization

Summary Vacates and reconstitutes the board of commissioners for an airport authority in a county having a metropolitan form of government. Adds the governor and speakers of the general assembly as appointing authorities for board positions currently held by the executive officer of the local government. Broadly captioned.

Amendment Summary	Senate Transportation & Safety Committee amendment 1, House Transportation Committee amendment 1 (004395) vacates and reconstitutes the board of commissioners (Board) for the Metropolitan Nashville Airport Authority (Authority). Requires the Authority to appoint an independent financial auditing firm and the following additional officers: secretary, chief financial officer, general counsel, and chief operating officer. Establishes various reporting requirements for the Authority. Requires the Authority to regulate airport hazards in Davidson County by submitting a map to the county or to an applicable contiguous county that requires the review of building permits within the designated boundaries. Authorizes the Authority to modify, change in the use, sell, or lease any street or other public way, ground, place or space, or public utility whether publicly or privately owned; provided that the Authority owns all of the real property abutting such property or public utility or the portions thereon that are to be modified, sold, or leased. Requires the Authority, when acquiring land through eminent domain, to follow the proceedings for eminent domain under current law. Senate Transportation & Safety Committee amendment 2 (005789) makes various changes to the board of commissioners for the Metropolitan Nashville Airport Authority. Details who can be appointed to the board and how long. Details the responsibilities and powers the board has
Fiscal Note	(Dated February 17, 2023) NOT SIGNIFICANT
Senate Status	03/15/23 - Senate Transportation & Safety Committee recommended with amendment 1 (004395) and amendment 2 (005789). Sent to Senate Calendar Committee.
House Status	03/15/23 - Set for House Finance, Ways & Means Subcommittee 03/22/23.

SB1327/HB594

Records kept by beer wholesaler and beer retailer.

Sponsors	Sen. Bailey, Paul; Rep. Garrett, Johnny
Category	Alcoholic Beverages
Summary	Requires a beer wholesaler to keep each original bill of sale or a digital duplicate from the sale of beer to a beer retailer for three years rather than two years. Requires the beer retailer to keep a duplicate of the bill of sale for three years rather than two years. Broadly captioned.
Amendment Summary	House Department & Agencies Subcommittee amendment 1 (005088) prohibits a metropolitan council or beer board of a metropolitan government with a population of more than 500,000 from regulating the sale of beer or other alcoholic beverages for on-premises consumption by a licensee within a tourism development zone. House Department & Agencies Subcommittee amendment 2 (005176) prohibits a metropolitan council or beer board of a metropolitan government with a population of more than 500,000 from regulating the sale of beer or other alcoholic beverages for on-premises consumption by a licensee within the central business district zone
Fiscal Note	(Dated January 28, 2023) NOT SIGNIFICANT
Senate Status	03/15/23 - Set for Senate State & Local Government Committee 03/21/23.
House Status	03/15/23 - Set for House State Government Committee 03/22/23.

SB1335/HB1197

Reconstitutes boards of directors for sports authorities in certain

Sponsors	Sen. Bailey, Paul; Rep. Williams, Ryan
Category	Government Organization

Summary Reconstitutes boards of directors for sports authorities in certain counties having a metropolitan form of government. Broadly captioned.

Fiscal Note (Dated February 15, 2023) NOT SIGNIFICANT

Senate Status 03/15/23 - Set for Senate State & Local Government Committee 03/21/23.

House Status 03/15/23 - Set for House Local Government Committee 03/21/23.

SB1370/HB735 Operation of off-highway vehicles on state highways.

Sponsors Sen. Southerland, Steve; Rep. Barrett, Jody

Category Transportation Vehicles

Summary Authorizes Class I and II off-highway vehicles to be operated on state highways with a posted speed limit of 55 mph or less. Broadly captioned.

Amendment Summary Senate Transportation & Safety Committee amendment 1 (005778) authorizes the operation of three- and four-wheel all-terrain and off-highway vehicles on a section of State Route 70 within the jurisdictions of Greene and Cocke Counties.

Fiscal Note (Dated March 4, 2023) Increase State Revenue \$700/FY23-24 and Subsequent Years/ General Fund \$34,500/FY23-24 and Subsequent Years/Highway Fund

Senate Status 03/15/23 - Senate Transportation & Safety Committee recommended with amendment 1 (005778). Sent to Senate Calendar Committee.

House Status 03/15/23 - Set for House Transportation Subcommittee 03/22/23.

SB1410/HB1212 Employment of minors - places that sell intoxicating beverages.

Sponsors Sen. Jackson, Ed; Rep. Sexton, Cameron

Category Labor Law

Summary Removes the prohibition that a person 16 or 17 years of age may not be employed in any place where the average monthly gross receipts from the sale of intoxicating beverages exceed 25 percent of the total gross receipts of the place of employment if the person is not permitted to take orders for or serve intoxicating beverages. Broadly captioned.

Fiscal Note (Dated February 11, 2023) NOT SIGNIFICANT

Senate Status 03/13/23 - Senate passed.

House Status 02/27/23 - House passed.

Executive Status 03/15/23 - Sent to governor.

SB1415/HB1118 Revision to provisions under Convention Center and Tourism Development Financing Act.

Sponsors Sen. Rose, Paul; Rep. Carr, Dale
Category Tourism
Summary Revises provisions governing "base tax revenues" under the Convention Center and Tourism Development Financing Act of 1998.
Fiscal Note (Dated March 12, 2023) Other Fiscal Impact The proposed legislation will result in the shift of at least \$52,663,000 in local revenue from other general purposes to debt repayment of the Sevierville, Pigeon Forge, Knoxville, Chattanooga, Great Pyramid, and Nashville TDZs in FY23-24 and subsequent years. The precise end date of any such reallocation cannot be determined with reasonable certainty.
Senate Status 03/15/23 - Set for Senate State & Local Government Committee 03/21/23.
House Status 03/15/23 - Set for House Local Government Committee 03/21/23.

SB1452/HB44 City of McEwen - referendum to authorize manufacture, sale, and distribution of alcohol.

Sponsors Sen. Roberts, Kerry; Rep. Reedy, Jay
Category Alcoholic Beverages
Summary Authorizes the City of McEwen and municipalities in Henry, Benton, Meigs, Grainger, and Hardeman counties to hold a referendum to authorize the manufacture, receipt, sale, storage, transportation, distribution, and possession of alcoholic beverages within the territorial limits of the respective city.
Fiscal Note (Dated February 9, 2023) NOT SIGNIFICANT
Senate Status 03/15/23 - Set for Senate State & Local Government Committee 03/21/23.
House Status 03/13/23 - House passed.