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Key bills affecting municipalities this session

Property Tax Initiatives Report from Charles Chapman

HJR 1257/HB 1259 (Busatta) & SJR 1510/SB 1512 (Avila) Homestead Property Exemption and Assessment Limitations (Opposed)

Final Outcome: **Failed**

HJR 357/HB 359 (*Chamberlin*) Property Tax Exemptions (Opposed)

Final Outcome: Failed

SB 852 (*Martin*) Study on Elimination of Property Taxes (Monitored)

Final Outcome: **Failed**

HJR 773/HB 775 (Steele) & SB 1092 (Martin) Revising How Homestead Property is Assessed (Opposed)

Property Tax Initiatives Report from Charles Chapman

HB 787 (Chamberlin) & SB 996 (Collins) Revenues from Ad Valorem Taxes (Opposed)

Final Outcome: **Failed**

SJR 1016/SB 1018 (*Ingoglia*) Increased Homestead Property Exemptions (\$25k to \$75k) (Opposed)

Final Outcome: Failed

SB 1308 (*Ingoglia*) Ad Valorem Tax/Rebate Programs (Monitored)

Property Tax Initiatives Report from Charles Chapman

House Select Committee on Property Taxes

Requiring a referendum on the question of eliminating property taxes on homestead properties

New **\$500,00** Homestead Exemption & **\$1 Million** homestead exemption for 65 and older + 30-year ownership

Allow Legislature to increase homestead exemption to any value by general law.

Modifying the assessment increase limitations: **3% every 3 years** (homestead) and **15% every 3** years (non homestead)

Eliminating foreclosures on homestead property due to tax lien

Bill Report from Charles Chapman

HB 7033 (Duggan) Tax Package (Monitored)

Final Outcome: **TBD**

HB 1221 (Miller) & SB 1664 (Trumbull) Local Option Taxes (Opposed)

Final Outcome: Failed

HB 503 (*Botana*) & **SB 1196** (*Truenow*) Local Business Taxes (Opposed)

Report from **David Cruz**

HB 301 (McFarland) & SB 1570 (DiCeglie) Sovereign Immunity (Opposed)

Final Outcome: Failed

HB 991 (Giallombardo) & SB 1242 (McClain) Community Redevelopment Agencies (Opposed)

Final Outcome: **Failed**

→ SB 110 (Simon) Rural Communities (Monitored)

Final Outcome: **TBD**

HB 1209 (Steele) & **SB 1118** (McClain) Growth Management (Opposed)

Report from David Cruz, continued

HB 569 (Kendall) & SB 1188 (McClain) Charter School Zoning (Opposed)

Final Outcome: Failed

HB 1255 (Trabulsy) Education (Opposed)

Final Outcome: **Passed**

HB 665 (Steele) & **SB 482** (DiCeglie) Impact Fees (Opposed)

Final Outcome: **Failed**

SB 1080 (*McClain*) Local Government Land Regulation (Opposed)

Final Outcome: **Passed**

SB 582 (*Leek*) Unlawful Demolition of Historical Buildings and Structures (Supported)

Final Outcome: **Passed**

Report from Matt Singer

HB 703 (W. Robinson) Utility Relocation (Opposed)

Final Outcome: **Passed**

HB 683 (Griffitts) Construction Regulations (Opposed)

Final Outcome: **Passed**

SB 180 (DiCeglie) Emergencies (Opposed)

Final Outcome: **Passed**

SB 810 (*Burgess*) Stormwater Management Systems (Opposed)

Report from Rebecca O'Hara

SB 1730 (*Calatayud*) Live Local Development/Affordable Housing (Opposed)

Final Outcome: **Passed**

HB 247 (Conerly) & SB 184 (Gaetz) Affordable Housing/ADUs (Opposed)

Final Outcome: **Failed**

HB 7033 (Duggan) Taxation/Missing Middle (Opposed)

Final Outcome: **TBD**

HB 1523 (Busatta) & SB 1704 (Calatayud) Utility Services (Opposed)

Report from Sam Wagoner

SB 110 (Simon) Rural Communities (Monitored)

Final Outcome: **TBD**

SB 954 (*Gruters*) Certified Recovery Residences (Monitored)

Final Outcome: **Passed**





QUESTIONS?

What's Next?



August 14-16

FLC Annual Conference



September 26

FLC Legislative
Policy Committee
Meetings
(Round 1)



October 17

FLC Legislative
Policy Committee
Meetings
(Round 2)



December 4-5

FLC Legislative Conference



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