



Active Veterans' Bills

Ordered by Bill Number

SB 0172 Verification of Eligibility for Homestead Exemption by Polsky

Verification of Eligibility for Homestead Exemption; Requiring the Department of Revenue to establish an eligibility verification procedure for specified exemptions, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2024

Current Committee of Reference: Senate Community Affairs

SB 0174 Veterans' Long Term Care Facilities Admissions by Burgess

Veterans' Long Term Care Facilities Admissions; Revising eligibility for residency in the Veteran's Domiciliary Home of Florida to include specified individuals; revising the definition of "resident"; revising the admission eligibility for veterans' nursing homes to include specified individuals, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2024

Current Committee of Reference: Senate Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services

SB 0218 Property Tax Exemption for Surviving Spouses of Veterans by Wright

Property Tax Exemption for Surviving Spouses of Veterans; Authorizing a surviving spouse of a veteran who predeceased the issuance of a certain letter from the Federal Government to produce the letter before the property appraiser, etc. Effective Date: 1/1/2025

Current Committee of Reference: Senate Community Affairs

HB 0239 Property Tax Exemption for Surviving Spouses of Veterans by Killebrew

Property Tax Exemption for Surviving Spouses of Veterans: Authorizes production of certain letter by surviving spouses of veterans to property appraisers. Effective Date: January 1, 2025

Current Committee of Reference: No Current Committee

HB 0247 Services Provided by the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles or Its Agents by Maney

Services Provided by the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles or Its Agents: Provides that certain affidavit constitutes proof of ownership & right of possession to motor vehicle or mobile home previous owner of which died testate; prohibits DHSMV or tax collector from charging fee for reissuance of certain certificates of title; authorizes DHSMV to deem license plate with reduced dimensions to be necessary to accommodate trailers; authorizes certain disabled veterans to be issued military license plate or specialty license plate in lieu of "DV" license plate; specifies applicable fees & nonapplicability of certain provisions; removes provisions requiring written, notarized request for purchase of temporary tag; authorizes DHSMV or its agents to renew initial temporary tag, subject to certain provisions. Effective Date: July 1, 2024

Current Committee of Reference: House Transportation & Modals Subcommittee

SB 0308 Public Records/ Servicemembers by Trumbull

Public Records/ Servicemembers; Defining the terms "identification and location information" and "servicemember"; providing an exemption from public records requirements for identification and location information of servicemembers and the spouses and dependents of servicemembers; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemption; providing a statement of public necessity, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law

Current Committee of Reference: Senate Military and Veterans Affairs, Space, and Domestic Security

HB 0319 Pub. Rec./Military Personnel and Their Families by Holcomb

Pub. Rec./Military Personnel and Their Families: Provides exemption from public records requirements

for identification & location information of certain current & former military personnel & their spouses & dependents; provides for future legislative review & repeal of exemption; provides statement of public necessity. Effective Date: upon becoming a law

Current Committee of Reference: House Local Administration, Federal Affairs & Special Districts Subcommittee

SB 0346 Special Observances by Ingoglia

Special Observances; Designating each November as "Veteran Appreciation Month"; authorizing the Governor to issue a proclamation with specified information, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2024

Current Committee of Reference: Senate Military and Veterans Affairs, Space, and Domestic Security

HB 0357 Special Observances by Holcomb

Special Observances: Designates month of November of each year as "Veteran Appreciation Month"; authorizes Governor to issue proclamation. Effective Date: July 1, 2024

Current Committee of Reference: House Constitutional Rights, Rule of Law & Government Operations Subcommittee

HB 0395 Protection of Historical Monuments and Memorials by Black

Protection of Historical Monuments and Memorials: Prohibits certain acts concerning historical monuments & memorials; prohibits addition of certain signs or other objects on or adjacent to memorial; provides for damages; provides for standing to bring civil actions; provides for civil penalties for officials who engage in certain actions; provides for removal of such officials; provides for state funding for restoration of monument or memorial in certain circumstances; provides for reimbursement of such funds; specifies certain duties of DOS, State Historic Preservation Officer, & Florida Historical Commission. Effective Date: July 1, 2024

Current Committee of Reference: House State Affairs Committee

SB 0408 Florida Veterans' History Program by Burgess

Florida Veterans' History Program; Defining the term "veteran"; creating the Florida Veterans' History Program within the Division of Arts and Culture of the Department of State as a Florida Folklife Program; requiring the division's folklorists to seek out and identify certain veterans; authorizing the division to contract with a third-party vendor for a specified purpose, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2024

Current Committee of Reference: No Current Committee

SB 0412 Adult Day Care Centers by Garcia (I)

Adult Day Care Centers; Excepting certain adult day care services from certain established or negotiated Medicaid reimbursement rates; providing for reimbursement of adult day care services based on a fee schedule established pursuant to a tiered payment system; requiring adult day care center operators to complete a 9-hour continuing education course each year; providing that classroom hours spent teaching an approved course or lecturing at an approved seminar may be counted toward fulfilling an operator's continuing education requirements, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2024

Current Committee of Reference: No Current Committee

HB 0507 Veterans' Assistance by Dunkley

Veterans' Assistance: Requires DVA, subject to appropriation, to expand programs connecting veterans & their families & survivors to certain services, benefits, & support; requires DVA to host public events for such purpose; requires report to Governor & Legislature. Effective Date: July 1, 2024

Current Committee of Reference: No Current Committee

SB 0548 Public Records/Military Personnel and their Spouses and Dependents by Collins

Public Records/Military Personnel and their Spouses and Dependents; Providing an exemption from public records requirements for identification and location information of certain current and former

military personnel and their spouses and dependents; providing for retroactive application of the exemption; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemption; providing a statement of public necessity, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law

Current Committee of Reference: No Current Committee
