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Assembly Committee on Emergency Management

2021-22

Legislative Summary



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COVID-19 Response

AB-327 (Kiley) - COVID-19 vaccination status: prohibition on required disclosure.

This bill would prohibit state agencies, local governments, and any other state governmental authority from adopting or enforcing any order, ordinance, policy, regulation, rule, or similar measure that requires an individual to provide, as a condition of receiving any service or entering any place, documentation regarding the individual's vaccination status for any COVID-19 vaccine administered under an emergency use authorization as well as prohibit any public or private entity that receives or is awarded state funds from requiring a member of the public to provide, as a condition of receipt of any service or entrance to any place, documentation regarding the person's vaccination status for any COVID-19 vaccine administered under an emergency use authorization.

Status: Died in the Assembly Health Committee

Earthquake Mitigation and Response

AB-1721 (Rodriguez) - California Emergency Services Act: emergency preparedness: mutual aid: seismic retrofitting soft story multifamily housing.

While held, the text of this bill became part of the budget package and establishes a \$400 million seismic retrofit program for multifamily soft story buildings to be administered by the California Office of Emergency Services (Cal OES) and the California Earthquake Authority (CEA).

Status: Died in the Senate Committee on Governmental Organization

Legislative History:

Assembly Floor - (75 - 0)

Asm Appropriations - (12 - 0)

Asm Emergency Management - (7 - 0)

Emergency Communications

AB-1100 (Aguiar-Curry) - Communications service: emergencies and disasters: reports.

This bill would have required the California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC) to collect specified information related to the damage, repair, restoration, and backup generation of telecommunications infrastructure as a result of a fire or other disaster.

Status: Died in Senate Committee on Appropriations

Legislative History:

Assembly Floor - (57 - 18)

Asm Appropriations - (12 - 4)

Asm Emergency Management - (5 - 2)

Asm Communications and Conveyance -
(10 - 2)

Sen Appropriations - (7 - 0)

Sen Judiciary - (9 - 1)

Sen Energy, Utilities and
Communications - (11 - 2)

AB-1314 (Ramos) - Emergency notification: Feather Alert: endangered indigenous people.

This bill established the Feather Alert system, to aid in the location of an Indigenous person who has gone missing under suspicious circumstances, been abducted or kidnapped.

Status: Chapter 476, Statutes of 2022

Legislative History:

Assembly Floor - (79 - 0)

Asm Emergency Management - (6 - 0)

Assembly Floor - (77 - 0)

Asm Military and Veterans Affairs - (11 -
0)

Senate Floor - (40 - 0)

Sen Public Safety - (5 - 0)

AB-1934 (Rodriguez) - Office of Emergency Services: broadband communications grant program: fairgrounds.

This bill would have required, by January 1, 2024, and upon appropriation by the Legislature, the Office of Emergency Services (OES) to establish a grant program to

provide fairs with funding to build and upgrade on-site broadband communications infrastructure.

Status: Died in Assembly Appropriations Committee

Legislative History:

Asm Communications and Conveyance -
(13 - 0)

Asm Emergency Management - (7 - 0)

AB-1988 (Bauer-Kahan) - Warren-911-Emergency Assistance Act and Miles Hall-988-Mental Health and Suicide Prevention Lifeline.

This bill would have established a 9-8-8 mental health crisis hotline system in state government.

Status: Died on the Floor

Legislative History:

Asm Emergency Management - (7 - 0)
Asm Communications and Conveyance -
(13 - 0)

AB-2252 (Aguiar-Curry) - Broadband infrastructure: disasters: reports.

This bill would have required the California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC) to, within 12 months of a declaration of emergency from the Governor, collect information, as specified, from broadband service providers on infrastructure damaged by the disaster and share this information with the legislature annually.

Status: Died in the Assembly Appropriations Committee

Legislative History:

Asm Emergency Management - (5 - 2)
Asm Communications and Conveyance -
(10 - 3)

AB-2477 (Rodriguez) - Emergency alert and warning service providers: minimum operating standards.

This bill would have required the California Office of Emergency Services (OES), on or before July 1, 2024, by regulation, to adopt minimum operating standards for private sector companies that provide alert and warning services to local entities.

Status: Died in Senate Appropriations Committee

Legislative History:

Assembly Floor - (74 - 0)
Asm Appropriations - (12 - 0)

Sen Appropriations - (7 - 0)
Sen Governmental Organization - (13 - 0)

Asm Emergency Management - (7 - 0)

AB-2538 (Robert Rivas) - State Warning Center: wildfire smoke notification.

This bill would have required Cal OES and counties to integrate a plan for targeted alerts for public health dangers, including smoke from wildfires, in the next update to their respected emergency plans.

Status: Died in Assembly Appropriations Committee

Legislative History:

Asm Emergency Management - (7 - 0)

AB-2732 (Mullin) - Emergency Telephone Users Surcharge Act: Next Generation 911.

This bill would have required that engineers working for a vendor for any Next Generation 911 (NG911) systems and subsequent technologies be based in the United States.

Status: Died in Assembly Emergency Management Committee

Legislative History:

Asm Communications and Conveyance -
(12 - 0)

AB-2976 (Committee on Emergency Management) - Office of Emergency Services: 9-1-1 Public Education Campaign.

This bill would have established the 911 Public Education Campaign, to be administered by the Governor’s Office of Emergency Services (Cal OES), for the purpose of educating the public on when it is appropriate to call 911 for assistance.

Status: Died in Assembly Appropriations Committee

Legislative History:

Asm Emergency Management - (7 - 0)

SB-341 (McGuire) - Telecommunications service: outages.

This bill directs the Offices of Emergency Services (OES) to adopt regulations for public mapping of telecommunications outages and to share specified telecommunications outage information with the California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC). The bill also requires the CPUC to adopt and implement backup power rules for providers of telecommunications service.

Status: Chapter 425, Statutes of 2021

Legislative History:

Assembly Floor - (74 - 0)	Senate Floor - (38 - 0)
Asm Appropriations - (15 - 1)	Senate Floor - (37 - 0)
Asm Emergency Management - (6 - 0)	Sen Appropriations - (5 - 0)
Asm Communications and Conveyance - (13 - 0)	Sen Governmental Organization - (13 - 1)
	Sen Energy, Utilities and Communications - (13 - 0)

Emergency Declarations

AB-69 (Kiley) - State of emergency: termination after 60 days: extension by the Legislature.

This bill would require a state of emergency to terminate 60 days after the Governor's proclamation of the state of emergency unless the Legislature extends it by a concurrent resolution and would prohibit a concurrent resolution from extending a state of emergency by more than 60 days.

Status: Died in Assembly Emergency Management Committee

AB-108 (Cunningham) - Governor's emergency orders and regulations: approval by the Legislature.

This bill would require an order or regulation, or an amendment or rescission thereof, issued pursuant to specified Emergency Services Act provisions 60 or more days after the proclamation, to take effect only if approved by a concurrent resolution of the Legislature.

Status: Died in Assembly Emergency Management Committee

AB-1123 (Rodriguez) - State of emergency: Governor's powers: notice of executive action: audit of emergency fund expenditures.

This bill would have required the Governor to provide timely notification of emergency declarations and requires the State Auditor's Office to conduct performance audits on the expenditures of disaster funds.

Status: Died on Assembly Floor

Legislative History:

Asm Appropriations - (16 - 0)

Asm Emergency Management - (7 - 0)

AB-1403 (Levine) - Emergency services.

This bill would have added “DE energization event,” as defined, to the list of conditions constituting a state of emergency.

Status: Vetoed

Legislative History:

Assembly Floor - (61 - 9)	Senate Floor - (28 - 5)
Assembly Floor - (62 - 0)	Senate Floor - (37 - 0)
Asm Appropriations - (15 - 1)	Senate Floor - (28 - 8)
Asm Emergency Management - (7 - 0)	Sen Governmental Organization - (9 - 1)

Governor's Veto Message:

Governor's veto message: To the Members of the California State Assembly:

I am returning Assembly Bill 1403 without my signature.

This bill would specify that conditions constituting a state of emergency under the California Emergency Services Act may include a DE energization event, defined as a planned power outage.

This legislation is unnecessary, as existing statute provides broad emergency authority when disaster conditions are met.

AB-1687 (Seyarto) - California Emergency Services Act: Governor's powers: suspension of statutes and regulations.

This bill would have clarified that the Governor may only suspend a statute or regulation during a state of emergency in connection with the specific conditions of the emergency.

Status: Vetoed

Legislative History:

Assembly Floor - (69 - 0)	Senate Floor - (34 - 5)
Asm Emergency Management - (7 - 0)	Sen Governmental Organization - (12 - 1)

Governor's Veto Message:

Governor's veto message: To the Members of the California State Assembly:

I am returning Assembly Bill 1687 without my signature.

This bill provides that the Governor, during a state of emergency or state of war emergency, may only suspend a statute or regulation that is in connection with the specific conditions of the proclaimed emergency.

At best, this bill is redundant and therefore unnecessary. The Emergency Services Act already requires any suspension of laws or regulations issued by the Governor during times of emergency or war be directly related to the mitigation of the declared emergency. By imposing duplicative obligations, this bill compromises the state's ability to swiftly respond to the needs of residents in times of crisis.

Additional redundant layers of justification, as required by this bill, would only invite frivolous lawsuits. This could delay or derail state emergency response and recovery efforts, negatively impacting the most vulnerable California residents and potentially costing lives.

For these reasons, I cannot sign this bill.

AB-2212 (Gallagher) - California Emergency Services Act: state of emergency: Governor's powers.

This bill would only authorize the Governor to exercise within the area designated all executive power vested in the state by the Constitution and laws of the state to effectuate the purposes of the CESA instead of existing law which authorizes the Governor complete authority over all agencies of the state government and the right to exercise within the area designated all police power vested in the state by the Constitution and laws of the state to effectuate the purposes of the CESA.

Status: Died in the Assembly Emergency Management Committee.

AB-2385 (Kiley) - California Emergency Services Act: contracts: automatic renewal.

This bill would have prohibited a contract entered into pursuant to the act from containing an automatic renewal clause except if, by the terms of that contract, the clause is operative only upon the Legislature's approval, by concurrent resolution or statute, of the renewal of the contract.

Status: Died in the Assembly Emergency Management Committee

AB-2902 (Kiley) - State of emergency: termination after 30 days: extension by the Legislature.

This bill would have required a state of emergency to terminate 30 days after the Governor's proclamation of the state of emergency unless the Legislature extends it by a concurrent resolution and prohibited a concurrent resolution from extending a state of emergency by more than 30 days.

Status: Died in the Assembly Emergency Management Committee.

SB-52 (Dodd) - State of emergency: local emergency: planned power outage.

This bill defines a "de-energization event" as a planned power outage and designates a de-energization event as a condition constituting a local emergency.

Status: Chapter 597, Statutes of 2021

Legislative History:

Assembly Floor - (75 - 0)	Senate Floor - (39 - 0)
Asm Emergency Management - (7 - 0)	Senate Floor - (36 - 0)
	Sen Governmental Organization - (13 - 0)

SB-468 (Dodd) - State of emergency: local emergency: electromagnetic pulse attack.

This bill adds electromagnetic pulse (EMP) attack to the list of conditions constituting a state of emergency or a local emergency.

Status: Chapter 537, Statutes of 2022

Legislative History:

Assembly Floor - (76 - 0)	Senate Floor - (36 - 0)
Asm Appropriations - (15 - 0)	Senate Floor - (37 - 0)

Asm Emergency Management - (7 - 0)

Sen Governmental Organization - (15 - 0)

Asm Rules - (7 - 0)

SB-468 (Dodd) - State of emergency: local emergency: electromagnetic pulse attack.

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Status: Chapter 537, Statutes of 2022

Legislative History:

Assembly Floor - (76 - 0)

Senate Floor - (36 - 0)

Asm Appropriations - (15 - 0)

Senate Floor - (37 - 0)

Asm Emergency Management - (7 - 0)

Sen Governmental Organization - (15 - 0)

Asm Rules - (7 - 0)

SB-1044 (Durazo) - Employers: state of emergency or emergency condition: retaliation.

This bill prohibits an employer, in the event of an emergency condition, from taking or threatening adverse action against any employee for refusing to report to, or leaving, a workplace or worksite because the employee has a reasonable belief that the workplace or worksite is unsafe or preventing the employee from accessing the employee's mobile device for safety-related purposes.

Status: Chapter 829, Statutes of 2022

Legislative History:

Assembly Floor - (50 - 18)

Senate Floor - (29 - 10)

Asm Appropriations - (12 - 4)

Senate Floor - (24 - 10)

Asm Emergency Management - (4 - 2)

Sen Appropriations - (5 - 2)

Asm Labor and Employment - (5 - 2)

Sen Appropriations - (6 - 0)

Sen Labor, Public Employment and Retirement - (4 - 1)

Emergency Medical Services

AB-450 (Lorena Gonzalez) - Paramedic Board of California.

This bill establishes the Paramedic Disciplinary Review Board (Board), and provides the Board, effective January 1, 2023, with authority to act on appeals of the Emergency Medical Services Authority's (EMSA) final decision to place a license holder on probation, suspend or revoke an EMT-P license, and consider appeals regarding denial of licensure.

Status: Chapter 463, Statutes of 2021

Legislative History:

Assembly Floor - (78 - 0)

Assembly Floor - (78 - 0)

Asm Appropriations - (16 - 0)

Asm Emergency Management - (6 - 0)

Asm Health - (15 - 0)

Senate Floor - (38 - 0)

Sen Appropriations - (7 - 0)

Sen Appropriations - (7 - 0)

Sen Judiciary - (11 - 0)

Sen Health - (10 - 0)

AB-805 (Maienschein) - Personal protective equipment: distribution reports.

Requires medical health operational area coordinators (MHOAC) to report information relating to the distribution of personal protective equipment (PPE) to the California Office of Emergency Services (Cal OES) on a weekly basis during declared emergencies, and monthly at all other times.

Status: Died in Assembly Appropriations Committee

Legislative History:

Asm Emergency Management - (7 - 0)

AB-1229 (Rodriguez) - Emergency Medical Services Authority: ambulances.

This bill would have required the Director of the Emergency Medical Services Authority (EMSA) to convene an advisory task force and to recommend a project plan for the task force that includes an evaluation relating to ambulance patient offload delays (APOD) due to the COVID-19 pandemic.

Status: Died in Assembly Appropriations Committee

Legislative History:

Asm Health - (15 - 0)

Asm Emergency Management - (7 - 0)

AB-1770 (Rodriguez) - Ambulance patient offload time.

This bill would have required the Emergency Medical Services Authority (EMSA), in collaboration with the California Office of Emergency Services (Cal OES), California Department of Public Health (CDPH), and other entities, to establish several policies to reduce ambulance patient offload delays and protect patients from unnecessary and life-threatening impacts to their overall health outcomes.

Status: Died in Assembly Health Committee

Legislative History:

Asm Emergency Management - (7 - 0)

AB-2130 (Cunningham) - Emergency medical services: training.

This bill requires every emergency medical technician, upon initial licensure and upon licensure renewal, to complete at least 20 minutes of training on issues relating to human trafficking.

Status: Chapter 256, Statutes of 2022

Legislative History:

Assembly Floor - (75 - 0)

Assembly Floor - (72 - 0)

Asm Appropriations - (16 - 0)

Asm Emergency Management - (7 - 0)

Asm Health - (15 - 0)

Senate Floor - (40 - 0)

Sen Appropriations - (7 - 0)

Sen Appropriations - (6 - 0)

Sen Health - (9 - 0)

Emergency Services Programs

AB-118 (Kamlager) - Emergency services: community response: grant program.

This bill establishes the Community Response Initiative to Strengthen Emergency Systems (C.R.I.S.E.S.) Act pilot grant program to expand the participation of community organizations in emergency response for vulnerable populations.

Status: Chapter 694, Statutes of 2021

Legislative History:

Assembly Floor - (76 - 0)	Senate Floor - (34 - 4)
Assembly Floor - (75 - 0)	Sen Appropriations - (6 - 0)
Asm Appropriations - (15 - 0)	Sen Appropriations - (7 - 0)
Asm Emergency Management - (6 - 0)	Sen Governmental Organization - (13 - 1)

AB-418 (Valladares) - Emergency services: grant program.

This bill would establish the Community Power Resiliency Program (CPRP), to be administered by the Office of Emergency Services (OES), to support local governments' efforts to improve resiliency in response to power outage events.

Status: Vetoed

Legislative History:

Assembly Floor - (79 - 0)	Senate Floor - (37 - 0)
Asm Appropriations - (16 - 0)	Sen Appropriations - (7 - 0)
Asm Emergency Management - (7 - 0)	Sen Appropriations - (6 - 0)
	Sen Governmental Organization - (15 - 0)

Governor's Veto Message:

Governor's veto message: To the Members of the California State Assembly:

I am returning Assembly Bill 418 without my signature.

This bill codifies a previously funded grant program within the Office of Emergency Services to improve resiliency during power outage events.

I recognize the importance of providing resources to help mitigate the impacts of public safety power shutoffs (PSPS). Since 2019, California has invested \$125 million to counties, cities, special districts, and federally-recognized tribes for this purpose. The state also adopted more stringent requirements for utilities to mitigate the impacts of PSPS events and created the Office of Energy Infrastructure Safety to oversee utility resiliency and wildfire prevention efforts.

To the extent a future appropriation is provided for community power resiliency efforts, this bill would eliminate administrative flexibility to direct funding where it is needed most. For example, the state was able to allocate funding from the 2020 Budget Act to ensure power for critical public health facilities like COVID-19 testing sites during the pandemic.

Furthermore, as this bill seeks to codify a grant program, it results in ongoing General Fund cost pressures. Changes to the nature and duration of a grant program are more appropriately considered through the annual state budget process.

AB-433 (Chen) - California Wildfire Mitigation Financial Assistance Program: electrical utilities: voluntary contributions.

This bill would authorize the joint powers developing and administering a comprehensive wildfire mitigation program, the Office of Emergency Services and the Department of Forestry and Fire Protection, to accept voluntary contributions and would require the contributions be deposited in the California Wildfire Mitigation Financial Assistance Fund, which the bill would establish in the State Treasury.

Status: Died in Assembly Utilities and Energy Committee

AB-450 (Lorena Gonzalez) - Paramedic Board of California.

This bill establishes the Paramedic Disciplinary Review Board (Board), and provides the Board, effective January 1, 2023, with authority to act on appeals of the Emergency Medical Services Authority's (EMSA) final decision to place a license holder on probation, suspend or revoke an EMT-P license, and consider appeals regarding denial of licensure.

Status: Chapter 463, Statutes of 2021

Legislative History:

Assembly Floor - (78 - 0)	Senate Floor - (38 - 0)
Assembly Floor - (78 - 0)	Sen Appropriations - (7 - 0)
Asm Appropriations - (16 - 0)	Sen Appropriations - (7 - 0)
Asm Emergency Management - (6 - 0)	Sen Judiciary - (11 - 0)
Asm Health - (15 - 0)	Sen Health - (10 - 0)

AB-580 (Rodriguez) - Emergency services: vulnerable populations.

This bill requires the Cal OES to coordinate with representatives of the access and functional needs population and to review local emergency plans.

Status: Chapter 744, Statutes of 2021

Legislative History:

Assembly Floor - (79 - 0)	Senate Floor - (38 - 0)
Assembly Floor - (75 - 0)	Sen Appropriations - (7 - 0)
Asm Appropriations - (16 - 0)	Sen Appropriations - (6 - 0)
Asm Emergency Management - (6 - 0)	Sen Governmental Organization - (15 - 0)

AB-1345 (Wicks) - Emergency services: licensed childcare providers.

This bill would have required the California Office of Emergency Services (Cal OES), in coordination with the Department of Social Services (DSS), to establish clear guidelines regarding the use of Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) funds by child care businesses during declared state or local emergencies.

Status: Died in Assembly Appropriations Committee

Legislative History:

Asm Human Services - (8 - 0)
Asm Emergency Management - (6 - 0)

AB-1568 (Committee on Emergency Management) - California Emergency Services Act: Office of Emergency Services: statewide registry.

This bill requires the California Office of Emergency Services (Cal OES) to establish a statewide donations system for private businesses and nonprofit organizations that are interested in donating services, goods, labor, equipment, resources, or facilities to assist in disaster preparedness.

Status: Chapter 8, Statutes of 2022

Legislative History:

Assembly Floor - (72 - 0)	Senate Floor - (37 - 0)
Assembly Floor - (78 - 0)	Senate Floor - (37 - 0)
Asm Appropriations - (12 - 0)	Sen Appropriations - (7 - 0)
Asm Emergency Management - (6 - 0)	Sen Appropriations - (7 - 0)
	Sen Governmental Organization - (15 - 0)

SB-450 (Hertzberg) - Fire protection: Special District Fire Response Fund: Office of Emergency Services.

This bill requires the California Office of Emergency Services (Cal OES) to administer the Special District Fire Response Fund.

Status: Chapter 466, Statutes of 2022

Legislative History:

Assembly Floor - (76 - 0)	Senate Floor - (38 - 0)
Asm Appropriations - (16 - 0)	Senate Floor - (34 - 0)
Asm Emergency Management - (7 - 0)	Sen Appropriations - (7 - 0)
	Sen Appropriations - (7 - 0)
	Sen Governmental Organization - (14 - 0)

SB-558 (Caballero) - Farmworker Climate Resilience Adaptation Program.

This bill would have created the Farmworker Climate Resilience Adaptation Program to award grants to eligible entities for the development and implementation of projects addressing the needs of farmworkers for adapting to climate change, and established the Farmworker Resilience Adaptation Task Force to guide this program.

Status: Died in the Assembly Appropriations Committee

Legislative History:

Asm Emergency Management - (7 - 0)	Senate Floor - (36 - 0)
	Sen Appropriations - (7 - 0)
	Sen Appropriations - (7 - 0)
	Sen Human Services - (5 - 0)
	Sen Health - (10 - 0)

SB-784 (Glazer) - State government: emergency services: nonprofit service providers.

This bill would have authorized a nonprofit entity that is contracted with the state, in the event of a state of emergency or state of war emergency, to alter the way in which it provides service until the contracting agency determines a substitute service so long as the original purpose of the contract is met.

Status: Died in the Senate floor process

Legislative History:

Assembly Floor - (72 - 0)	Senate Floor - (38 - 0)
Asm Appropriations - (14 - 0)	Sen Governmental Organization - (14 - 0)
Asm Emergency Management - (6 - 0)	

Fire Prevention and Response

SB-109 (Dodd) - Office of Emergency Services: Office of Emergency Technology Research and Development.

This bill establishes the Office of Wildfire Technology Research and Development within the Department of Forestry and Fire Protection as well as the Wildfire Technology Research and Development Review Advisory Board.

Status: Chapter 239, Statutes of 2021

Legislative History:

Assembly Floor - (78 - 0)	Senate Floor - (39 - 0)
Asm Appropriations - (13 - 0)	Senate Floor - (39 - 0)
Asm Emergency Management - (7 - 0)	Sen Appropriations - (7 - 0)
	Sen Appropriations - (7 - 0)

Sen Governmental Organization - (13 - 0)

SB-450 (Hertzberg) - Fire protection: Special District Fire Response Fund: Office of Emergency Services.

This bill requires the California Office of Emergency Services (Cal OES) to administer the Special District Fire Response Fund.

Status: Chapter 466, Statutes of 2022

Legislative History:

Assembly Floor - (76 - 0)

Asm Appropriations - (16 - 0)

Asm Emergency Management - (7 - 0)

Senate Floor - (38 - 0)

Senate Floor - (34 - 0)

Sen Appropriations - (7 - 0)

Sen Appropriations - (7 - 0)

Sen Governmental Organization - (14 - 0)

Homeland Security

AB-1566 (Committee on Emergency Management) - Office of Emergency Services: written threat assessment and federal homeland security grant program report.

This bill would have required OES to deliver, by January 15, 2022, and annually thereafter, a written threat assessment and a state's federal homeland security grant program report to specified committees of the Legislature.

Status: Died in the Assembly Emergency Management Committee

AB-1664 (Gabriel) - California State Nonprofit Security Grant Program.

This bill expands eligible uses of funds by nonprofits for the California State Nonprofit Security Grant Program (CSNSGP), increases the maximum award amount to \$500,000; and, deletes the CSNSGP sunset date of January 1, 2025.

Status: Chapter 398, Statutes of 2022

Legislative History:

Assembly Floor - (76 - 0)	Senate Floor - (40 - 0)
Assembly Floor - (75 - 0)	Sen Appropriations - (7 - 0)
Asm Appropriations - (13 - 0)	Sen Appropriations - (7 - 0)
Asm Emergency Management - (7 - 0)	Sen Governmental Organization - (13 - 0)

AB-2130 (Cunningham) - Emergency medical services: training.

This bill requires every emergency medical technician, upon initial licensure and upon licensure renewal, to complete at least 20 minutes of training on issues relating to human trafficking.

Status: Chapter 256, Statutes of 2022

Legislative History:

Assembly Floor - (75 - 0)	Senate Floor - (40 - 0)
Assembly Floor - (72 - 0)	Sen Appropriations - (7 - 0)
Asm Appropriations - (16 - 0)	Sen Appropriations - (6 - 0)
Asm Emergency Management - (7 - 0)	Sen Health - (9 - 0)
Asm Health - (15 - 0)	

AB-2695 (Berman) - California State University: Cybersecurity Regional Alliances and Multi-stakeholder Partnerships Pilot Program.

This bill would have established the Cybersecurity Regional Alliances and Multi-stakeholder Partnerships Pilot Program to address the cybersecurity workforce gap, as specified, and requires the office of the Chancellor of the CSU to select any number of CSU campuses to participate in the pilot program through an application process developed by the chancellor's office on or before March 1, 2023

Status: Died in the Assembly Appropriations Committee

Legislative History:

Asm Higher Education - (10 - 0)

SB-844 (Min) - California Cybersecurity Integration Center: cybersecurity improvement: reports.

This bill requires the California Cybersecurity Integration Center (Cal-CSIC) to create an annual report for four years on all expenditures made by the state within a single fiscal year pursuant to the federal State and Local Cybersecurity Improvement Act.

Status: Chapter 505, Statutes of 2022

Legislative History:

Assembly Floor - (79 - 0)

Asm Appropriations - (16 - 0)

Asm Emergency Management - (7 - 0)

Senate Floor - (35 - 0)

Sen Governmental Organization - (13 - 0)

SB-892 (Hurtado) - Cybersecurity preparedness: food and agriculture sector and water and wastewater systems sector.

This bill requires the California Office of Emergency Services (OES) to direct the California Cybersecurity Integration Center (Cal-CSIC) to prepare and submit a strategic, multiyear outreach plan to assist the food and agriculture sector and the water and wastewater sector in their efforts to improve cybersecurity.

Status: Chapter 820, Statutes of 2022

Legislative History:

Assembly Floor - (75 - 0)

Asm Appropriations - (12 - 0)

Asm Emergency Management - (6 - 0)

Senate Floor - (40 - 0)

Senate Floor - (25 - 7)

Sen Appropriations - (5 - 2)

Sen Appropriations - (7 - 0)

Sen Governmental Organization - (9 - 0)

Local Government Disaster Response

AB-619 (Calderon) - Lung health.

Requires the Department of Public Health (DPH) to develop a plan with recommendations and guidelines for counties to use in case of a significant air quality event caused by wildfires or other sources. Requires a county, in advance of the next update to its emergency plan, to use the plan developed by DPH but allows a county to incorporate its existing process.

Status: Chapter 412, Statutes of 2021

Legislative History:

Assembly Floor - (80 - 0)	Senate Floor - (38 - 0)
Assembly Floor - (79 - 0)	Sen Appropriations - (7 - 0)
Asm Appropriations - (16 - 0)	Sen Appropriations - (7 - 0)
Asm Emergency Management - (6 - 0)	Sen Governmental Organization - (15 - 0)
Asm Health - (15 - 0)	Sen Health - (11 - 0)

AB-1103 (Megan Dahle) - Agricultural lands: farmers and producers: agricultural pass program: disaster access to farm lands.

This bill authorizes specified local entities to establish an agricultural pass program for the purpose of granting qualifying agricultural producer, as defined, or employee access to the qualifying agricultural producer's farm or ranch property during or following a natural disaster

Status: Chapter 609, Statutes of 2021

Legislative History:

Assembly Floor - (77 - 0)	Senate Floor - (37 - 0)
Assembly Floor - (77 - 0)	Sen Appropriations - (7 - 0)
Asm Appropriations - (16 - 0)	Sen Appropriations - (7 - 0)
Asm Emergency Management - (7 - 0)	Sen Governmental Organization - (15 - 0)
Asm Agriculture - (11 - 0)	Sen Agriculture - (4 - 0)

AB-1202 (Cervantes) - Emergency services: local government: local assistance centers: access and functional needs.

This bill would have required cities and counties, to ensure local assistance centers are accessible to people with access and functional needs and include plans for the homeless population during disasters.

Status: Died in the Assembly Appropriations Committee

Legislative History:

Asm Emergency Management - (6 - 0)

AB-1409 (Levine) - Planning and zoning: general plan: safety element.

This bill requires the safety element of a local hazard mitigation plan to be reviewed and updated as necessary to identify evacuation locations.

Status: Chapter 481, Statutes of 2021

Legislative History:

Assembly Floor - (77 - 0)

Senate Floor - (39 - 0)

Asm Appropriations - (16 - 0)

Sen Governance and Finance - (5 - 0)

Asm Emergency Management - (6 - 0)

Asm Local Government - (8 - 0)

AB-1441 (Cervantes) - Emergency services: emergency plans: critically ill newborn infants.

This bill would have added “critically ill newborn infants” to the list of individuals who comprise the access and functional needs population, and required the Office of Emergency Services (OES) to assist a county, in conjunction with the hospitals in the county, in the preparation of an emergency disaster evacuation plan for critically ill newborn infants

Status: Died in the Senate Appropriations Committee

Legislative History:

Assembly Floor - (78 - 0)

Sen Appropriations - (7 - 0)

Asm Appropriations - (16 - 0)

Sen Governmental Organization - (15 - 0)

Asm Emergency Management - (6 - 0)

AB-1450 (Gabriel) - Security planning: major sporting and entertainment events.

This bill would have required the Governor's Office of Emergency Services (Cal OES) to collaborate with cities hosting large-scale sporting and associated events, and prepare for the planning, resourcing, management and delivery of safety and security at such events.

Status: Died in the Assembly Appropriations Committee

Legislative History:

Asm Emergency Management - (7 - 0)

AB-1488 (Cervantes) - Emergency services: local government: access and functional needs: medical equipment.

This bill would have required local emergency plans address the unique needs of evacuating and acquiring emergency medical equipment during disasters.

Status: Died in the Assembly Appropriations Committee

Legislative History:

Asm Emergency Management - (6 - 0)

AB-1648 (Maienschein) - Disaster preparedness: local government: animal natural disaster evacuation plan.

This bill requires any city or county to require, as a condition for obtaining a kennel license or permit, that the kennel owner create and submit to the city or county an animal natural disaster evacuation plan.

Status: Chapter 547, Statutes of 2022

Legislative History:

Assembly Floor - (73 - 0)

Asm Appropriations - (12 - 0)

Asm Emergency Management - (7 - 0)

Senate Floor - (34 - 0)

Sen Appropriations - (6 - 0)

Sen Appropriations - (7 - 0)

Sen Governmental Organization - (10 - 1)

AB-2645 (Rodriguez) - Local emergency plans: integration of access and functional needs: community resilience centers.

This bill requires a county to ensure community resilience centers are able to serve as community-wide assets during disasters – including extreme heat events – and integrate these centers into their local emergency plans.

Status: Chapter 247, Statutes of 2022

Legislative History:

Assembly Floor - (77 - 0)

Assembly Floor - (76 - 0)

Asm Appropriations - (16 - 0)

Asm Emergency Management - (7 - 0)

Senate Floor - (40 - 0)

Sen Appropriations - (7 - 0)

Sen Appropriations - (7 - 0)

Sen Governmental Organization - (13 - 0)

AB-2885 (Petrie-Norris) - State property: Fairview Developmental Center.

This bill would have required the Director of General Services (DGS) to sell, lease, or transfer 10 acres of property from the Fairview Developmental Center Project at 2501 Harbor Boulevard, Costa Mesa to the Office of Emergency Services (Cal OES) for the purpose of constructing an emergency management center.

Status: Died in the Assembly Appropriations Committee

Legislative History:

Asm Emergency Management - (7 - 0)

Asm Accountability and Administrative Review - (7 - 0)

AJR-24 (Nguyen) - Oil spills: unified command centers: location.

This measure would have requested that the United States government locate unified command centers based on proximity and access to oil spills to make the unified

command centers easily accessible to local agencies and local governments directly affected by the oil spill.

Status: Died in the Senate Natural Resources and Water Committee

Legislative History:

Assembly Floor - (79 - 0)

Asm Emergency Management - (7 - 0)

Mutual Aid Systems

AB-536 (Rodriguez) - Office of Emergency Services: mutual aid gap analysis.

This bill would require Cal OES to prepare a gap analysis of the State's mutual aid systems on a biennial basis, beginning January 1, 2022. The gap analysis should be based on the firefighting, law enforcement, emergency medical services, mass care, shelter, and hospital surge capacity necessary to react to two simultaneous, major disasters occurring in California.

Status: Died in the Senate Appropriations Committee

Legislative History:

Assembly Floor - (75 - 0)

Asm Appropriations - (16 - 0)

Asm Emergency Management - (6 - 0)

Sen Appropriations - (7 - 0)

Sen Governmental Organization - (15 - 0)

AB-1044 (Rodriguez) - Office of Emergency Services: COVID-19 Pandemic after-action report.

This bill would have required the Office of Emergency Services, on or before September 30, 2021, to review, and make recommendations to the Legislature and the California congressional delegation on, how to enhance the effectiveness of the Strategic National Stockpile, the federal Defense Production Act of 1950, the California stockpile of personal protection equipment, and the procurement of personal protective equipment as part of its COVID-19 Pandemic after- action report.

Status: Died in the Assembly Emergency Management Committee

AB-1217 (Rodriguez) - Personal protective equipment: stockpile.

This bill would have authorized the California Office of Emergency Services (Cal OES) and the California Department of Public Health (CDPH) to rotate Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) in the State's stockpile by selling the PPE to a nonprofit agency, local government, or provider, and by contracting to purchase PPE on behalf of a local government or provider.

Status: Died in the Assembly Appropriations Committee

Legislative History:

Asm Emergency Management - (6 - 0)

AB-1565 (Committee on Emergency Management) - California Emergency Services Act: toll-free telephone hotlines.

This bill extends the inoperative date and sunset date of the Emergency Management Assistance Compact (EMAC) by five years.

Status: Chapter 321, Statutes of 2022

Legislative History:

Assembly Floor - (79 - 0)

Asm Emergency Management - (6 - 0)

Assembly Floor - (71 - 0)

Asm Emergency Management - (6 - 0)

Senate Floor - (40 - 0)

Sen Appropriations - (7 - 0)

Sen Appropriations - (7 - 0)

Sen Governmental Organization - (13 - 0)

SB-816 (Committee on Governmental Organization) - Master Mutual Aid Agreement: tribes.

This bill amends the California Emergency Services Act to confirm the State's authority to contract with California tribes for the purposes of providing mutual aid.

Status: Chapter 292, Statutes of 2021

Legislative History:

Assembly Floor - (79 - 0)

Asm Emergency Management - (6 - 0)

Senate Floor - (36 - 0)

Sen Governmental Organization - (15 - 0)

State Fire Marshal

AB-2931 (Bloom) - Pipeline safety: records.

This bill revises certain provisions of the Elder California Pipeline Safety Act of 1981 (Act) by removing an exemption from the definition of “pipeline,” authorizing the State Fire Marshal (SFM) to require the operator of a pipeline to maintain records, make reports and provide information, as specified, and authorizes the SFM to disclose records.

Status: Chapter 536, Statutes of 2022

Legislative History:

Assembly Floor - (50 - 15)

Assembly Floor - (49 - 17)

Asm Appropriations - (12 - 3)

Asm Emergency Management - (4 - 3)

Senate Floor - (30 - 8)

Sen Governmental Organization - (8 - 4)

SB-817 (Committee on Governmental Organization) - Fire protection: Office of the State Fire Marshal: State Board of Fire Services: membership.

This bill authorizes specified members of the State Board of Fire Services (Board), within the Office of the State Fire Marshal (SFM), to assign a designee to serve on the board as their proxy.

Status: Chapter 142, Statutes of 2021

Legislative History:

Assembly Floor - (70 - 0)

Asm Appropriations - (14 - 0)

Asm Emergency Management - (6 - 0)

Senate Floor - (38 - 0)

Sen Governmental Organization - (14 - 0)

SB-1030 (Limón) - Pipeline safety: records.

This bill revises certain provisions of the Elder California Pipeline Safety Act of 1981 (Act) by removing an exemption from the definition of "pipeline," authorizing the State Fire Marshal (SFM) to require the operator of a pipeline to maintain records, make reports and provide information, authorizes the SFM to disclose records, makes conforming references, and repeals portions of the Act.

Status: Died in the Assembly Floor Process

Legislative History:

Asm Appropriations - (11 - 3)

Asm Emergency Management - (4 - 2)

Senate Floor - (27 - 10)

Sen Governmental Organization - (10 - 2)

Statewide Disaster Response

AB-373 (Seyarto) - State Emergency Plan: update.

This bill would require Cal OES to update the State Emergency Plan every three years, instead of the existing 5 years requirement, as of January 1, 2024.

Status: Died in the Emergency Management Committee

AB-973 (Rodriguez) - Office of Emergency Services: California Disaster Assistance Act: annual report.

This bill would have required the California Office of Emergency Services (Cal OES) to provide an annual report on the funding priorities and expenditures of California Disaster Assistance Act (CDAA) funds.

Status: Died in the Assembly Appropriations Committee

Legislative History:

Asm Emergency Management - (7 - 0)

AB-1060 (Rodriguez) - Governor's Office of Emergency Services: California Alert.

This bill would have required the California Office of Emergency Services (Cal OES) to establish a statewide emergency alert system called California Alert, which shall support local alert and warning systems.

Status: Died in the Assembly Appropriations Committee

Legislative History:

Asm Emergency Management - (6 - 0)

AB-1071 (Rodriguez) - Office of Emergency Services: tabletop exercises.

This bill would have required the Office of Emergency Services to biennially convene key personnel and agencies to participate in tabletop exercise in which the participant's emergency preparedness plans are discussed and evaluated under simulated catastrophic disaster situations.

Status: Died in the Senate Appropriations Committee

Legislative History:

Assembly Floor - (78 - 0)

Sen Appropriations - (7 - 0)

Asm Appropriations - (16 - 0)

Sen Governmental Organization - (15 - 0)

Asm Emergency Management - (7 - 0)

AB-1447 (Cooley) - The Rural California Infrastructure Act.

Prior to being amended out of this committee's jurisdiction, this bill would have established the Rural California Infrastructure Act and the Rural California Infrastructure Fund to provide grants for fairground maintenance, disaster preparedness, highway or street maintenance, and historic or cultural preservation projects.

Status: Died in the Assembly Appropriations Committee

Legislative History:

Asm Jobs, Economic Development, and
the Economy - (6 - 0)

Asm Emergency Management - (6 - 0)

**AB-1567 (Committee on Emergency Management) - Emergency services:
catastrophic plans: recovery frameworks.**

This bill would have required the development of recovery frameworks for California's catastrophic plans.

Status: Died in the Assembly Appropriations Committee

Legislative History:

Asm Emergency Management - (6 - 0)

**AB-1569 (Committee on Emergency Management) - Office of Emergency
Services: Hazard Mitigation Grant Program: annual report.**

This bill requires the California Office of Emergency Services (Cal OES) to provide an annual report on the funding priorities and expenditures of the federal Hazard Mitigation Grant Program (HMGP) funds.

Status: Died in the Assembly Appropriations Committee

Legislative History:

Asm Emergency Management - (7 - 0)

AB-1709 (Rodriguez) - Income taxation: credits: blood donations.

This bill would have allowed, for taxable years beginning on or after January 1, 2023, a credit under the Personal Income Tax (PIT) Law equal to \$500 if a taxpayer makes at least four blood donations in one year and permitted the Office of Emergency Services to enter into partnerships with private sector entities to provide meaningful incentives for individuals to donate blood four or more times a year

Status: Died in the Assembly Revenue and Taxation Committee

AB-2819 (Cooley) - The Rural California Infrastructure Act.

This bill would have established the Rural California Infrastructure Act and the Rural California Infrastructure Account (Account) to allow the Infrastructure Bank (I-Bank) to provide grants for disaster preparedness and mitigation projects, including the creation or rehabilitation of evacuation of shelter areas, maintenance of fairgrounds or upgrade of streets and highways used for emergency evacuations; disaster recovery projects, including drainage, water supply and flood control; and historic or cultural preservation projects.

Status: Died in the Assembly Appropriations Committee

Legislative History:

Asm Jobs, Economic Development, and
the Economy - (6 - 0)

Asm Emergency Management - (7 - 0)