

The Florida Senate
COMMITTEE MEETING EXPANDED AGENDA

ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES

Senator Montford, Chair
Senator Albritton, Vice Chair

MEETING DATE: Monday, February 10, 2020
TIME: 4:00—6:00 p.m.
PLACE: Mallory Horne Committee Room, 37 Senate Building

MEMBERS: Senator Montford, Chair; Senator Albritton, Vice Chair; Senators Berman, Mayfield, and Wright

TAB	OFFICE and APPOINTMENT (HOME CITY)	FOR TERM ENDING	COMMITTEE ACTION
Senate Confirmation Hearing: A public hearing will be held for consideration of the below-named executive appointments to the offices indicated.			
Executive Director of South Florida Water Management District			
1	Bartlett, Andrew "Drew" (Lake Worth Beach)	Pleasure of the Board	Recommend Confirm Yeas 5 Nays 0
Governing Board of the South Florida Water Management District			
2	Bergeron, Ronald M. (Weston)	03/01/2022	Recommend Confirm Yeas 4 Nays 1
Executive Director of Suwannee River Water Management District			
3	Thomas, Hugh L. (Bell)	Pleasure of the Board	Recommend Confirm Yeas 5 Nays 0

TAB	BILL NO. and INTRODUCER	BILL DESCRIPTION and SENATE COMMITTEE ACTIONS	COMMITTEE ACTION
4	SB 1360 Rodriguez (Similar H 1067)	Florida Endangered and Threatened Species Act; directing the Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission to protect certain declassified species; prohibiting the commission and the Department of Environmental Protection from considering certain costs when designating a species as endangered or threatened; revising criteria for placement of species on the Regulated Plant Index by the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services; directing the department, in consultation with the Endangered Plant Advisory Council, to protect certain declassified species, etc. EN 02/10/2020 Fav/CS AEG AP	Fav/CS Yeas 5 Nays 0

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5	SB 1378 Rouson (Similar H 1407)	Vessels; Specifying operation of a vessel at slow speed, minimum wake; prohibiting the operation of vessels at speeds faster than slow speed, minimum wake in certain situations; prohibiting the anchoring or mooring of a vessel to, or within a specified distance of, a mangrove or to vegetation upon, or within a specified distance of, public lands; revising civil penalties relating to certain at-risk vessels and prohibited anchoring or mooring, etc. EN 02/10/2020 Fav/CS JU RC	Fav/CS Yeas 5 Nays 0
6	CS/SR 1572 Infrastructure and Security / Stewart	Climate Change; Expressing the Legislature's support for the adoption of policies that will prepare Florida for the environmental and economic impact of climate change, sea-level rise, and flooding, and recognizing the important role that resiliency and infrastructure will play in fortifying this state, etc. IS 01/27/2020 Fav/CS EN 02/10/2020 Favorable RC	Favorable Yeas 5 Nays 0
7	CS/SB 996 Community Affairs / Albritton (Identical H 639)	Displacement of Private Waste Companies; Requiring a local government to pay a specified amount of compensation to a displaced private waste company at the end of a specified notice period; removing a provision authorizing a local government to pay a specified amount of compensation to a private waste company as an alternative to delaying displacement for a specified period; removing a provision authorizing a local government and a private waste company to negotiate such compensation and notice period, etc. CA 01/27/2020 Fav/CS EN 02/10/2020 Fav/CS RC	Fav/CS Yeas 5 Nays 0

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8	SB 1706 Montford	Water Testing for Pollution; Authorizing specified persons or businesses that suspect contamination of their private water systems, multifamily water systems, or certain public water systems to request that the Department of Health or its agents test such source for pollution, under certain circumstances; requiring such testing to be done within a specified timeframe and follow certain procedures; revising the specified purposes that funds in a County Health Department Trust Fund may be used for to include the costs and expenditures related to certain water testing provisions, etc.	Favorable Yeas 5 Nays 0
		EN 02/10/2020 Favorable AHS AP	

Other Related Meeting Documents
