

NDACo Priority Bills as of March 7, 2023 - Crossover Report		
Major Local Road Funding Proposals		Status
HB 1379	*** Streams: \$60M SHDF, \$100M local bridges, \$15M Ag Infrastructure	Alive -Contains HB1147 & HB1148
HB 1147	*** New \$100 million stream for local road bridges	Failed
HB 1148	*** \$15 million for local infrastructure to support agriculture	Failed
SB 2367	*** Leadership bucket bill - increases buckets ahead of Prairie Dog	Passed Senate 47-0
SB 2275	*** Remove 1st SIIF bucket ahead of Prairie Dog	Failed
SB 2329	*** Excise tax to township 42M & county roads \$42M	Passed Senate 24-23
SB 2183	*** \$25 Million for snow removal for over 150% of average	Passed Senate 46-0
HB 1012	*** NDDOT Budget - funding & staff increase	Passed House 86-5
HB 1020	** Extension & UGPTI Budgets	Passed House 87-7
Other Infrastructure Related Bills		Status
HB 1127	** Bidding / Bridge replacement updates	Passed House
HB 1253	** Tarping Loads w less than 2" Aggregate	Failed
Employee & NDPERS Proposals		Status
HB 1040	*** Close NDPERS pension plan - 1%/1% increase (Co. \$2M annual) - Study of local contributions	Passed House 77-16
SB 2239	*** Retain NDPERS pension plan - 1%/3.6% increase (Co.\$7M annual)	Passed Senate 34-13
HB 1039	*** Close NDPERS pension plan in 6 months - otherwise like HB1040	Failed
HB 1486	*** Close NDPERS pension, like HB1040 but local gov. to pay \$100M annually	Failed
SB 2277	**** All county clerks of court to become state employees	Failed
Property Tax Proposals		Status
HB 1245	** County to report fund balances, Study tax statement	Passed House 94-0
HB 1119	* Taxing districts to communicate in Dollars vs Mills	Passed House
SB 2279	** Farm building exemption includes storage space in city	Passed Senate 42-5
HB 1247	** Farm building exemption includes storage space in city - STUDY	Passed Senate 81-10
HB 1267	** Excess Prop. tax foreclosure receipts to the co general fund	Passed House 52-41
HB 1365	** Property is tax exempt in ambulance district not served by district	Passed House 93-0
HB 1438	** Charities can exempt 50 acres from property tax for expansion	Passed House 5-38
HB 1439	* Correction to Church exemption to allow for 10 years for construction	Passed House
SB 2066	** Increased school funding, tax reduction and growth limitation	Passed Senate 42-4
SB 2121	** Estimated property tax statement to include last year's specials	Passed
HB 1211	** Expands Homestead Exemption - income & tax value thresholds (\$37 million)	Passed House
SB 2136	** Expands Homestead Exemption - \$100k or less income=100% reduc. up to \$9k (\$12	Passed Senate 45-1
SB 2162	** Repeals 10-mill road levy requirement to get GPT revenue	Passed Senate 46-0
HCR 3024	**** Proposes Constitutional amendment to prohibit property tax	No Action Yet
SCR 4019	** Proposes Constitutional amendment to remove 1 mill medical center levy	No Action Yet
HB 1408	* 50% (amended to 10%) property tax reduction for PLOTS land	Failed
HB 1380	** 100% state funded property tax credit for all over 65 yo.	Failed
HB 1514	** Local bond votes must get 30% of names in poll book to pass	Failed
HB 1461	*** Property taxes capped at 5% over last year for every local taxing district	Failed
HB 1367	*** Preliminary budgets for local gov in July -citizen referral by petition.	Failed
SB 2361	** Property valuation freeze for residential	Failed
SB 2177	** 65 year olds can freeze their property tax	Failed
SB 2369	** Co auditor to remove school taxes for kids in private school	Failed
SB 2387	*** Rolls property values back to 2019, limits value increase to 2%	Failed

Election Proposals		Status
SB 2292	***Offense for disrupting polling location & allows for election observers	Passed Senate
HB 1192	* SOS Election cleanup bill	Passed House
HB1431	* Proof of Citizenship	Passed House
HB 1167	** Prohibits Gov. from suspend minimum polling locations in disaster/emergency	Passed House
HB 1273	* Prohibits rank choice / approval voting	Passed House
SB 2226	*** Printing full measures on ballot	Passed Senate
HB 1314	***Prohibits use of ballot drop boxes in elections	Failed
HB 1405	***Prohibits use of electronic pollbooks on Election Day	Failed
SB 2386	***Prohibits use of electronic pollbooks on Election Day	Failed
SB 2308	*** Eliminate mail ballots	Failed
SB 2316	*** Manual count of ballots on election day	Failed
HB 1514	* Changes threshold of votes needed for bond measures to 30% of names in pollbook	Failed
Public Health Proposals		Status
HB 1004	**** Public Health Div Budget - LPH Grants	Passed House 81-13
SB 2153	** Core functions of public health units	Passed Senate 34-12
HB 1229	** Cigar bars legal- LPH opposes	Passed House 59-32
HB 1358	** ND SACCHO to have seat on environmental review advisory council	Passed House 53-37
SB 2253	** On-site septic - LPH opposes Senate adopted version	Passed Senate 36-11
SB 2256	** On-site septic - Technical committee membership	Failed
Guardianship Proposals		Status
SB 2015	** OMB Budget - Guardianship grants @\$6.1M	Passed Senate 40-6
SB 2345	** Task force for guardianship monitoring	Passed Senate 44-3
HB 1048	** DHS role in corporate guardianship funding - DD	Passed House 92-0
SB 2035	** Placeholder for guardianship funding	Failed
Human Services Proposals		Status
SB 2012	** DHHS Budget - Zone funding - Equity	Passed Senate 35-11
SB 2139	** Uniformity of indigent burial costs, cremation the default	Passed Senate 45-12
HB 1046	** County indirect cost reporting to DHS	Passed House 87-6
SB 2260	Fundamental parental rights not to be interfered with	Passed House 40-6
SB 2188	Fundamental parental rights not to be interfered with	Failed
HB 1362	Rebuttable presumption that a parents decisions are in child's best interests	Passed House 50-42
HB 1403	Government not to interfere in parental rights - exceptions	Failed
Zoning & Eminent Domain Proposals		Status
HB 1371	** Feedlots removed from definition of farming or ranching	Passed House 70-24
HB 1423	** AG Dept. model feedlot ordinance rules - Bad insurance stuff out	Passed House 76-17
SB 2313	** Amended to study of eminent domain compensation	Passed Senate 47-0
SB 2251	** Survey for eminent domain must get landowner permission	Passed Senate 41-1
SB 2209	** Eminent domain can't be used without 85% voluntary participation	Failed
SB 2212	** Eminent domain not available for carbon dioxide pipelines	Failed
SB 2314	** PSC approves eminent domain after 85% voluntary participation	Failed

Law Enforcement / Public Safety Proposals		Status
HB 1279	*** Law Enf employee workers comp presumption no longer requires 5 yrs services	Passed
HB 1307	*** "Back the Blue" grants to local law enf officers & corrections \$5 million	Passed House
HB 1184	** Law Enforcement Appreciation grant - Continuing Approp. \$15 million / biennium	Failed
SB 2147	** LE retirement income tax exempt	Passed Senate
HB 1015	** DOCR budget - includes \$160 million for new womens prison	Passed House
SB 2107	*** Attorney General Penalty enhancement bill for crimes w guns and fleeing	Passed Senate
SB 2003	* AG Budget - includes JAG grants and officer wellness proposal	Passed House
SB 2131	** Move Crime Lab under Attorney General / BCI	Failed
HB 1021	* NDIT Budget - SIRN Funding	Passed House
HB 1242	* SIRN Funding for ongoing maintenance	Passed House
HB 1378	** Enhanced penalty for theft during riot	Passed
HB 1164	* Allow for edible medical marijuana	Failed
HB 1213	* State reimburse legal fees if defendant not guilty in self denfense case	Passed House
HB 1295	*** Vehicles only required to have rear license plate	Passed House
SB 2248	*** A Felony for distributing drugs resulting in death & fentanyl reporting	Passed Senate
HB 1459	* Increases penalty for drug offenses near parks	Passed House
SB 2375	* Creates aggravated manslaughter crime	Failed
HB 1122	* Creates mass murder crime	Failed
SB 2385	*** Prohibited law enforcement from seizing property w/o due process	Failed
SB 2286	* Sheriff has statewide authority for prisoner transport	Passed Senate
HB 1537	* POST board to provide bias crime training	Failed House
HB 1483	*** Allow for guns in public buildings with exception of courtrooms	Failed
HB 1341	** Firearm bill amended to study firearm carry locations	Passed House
Traffic Safety Proposals		Status
SB 2362	*** Primary Seatbelt	Passed Senate 31-14
SB 2189	** Road Closed if announced	Passed
HB 1325	* Failure to Yield fine increase	Passed House
SB 2168	** Double fines for speeding +21 over limit	Passed Senate
SB 2169	** \$100 more fine for repeat speeders	Passed Senate
HB 1061	* Change to "Right of Way" - 1st to Stop Goes	Passed House
Other bills of interest		Status
HB 1058	** Seeks accountability in State Auditor Office - Audits to be reviewed by CPA	Passed House
HB 1158	Income Tax Relief (\$566 million) eliminate for married making \$74,750; flat tax of 1.5%	Passed House
HB 1118	Income Tax Relief (\$383 million) income tax credits = \$1600 married; flat rate of 1.99%	Passed House
HB 1425	Income Tax Relief - gradual income tax elimination by incrementally reducing tax rates	Passed House