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## INTRODUCTION

This report contains summaries of bills that were referred to, and considered by, the Assembly Transportation Committee during 2017. Bills that were passed by the Legislature and became law are shown with the chapter number; bills that were vetoed by the Governor or that otherwise failed to become law are so noted. Some bills could have been appropriately placed in several subject categories; an effort was made to place each bill under the most appropriate subject heading.

This publication is intended to be a useful summary of the Legislature's work in the area of transportation during 2017. An electronic copy of this document is also available under "Publications" on the committee's web page at <http://atrn.assembly.ca.gov/reports1>.

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In addition to hearing bills, this committee held several oversight and informational hearings during this Session. You will find summaries of each hearing at the end of this report.

Acronyms for used in this report are as follows:

ARB - Air Resources Board  
ATVs - All-Terrain Vehicles  
BAR - State Bureau of Automotive Repair  
Caltrans - Department of Transportation  
CHP - California Highway Patrol  
CTC - California Transportation Commission  
DMV - Department of Motor Vehicles  
HOT - High Occupancy Toll  
HOV - High-Occupancy Vehicle  
HSRA - High-Speed Rail Authority  
SR - State Route

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## **Abandoned Vehicles, Parking & Towing**

### **AB 1452 (Muratsuchi) - Parking: exclusive electric charging and parking on public streets.**

Authorizes local jurisdictions to designate on-street parking for the exclusive use of electric vehicle charging. Chapter 635, Statutes of 2017

## **Active Transportation**

### **AB 390 (Santiago, Ting) - Pedestrian crossing signals.**

Authorizes pedestrians to enter a crosswalk when the countdown symbol is displayed provided the crossing is completed before the countdown ends. Chapter 402, Statutes of 2017

### **AB 1103 (Obernalte, Ting) - Bicycles: yielding.**

Allows a person operating a bicycle make a turn or proceed through an intersection without stopping if no vehicle or pedestrian is in the intersection or constitutes an immediate hazard to the cyclist while they are in the intersection. AB 1103 was heard by this committee for testimony only.

### **SB 672 (Fuller) - Traffic-actuated signals: motorcycles and bicycles.**

Removes the sunset on the requirement that cities and counties, when installing traffic-actuated signals, install and maintain systems that can detect bicycles and motorcycles, thereby making the requirement permanent. Chapter 432, Statutes of 2017

## **Air Quality, Greenhouse Gas Emissions & Fuels**

### **AB 188 (Salas) - Vehicle retirement and replacement.**

Requires ARB, no later than July 1, 2019, to update the Enhanced Fleet Modernization Program guidelines to allow certain light-duty trucks to qualify as replacement vehicles under the program, provided that the vehicles meet the program's fuel efficiency standard for minivans and that a high-polluting light-duty pickup truck is retired by the purchaser. Chapter 629, Statutes of 2017

### **AB 476 (Gipson) - Vehicular air pollution: heavy-duty vehicles.**

Redefines "heavy duty" vehicles, for the purposes of ARB programs, as a vehicle with a gross vehicle weight rating of 26,001 or more pounds. AB 476 failed passage in this committee.

### **AB 582 (Cristina Garcia) - Vehicles: emissions: certification, auditing, and compliance.**

Requires ARB to enhance its emissions surveillance of new motor vehicles to better detect software that may be used to evade the surveillance of emissions. AB 582 was held on the Senate Appropriations Committee Suspense File.

**AB 615 (Cooper) - Air Quality Improvement Program: Clean Vehicle Rebate Project.**  
Extends the sunset on income eligibility restrictions under the Clean Vehicle Rebate Project and includes an urgency clause. Chapter 631, Statutes of 2017

**AB 630 (Cooper) - Vehicles: retirement and replacement.**  
Establishes the Plus-Up program and adds provisions to improve performance of the related Enhanced Fleet Modernization Program. Chapter 636, Statutes of 2017

**AB 964 (Calderon, Cervantes, Gomez, Gonzalez Fletcher) - Economic development: Capital Access Loan Program: California Affordable Clean Vehicle Program.**  
Creates the California Affordable Clean Vehicle Program within the Capitol Loan Access Program to assist low-income individuals purchase or lease zero-emission vehicles or plug-in hybrid electric vehicles for personal or commercial use by providing affordable financing mechanisms. AB 964 is awaiting a hearing by the Senate Appropriations Committee.

**AB 1073 (Eduardo Garcia) - California Clean Truck, Bus, and Off-Road Vehicle and Equipment Technology Program.**  
Extends by two years, until January 1, 2020, the requirement that ARB dedicate 20% of California Clean Truck, Bus, and Off-Road Vehicle and Equipment Technology Program to support early commercial deployment of existing zero- and near-zero-emission heavy-duty trucks. Chapter 632, Statutes of 2017

**AB 1259 (Calderon) - Capital Access Loan Program: electric vehicles.**  
Expands the Capital Access Loan Program, overseen by the California Pollution Control Financing Authority, to include a financing program for the purchase or lease of electric vehicles by low- and middle-income consumers and families. AB 1259 was held on the Assembly Appropriations Committee Suspense File.

**AB 1274 (O'Donnell) - Smog check: exemption.**  
Exempts two additional model years of vehicles (model years 7 and 8) from motor vehicle inspection and maintenance program (smog check) requirements and assesses these vehicles a fee of \$25 per year for each year they are exempted, directs revenue from the fee to the Carl Moyer Memorial Air Quality Standards Attainment Program. Chapter 633, Statutes of 2017

**AB 1317 (Gray) - Carl Moyer Memorial Air Quality Standards Attainment Program.**  
Adds stationary irrigation or water conveyance engines (well pumps) to the list of equipment that is eligible for Carl Moyer Memorial Air Quality Attainment Program incentive funding. Chapter 634, Statutes of 2017

## **Autonomous Vehicles**

**AB 623 (Rodriguez) - Autonomous vehicles: accident reporting.**  
Clarifies that existing accident reporting requirements also apply to autonomous vehicles, and requires any accident report prepared by a member of the CHP or any other peace officer to specify if an autonomous vehicle was involved in the traffic collision, as specified. AB 623 is awaiting a hearing by the Senate Appropriations Committee.

**AB 1160 (Bonta) - Autonomous vehicles.**

Expands the definition of “autonomous vehicle” to also include any vehicle equipped with technology that makes it capable of operation that meets the definitions of Levels 3, 4, or 5 of the Society of Automotive Engineers’ “Taxonomy and Definitions for Terms Related to On-Road Motor Vehicle Automated Driving Systems, Standard J3016.” AB 1160 is awaiting a hearing by the Senate Transportation and Housing Committee.

**AB 1141 (Berman) - Autonomous vehicles: freight vehicles.**

Requires DMV adopt regulations for the testing of autonomous vehicles used to transport freight. AB 1141 is awaiting a hearing by the Assembly Communications and Conveyance Committee.

**AB 1444 (Baker) - Livermore Amador Valley Transit Authority: demonstration project.**

Authorizes the Livermore Amador Valley Transit Authority to conduct a demonstration project for the testing of autonomous vehicles without a driver in the driver's seat under specific conditions. Chapter 719, Statutes of 2017

**SB 145 (Hill) - Autonomous vehicles: testing on public roads.**

Makes various changes regarding DMV's authority to develop regulations and approve applications for the operation of autonomous vehicles on the public roadways. Chapter 725, Statutes of 2017

**SB 802 (Skinner) - Emerging vehicle technology: advisory study group.**

Establishes the Emerging Vehicle Advisory Study Group to advise the Legislature on policies relating to certain new vehicle technologies. SB 802 was held on the Assembly Appropriations Committee Suspense File.

## **Driver Licensing**

**AB 63 (Frazier) - Driver's licenses: instruction permits and provisional licenses.**

Raises the age at which a first-time driver must obtain a provisional driver's license from 18 to 21. AB 63 was vetoed.

**AB 301 (Rodriguez, Patterson) - Commercial motor vehicles: examination requirements: driving skills test.**

Requires DMV to establish performance goals related to administering the driving skills test required to obtain a commercial driver's license. AB 301 was held on the Senate Appropriations Committee Suspense File.

**AB 330 (Cooley) - Highway safety.**

Authorizes the court to order a person convicted of driving under the influence of alcohol (DUI) with one or more DUI priors within 10 years, to enroll, participate in, and successfully complete, a qualified 24/7 Sobriety program, as defined, as a condition of probation, parole, sentence, work permit, or as a condition of pretrial release on bond. AB 330 is awaiting a hearing by the Assembly Public Safety Committee.

**AB 363 (Quirk-Silva) - Driver's licenses: veteran designation.**

Prohibits DMV from charging the one-time \$5 fee to a person applying for a driver's license or identification card with a veteran designation if the applicant is eligible to obtain an original or replacement card at a reduced fee or is homeless and can verify his or her status as such. Chapter 579, Statutes of 2017

**AB 503 (Lackey) - Vehicles: parking violations: registration or driver's license renewal.**

Creates a process that allows individuals with outstanding parking citations to repay their fines and penalties while preserving their ability to register and drive their vehicles. Chapter 741, Statutes of 2017

**AB 790 (Mark Stone) - Identification cards: replacement: reduced fee.**

Provides for a reduced fee for a replacement identification card issued to an eligible inmate upon release from a state or federal correctional facility or a county jail and to an eligible patient treated in a facility of the Department of State Hospitals. Chapter 348, Statutes of 2017

**AB 1027 (Acosta) - Driver's licenses: examinations: motorcycle licenses.**

Authorizes DMV accept a certificate of satisfactory completion of any motorcyclist training program approved by the CHP in lieu of a driving test for applicants applying for a motorcycle license, and specifies that a person under 21 years of age must show proof of completion of a novice motorcycle safety training program administered by CHP before receiving a motorcycle license. Chapter 205, Statutes of 2017

**AB 1049 (Melendez) - Driver's licenses: renewal.**

Extends the period of time before a driver's license expires from five years to eight years for persons between the ages of 25 and 70 and prohibits a licensee from renewing his or her driver's license by mail two consecutive times. AB 1049 failed passage in this committee.

**AB 1255 (Dababneh) - Mobile application: driver's licenses and identification cards.**

Requires DMV conduct a pilot program to evaluate the use of a digital driver's license application for smartphone use. AB 1255 was held on the Assembly Appropriations Committee Suspense File.

**SB 158 (Monning) - Commercial driver's license: education.**

Requires DMV to establish entry-level driver training requirements for a person applying for a commercial driver's license, pursuant to federal regulations. SB 158 was held on the Assembly Appropriations Committee Suspense File.

**SB 179 (Atkins, Wiener) - Gender identity: female, male, or nonbinary.**

Modifies the procedures for individuals to change their name and gender marker to reflect their gender identity on documents including their birth certificate issued by the State Registrar and driver's license or identification card issued by DMV. Chapter 853, Statutes of 2017

**SB 185 (Hertzberg) - Crimes: infractions.**

Requires courts to determine a defendant's ability to pay for traffic fine violations; also requires courts to make accommodations if the defendant is indigent, and prohibits courts from suspending or holding an individual's driver's license for certain violations. SB 185 is awaiting a hearing by the Assembly Appropriations Committee.

**Electric Vehicles & Partial Electric Vehicles**

**AB 193 (Cervantes, Calderon) - Air Quality Improvement Program: Clean Reused Vehicle Rebate Project.**

Creates a new program to incentivize the purchase and use of used zero-emission vehicles or near-zero-emission vehicles. AB 193 is on the Inactive File on the Senate Floor.

**AB 544 (Bloom) - Vehicles: high-occupancy vehicle lanes.**

Creates a new program (upon expiration of the existing program) to grant, until September 30, 2025, federal inherently low emission vehicles and transitional zero-emission vehicles access to high-occupancy vehicle lanes for approximately a four-year period, regardless of vehicle occupancy level. Chapter 630, Statutes of 2017

**AB 615 (Cooper) - Air Quality Improvement Program: Clean Vehicle Rebate Project.**

Extends the sunset on income eligibility restrictions under the Clean Vehicle Rebate Project and includes an urgency clause. Chapter 631, Statutes of 2017

**AB 964 (Calderon, Cervantes, Gomez, Gonzalez Fletcher) - Economic development: Capital Access Loan Program: California Affordable Clean Vehicle Program.**

Creates the California Affordable Clean Vehicle Program within the Capitol Loan Access Program to assist low-income individuals purchase or lease zero-emission vehicles or plug-in hybrid electric vehicles for personal or commercial use by providing affordable financing mechanisms. AB 964 is awaiting a hearing by the Senate Appropriations Committee.

**AB 1073 (Eduardo Garcia) - California Clean Truck, Bus, and Off-Road Vehicle and Equipment Technology Program.**

Extends by two years, until January 1, 2020, the requirement that ARB dedicate 20% of California Clean Truck, Bus, and Off-Road Vehicle and Equipment Technology Program to support early commercial deployment of existing zero- and near-zero-emission heavy-duty trucks. Chapter 632, Statutes of 2017

**AB 1259 (Calderon) - Capital Access Loan Program: electric vehicles.**

Expands the Capital Access Loan Program, overseen by the California Pollution Control Financing Authority, to include a financing program for the purchase or lease of electric vehicles by low- and middle-income consumers and families. AB 1259 was held on the Assembly Appropriations Committee Suspense File.

**AB 1341 (Calderon) - Zero-emission and near-zero-emission vehicles: income tax credits: deduction.**

Excludes up to \$40,000 from state sales tax on the purchase of used zero-emission vehicles or near-zero emission vehicles (NZEVs) if purchased by a low-income purchaser, and allows a personal income tax credit (ranging \$1,500-\$5,000) for the purchase of certain

plug-in hybrid electric vehicles, battery electric vehicles, and hydrogen fuel cell vehicles, with an additional \$500 credit allowed for low-income purchasers. AB 1341 was held on the Assembly Appropriations Committee Suspense File.

**AB 1452 (Muratsuchi) - Parking: exclusive electric charging and parking on public streets.**

Authorizes local jurisdictions to designate on-street parking for the exclusive use of electric vehicle charging. Chapter 635, Statutes of 2017

**AB 1633 (Frazier) - State highways: exit information signs.**

Adds "electric vehicle charging facilities" to the list of services eligible for signage under Caltrans' Business Logo Sign Program. Chapter 158, Statutes of 2017

**SB 498 (Skinner) - Vehicle fleets: zero-emission vehicles.**

Requires ARB, after reviewing its ZEV programs, to make recommendations to the Legislature, no later than January 1, 2019, on how to increase ZEV use in the state in the most cost-efficient manner that results in the greatest air quality and emissions reduction benefits. Additionally, requires the Department of General Services (DGS) to ensure that ZEVs comprise at least 50% of the state's light-duty vehicle fleet purchases by the 2024-25 fiscal year. Chapter 628, Statutes of 2017

## **High Speed Rail**

**AB 66 (Patterson) - High-Speed Rail Authority: reports.**

Adds additional required elements for inclusion in the California High-Speed Rail Authority's Business Plan and Project Update Report. AB 66 failed passage in this committee.

**AB 1442 (Travis Allen) - Bonds: transportation: water projects.**

Directs that a referendum be placed on the ballot to redirect high-speed rail bond funding to state water projects. AB 1442 failed passage in this committee.

## **Highway Naming Resolutions**

**ACR 2 (Mayes) - Police Officer Jose "Gil" Vega and Police Officer Lesley Zerebny Memorial Highway.**

Designates a portion of SR 111 in Riverside County as the "Police Officer Jose 'Gil' Vega and Police Officer Lesley Zerebny Memorial Highway". Chapter 125, Statutes of 2017

**ACR 9 (Gonzalez Fletcher) - Officer Jonathan M. De Guzman Memorial Bridge.**

Designates the Palomar Street Bridge on Interstate Route 805 in the City of Chula Vista as the "Officer Jonathan M. De Guzman Memorial Bridge". Chapter 126, Statutes of 2017

**ACR 22 (Baker) - Detective Sergeant Thomas A. Smith, Jr. Memorial Highway.**

Designates a portion of Interstate 680 in Contra Costa County as the "Sergeant Thomas A. Smith Memorial Highway". Chapter 127, Statutes of 2017

**ACR 23 (Bocanegra) - Ritchie Valens Memorial Highway.**

Designates the portion of Interstate 5 from State Route 118 to SR 170 in the County of Los Angeles as the "Ritchie Valens Memorial Highway". Chapter 128, Statutes of 2017

**ACR 24 (Dahle) - California Highway Patrol Officer Nathan Taylor Memorial Overcrossing.**

Designates the Interstate Route 80 overcrossing at Baxter Road in the Village of Alta in Placer County as the "California Highway Patrol Officer Nathan Taylor Memorial Overcrossing". Chapter 129, Statutes of 2017

**ACR 29 (Dahle) - Deputy Sheriff Jack Hopkins Memorial Highway.**

Designates the portion of SR 395 from South Fork Pit River Bridge (post mile 16.523) to a portion of the Modoc National Wildlife Refuge (post mile 20.000) in the County of Modoc as the "Deputy Sheriff Jack Hopkins Memorial Highway". Chapter 130, Statutes of 2017

**ACR 31 (Lackey) - Los Angeles County Sheriff's Sergeant Steven C. Owen Memorial Highway.**

Designates a specific portion of SR 14 in the City of Palmdale in Los Angeles County as the "Los Angeles County Sheriff's Sergeant Steven C. Owen Memorial Highway". Chapter 135, Statutes of 2017

**ACR 43 (Wood) - Humboldt County Sheriff's Office Corporal Rich Schlesiger Memorial Highway.**

Designates a portion of SR 101 in Humboldt County as the "Humboldt County Sheriff's Office Corporal Rich Schlesiger Memorial Highway". Chapter 131, Statutes of 2017

**ACR 46 (Gray) - The Modesto Police Officer Leo Volk, Jr., and Modesto Police Sergeant Steve May Memorial Highway.**

Designates a portion of SR 132 in the City of Modesto as the "Modesto Police Officer Leo Volk, Jr., and Modesto Police Sergeant Steve May Memorial Highway". Chapter 136, Statutes of 2017

**ACR 47 (Gray) - CalFire Firefighter Andrew Maloney Memorial Highway.**

Designates a portion of SR 165 in Merced County as the "CalFire Firefighter Andrew Maloney Memorial Highway". Chapter 132, Statutes of 2017

**ACR 49 (Frazier) - Police Sergeant Scott Lunger Memorial Highway.**

Designates a portion of SR 4 in Contra Costa County as the "Police Sergeant Scott Lunger Memorial Highway". Chapter 133, Statutes of 2017

**ACR 67 (Aguiar-Curry) - Veterans' Memorial Highway.**

Designates a portion of SR 29 in the City of Yountville as the "Veterans' Memorial Highway". ACR 67 is awaiting referral to a Senate policy committee.

**ACR 70 (Salas) - Staff Sergeant Ricardo "Ricky" Barraza Memorial Highway.**

Designates a portion of SR 43 in the City of Shafter as the "Staff Sergeant Ricardo "Ricky" Barraza Memorial Highway". Chapter 134, Statutes of 2017



**ACR 76 (Calderon) - Officer Keith Boyer Memorial Highway.**

Designates a portion of Interstate Route 605 in Los Angeles County as the "Officer Keith Boyer Memorial Highway". Chapter 137, Statutes of 2017

**ACR 88 (Cunningham) - Charles I. Walter Memorial Highway.**

Designates a portion of SR 1 in San Luis Obispo County the "Charles I. Walter Memorial Highway". Chapter 140, Statutes of 2017

**ACR 103 (Cunningham) - Matthew "SLOStringer" Frank Memorial Highway.**

Designates a specific portion of SR 101 in San Luis Obispo County as the "Matthew 'SLOStringer' Frank Memorial Highway". ACR 103 is awaiting a hearing by the Senate Transportation and Housing Committee.

**ACR 110 (Gloria) - City of San Diego's Naval Training Station.**

Designates specified exits on Interstate 5 as the routes for reaching the historic Naval Training Station in the City of San Diego. ACR 110 is awaiting referral to a Senate policy committee.

**SCR 8 (Portantino) - President Barack H. Obama Highway.**

Designates a portion of State Highway 134 between State Highway 2 and Interstate 210 in Los Angeles County as the "President Barack H. Obama Highway". Chapter 147, Statutes of 2017

**SCR 25 (Portantino) - State highways: Pasadena Armenian Genocide Memorial.**

Requests that Caltrans erect informational signs at the Fair Oaks Avenue Exit off Interstate 210 in the City of Pasadena, directing motorists to the Pasadena Armenian Genocide Memorial. Chapter 106, Statutes of 2017

**SCR 46 (Gaines) - Thomas J. Cosgrove Memorial Highway.**

Designates a portion of SR 65 in Placer County the "Thomas J. Cosgrove Memorial Highway". Chapter 108, Statutes of 2017

**SCR 56 (Anderson) - Historic Highway Route 67.**

Designates Highway Route 67 in the County of San Diego as Historic Highway Route 67. Chapter 177, Statutes of 2017

**SCR 57 (Cannella) - Memorial highways.**

Designate specified portions of State Highway 183, State Highway 101, and State Highway 218, in the County of Monterey, as the "United States Army Chief Warrant Officer 2 Edward Balli Memorial Highway", the "United States Army Specialist Ricardo Cerros, Jr. Memorial Highway", the "United States Army Specialist Vilmar Galarza Hernandez Memorial Highway", the "United States Army Sgt. Javier Sanchez Memorial Highway", and the "United States Army Private First Class Coronado D. Javier Memorial Highway". SCR 57 is on the Inactive File on the Assembly Floor.

**SCR 60 (Nguyen) – Lieutenant Colonel Nguyen Thi Hanh Nhon's Disabled Veterans Memorial Highway.**

Designates a portion of Interstate 405 in Orange County as the "Lt. Colonel Nguyen Thi Hanh Nhon's Disabled Veterans Memorial Highway." Chapter 178, Statutes of 2017

## Highway Relinquishments

**AB 333 (Quirk) - State Highway Route 185: relinquishment: County of Alameda.**

Allows the CTC to relinquish segments of SR 185 in Alameda County. Chapter 339, Statutes of 2017

**AB 1172 (Acosta) - State highways: relinquishment.**

Authorizes the CTC, upon a determination that it is the best interest of the state to do so and upon an agreement between Caltrans and the City of Santa Clarita, to relinquish all or a portion of Sierra Highway to the city. Chapter 351, Statutes of 2017

**SB 52 (Newman) - State Route 39.**

Allows the CTC to relinquish a segment of SR 39 to the City of Anaheim. Chapter 423, Statutes of 2017

## Mass Transportation & Railroads

**AB 17 (Holden) - Transit Pass Pilot Program: free or reduced-fare transit passes.**

Authorizes a Transit Pilot Pass Program funded at \$20 million to be administered by the Department of Transportation (Caltrans) to provide free or reduced fare transit passes to low income students. AB 17 was vetoed.

**AB 468 (Santiago) - Transit districts: prohibition orders.**

Adds the Los Angeles County Metropolitan Transportation Authority to the transit districts authorized to issue prohibition orders to passengers committing certain illegal behaviors. Chapter 192, Statutes of 2017

**AB 673 (Chu) - Public transit operators: bus procurement: safety considerations.**

Requires a public transit operator, prior to procuring a new bus, to consider specific recommendations and best practice standards related to reducing the risk of assault on bus operators, preventing accidents caused by blind spots created by bus equipment or bus design, and enhancing the safety of passengers, bus operators, or other vehicles or pedestrians. Chapter 126, Statutes of 2017

**AB 695 (Bocanegra) - Avoidance of on-track equipment.**

Adds on-track equipment, as defined, to the requirements for vehicles or pedestrians to safely cross a railroad, rail transit grade crossing, or a railroad grade crossing in a specified manner. Chapter 110, Statutes of 2017

**AB 758 (Eggman, Baker) - Transportation: Tri-Valley-San Joaquin Valley Regional Rail Authority.**

Creates the Tri-Valley-San Joaquin Valley Regional Rail Authority to oversee the planning, development, and delivery of a connection between the Bay Area Rapid Transit and the Altamont Corridor Express in the Tri-Valley region. Chapter 747, Statutes of 2017

**AB 805 (Gonzalez Fletcher) - County of San Diego: transportation agencies.**

Makes changes to the governance and financing authority of the San Diego Association of Governments (SANDAG), the San Diego Metropolitan Transit System, and the North County

Transit District, and adds requirements to SANDAG's regional comprehensive plan. Chapter 658, Statutes of 2017

**AB 1113 (Bloom) - State Transit Assistance Program.**

Revises and recasts the provisions governing the State Transit Assistance program. Chapter 86, Statutes of 2017

**AB 1121 (Chiu) - San Francisco Bay Area Water Emergency Transportation Authority.**

Increases the membership of the San Francisco Bay Area Water Emergency Transportation Authority. AB 1121 is awaiting a hearing by the Senate Transportation and Housing Committee.

**AB 1421 (Dababneh) - Railroads: noise and vibration levels.**

Requires the Department of Public Health conduct a study to determine the noise and vibration levels associated with all railroad lines in the vicinity of residential areas and schools. AB 1421 is awaiting referral to a policy committee by the Senate Rules Committee.

**AB 1444 (Baker) - Livermore Amador Valley Transit Authority: demonstration project.**

Authorizes the Livermore Amador Valley Transit Authority to conduct a demonstration project for the testing of autonomous vehicles without a driver in the driver's seat under specific conditions. Chapter 719, Statutes of 2017

**SB 20 (Hill) - Vehicles: buses: seatbelts.**

Requires a passenger, as defined, or driver of a bus to be properly restrained by a safety belt, if the bus is equipped with one. Chapter 593, Statutes of 2017

**SB 477 (Cannella) - Intercity rail corridors: extensions.**

Authorizes a local joint powers authority operating intercity rail service to expand service beyond its statutorily defined corridor if specific conditions are met. SB 477 was held on the Assembly Appropriations Committee Suspense File.

**SB 614 (Hertzberg) - Public transportation agencies: administrative penalties.**

Makes various changes to the civil administrative process used by public transportation agencies for fare evasion and other passenger misconduct violations. Chapter 219, Statutes of 2017

**SB 680 (Wieckowski) - San Francisco Bay Area Rapid Transit District**

Extends the distance from one-quarter mile to one-half mile from a transit facility that the San Francisco Bay Area Rapid Transit District (BART) can engage in Transit Oriented Development projects. Chapter 100, Statutes of 2017

## Miscellaneous

**AB 542 (Holden) - Route 66 Centennial Commission.**

Directs the State Office of Historic Preservation within the Department of Parks and Recreation, on or before January 1, 2021, to establish a Route 66 Centennial Commission to

work with local and federal agencies in a commemoration of the 100th anniversary of California Historic State Route 66 and to foster preservation projects; makes this provision inoperative on July 1, 2027, and repeals the provision on January 1, 2028. AB 542 was held on the Assembly Appropriations Committee Suspense File.

**AB 790 (Mark Stone) - Identification cards: replacement: reduced fee.**

Provides for a reduced fee for a replacement identification card issued to an eligible inmate upon release from a state or federal correctional facility or a county jail and to an eligible patient treated in a facility of the Department of State Hospitals. Chapter 348, Statutes of 2017

**AB 1684 (Bloom) - Vehicles: traffic violator schools.**

Requires DMV to study the impact of traffic violator schools on reducing subsequent traffic offenses by a violator. AB 1684 was held on the Assembly Appropriations Committee Suspense File.

**SB 810 (Committee on Transportation and Housing) - Transportation: omnibus bill.**

Makes various technical and non-substantive changes to provisions of law related to transportation. Chapter 397, Statutes of 2017

## **Project Development**

**AB 28 (Frazier) - Department of Transportation: environmental review process: federal pilot program.**

Re-enacts, until January 1, 2020, the California Department of Transportation's (Caltrans') authority to waive its 11th Amendment right to sovereign immunity from lawsuits brought in federal court thereby allowing Caltrans to continue assuming the role of the United States Department of Transportation (U.S. DOT) for National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) decision making. Chapter 4, Statutes of 2017

**AB 287 (Holden) - State Highway Route 710: advisory committee.**

Directs Caltrans to establish a State Route 710 Advisory Committee. AB 287 failed passage in this committee.

**AB 515 (Frazier) - State Highway System Management Plan.**

Clarifies that the asset management plan prepared by Caltrans must be integrated with the department's activities related to maintenance and the State Highway Operation and Protection Program. Chapter 314, Statutes of 2017

**AB 696 (Caballero) - Department of Transportation: Prunedale Bypass: County of Monterey: disposition of excess properties.**

Directs proceeds from the sale of surplus property originally purchased for the Prunedale Bypass to the State Highway Account for highway projects in the State Highway 101 corridor in Monterey County, and exempts these proceeds from the north/south split and county share formulas. AB 696 was vetoed.

**AB 810 (Gallagher) - Local alternative transportation improvement program: Feather River crossing.**

Authorizes the development of a local alternative transportation improvement program in Sutter and Yuba counties. AB 810 was vetoed.

**AB 980 (Wood) - Department of Transportation: broadband: fiber optic cables: priority areas.**

Requires Caltrans, as part of each project located in a "priority area," as defined, to install broadband conduit; defines key terms. AB 980 is awaiting a hearing by the Assembly Communications and Conveyance Committee.

**AB 1282 (Mullin) - Transportation Permitting Task Force.**

Directs the Secretary of the California State Transportation Agency (CalSTA), in consultation with the Secretary of the Natural Resources Agency, to create a Transportation Permitting Task Force, as prescribed. Chapter 643, Statutes of 2017

**AB 1454 (Bloom, Eggman, Quirk) - Transportation projects: lease agreements.**

As heard by this committee, this bill deleted the January 1, 2017, sunset date on provisions that previously authorized public-private partnership (P3s) agreements for transportation. AB 1454 was substantially amended and referred to the Assembly Rules Committee pursuant to Assembly Rule 96.

**SB 150 (Allen) - Regional transportation plans.**

Requires ARB to prepare a report to assess the progress of the state's 18 metropolitan planning organizations in meeting their regional GHG targets. Chapter 646, Statutes of 2017

**SB 389 (Roth) - Department of Transportation: transportation project delivery services.**

Authorizes Caltrans to develop a fee-for-service program for specific services related to concrete and asphalt plant inspection and testing. SB 389 was held on the Assembly Appropriations Suspense File.

**SB 622 (Wiener) - Local Agency Public Construction Act: Golden Gate Bridge, Highway and Transportation District.**

Makes various changes to the bidding threshold requirements for the Golden Gate Bridge, Highway, and Transportation District. Chapter 396, Statutes of 2017

## **Rules of the Road**

**AB 342 (Chiu) - Vehicles: automated speed enforcement: five-year pilot program.**

Establishes a five-year pilot program to give local transportation authorities in the City of San Jose and the City and County of San Francisco the authority to install automated speed enforcement systems in the two municipalities. AB 342 was heard by this committee for testimony only.

**AB 344 (Melendez) - Toll evasion violations.**

Strikes the requirement that a person contesting a notice of toll evasion violation must pay the associated penalty at the time an appeal is sought; instead, requires the penalty to be paid, if necessary, following the result of an investigation, administrative review, or court ruling, whichever is later. AB 344 is awaiting a hearing by the Senate Transportation and Housing Committee.

**AB 390 (Santiago, Ting) - Pedestrian crossing signals.**

Authorizes pedestrians to enter a crosswalk when the countdown symbol is displayed provided the crossing is completed before the countdown ends. Chapter 402, Statutes of 2017

**AB 533 (Holden) - State Highway Route 710.**

As heard by this committee, this bill increased the minimum penalty for driving an off-highway vehicle with a willful and wonton disregard for the safety of other persons or property from \$50 to not less than \$145. AB 533 is awaiting a hearing by the Senate Transportation and Housing Committee.

**AB 544 (Bloom) - Vehicles: high-occupancy vehicle lanes.**

Creates a new program (upon expiration of the existing program) to grant, until September 30, 2025, federal inherently low emission vehicles and transitional zero-emission vehicles access to high-occupancy vehicle lanes for approximately a four-year period, regardless of vehicle occupancy level. Chapter 630, Statutes of 2017

**AB 669 (Berman) - Department of Transportation: motor vehicle technology testing.**

Extends authority for an existing vehicle platooning technology testing program from January 1, 2018, until January 1, 2020. Chapter 472, Statutes of 2017

**AB 697 (Fong) - Tolls: exemption for privately owned emergency ambulances.**

Exempts privately owned emergency ambulances, as defined, from requirements to pay tolls, under conditions similar to exemptions already granted for authorized emergency vehicles; defines "private ambulance" to mean a privately owned emergency ambulance licensed by the CHP. AB 697 is on the Inactive File on the Senate Floor.

**AB 1094 (Choi) - Vehicles: automated traffic enforcement systems.**

Explicitly provides that traffic control signals at places other than an intersection, including freeway or highway on ramps, must be obeyed. Chapter 555, Statutes of 2017

**AB 1103 (Obernalte, Ting) - Bicycles: yielding.**

Allows a person operating a bicycle make a turn or proceed through an intersection without stopping if no vehicle or pedestrian is in the intersection or constitutes an immediate hazard to the cyclist while they are in the intersection. AB 1103 was heard by this committee for testimony only.

**AB 1222 (Quirk) - Vehicles: electronic wireless communications devices.**

Strikes "specialized mobile radio device" and "two-way messaging device" from the definition of "electronic wireless communications device". Chapter 297, Statutes of 2017

**AB 1303 (McCarty) - Vehicles: window tinting.**

Authorizes a clear, colorless, and transparent material to be installed, affixed, or applied to the windshield, side, or rear windows of a motor vehicle, if the material has a minimum visible light transmittance of 88%, meets specified Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standards, is designed and manufactured to enhance the ability of existing window glass to block the sun's harmful ultraviolet (UV) rays, the material is removed or replaced if damaged, and the driver of the motor vehicle has in his or her possession a certificate signed by a licensed dermatologist certifying that the person should not be exposed to UV rays because of a medical condition, as specified. Chapter 210, Statutes of 2017

**AB 1393 (Friedman) - Reckless driving: speed contests: vehicle impoundment.**

Requires that a vehicle be impounded for 30 days if the vehicle's registered owner is convicted of second or subsequent offense for reckless driving or engaging in a speed contest while operating the vehicle. AB 1393 was vetoed.

**AB 1452 (Muratsuchi) - Parking: exclusive electric charging and parking on public streets.**

Authorizes local jurisdictions to designate on-street parking for the exclusive use of electric vehicle charging. Chapter 635, Statutes of 2017

**SB 185 (Hertzberg) - Crimes: infractions.**

Requires courts to determine a defendant's ability to pay for traffic fine violations; also requires courts to make accommodations if the defendant is indigent, and prohibits courts from suspending or holding an individual's driver's license for certain violations. SB 185 is awaiting a hearing by the Assembly Appropriations Committee.

**SB 406 (Leyva) - Vehicles: high-occupancy vehicle lanes: exceptions.**

Authorizes blood transport vehicles, that are clearly marked on all sides of the vehicle, to use HOV lanes, regardless of occupancy level; conditions implementation of these provisions upon Caltrans making a determination that application of this bill will not subject California to a reduction in federal transportation funds. Chapter 392, Statutes of 2017

**SB 493 (Hill) - Vehicles: right-turn violations.**

Reduces the base fine, from \$100 to \$35, for turning right on a red light (rolling right turn), or turning left from a one-way street onto another one-way street, without coming to a complete stop. SB 493 was held on the Assembly Appropriations Committee Suspense File.

**SB 587 (Atkins) - Emergency vehicles: blue warning lights.**

Authorizes probation officers to operate emergency vehicles with blue lights, under specific conditions. Chapter 286, Statutes of 2017

**SB 672 (Fuller) - Traffic-actuated signals: motorcycles and bicycles.**

Removes the sunset on the requirement that cities and counties, when installing traffic-actuated signals, install and maintain systems that can detect bicycles and motorcycles, thereby making the requirement permanent. Chapter 432, Statutes of 2017

## Streets & Highways

### **AB 91 (Cervantes) - High-occupancy vehicle lanes.**

Requires conversion of high-occupancy vehicle lanes in Riverside County. AB 91 is on the Inactive File on the Senate Floor.

### **AB 287 (Holden) - State Highway Route 710: advisory committee.**

Directs Caltrans to establish a State Route 710 Advisory Committee. AB 287 failed passage in this committee.

### **AB 810 (Gallagher) - Local alternative transportation improvement program: Feather River crossing.**

Authorizes the development of a local alternative transportation improvement program in Sutter and Yuba counties. AB 810 was vetoed.

### **AB 857 (Ting) - State highways: property leases.**

Directs the California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) to offer for lease to the City and County of San Francisco any airspace under a freeway or other real property for park, recreational, or open-space purposes, under specific terms and conditions. Chapter 822, Statutes of 2017

### **AB 980 (Wood) - Department of Transportation: broadband: fiber optic cables: priority areas.**

Requires Caltrans, as part of each project located in a "priority area," as defined, to install broadband conduit; defines key terms. AB 980 is awaiting a hearing by the Assembly Communications and Conveyance Committee.

### **AB 1633 (Frazier) - State highways: exit information signs.**

Adds "electric vehicle charging facilities" to the list of services eligible for signage under Caltrans' Business Logo Sign Program. Chapter 158, Statutes of 2017

### **SB 400 (Portantino) - Highways: surplus residential property.**

Prohibits Caltrans, until January 1, 2020, from increasing rents for surplus residential properties within the SR 710 corridor in Los Angeles County; limits the rent freeze to tenants who are in the Caltrans Affordable Rent Program. Chapter 568, Statutes of 2017

## Tolling

### **AB 344 (Melendez) - Toll evasion violations.**

Strikes the requirement that a person contesting a notice of toll evasion violation must pay the associated penalty at the time an appeal is sought; instead, requires the penalty to be paid, if necessary, following the result of an investigation, administrative review, or court ruling, whichever is later. AB 344 is awaiting a hearing by the Senate Transportation and Housing Committee.

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**SB 595 (Beall) - Metropolitan Transportation Commission: toll bridge revenues: BART Inspector General: Santa Clara Valley Transportation Authority: high-occupancy toll lanes.**

Directs a third regional measure (RM3) to be placed on the ballot in the San Francisco Bay Area that, if approved by a majority of the voters, would increase tolls on the seven state-owned toll bridges by up to \$3. Chapter 650, Statutes of 2017

## **Transportation Agencies**

**AB 174 (Bigelow) - California Transportation Commission: membership.**

As heard by this committee, this bill required at least one voting member of the California Transportation Commission to reside in a rural county with a population of less than 100,000 individuals. Chapter 435, Statutes of 2017

**AB 179 (Cervantes) - California Transportation Commission.**

Directs the Governor, when appointing commissioners to the California Transportation Commission (CTC), to use every effort to ensure that the CTC has a diverse membership with expertise in transportation issues, taking into consideration factors including socio-economic background and professional experience, including working in or representing disadvantaged communities; directs the CTC and the State Air Resources Board (ARB) to hold at least two joint meetings per calendar year to coordinate their implementation of transportation policies. Chapter 737, Statutes of 2017

**AB 542 (Holden) - Route 66 Centennial Commission.**

Directs the State Office of Historic Preservation within the Department of Parks and Recreation, on or before January 1, 2021, to establish a Route 66 Centennial Commission to work with local and federal agencies in a commemoration of the 100th anniversary of California Historic State Route 66 and to foster preservation projects; makes this provision inoperative on July 1, 2027, and repeals the provision on January 1, 2028. AB 542 was held on the Assembly Appropriations Committee Suspense File.

**AB 636 (Irwin) - Local streets and roads: expenditure reports.**

Revises the due date for cities and counties to submit a required report to the State Controller's Office detailing the expenditure of funds for street or road purposes during the preceding fiscal year. AB 636 is awaiting referral to a policy committee by the Senate Rules Committee.

**AB 758 (Eggman, Baker) - Transportation: Tri-Valley-San Joaquin Valley Regional Rail Authority.**

Creates the Tri-Valley-San Joaquin Valley Regional Rail Authority to oversee the planning, development, and delivery of a connection between the Bay Area Rapid Transit and the Altamont Corridor Express in the Tri-Valley region. Chapter 747, Statutes of 2017

**AB 805 (Gonzalez Fletcher) - County of San Diego: transportation agencies.**

Makes changes to the governance and financing authority of the San Diego Association of Governments (SANDAG), the San Diego Metropolitan Transit System, and the North County Transit District, and adds requirements to SANDAG's regional comprehensive plan. Chapter 658, Statutes of 2017

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**SB 622 (Wiener) - Local Agency Public Construction Act: Golden Gate Bridge, Highway and Transportation District.**

Makes various changes to the bidding threshold requirements for the Golden Gate Bridge, Highway, and Transportation District. Chapter 396, Statutes of 2017

## **Transportation Financing**

**AB 382 (Voepel) - Fuel taxes: State Parks and Recreation Fund: Off-Highway Vehicle Trust Fund.**

Provides for the transfer, in the 2017-18 fiscal year, of up to \$1 million of revenues, derived from the new 12 cents per gallon portion of the gasoline excise tax attributable to Off-Highway Vehicle (OHV) use, from the State Parks and Recreation Fund to the OHV Trust Fund for local assistance grants for law enforcement, environmental monitoring, and maintenance grants supporting federal OHV recreation. AB 382 is awaiting a hearing by the Senate Transportation and Housing Committee.

**AB 636 (Irwin) - Local streets and roads: expenditure reports.**

Revises the due date for cities and counties to submit a required report to the State Controller's Office detailing the expenditure of funds for street or road purposes during the preceding fiscal year. AB 636 is awaiting referral to a policy committee by the Senate Rules Committee.

**AB 696 (Caballero) - Department of Transportation: Prunedale Bypass: County of Monterey: disposition of excess properties.**

Directs proceeds from the sale of surplus property originally purchased for the Prunedale Bypass to the State Highway Account for highway projects in the State Highway 101 corridor in Monterey County, and exempts these proceeds from the north/south split and county share formulas. AB 696 was vetoed.

**AB 1113 (Bloom) - State Transit Assistance Program.**

Revises and recasts the provisions governing the State Transit Assistance program.  
Chapter 86, Statutes of 2017

**AB 1442 (Travis Allen) - Bonds: transportation: water projects.**

Directs that a referendum be placed on the ballot to redirect high-speed rail bond funding to state water projects. AB 1442 failed passage in this committee.

**AB 1454 (Bloom, Eggman, Quirk) - Transportation projects: lease agreements.**

As heard by this committee, this bill deleted the January 1, 2017, sunset date on provisions that previously authorized public-private partnership (P3s) agreements for transportation. AB 1454 was substantially amended and referred to the Assembly Rules Committee pursuant to Assembly Rule 96.

**SB 595 (Beall) - Metropolitan Transportation Commission: toll bridge revenues: BART Inspector General: Santa Clara Valley Transportation Authority: high-occupancy toll lanes.**

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## **Vehicle & Vessel Registration and Licensing**

**AB 381 (Calderon) - Vehicle registration: Voluntary Deaf or Hard of Hearing Notification Program: establishment.**

Establishes the Voluntary Deaf or Hard of Hearing Notification Program. AB 381 was vetoed.

**AB 458 (Frazier) - Vehicle registration.**

Reduces the minimum fleet size required to participate in the Department of Motor Vehicles' (DMV) Permanent Fleet Registration Program (PFR), deletes the requirement that vehicles registered display a company's name or logo, and authorizes DMV to waive certain fees. Chapter 441, Statutes of 2017

**AB 503 (Lackey) - Vehicles: parking violations: registration or driver's license renewal.**

Creates a process that allows individuals with outstanding parking citations to repay their fines and penalties while preserving their ability to register and drive their vehicles. Chapter 741, Statutes of 2017

**AB 714 (Acosta) - Vehicles: automatic registration renewal.**

Requires DMV to establish an opt-in automatic vehicle registration process. AB 714 was held on the Assembly Appropriations Committee Suspense File.

**AB 1152 (Dahle) - Vehicles: motor carriers.**

Redefines "pickup truck" for purposes of acquiring a motor carrier permit to mean a motortruck with a manufacturer's gross vehicle weight rating of less than 16,000 pounds that is equipped with an open box-type bed not exceeding nine feet in length that may be

equipped with a bed-mounted storage compartment unit commonly called a “utility body.” AB 1152 was held on the Assembly Appropriations Committee Suspense File.

**AB 1338 (Low) - Vehicles: specialized license plates.**

Expands the eligibility criteria regarding persons authorized to obtain a “California Firefighter” special license plate to include a surviving spouse, domestic partner, or child of a deceased firefighter or deceased retired firefighter. Chapter 115, Statutes of 2017

**AB 1413 (Holden) - Vehicles: deaf or hard of hearing persons.**

Requires an application for an original or renewal vehicle registration to additionally include an option for a deaf or hard of hearing person to include a decal depicting the International Symbol of Access for Hearing Loss, commonly known as the “ear symbol” on the registration card for his or her vehicle, and requires that decal to appear on the registration card issued by DMV, if the person opts to include it. AB 1413 was held on the Assembly Appropriations Committee Suspense File.

**SB 309 (Jackson) - License plates: Reproductive Freedom Fund.**

Requires the State Department of Health Care Services to apply to DMV to sponsor a reproductive freedom license plate program. SB 309 was held on the Assembly Appropriations Committee Suspense File.

**SB 611 (Hill, Allen) - Vehicles.**

Reforms DMV's disabled person (DP) parking placard program and makes non-substantive, technical changes to the Ignition Interlock Device (IID) pilot program. Chapter 485, Statutes of 2017

**SB 673 (Newman) - Pet Lover's specialized license plates.**

Transfers administration of the Pet Lover's specialized license plate program from the Veterinary Medical Board to the California Department of Food and Agriculture. Chapter 813, Statutes of 2017.

**SB 750 (Hueso) - Vehicles: license plate pilot programs.**

Authorizes an existing DMV pilot evaluating alternatives to vehicle license plates, registration stickers, and registration cards to also include alternative methods of collecting fees related to the registration of a motor vehicle or the purchase of license plates, and the appropriate disbursement of those fees. SB 750 was held on the Assembly Appropriations Committee Suspense File.

## **Vehicle & Vessel Safety Requirements**

**AB 673 (Chu) - Public transit operators: bus procurement: safety considerations.**

Requires a public transit operator, prior to procuring a new bus, to consider specific recommendations and best practice standards related to reducing the risk of assault on bus operators, preventing accidents caused by blind spots created by bus equipment or bus design, and enhancing the safety of passengers, bus operators, or other vehicles or pedestrians. Chapter 126, Statutes of 2017

**AB 692 (Chu) - Schoolbuses: passenger restraint systems.**

Requires school districts to provide information to the California Department of Education and CHP to formulate a plan to have all schoolbuses equipped with passenger restraint systems by January 1, 2023. AB 692 was held on the Senate Appropriations Committee Suspense File.

**AB 1303 (McCarty) - Vehicles: window tinting.**

Authorizes a clear, colorless, and transparent material to be installed, affixed, or applied to the windshield, side, or rear windows of a motor vehicle, if the material has a minimum visible light transmittance of 88%, meets specified Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standards, is designed and manufactured to enhance the ability of existing window glass to block the sun's harmful ultraviolet (UV) rays, the material is removed or replaced if damaged, and the driver of the motor vehicle has in his or her possession a certificate signed by a licensed dermatologist certifying that the person should not be exposed to UV rays because of a medical condition, as specified. Chapter 210, Statutes of 2017

**SB 20 (Hill) - Vehicles: buses: seatbelts.**

Requires a passenger, as defined, or driver of a bus to be properly restrained by a safety belt, if the bus is equipped with one. Chapter 593, Statutes of 2017

**SB 145 (Hill) - Autonomous vehicles: testing on public roads.**

Makes various changes regarding DMV's authority to develop regulations and approve applications for the operation of autonomous vehicles on the public roadways. Chapter 725, Statutes of 2017

## Oversight and Informational Hearings

### **2017 Hearings:**

**Departmental Overview:** The purpose of this hearing was to introduce Committee members to departments whose issue areas fall within the Committee's jurisdiction. State departments that presented at the hearing included CalSTA, CHP, California Transportation Commission, The California High-Speed Rail Authority, DMV, ARB, Caltrans, the Board of Pilot Commissioners, and the Office of Traffic Safety. (February 6, 2017)

**Transportation Funding:** The purpose of this hearing focus on SB 1 (Beall), relative to transportation funding. This hearing allowed a public discussion of the contents of the bill. (April 3, 2017)

Hearing materials may be found on the Committee's website at:  
<http://atrn.assembly.ca.gov/content/2015-informational-and-oversight-hearings>