

## Overview

Summary from **February 8, 2021** Legislative Conference Call

1. February 8 was the last day to introduce in the House
2. Next week is the last week for bills to be heard in Chamber of origin
3. There is no budget proposal from the House yet but budget discussions will begin in earnest once the outline/proposal is released
4. Next week's conference call will be held on Tuesday due to the Monday holiday

## Clerk Bills

Bill	Summary	League Position	Association Position	Status	Input
<b>HB2400</b> – Municipal Ordinance Posting	Every ordinance imposing a penalty, fine, forfeiture or other punishment, in addition to the provisions of section 9-812, shall be published after its enactment by posting on the city's or town's website and any additional public notice as is reasonable and practicable and shall be in force from and after the date of posting. Exhibits to the ordinance may be excluded from the publications if the city or town lists in the publications where the exhibits are available for public use and inspection.			Passed out of Committee; working with bill sponsor to determine physical posting location	
<b>HB2792</b> – early ballots; request required	Specifies that a county recorder or other election officer may not deliver or mail an early ballot to a person who has not requested an early ballot for that election.			House G&E Committee on Wednesday	Class 5 felony for violation of sending an early ballot
<b>HB2793</b> - voter registration; request required	States that an agency, division or department of this state may not register a person to vote unless the person affirmatively requests to register to vote.			House G&E Committee on Wednesday	
<b>SB1106</b> - voting residency; intent to remain	Classifies, as a class 6 felony, a person registering as an elector solely for the purpose of voting in an			Senate GOV Committee on Monday	

	election and without an intent to remain.				
<b>SB1107</b> - redistricting; petition signatures; 2022 candidates	Requires the Secretary of State (SOS) to accept nomination papers and petitions from candidates for election in 2022 using legislative and congressional districts used in the 2020 elections, designated by the redistricting plan adopted by the Independent Redistricting Commission (IRC) in 2021 or designated as the 2022 redistricting plan by a court.			Moving forward in committee	League has reached out to sponsor to have clarifying language added/bill is moving forward in committee / will be coming back with additional information due to confusion regarding the proposed legislation
<b>HB2686</b> - candidate signs; prohibition; primary	Candidate signs can be placed 150 before general election to 7 days following election			Not yet assigned to committee	This change is less than two weeks more than is currently allowed. <b>Feedback:</b> League would like to know if this would be a concern or issue for municipalities. Fountain Hills, Litchfield Park, and Tolleson stated they would not support this legislation
<b>HB2794</b> - election deadlines; modifications prohibited	An officer or agent of this state, a political subdivision of this state or any other governmental entity in this state may not modify any deadline, filing date, submittal date or other election-related date that is provided for in statute. A person who violates this section is guilty of a class 6 felony.			Not scheduled but has been assigned to a committee	



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<p><b>HB2800</b> - elections; legislative session; procedures manual</p>	<p>authorizes hearings to review irregularities/stipulates that legislature can confirm or reject results of election</p>			<p>Not assigned; may have some constitutional issues</p>	
<p><b>HB2693</b> - ranked choice voting; municipalities</p>	<p>A city or town may choose by majority vote of the city or town council that elections for members of city or town council be conducted by ranked choice voting; requires the city or town to conduct voter outreach and education regarding ranked choice voting.</p>				<p><b>Feedback:</b> League would like to know if Clerks would like them to follow this bill and further discuss its status?</p>