

SWANA Arizona Legislative Agenda, 3/19/2010

Bill	Title	Summary	Status
HB2180	Aquifer protection permits; natural gas	Exempts natural gas wells from APP process. Changes APP exemption for solid/special waste facilities from "When" to "if" rules are adopted by ADEQ.	In committee
HB2241	Renewable energy production tax credit	Provides a 10-year state tax credit for qualified RE generators (>10 MW capacity). 1¢/kWh, up to 4¢/kWh for solar light/solar heat projects. C Includes solar light/heat, wind, biomass (incl segregated MSW).	In committee
HB2248	Western Climate Initiative	Prohibits a state officer from participating in the WCI	Failed in committee
HB2260	GRRC rulemaking	Authorizes the repeal of outdated rules by summary rulemaking. Proposed agency rules that require a permit must make provision for a general permit (with some exceptions). GRRC must have <u>clear & convincing evidence to approve a rule.</u>	Passed house, in senate
HB2264	Endangered Species Act	Creates a state endangered species list, managed by AGF.	In committee
HB2290	Waste Tire Disposal in abandoned mines	Temporarily allows waste tires to be used to fill abandoned mines (through 2015), such facilities are not solid waste facilities, creates a demonstration project to evaluate waste tire disposal in abandoned mines.	Passed house, in senate
2310	Indemnitee contracts	extends prohibition on indemnity for sole liability to construction and arch/engineering contracts between private parties.	Failed in committee
2337	Incandescent lightbulbs	Exempts incandescent light bulbs manufactured/sold in Arizona are exempt from federal universal waste regulations.	Passed house, in senate
HB2381	Renewable Energy Authority	Prohibits state agencies from requiring renewable energy standards of public utilities without prior legislative authority.	In committee
HB2392	Illegal dumping penalties	Creates a state provision for enforcing against illegal dumping. Imposes a minimum \$1,800 fine for dumping on someone else's property. 50% of fine to be given to local authority general fund.	In committee
HB2423	Municipal & County budgets	Requires local municipalities to post their estimated revenues and expenses on municipal websites. Eliminates requirement for special meetings (only public hearings) on tax levies.	Passed house, in senate
HB2442	Greenhouse gas emissions	Prohibits a state agency from adopting a GHG regulation program without legislative authorization. Requires a nexus between Supp. Env. Projects and environmental violation.	Passed house, in senate
HB2604 SB1036	Solid waste services and private enterprise	Prohibits a municipality, regardless of size, from restraining private commercial, industrial or multifamily housing recycling or solid waste management services. Removes the explicit definition that it is not restraint of trade to limit private solid waste services to one company per 60,000 population.	Passed. Signed by Governor, March 15
2614	Large electronics recycling	Establishes registration/fee program, management plan, from electronics manufacturers. Creates a state collection program for ewaste. Solid waste facilities that knowingly receive ewaste for disposal are subject to penalties up to \$10,000/day.	In committee
2701	Renewable energy standards	Legislature to have sole authority over renewable energy policy. Requires large utilities to obtain 15% of power by 2025 from RE sources.	In committee