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MMA's Legislative Policy Committee January 26, 2023 **Supplemental Agenda**

The following bills and amendments to bills of municipal interest have been moved into the hopper since the distribution of the agenda for Thursday's LPC meeting. Summary descriptions of these amendments have been provided in the LD List 2023 ([Attachment #S-1](#)).

Additional material, including facts and testimony, for the draft bill on municipal franchise agreements (section b, page 3, item number 1, No LD#2) can be found [here](#). Also, in that same No LD# section, item #2, No LD #5, the Governor's proposed budget, is now [LD 258](#).

- A. The LPC Subcommittee led by Kate Dufour** will provide recommendations for full LPC consideration on the following legislative initiatives.
- i. Human Services-related legislation.
 - 1. [LD 268](#) *An Act to Establish a 45-day Municipal Residency Requirement for General Assistance Programs*
 - ii. Insurance-related legislation.
 - 1. [LD 274](#) *An Act Regarding Municipal Costs for Water Used for Firefighting*
 - iii. Taxation-related legislation.
 - 1. [LR 2113](#) (No LD #7 on LD List) *An Act To Empower Municipalities and Increase Affordable Housing by Authorizing a Local Option Sales Tax on Short-Term Lodging*
- B. The LPC Subcommittee led by Rebecca Graham and Rebecca Lambert** will provide recommendations for full LPC consideration on the following legislative initiatives.
- i. Education & Cultural Affairs-related legislation.
 - 1. [LD 142](#) *An Act to Fund Climate-related Service Work*
 - 2. [LD 143](#) *An Act to Support Rural Service Programming and Promote Volunteerism*

ii. Environment-related legislation.
1. [LD 276](#) *An Act to Assist Municipalities in Preventing Damage from Storm Water*

iii. Judiciary-related legislation.
1. [LD 279](#) *An Act to Protect Against Discrimination by Public Entities*

C. Concept Draft Bills (for informational purposes, only)

a. [LD 277](#) *An Act Regarding Perfluoroalkyl and Polyfluoroalkyl Substances*