Tracking List: City of Lee's Summit

Priority: High (City of Lee's Summit)

HB1473 - Modifies provisions relating to eligibility for participation in LAGERS

Sponsor

Rep. Patricia Pike (R)

Position

Neutral (City of Lee's Summit)

Priority

High (City of Lee's Summit)

Comment

This bill authorizes the City to allow 911-operators, jail personnel and EMTs employed by the City to participate in the Missouri Local Government Retirement System. (City of Lee's Summit)

Last Action

2022-03-31 S - Referred to Senate Committee on Health and Pensions

HB1584 - Requires political subdivisions that require the installation of electric vehicle charging stations at certain businesses to pay the costs associated with the installation, maintenance, and operation of such stations

Sponsor

Rep. Jim Murphy (R)

Position

Oppose (City of Lee's Summit)

Priority

High (City of Lee's Summit)

Comment

This bill simply requires that if the City requires the installation of an electric vehicle charging station, the City must pay for such installation and maintenance.

The bill was amended during Perfection to exclude owners who consent or who receive third-party grants and agree to accept the grant funds to partially offset their cost. (City of Lee's Summit) **Last Action**

2022-03-31 S - Referred to Senate Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, Energy, and the Environment

HB1656 - Specifies that no political subdivision can require its employees to reside within a jurisdiction and changes the law regarding fire marshal employees

Sponsor

Rep. Ron Hicks (R)

Position

Oppose (City of Lee's Summit)

Priority

High (City of Lee's Summit)

Comment

The bill would prohibit any residency requirement for City employees, other than elected officials.

The Perfected bill also excludes positions appointed by the mayor or Council. (City of Lee's Summit)

Last Action

2022-03-31 S - Referred to Senate Committee on Transportation, Infrastructure, and Public Safety

HB1667 - Creates new provisions relating to the sale of kratom products

Sponsor

Rep. Phil Christofanelli (R)

Position

Amend (City of Lee's Summit)

Priority

High (City of Lee's Summit)

Comment

This is another bill preempting any local regulation, this time of Kratom products. The bill prohibits the City from regulating Kratom products and turns over all responsibility to the Department of Health and Senior Services. (City of Lee's Summit)

Last Action

2022-03-29 S - Voted Do Pass

HB1686 - Creates provisions relating to the right to refuse the COVID-19 vaccine and medical treatment

Sponsor

Rep. Bill Hardwick (R)

Priority

High (City of Lee's Summit)

Comment

The committee substitute prohibits the City from adopting or enforcing any requirement that a person get a COVID vaccination. It does not have a penalty provision against the City.

The Perfected bill does not make any changes to the prohibition against the City enacting or enforcing any COVID vaccination mandate. (City of Lee's Summit)

Last Action

2022-03-30 S - Voted Do Pass

HB1713 - Establishes the "Missouri Religious Freedom Protection Act"

Sponsor

Rep. Alex Riley (R)

Position

Oppose (City of Lee's Summit)

Priority

High (City of Lee's Summit)

Comment

This bill would prohibit the City from taking any action to prohibit or limit religious groups from holding services or meetings unless such service or meeting is for the purpose of planning or committing acts of violence or harm. "Religious group" is not defined in the bill.

The bill was Perfected without amendment. (City of Lee's Summit)

Last Action

2022-03-31 S - Referred to Senate Committee on Local Government and Elections

HB2382 - Modifies the definition of "sale at retail" for the purposes of sales taxes on certain purchases of utilities

Sponsor

Rep. Bill Hardwick (R)

Priority

High (City of Lee's Summit)

Comment

This bill exempts hotels and motels from sales tax on utilities "included in the charge for such accommodations" (page 6). It directs a refund of any such taxes paid prior to the effective date of the bill without specifying how long prior.

From testimony on the bill, this sales tax has been collected for "about a year". (City of Lee's Summit)

Last Action

2022-03-31 H - Scheduled for Committee Hearing 04/05/2022 8:15 AM - Senate-Small Business and Industry, Senate Lounge

SB672 - Modifies provisions relating to workforce development

Sponsor

Sen. Lincoln Hough (R)

Priority

High (City of Lee's Summit)

Comment

During Perfection of the bill it was amended to include the Targeted Industrial Manufacturing Enhancement Zones Act in which the City is interested. (City of Lee's Summit)

Last Action

2022-02-25 H - Read Second Time

SB724 - Modifies provisions relating to financial statements of political subdivisions

Sponsor

Sen. Dan Hegeman (R)

Priority

High (City of Lee's Summit)

Comment

This bill allows taxing authorities which have failed to provide annual financial reports to the State Treasurer or Department of Revenue to substantially reduce their outstanding fines by filing the required reports, but it also authorizes the Attorney General to submit to the voters a ballot issue to dissolve the taxing authority for its continuing violation.

The Perfected bill does not change the waiver of fines for late filings by political subdivisions, but it eliminates the provision for the AG to dissolve the taxing entity. It also adds provisions relating to financial statements of counties and school districts. (City of Lee's Summit)

Last Action

2022-03-22 H - Read Second Time

Priority: Medium (City of Lee's Summit)

HB1619 - Prohibits the use of a drone or unmanned aircraft to photograph, film, videotape, create an image, or livestream another person or personal property of another person, with exceptions

Sponsor

Rep. Dean VanSchoiack (R)

Position

Oppose (City of Lee's Summit)

Priority

Medium (City of Lee's Summit)

Comment

This bill would prohibit any drone filming or "image" of private property by the City without either the consent of the owner or the issuance of a search warrant.

The committee substitute adds an extensive list of exceptions, including some applicable to the City (see page 2), but we are not certain those exceptions cover the potential non-intrusive uses the City may have for using drone images. (City of Lee's Summit)

Last Action

2022-03-01 H - Laid over on perfection

HB2593 - Prohibits political subdivisions from regulating homebased businesses

Sponsor

Rep. Tony Lovasco (R)

Position

Oppose (City of Lee's Summit)

Priority

Medium (City of Lee's Summit)

Comment

This bill prohibits the City from requiring licensing of or imposing zoning or other restrictions on "no-impact" home based businesses, with "no-impact" including such items as no more employees and customers than the occupancy limit on residential housing, no on-street parking or traffic creating a hazardous condition and occurring in the structure or yard of the residence. (City of Lee's Summit)

Last Action

2022-03-22 H - Placed on Informal Calendar

SB649 - Modifies provisions relating to taxation

Sponsor

Sen. Bill Eigel (R)

Priority

Medium (City of Lee's Summit)

Comment

This bill would require the assessed-value percentage rate on personal property (currently 33 and 1/3%) to be adjusted annually until 2073 in order to maintain the same level of revenue growth from personal property taxes as from real property taxes (which are subject to the Hancock II downward adjustments).

The Perfected bill has become an omnibus tax bill. The adjustment to the assessed value of personal property has been limited to six counties, but one of them is Cass. The bill also (1) caps local combined sales taxes at 3%, (2) provides a real property tax reduction on the homestead of seniors if approved by the City or if petitioned by 5% of the voters and approved by the voters, and (3) exempts certain products from sales tax, including (a) farm equipment, (b) solar energy systems, (c) diapers and (d) certain medical supplies for cancer patients. (City of Lee's Summit)

Last Action

2022-03-29 S - Removed from Senate Hearing Agenda - Senate-Governmental Accountability and Fiscal Oversight - 3/31/22 - 8:45 am - SCR 1

SJR33 - Modifies provisions relating to taxation

Sponsor

Sen. Andrew Koenig (R)

Priority

Medium (City of Lee's Summit)

Comment

This Resolution, if approved by the voters, would modify the current prohibition on imposing sales or use taxes on products not previously taxed. It would allow sales and use taxes on subscriptions, digital product licenses and online purchases of tangible personal property. (City of Lee's Summit)

Last Action

2022-02-25 H - Read Second Time

Priority: No priority selected.

HB1583 - Modifies provisions relating to taxation of property

Sponsor

Rep. Jim Murphy (R)

Position

Amend (City of Lee's Summit)

The primary effect of this bill (at page 7) is to require the ballot to disclose to voters that voting to make a temporary tax levy permanent will result in a permanent increase in the City's tax-rate ceiling. (City of Lee's Summit)

Last Action

2022-03-28 H - Laid over on perfection

HB1607 - Preempts any laws or orders that would hinder the operations of a firearm business

Sponsor

Rep. John Wiemann (R)

Position

Oppose (City of Lee's Summit)

Comment

This bill would preempt any local regulation of a "firearm business" and prohibit any local regulation of the manufacture, distribution, sale, or training in firearm use, including shooting ranges. (City of Lee's Summit)

Last Action

2022-02-23 H - Public hearing completed

HB1611 - Requires candidates for office in political subdivisions to declare a political party affiliation and for that affiliation to be printed on the ballot

Sponsor

Rep. Bruce Sassmann (R)

Position

Oppose (City of Lee's Summit)

Comment

The bill does not specifically abolish non-partisan elections for local offices, but does require each candidate to declare party affiliation, or none, and for the ballot to reflect that declaration. (City of Lee's Summit)

Last Action

2022-02-24 H - Scheduled for Committee Hearing 02/28/2022 6:00 PM - House-General Laws, HR

HB1613 - Establishes provisions relating to asset forfeiture

Sponsor

Rep. Tony Lovasco (R)

Position

Oppose (City of Lee's Summit)

Comment

The bill would prohibit any proceeds of a forfeiture, whether by local police or through federal action, from benefiting the local police; all forfeitures or federal monies resulting from a forfeiture would go into the local school funds. (City of Lee's Summit)

Last Action

2022-03-31 H - Reported Do Pass

HB1614 - Prohibits the state and any political subdivision from regulating certain uses of private property

Sponsor

Rep. Tony Lovasco (R)

Position

Oppose (City of Lee's Summit)

Comment

The bill would prohibit the City from regulating vehicles parked on private property if parked on an appropriate surface. Subsection 2. of the bill would also prohibit any regulation of the use of "non-corporate-owned" property unless such use constituted a present danger to the health or safety of "neighbors or passersby". (City of Lee's Summit)

HB1661 - Adds provisions relating to the International Swimming Pool and Spa Code

Sponsor

Rep. Ron Hicks (R)

Comment

The bill mandates the use of the ICC International Swimming Pool and Spa Code as applicable in May 2021 by the City if you are regulating pools in some way, but allows the City to adopt variations to the Code. (City of Lee's Summit)

Last Action

2022-03-24 H - Referred to House Committee on Rules-Legislative Oversight

HB1670 - Creates provisions relating to the COVID-19 vaccines

Sponsor

Rep. Brian Seitz (R)

Position

Oppose (City of Lee's Summit)

Comment

The bill prohibits the City from doing any "business" with anyone who requires any of its employees or anyone else to be vaccinated for the COVID virus. The bill does not define or clarify what constitutes "business" with an entity, neither does it specify how the City is to determine whether such entity imposes any COVID-related requirement. (City of Lee's Summit)

Last Action

2022-03-31 H - Reported Do Pass

HB1685 - Establishes the Targeted Industrial Manufacturing Enhancement Zones Act

Sponsor

Rep. John Black (R)

Position

Support (City of Lee's Summit)

Comment

This is authorizes two or more adjoining or overlapping political subdivisions to create Targeted Industrial Manufacturing Enhancement Zones to attract new industry by providing tax breaks for the projects. (City of Lee's Summit)

Last Action

2022-02-10 H - Referred to House Committee on Rules-Legislative Oversight

HB1702 - Modifies court procedures for certain offenses classified or charged as infractions

Sponsor

Rep. Lane Roberts (R)

Position

Oppose (City of Lee's Summit)

Comment

The bill prohibits any enforcement action by the municipal court for failure to appear or to pay the fine for a first infraction. Enforcement is limited to notifying the Department of Revenue to enforce the fine when the person seeks to renew his or her license. (City of Lee's Summit)

Last Action

2022-02-28 H - Referred to House Committee on Rules-Administrative Oversight

HB1703 - Establishes the "Peace Officer Basic Training Tuition Reimbursement Program"

Sponsor

Rep. Lane Roberts (R)

Position

Oppose (City of Lee's Summit)

Comment

This bill provides a mechanism for trainees to recoup fees for POST training, but the bill also prohibits the City from offering any training in which the trainers and the curriculum have not been approved by POST (page 1, Section 590.060.4). (City of Lee's Summit)

Last Action

2022-01-24 H - Referred to House Committee on Rules-Administrative Oversight

HB1709 - Creates provisions related to certain experimental or investigational medical treatments

Sponsor

Rep. Cyndi Buchheit-Courtway (R)

Comment

The committee substitute makes it a violation of the Missouri Human Rights Act for the City or any governmental entity or elected or appointed individual to require any person to get a vaccine which has not received full authorization from the FDA. (City of Lee's Summit)

Last Action

2022-03-30 H - Voted Do Pass

HB2007 - Modifies provisions relating to traffic violations

Sponsor

Rep. Mike Haffner (R)

Comment

This bill would authorize the court, upon notice to the offender, to submit notice to the Department of Revenue if an offender twice failed to appear or failed "without good cause" to pay the fine and costs. The Department would suspend the driver's license of the offender, but would grant limited driving privileges until the court confirmed compliance by the offender. (City of Lee's Summit) Last Action

2022-02-24 H - Referred to House Committee on Rules-Administrative Oversight

HB2154 - Changes the law regarding cities' ability to regulate fire hydrants

Sponsor

Rep. Chad Perkins (R)

Comment

This bill would require the City to pay for the installation of any fire hydrants within the City and prohibits the City from requiring such installation unless the City pays for it. (City of Lee's Summit)

Last Action

2022-03-31 H - Scheduled for Committee Hearing 04/05/2022 9:45 AM - House-Public Safety, HR 6

HB2209 - Changes the law regarding fees by prohibiting fees for parking on public streets or roads

Sponsor

Rep. Josh Hurlbert (R)

Comment

This bill (last section) would prohibit the City from installing or using parking meters on any public street within the City. Fees for off-street parking would be permitted. (City of Lee's Summit)

Last Action

2022-03-31 H - Referred to House Committee on Rules-Administrative Oversight

HB2214 - Authorizes cities and fire protection districts to impose a public safety sales tax

Sponsor

Rep. Josh Hurlbert (R)

This bill would authorize the City (or any city) to adopt a public safety sales tax and/or a fire protection sales tax, but would requires a 4/7ths voter approval.(a little over a 57% majority). (City of Lee's Summit)

Last Action

2022-02-24 H - Public hearing completed

HB2220 - Modifies provisions relating to political subdivisions and financial reports

Sponsor

Rep. Bill Falkner (R)

Comment

This is another carrot-and-stick bill providing a reduction in fines for prior failures to provide annual fiscal reports to the State Auditor, but authorizing the Attorney General to submit dissolution of the taxing entity failing to comply. The problem is that the ballot language provides for the dissolution of the City. (City of Lee's Summit)

Last Action

2022-03-23 H - Placed on Informal Calendar

HB2248 - Changes the law regarding private probation supervision services by prohibiting drug and alcohol screen tests unrelated to the offense and requiring the use of earned compliance credits

Sponsor

Rep. Ron Hicks (R)

Comment

This bill would limit the duration of the term of probation the City could impose from twenty-four to only eighteen months. (City of Lee's Summit)

Last Action

2022-02-23 H - Referred to House Committee on Rules-Administrative Oversight

HB2293 - Exempts certain motor vehicles from sales tax

Sponsor

Rep. Jeff Knight (R)

Comment

This bill would exempt cars and certain vehicles over ten years of age and selling for less than \$25,000 from any State or local sales tax on the sale of the vehicle. (City of Lee's Summit)

Last Action

2022-03-29 H - Placed on Informal Calendar

HB2359 - Modifies who is required to report and what information is reported to the Missouri Accountability Portal

Sponsor

Rep. Chuck Basye (R)

Comment

The bill expands reporting requirements for cities participating in the program--or forced to by a Petition signed by 5% of the voters. The additional reporting would include compensation or benefits bestowed on City "employees" which is broadly and vaguely defined by the bill to include elected officials and employees of elected officials. (City of Lee's Summit)

Last Action

2022-03-23 H - Placed on Informal Calendar

HB2439 - Modifies provisions relating to peace officers

Sponsor

Rep. Barry Hovis (R)

Comment

This bill modifies the circumstances for the Director of Public Safety to commence disciplinary proceedings against a police officer. (City of Lee's Summit)

Last Action

HB2443 - Modifies provisions relating to condemnation proceedings

Sponsor

Rep. David Griffith (R)

Comment

This bill would allow the City to avoid the enhancement of a condemnation award for homestead-taking or heritage value by proving by a preponderance of the evidence that the property was (1) abandoned, (2) determined to be a nuisance and vacated, (3) demolished or repaired after a hearing, or (4) contributing to the designation of a blighted area. (City of Lee's Summit)

Last Action

2022-03-30 H - Not heard in committee

HB2454 - Provides that political subdivisions shall not enforce any ordinances struck down by a court and that the chief executive of the political subdivision may be fined for any such enforcement

Sponsor

Rep. Jim Murphy (R)

Comment

This bill requires the mayor to stop all City departments from enforcing an ordinance the court has enjoined or invalidated, to notify the public and to be liable for a civil fine of \$1,000 a day if the mayor knows enforcement is continuing. (City of Lee's Summit)

Last Action

2022-03-24 H - Referred to House Committee on Emerging Issues

HB2631 - Creates provisions relating to the unauthorized closure of businesses based on public health concerns

Sponsor

Rep. Jim Kalberloh (R)

Comment

This bill would require any elected official shutting down a private business for a reason not authorized under existing state law or "guidelines" forfeit his or her pay for as long as the business is shut down. While the bill is focused on closures to prevent the spread of COVID, it also includes closures for "any other public health concern". (City of Lee's Summit)

Last Action

2022-03-08 H - Referred to House Committee on Rules-Legislative Oversight

HB2673 - Prohibits political subdivisions from enacting ordinances more restrictive than the federal Clean Air Act

Sponsor

Rep. Hardy Billington (R)

Comment

This bill prohibits the City from enacting or enforcing any ordinance or rule relating to the use of refrigerants which are more restrictive than the federal law. This is the same as HB 2078. (City of Lee's Summit)

Last Action

2022-03-31 H - Scheduled for Committee Hearing 04/04/2022 6:00 PM - House-Conservation and Natural Resources, HR 5

HB2705 - Prohibits the use of automated traffic enforcement systems

Sponsor

Rep. Tony Lovasco (R)

The bill prohibits the City from using or enforcing any automated traffic enforcement devices after August 28, 2022, apparently including any "license plate reader" devices. (City of Lee's Summit) Last Action

2022-02-24 H - Referred to House committee on Downsizing State Government

HB2712 - Modifies provisions regarding the Missouri Sunshine Law

Sponsor

Rep. Rodger Reedy (R)

Comment

This is another bill exempting (1) security--including cyber-security measures, (2) citizen e-mail addresses and (3) public utility customer individual records from the Sunshine Law. The bill also includes a deadline for deposit of copying costs before the request is deemed withdrawn. (City of Lee's Summit)

Last Action

2022-02-22 H - Read Second Time

HB2729 - Requires political subdivisions to revise property tax levies as a result of receiving American Rescue Plan funds

Sponsor

Rep. Bishop Davidson (R)

Position

Oppose (City of Lee's Summit)

Comment

The bill would require the City to adjust its property tax rate for 2022 and 2023 to reflect the revenue received from the federal government for COVID Relief. This is substantially the same language as SB 911. (City of Lee's Summit)

Last Action

2022-03-24 H - Public hearing completed

HB2753 - Changes the law regarding businesses closed because of a shutdown order

Sponsor

Rep. Dean Plocher (R)

Comment

This bill would require the City to waive or refund prorated business license fees and property taxes for any period the City would close a business in response to the Governor declaring a state of emergency. (City of Lee's Summit)

Last Action

2022-02-24 H - Read Second Time

HB2765 - Creates provisions relating to pole replacements for certain broadband facilities

Sponsor

Rep. Louis Riggs (R)

Comment

The bill creates a fund to reimburse for the cost of utility pole replacement to accommodate broadband expansion, particularly in under-served or unserved areas. (City of Lee's Summit)

Last Action

2022-03-24 H - Referred to House-Special Committee on Broadband and Infrastructure

HB2786 - Changes the law regarding tobacco products by raising the required age to purchase and possession from eighteen to twenty-one

Sponsor

Rep. Tony Lovasco (R)

This bill restricts the City from regulating the sale of tobacco, vaping products, or "alternative nicotine products", but allows the City to tax the sale of those products "under other law" (pages 2-3). However, the bill does not specifically repeal Section 149.192 which prohibits any new or increased local taxation of "cigarettes and tobacco products" above levels existing in 1993. (City of Lee's Summit)

Last Action

2022-02-25 H - Read Second Time

HB2809 - Establishes the Preserving Freedom from Unwarranted Surveillance Act

Sponsor

Rep. Mike Haffner (R)

Comment

This bill prohibits law enforcement from using a drone to gather evidence except with a warrant or "any entity" from using a drone to inspect any person, property, or activity. It is similar to HB 1619. (City of Lee's Summit)

Last Action

2022-02-28 H - Read Second Time

HB2831 - Modifies provisions relating to the liability of employers

Sponsor

Rep. Cyndi Buchheit-Courtway (R)

Comment

This bill (pages 6-7) increases the caps on claims excluded from sovereign immunity from two to four million per occurrence and from three to five hundred thousand per person and allows awards of punitive damages upon "clear and convincing evidence" that the City violated "a safety standard issued by the employer" or by OSHA, or a court order. (City of Lee's Summit)

Last Action

2022-03-01 H - Read Second Time

HB2857 - Establishes authority for cities to issue municipal search warrants for ordinance violations

Sponsor

Rep. Dale Wright (R)

Comment

This bill would authorize municipal judges to authorize search warrants for enforcement of municipal ordinances. (City of Lee's Summit)

Last Action

2022-03-02 H - Read Second Time

HB2873 - Modifies provisions relating to the sunshine law

Sponsor

Rep. David Gregory (R)

Comment

This bill appears to authorize the Secretary of State to act as a "distributor" of Sunshine Law document requests, it requires all custodians of records to provide an e-mail address to the Secretary. It also requires all members of a public governmental body to have an e-mail address "for conducting the business of the public governmental body." (City of Lee's Summit)

Last Action

2022-03-02 H - Read Second Time

HB3004 - To appropriate money for the expenses, grants, refunds, and distributions of the Department of Revenue, the Department of Transportation, and the several divisions and programs thereof

Sponsor

Rep. Cody Smith (R)

This is the Appropriations bill for Transportation, including funding for Amtrak service in Missouri at Section 4.530 (currently at page 20). The Governor has recommended and the bill currently provides \$10,850,000 to cover twice a day service. (City of Lee's Summit)

Last Action

2022-04-01 H - Reported Do Pass as substituted

SB686 - Establishes the Missouri Video Lottery Control Act

Sponsor

Sen. Karla May (D)

Position

Oppose (City of Lee's Summit)

Comment

This bill legalizes video lottery games throughout the State. The bill (Section 313.435 at page 20) gives the City 120 days after the effective date of the bill in which to prohibit such video lottery games within the City limits; thereafter, you would have no ability to prohibit such games. (City of Lee's Summit)

Last Action

2022-03-09 S - Hearing Conducted

SB715 - Authorizes a property tax credit for certain senior citizens

Sponsor

Sen. Steven Roberts (D)

Comment

This bill would authorize the City to adopt an ordinance granting a property tax credit to homeowners over 65 with an income under \$65,000 (or \$130,000 for joint filers) such that their property taxes would not increase over the amount they paid prior to turning 65. (City of Lee's Summit)

Last Action

2022-02-10 S - Voted Do Pass

SB735 - Modifies provisions relating to certain special taxing districts

Sponsor

Sen. Andrew Koenig (R)

Position

Amend (City of Lee's Summit)

Comment

This bill would require the dissolution of any Community Improvement District, Neighborhood Improvement District, or Transportation Development District to dissolve upon completion of the project and payment of any debt; it also requires a TDD to dissolve if the board determines the project can't be completed. In addition, both CIDs and TDDs authorized to impose sales taxes must exempt the sale of food and cannot impose a sales tax which would increase the total sales taxes within the district above 3.25%, excluding State, county and City sales taxes. (City of Lee's Summit)

Last Action

2022-01-27 S - Voted Do Pass as substituted

SB736 - Authorizes a property tax credit as a result of certain restrictive orders

Sponsor

Sen. Andrew Koenig (R)

Position

Oppose (City of Lee's Summit)

Comment

This bill would require the City to give a credit on the owner's property taxes for any period in excess of 15 days that the City imposes a "restrictive order" on the taxpayer's use of real property. The definition does NOT exclude zoning, building, or fire safety codes, it only exempts restrictions "due to a violation of a public health or safety code." Subsection 2 does seem to limit the

credits to "restrictive orders pursuant to Chapter 192", but Subsection 5 again refers to any restrictive order. (City of Lee's Summit)

Last Action

2022-02-10 S - Voted Do Pass as substituted

SB743 - Modifies provisions relating to taxation

Sponsor

Sen. Sandy Crawford (R)

Position

Amend (City of Lee's Summit)

Comment

This bill adds two cities--Clinton and Lincoln--to those cities authorized to impose a public safety sales tax.

The Perfected version of this bill authorizes the City to adopt--with voter approval--any special-purpose sales tax provided the total sales taxes imposed by the City do not exceed 4.5%, with any special taxing district within the City having a cap on it's sales taxes at an additional 3%. The bill also eliminates any sales taxes on utilities provided to hotels or other transient accommodation facilities. We do not see an exemption from the sales tax cap for the hotel/motel sales taxes. (City of Lee's Summit)

Last Action

2022-03-24 H - Referred to House Special Committee on Government Oversight

SB758 - Modifies various provisions relating to bidding procedures for certain public projects for facilities

Sponsor

Sen. Lincoln Hough (R)

Comment

This bill makes changes to State and local contracting. For the City, the primary changes are: (1) changing "construction manager" to "construction manager as agent" and expanding the requirements that position would entail (pages 3-9); (2) expanding the requirements for using a "construction manager-at-risk" (pages 9-14); and (3) revising the requirements for "design-build" projects (pages 15-24). (City of Lee's Summit)

Last Action

2022-03-23 S - Placed on Informal Calendar

SB759 - Modifies provisions relating to local sales taxes

Sponsor

Sen. Lincoln Hough (R)

Comment

This bill would authorize the City to enact a sales tax for any purpose it chooses, but it imposes a cap on City sales taxes of 4.5% exclusive of County sales taxes capped at 4.5% and special district sales tax capped at a combined rate of 3.0%. Any rate exceeding these amounts must be reduced or eliminated by August 28, 2022. (City of Lee's Summit)

Last Action

2022-02-16 S - Voted Do Pass

SB786 - Establishes a reimbursement program for peace officer training

Sponsor

Sen. Jason Bean (R)

Position

Support (City of Lee's Summit)

Comment

This bill would provide reimbursement to a person or to the City for the cost of law enforcement training subject to State appropriations to the program. (City of Lee's Summit)

Last Action

2022-03-01 S - Voted Do Pass

SB809 - Modifies provisions relating to the regulation of employment

Sponsor

Sen. Andrew Koenig (R)

Comment

This bill would prohibit the City from enforcing any zoning ordinance or other regulation of home-based businesses which are otherwise legal and are "incidental" to the use of the structure as a residence. The bill would permit customers-by-appointment (without limiting the number of such customers), employees or independent contractors on the premises and unrestricted hours of operation. (City of Lee's Summit)

Last Action

2022-03-22 S - Voted Do Pass as substituted

SB827 - States that certain records of municipally owned utilities may be closed under the Sunshine Law

Sponsor

Sen. Lincoln Hough (R)

Comment

This bill would exempt customer records of municipally-owned utilities from the Sunshine Laws. (City of Lee's Summit)

Last Action

2022-03-02 S - Voted Do Pass

SB832 - Provides sovereign immunity for private contractors acting within the scope of a government contract

Sponsor

Sen. Tony Luetkemeyer (R)

Comment

This bill would extend sovereign immunity, including the caps on damages, to any contractor acting within the scope and course of its contract with a governmental entity. (City of Lee's Summit) **Last Action**

2022-01-20 S - Referred to Senate-Governmental Accountability and Fiscal Oversight

SB874 - Allows school districts to remove certain property from tax increment financing districts

Sponsor

Sen. Lauren Arthur (D)

Comment

This bill would allow a school district to opt out of a TIF plan if, within thirty days of a TIF commission hearing the school district adopts a resolution determining that the TIF project would have an adverse impact on the schools and delivering that resolution to the City. Upon receipt of the resolution, the City would be required to exclude the school taxes from the TIF plan. (City of Lee's Summit)

Last Action

2022-03-10 S - Voted Do Pass

SB881 - Authorizes a sales tax exemption for the purchase of certain solar energy systems

Sponsor

Sen. Eric Burlison (R)

Comment

The bill (at page 20) would allow any Missouri company registered with the Secretary of State, with a Missouri office and at least three full-time employees to be exempt from sales tax for any purchases of solar generating and storage equipment and smart meters which would allow a project capable of generating more than 20 megawatts. (City of Lee's Summit)

SB884 - Modifies provisions relating to firearms

Sponsor

Sen. Bill White (R)

Comment

This bill would exempt "all sales of firearms" from State and local sales taxes. (City of Lee's Summit)

Last Action

2022-01-27 S - Referred to Senate Committee on General Laws

SB891 - Creates provisions relating to the recall of local officials

Sponsor

Sen. Mike Moon (R)

Comment

The first three pages of this bill provides a mechanism for recall of local elected officials who have served at least six months in office. The petition must specify grounds for recall, must be signed by at least 10% of the voters voting in that official's election and must be submitted within sixty days' of the earliest signature on the petition. The official is prohibited from running in any special election to fill the recalled seat. (City of Lee's Summit)

Last Action

2022-01-27 S - Referred to Senate Committee on Local Government and Elections

SB906 - Modifies provisions relating to gaming

Sponsor

Sen. Denny Hoskins (R)

Comment

This is another bill that allows the City to prohibit video gambling terminals within the city limits only if the City adopts such an ordinance within 120 days of the effective date of the bill (at page 25). (City of Lee's Summit)

Last Action

2022-02-16 S - Referred to Senate Committee on Appropriations

SB908 - Modifies provisions relating to certain special taxing districts

Sponsor

Sen. Andrew Koenig (R)

Comment

The bill requires the City to file with the State Auditor and the Department of Revenue the description of the boundaries of and additional assessments or sales taxes for any NID, CID, TIF, or TDD adopted by the City. It also prohibits the City from depositing any funds into a PILOT for the TIF prior to filing the required reports. (City of Lee's Summit)

Last Action

2022-03-10 H - Scheduled for Committee Hearing 03/22/2022 9:00 AM - Senate-Rules, Joint Rules, Resolutions and Ethics, Senate Lounge

SB911 - Requires political subdivisions to revise property tax levies as a result of receiving American Rescue Plan funds

Sponsor

Sen. Bill Eigel (R)

Position

Oppose (City of Lee's Summit)

Comment

This bill would require the City to adjust its real and personal property tax levies for 2022 and 2023 only to reflect any money received from the federal government pursuant to the American

Rescue Plan Act of 2021 received during those calendar years. There would be no adjustment in 2024. (City of Lee's Summit)

Last Action

2022-03-03 S - Voted Do Pass

SB925 - Creates new provisions governing reciprocal resident bidding

Sponsor

Sen. Doug Beck (D)

Comment

This bill would require the City to give a preference to a Missouri resident in awarding public works contracts if the non-resident bidder is from a State or foreign country which gives a preference to resident contractors. Non-resident contractors must disclose in their bid whether their State or nation provides such a preference. (City of Lee's Summit)

Last Action

2022-02-16 S - Referred to Senate Committee on Small Business and Industry

SB930 - Modifies provisions regarding the Missouri Sunshine Law

Sponsor

Sen. Andrew Koenig (R)

Comment

This bill would exclude security monitoring and evacuation procedures and municipal utility customer information from the Sunshine law. The bulk of the bill limits the information state legislators possess from disclosure under the Sunshine law. (City of Lee's Summit)

Last Action

2022-03-10 S - Voted Do Pass as substituted

SB945 - Modifies the definition of "sale at retail" for the purposes of sales taxes on certain purchases of utilities

Sponsor

Sen. Andrew Koenig (R)

Comment

This bill would exempt hotels and "transient accommodation facilities" from paying sales tax on electricity, gas and water. It would also authorize them to a refund of any such taxes paid prior to August 28, 2022. (City of Lee's Summit)

Last Action

2022-03-03 S - Voted Do Pass

SB990 - Creates provisions relating to pole replacements for certain broadband facilities

Sponsor

Sen. Mike Cierpiot (R)

Comment

The bill prohibits municipally-owned electric utilities from requiring telecommunication or broadband providers to pay for replacing poles is (1) the pole needed replacing to comply with safety standards, (2) the pole was scheduled to be replaced within the next two years, or (3) the pole needs to be replaced for reasons other than the new attachment to the pole. (City of Lee's Summit)

Last Action

2022-02-24 S - Referred to Senate Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, Energy, and the Environment

SB1018 - Modifies provisions relating to condemnation proceedings

Sponsor

Sen. Mike Bernskoetter (R)

This bill modifies the determination by the judge of the heritage value of property by allowing the condemning authority to show the property was abandoned, declared a nuisance or is part of a blighted portion of property. It is substantially identical to HB 2443. (City of Lee's Summit)

Last Action

2022-03-01 S - Referred to Senate Committee on Judiciary and Civil and Criminal Jurisprudence

SB1028 - Provides a cause of action against a public body that causes economic detriment to a person for misapplication or unequal enforcement of the law

Sponsor

Sen. Mike Moon (R)

Comment

This bill would give people and every entity a right to recover economic damages from the City or any employee causing such detriment due to (1) a mistake in applying the law or (2) enforcing any law that imposes a greater burden on the person than on others. (City of Lee's Summit) Last Action

2022-03-01 S - Referred to Senate Committee on Judiciary and Civil and Criminal Jurisprudence

SB1047 - Modifies provisions relating to legislative authority concerning infectious, contagious, communicable, or dangerous diseases

Sponsor

Sen. Rick Brattin (R)

Comment

This bill would prohibit any City regulation of "infectious, contagious, communicable, or dangerous diseases" unless authorized by the State legislature. (City of Lee's Summit)

Last Action

2022-03-01 S - Referred to Senate-Governmental Accountability and Fiscal Oversight

SB1048 - Creates provisions relating to contracts between public entities and companies who discriminate against firearms manufacturers

Sponsor

Sen. Rick Brattin (R)

Comment

This bill would require that bid specifications and the granting of any contract require that the bidder disclose whether it or any affiliate discriminate against gun or ammunition manufacturers, distributors, wholesalers, retailers, or associations. The bill provides exemptions for "sole source" or unbid contracts, or transactions involving bond or loan financing. (City of Lee's Summit)

Last Action

2022-03-29 S - Hearing Conducted

SB1049 - Modifies process for municipal elections

Sponsor

Sen. Rick Brattin (R)

Comment

This bill would require that after January 1, 2023, all candidates for election to political office within the City designate the political party on which ticket they are running, but the bill does not prohibit or address non-partisan elections or require that the party designation appear on the ballot. (City of Lee's Summit)

Last Action

2022-03-01 S - Referred to Senate Committee on Local Government and Elections

SB1069 - Creates provisions relating to the use of refrigerants

Sponsor

Sen. Denny Hoskins (R)

Comment

This bill prohibits any city from adopting building codes which prohibit refrigerants that aren't prohibited by the federal Clean Air Act as long as the refrigerants are installed in accordance with federal guidelines. (City of Lee's Summit)

Last Action

2022-03-01 S - Referred to Senate Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, Energy, and the Environment

SB1074 - Prohibits political subdivisions from using federal funds for the construction of retail broadband internet infrastructure in certain circumstances

Sponsor

Sen. Dan Hegeman (R)

Comment

This bill would prohibit the City from using any federal or state funds for broadband expansion unless used to provide service to unserved or underserved areas at specific data-transfer speeds described in the bill. (City of Lee's Summit)

Last Action

2022-04-01 H - Scheduled for Committee Hearing 04/06/2022 8:00 AM - Senate-Commerce, Consumer Protection, Energy and the Environment, Senate Lounge

SB1102 - Exempts sales of firearms and ammunition from state and local sales taxes

Sponsor

Sen. Rick Brattin (R)

Comment

This bill would exempt the sale firearms and ammunition from any local sales tax. (City of Lee's Summit)

Last Action

2022-03-07 S - Referred to Senate Committee on General Laws

SB1135 - Modifies provisions relating to the Missouri Sunshine Law

Sponsor

Sen. Dan Hegeman (R)

Comment

This bill makes a great number of small changes to the Sunshine law. It (1) redefines "public business" to cover any gathering of a quorum where discussions lead to or result in an action, (2) excludes draft versions from "public records", (3) exempts security measures, citizen voluntarily provided e-mail addresses, and individual utility records, (4) exempts elected and appointed officials e-mail and home addresses and telephone numbers, (5) extends responses from 3 to 5 days, (6) allows recovery of attorney fees for reviewing and (7) requires deposit of estimated costs. (City of Lee's Summit)

Last Action

2022-03-10 S - Referred to Senate-Governmental Accountability and Fiscal Oversight

SB1158 - Modifies provisions relating to tobacco products

Sponsor

Sen. Justin Brown (R)

Comment

This bill preempts any local regulation of the sale of tobacco products, vapor products, or "alternative nicotine products". It does not authorize any regulation by the City. It is similar to HB 2786. (City of Lee's Summit)

Last Action

2022-03-30 S - Hearing Conducted

SB1174 - Provides for a statutory cause of action for public nuisances

Sponsor

Sen. Karla Eslinger (R)

Comment

This bill limits the ability to assert public nuisance actions to the City Attorney and alters the definitions of what constitutes a "public nuisance". (City of Lee's Summit)

Last Action

2022-03-10 S - Referred to Senate Committee on Judiciary and Civil and Criminal Jurisprudence

SB1188 - Modifies provisions relating to employer liability

Sponsor

Sen. Doug Beck (D)

Comment

This bill (pages 10-12) increases the caps on claims excluded from sovereign immunity from two to four million per occurrence and from three- to five hundred thousand per person and allows awards of punitive damages upon "clear and convincing evidence" that the City violated "a safety standard issued by the employer" or by OSHA, or a court order. The bill (first 10 pages) also gives a civil cause of action for the death of an unborn child as a result of a Workers' Comp. injury. This is substantially the same as HB 2831. (City of Lee's Summit)

Last Action

2022-03-10 S - Referred to Senate Committee on Small Business and Industry

SB1227 - Modifies provisions relating to illegal aliens

Sponsor

Sen. Rick Brattin (R)

Comment

This bill (pages 1-2) imposes a \$25,500-a-day fine if the City violates the existing prohibition on adopting any sanctuary policy regarding illegal aliens. (City of Lee's Summit)

Last Action

2022-03-29 S - Referred to Senate Committee on General Laws

SJR46 - Requires all county assessors to be elected

Sponsor

Sen. Mike Cierpiot (R)

Comment

This Joint Resolution would submit to the voters of the State of Missouri a Constitutional Amendment which would remove Jackson County as the only county whose assessor is appointed, not elected. (City of Lee's Summit)

Last Action

2022-03-10 S - Reported Do Pass

SJR47 - Prohibits laws or public policies infringing on the right of individuals to refuse medical procedures or treatments

Sponsor

Sen. Mike Moon (R)

Comment

This Resolution would submit to the voters a Constitutional Amendment which would prohibit the City from enacting or enforcing any ordinance requiring any person to submit to a medical procedure or treatment. (City of Lee's Summit)

Last Action

2022-03-29 S - Referred to Senate-Governmental Accountability and Fiscal Oversight

SJR59 - Replaces the property tax on real property with a sales tax

Sponsor

Sen. Rick Brattin (R)

Comment

This Resolution would eliminate the ad valorem tax on residential real estate and replace it with a sales tax at the current rate for the locale, but the sales tax would be distributed in the same manner as the ad valorem tax. Currently owned real property would pay the sales tax based on the remaining

balance owed on their mortgage. The Resolution provides payment options which would still require 10% of the taxes at the time of closing. If approved by the legislature, this would be submitted to the voters. (City of Lee's Summit)

Last Action

2022-03-31 S - Hearing Conducted