2019 SESSION RESTRICTED SUBJECT MATTER -

No matter intended to have the effect of law, including a suspension, shall be introduced or considered unless its object is to enact the General Appropriation Bill; enact the comprehensive capital budget; make an appropriation; levy or authorize a new tax; increase an existing tax; levy, authorize, increase, decrease, or repeal a fee; dedicate revenue; legislate with regard to tax exemptions, exclusions, deductions, reductions, repeals, or credits; or legislate with regard to the issuance of bonds.

Each member may prefile an unlimited number of local and special bills (those <u>required to be advertised by Art. III, §13</u> and not prohibited by Art. III, §12) and may introduce up to five such bills that have not been prefiled.

Each member may prefile up to, but not more than 5 bills whose subject matter is outside the subject matter restrictions of this session.

(Const. Art. III, §2(A)(4)(b))

Jan. 31; Thurs 2:00 PM	Deadline to submit 60 day <u>retirement advertisement</u> to the official state journal to run on Feb. 5 th & 6 th .		
Feb. 6; Wed Feb. 7 is 60 days before session start. <i>Retirement bills requiring 60 day</i> <i>publication prior to prefile &</i> <i>introduction.</i>	Final date for second retirement advertisement in official state journal and local paper if wish to <u>prefile and have introduced on first day</u> of session.		
Feb. 11; Mon 2:00 PM	Deadline to submit 60 day <u>retirement advertisement</u> to the official state journal to run on Feb. 14 th & 15 th .		
Feb. 15; Fri. Retirement bills requiring 60 day publication prior to introduction.	Final publication date for second retirement advertisement in official state journal and local paper if wish to introduce on <u>last day</u> for introduction if <u>retirement</u> <u>bill is local or falls within the subject matter</u> <u>restrictions</u> of session.		
Feb. 20; Wed 5:00 PM	Deadline to submit retirement bill request to staff for draft to be prefiled on Feb. 22 (needs prior advertisement)		
Feb. 22; Fri 5:00 PM 45 th calendar day before session start.	Deadline to prefile <u>retirement constitutional amendment &</u> <u>retirement bills, including local retirement bills, that are to</u> <u>be prefiled</u> . Const. Art. III, §2(A)(2)(c) & Art. XIII, §1(A)(2)		
Mar. 8; Fri.	Final date for second advertisement for bills requiring 30 day notice prior to prefiled and introduced on <u>first day</u> of session.		
Mar. 17; Sun.	Final date for second advertisement for bills requiring 30 day notice to introduce on <u>last day</u> for introduction.		
Mar. 26; Tues.	Deadline to submit requests to Senate staff to draft <u>non-</u> retirement constitutional amendment. (Sen. Rule 9.1(C))		
Mar. 27; Wed 5:00 PM	Deadline to submit request to Senate staff for drafting of MFP approval resolution, suspension resolution, or bill to be prefiled. (Sen. Rule 9.1(C))		
Mar. 28; Thur.	Deadline to <u>prefile</u> non-retirement constitutional amendments <u>in Senate</u> . (Const Art. XIII, $\S1(A)(1)$)		
Mar. 29; Fri 5:00 PM	Deadline to prefile bills, <u>concurrent resolution approving</u> <u>MFP</u> , or suspension resolution. (Const. Art. III, $\S2(A)(2)(b) \& It. R.9$)		
Apr. 8; Mon Noon - Session Begins	Regular Session begins (Const. Art. III, §2(A)(4)(a))		
Apr. 16; Tues - 6:00 PM	Deadline to submit bill requests to Senate staff to be introduced on <u>last day</u> for introduction. (Sen. Rule 7.6(K))		
Apr. 17; Wed 6:00 PM 10 th calendar day of session	Last day to introduce bills and any suspension resolution - (Const. Art. III, §2(A)(4)(a))		
Jun. 3; Mon 6:00 PM 57 th Calendar Day	Deadline for 3 rd Reading & Final Passage of bills w/o consent of other house is the 42 nd legislative day or 57 th calendar day, whichever is first. (Const. Art. III, §2(A)(4)(a))		
Jun. 6; Thur 6:00 PM - Session Ends	Adjournment sine die. (Const. Art. III, §2(A)(4)(a))		
Aug. 1, 2019; Sat.	Effective date of acts unless earlier/later date specified. (Const. Art. III, §19)		
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2019 Session - Restricted Subject Matter No matter intended to have the effect of law, including a suspension, shall be introduced or considered unless its object is to enact the General Appropriation Bill; enact the comprehensive capital budget; make an appropriation; levy or authorize a new tax; increase an existing tax; levy, authorize, increase, decrease, or repeal a fee; dedicate revenue; legislate with regard to tax exemptions, exclusions, deductions, reductions, repeals, or credits; or legislate with regard to the issuance of bonds. Each member may prefile an unlimited number of local and special bills (those required to be advertised by Art. III, §13 and not prohibited by Art. III, §12) and may introduce up to five such bills that have not been prefiled. Each member may prefile up to, but not more than 5 bills whose subject matter is outside the subject matter restrictions of this session. (Const. Art. III, §2(A)(4)(b)) SESSION DATES Begins: Noon, Apr. 8, 2019 45 Legislative days within 60 Calendar days Ends: No later Jun. 6; Thurs. - 6:00 PM (Const. Art. III, §2(A)(4)(a)) NOTICE DEADLINES **60 Day Retirement Notice** (a) Feb. 6 - Wed. Final date for second retirement advertisement in official state journal and NOTE: Local retirement local paper if wish to prefile & introduce retirement constitutional advertisements must run in local amendments and retirement bills, including local retirement bills, on FIRST official journal two times prior to **DAY** of session. (Const. Art. III, $\S2(A)(2)(c)$ & Art. XIII, $\S1(A)(2)$) introduction - check local journal Official state journal, "The Advocate", requires notice running on Feb. 5th deadlines for submission of ads. & 6th to be submitted by 2:00 PM on Thursday, January 31st Final date for second retirement advertisement in official state journal and (b) Feb. 15 - Fri. local paper of a retirement bill that is local or if it falls within the session subject matter restriction and is to be introduced on the LAST DAY for introduction. (Const. Art. X, §29(C)) Official state journal, "The Advocate", requires notice running on Feb 14 & 15 to be submitted by 2:00 PM on Monday, Feb. 11th. Local bills - TWO publication dates (Const. Art. III, §13(A)) **30 Day Local Notice** Local bills creating security districts - THREE publication dates. (Const. Art. III, §13(B) and for required content of notice) (a) Mar. 8 - Fri. Final date for second advertisement of 30 day local notice of a bill to be prefiled and introduced on the first day session. (b) Mar. 17 - Sun. Final date for second advertisement of 30 day local notice of a bill to be introduced on the last day for introduction of bills. DEADLINE TO SUBMIT LEGISLATIVE REQUESTS TO SENATE STAFF Senate Rule 9.1(C) - requires that legislative requests be received by Senate Legislative Services no later than 48 hours prior to prefile deadline. Senate Rule 7.6(K) - requires 24 hr receipt of request for bill to be filed on last day for filing. Deadline to submit requests to Senate staff to draft non-retirement (a) Mar. 26 - Tues. Constitutional Amendment constitutional amendment for prefiling. (b) Mar. 27; Wed - 5:00 PM Deadline to submit requests to Senate staff to draft bills and suspension Bills and suspension resolutions resolutions (including suspension resolutions outside subject matter restriction) to be prefiled on Friday, March 29th Deadline to submit request to Senate staff to draft bills to be introduced on (c) Apr. 16; Tues. - 6:00 PM April 17th (Senate Rule 7.6(K)) **PREFILE DEADLINES** Deadline to prefile retirement bills that are to be prefiled and retirement (a) Feb. 22; Fri. - 5:00 PM constitutional amendments. (45th calendar day before session starts) (b) Mar. 28 - Thur. Deadline to prefile non-retirement constitutional amendments in Senate. House computes in hours and accepts prefiling until noon, Friday, March 29, 2019. Deadline to Prefile Bills and <u>Concurrent Resolution Adopting MFP</u>. (c) Mar. 29; Fri. - 5:00 P.M. (10th calendar day before session starts) After the 5:00 P.M. deadline, each member is limited to the introduction of five bills. (Const Art. III, §2(A)(2)(a) & Joint Rule 9) **INTRODUCTION AFTER PREFILE DEADLINE - 5 bill limit** (a) Apr. 17; Wed. - 6:00 PM Last day for introduction of bills after session begins (Limit of 5 bills/legislator) and the last day to introduce a suspension resolution. LIMIT ON 3RD READING & FINAL PASSAGE - Mon., Jun. 3rd is 57th calendar day No matter intended to have the effect of law, except a measure proposing a suspension of law, shall be considered on THIRD READING & FINAL PASSAGE in either house after 6:00 P.M. of the 42nd legislative day or 57th calendar day, whichever occurs first, except by a favorable record vote of two-thirds the elected members of each house. (Const Art. III, (2A)(4)(a)) **EFFECTIVE DATES** (a) Aug. 1: Effective Date of Acts unless bill specifically provides otherwise. (Const. Art. IV, §19)

(b) Constitutional amendments - effective 20 days after governor's proclamation of favorable election results, unless otherwise specified in the amendment. (Const. Art. XIII, §1(C)) (see AGO 95-511 for computation)