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Bill Type - Number	LC Number	Primary Sponsor	Status	Status Date	Short Title	SAM Stance	Category: 1- Funding
HB 2	LC0263	Nancy Ballance (R) HD 87	(S) 2nd Reading Concurred as Amended	4/3/2017	General Appropriations Act	Monitor and Support	1 Fund
HB 3	LC0264	Nancy Ballance (R) HD 87	Chapter Number Assigned	3/31/2017	Revising expenditures and providing supplemental appropriations	Monitor	1 Fund
HB 4	LC0265	Nancy Ballance (R) HD 87	(S) Hearing -- (S) Finance and Claims	04/06/2017; 8:00 AM, Rm 317	Appropriations by budget amendment	Monitor	1 Fund
HB 12	LC0340	Denise Hayman (D) HD 66	(H) Missed Deadline for Appropriation Bill Transmittal*	3/31/2017	Generally revise school funding	Monitor	1 Fund
HB 30	LC0414	Jeff Essmann (R) HD 54	(H) Transmitted to Governor	3/29/2017	Remove voted levies approved after creation of TIF from tax increment provision	Proponent	1 Fund
HB 38	LC0473	Willis Curdy (D) HD 98	Chapter Number Assigned	3/31/2017	Revise allowable harvest volume for certain state land timber harvest	Monitor	1 Fund
HB 191	LC2267	Seth Berglee (R) HD 58	Chapter Number Assigned	2/23/2017	Provide inflationary increase for ANB funding	Proponent	1 Fund
HB 227	LC1178	Sue Vinton (R) HD 56	(H) Missed Deadline for Appropriation Bill Transmittal*	3/31/2017	Provide funding for middle grades career and technical education	Proponent	1 Fund
HB 250	LC2381	Bruce Grubbs (R) HD 68	(H) Missed Deadline for General Bill Transmittal*	3/1/2017	Require county and school district approval for adoption of TIF provision	Proponent	1 Fund
HB 270	LC1365	Fred Anderson (R) HD 20	(H) Missed Deadline for Appropriation Bill Transmittal*	3/31/2017	Generally revise funding for K-12 career technical education	Proponent	1 Fund
HB 292	LC2401	Kathy Kelker (D) HD 47	(H) Missed Deadline for General Bill Transmittal*	3/1/2017	Revise school funding laws related to inflation and 6th grade per-ANB amount	Proponent	1 Fund
HB 375	LC0711	Greg Hertz (R) HD 12	(H) Missed Deadline for General Bill Transmittal*	3/1/2017	Provide state funding for tribally controlled schools	Monitor	1 Fund
HB 396	LC2222	Bruce Grubbs (R) HD 68	(H) Transmitted to Governor	3/29/2017	Revise laws related to tax increment financing	Proponent	1 Fund
HB 418	LC2083	Kelly McCarthy (D) HD 49	(H) Missed Deadline for Appropriation Bill Transmittal*	3/31/2017	Revise funding for career and vocational/technical education	Proponent	1 Fund
HB 563	LC0913	Kathy Kelker (D) HD 47	(H) Missed Deadline for Appropriation Bill Transmittal*	3/31/2017	Establishing Montana preschool grant program	Proponent	1 Fund
HB 573	LC1905	Rob Cook (R) HD 18	(S) Hearing -- (S) Taxation	03/31/2017; 9:00 AM, Rm 405	Revise education funding laws related to tax increment financing	Monitor	1 Fund
HB 578	LC2603	Wylie Galt (R) HD 30	(H) Missed Deadline for Revenue Bill Transmittal*	3/31/2017	Legalize blackjack and allocate proceeds	Monitor	1 Fund
HB 647	LC0682	Donald W Jones (R) HD 46	(S) Hearing -- (S) Finance and Claims	04/05/2017; 8:00 AM, Rm 317	Generally revise education funding, implement general appropriations bill	Proponent	1 Fund
SB 27	LC0413	Fred Thomas (R) SD 44	(H) Returned to Senate with Amendments	3/23/2017	Amend TIF laws related to public hearings and reporting	Monitor	1 Fund
SB 94	LC0729	Keith Regier (R) SD 3	(H) Hearing -- (H) Taxation	03/29/2017; 8:00 AM, Rm 152	Provide property tax exemption for certain residential property	Monitor	1 Fund

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SB 95	LC0907	Llew Jones (R) SD 9	(H) Referred to Committee -- (H) Appropriations	3/31/2017	Authorize necessary measures to implement House Bill 2	Monitor	1 Fund
SB 261	LC0367	Llew Jones (R) SD 9	(H) Hearing -- (H) Appropriations	03/23/2017; 10:30 AM, Rm 102	Generally revise state fiscal laws	Monitor	1 Fund
HB 376	LC2376	Jonathan Windy Boy (D) HD 32	(S) Hearing -- (S) Education and Cultural Resources - Tabled 4/5/17	03/27/2017; 3:00 PM, Rm 317	Establish public charter schools	Opponent	2 Private
HB 423	LC2266	Seth Berglee (R) HD 58	(H) Missed Deadline for Appropriation Bill Transmittal*	3/31/2017	Create special needs education savings accounts	Opponent	2 Private
HB 119	LC0292	Seth Berglee (R) HD 58	Chapter Number Assigned	3/22/2017	Revise quality educator loan assistance program	Proponent	3 R & R
SB 69	LC0302	Mary Moe (D) SD 12	(S) Tabled in Committee* -- (S) Business, Labor, and Economic Affairs	1/18/2017	Create task force to study public employee health benefits	Proponent	3 R & R
SB 114	LC2172	Mary Moe (D) SD 12	(S) Missed Deadline for General Bill Transmittal*	3/1/2017	Revise postsecondary scholarships to address teacher pipeline	Monitor	3 R & R
SB 115	LC0221	Mary Moe (D) SD 12	(S) Transmitted to Governor	3/29/2017	Revising stipends for national board certified teachers	Proponent	3 R & R
SB 143	LC1111	Mike Lang (R) SD 17	(S) Scheduled for 2nd Reading	4/4/2017	Revise retiree return to work provisions in the teachers' retirement system	Monitor as Amended	3 R & R
HB 31	LC0297	Kathy Kelker (D) HD 47	(H) Missed Deadline for Appropriation Bill Transmittal*	3/31/2017	Revise school funding related to special education	Proponent	4 SpEd
HB 32	LC0298	Kathy Kelker (D) HD 47	(H) Missed Deadline for Appropriation Bill Transmittal*	3/31/2017	Revise school funding related to special education	Proponent	4 SpEd
HB 33	LC0299	Kathy Kelker (D) HD 47	(H) Missed Deadline for Appropriation Bill Transmittal*	3/31/2017	Revise school funding related to special education	Proponent	4 SpEd
HB 116	LC0300	Kathy Kelker (D) HD 47	(H) Missed Deadline for Appropriation Bill Transmittal*	3/31/2017	Increase funding for gifted and talented education	Proponent	4 SpEd
HB 253	LC0166	Moffie Funk (D) HD 82	(H) Missed Deadline for General Bill Transmittal*	3/1/2017	Inflationary increase for special education allowable cost of payment	Proponent	4 SpEd
HB 274	LC0164	Kathy Kelker (D) HD 47	(H) Missed Deadline for General Bill Transmittal*	3/1/2017	Allow ANB funding for students with disabilities up to age 22	Proponent	4 SpEd
HJ 1	LC0301	Kathy Kelker (D) HD 47	(H) Filed with Secretary of State	2/23/2017	Request study of funding for education programs for special needs students	Proponent	4 SpEd
HB 5	LC0266	Jim Keane (D) HD 73	(S) Hearing -- (S) Finance and Claims	04/06/2017; 8:00 AM, Rm 317	Long-range building appropriations	Monitor	5 Infra
HB 14	LC0318	Jim Keane (D) HD 73	(H) Missed Deadline for Revenue Bill Transmittal*	3/31/2017	Bonding program	Proponent for Quality	5 Infra
HB 66	LC0295	Amanda Curtis (D) HD 74	(H) Missed Deadline for Appropriation Bill Transmittal*	3/31/2017	Revise school funding related to facilities	Proponent	5 Infra
HB 134	LC0296	Jeff Essmann (R) HD 54	(S) Hearing -- (S) Education and Cultural Resources	03/29/2017; 3:00 PM, Rm 422	Revise school funding related to facilities	Proponent	5 Infra
HB 390	LC2442	Donald W Jones (R) HD 46	(S) Hearing -- (S) Education and Cultural Resources	04/05/2017; 3:00 PM, Rm 422	Generally revise school funding laws	Proponent	5 Infra

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HB 579	LC1169	Greg Hertz (R) HD 12	(H) Missed Deadline for Revenue Bill Transmittal*	3/31/2017	Referendum allowing counties to mill for local infrastructure projects	Opponent	5 Infra
HB 645	LC1626	Mike Cuffe (R) HD 2	(H) Reconsidered Previous Action; Remains in 3rd Reading Process	4/1/2017	Provide funding for capital and infrastructure projects statewide	Proponent	5 Infra
SB 5	LC0293	Tom Facey (D) SD 50	Chapter Number Assigned	2/8/2017	Revise INTERCAP loan program	Proponent	5 Infra
SB 43	LC0594	Jon C Sesso (D) SD 37	(H) Rereferred to Committee -- (H) Appropriations	4/3/2017	Generally revise laws governing the long-range building program	Monitor	5 Infra
SB 260	LC0357	Llew Jones (R) SD 9	(H) Hearing -- (H) Appropriations	03/14/2017; 3:00 PM, Rm 102	Create school facilities subtrust within coal tax trust fund	Proponent	5 Infra
SB 307	LC0363	Llew Jones (R) SD 9	(H) Hearing -- (H) Education	03/13/2017; 3:00 PM, Rm 137	Revise K-12 school funding laws to address facilities	Proponent	5 Infra
SB 367	LC0071	Frederick (Eric) Moore (R) SD 19	(H) Referred to Committee -- (H) Appropriations	4/1/2017	Generally revise infrastructure funding laws	Proponent for School	5 Infra
HB 13	LC0317	Moffie Funk (D) HD 82	(H) Missed Deadline for Appropriation Bill Transmittal*	3/31/2017	State employee pay plan	Monitor	6 Other
HB 23	LC0307	Jonathan Windy Boy (D) HD 32	(H) Missed Deadline for Appropriation Bill Transmittal*	3/31/2017	Provide for suicide prevention among American Indian and rural youth	Monitor	6 Other
HB 37	LC0304	Jonathan Windy Boy (D) HD 32	(S) Scheduled for 2nd Reading	4/4/2017	Revise MT Indian language preservation program	Monitor	6 Other
HB 71	LC1029	Wendy McKamey (R) HD 19	(S) Tabled in Committee -- (S) Public Health, Welfare and Safety	3/10/2017	Require certain licensed health professionals be trained in suicide prevention	Monitor	6 Other
HB 83	LC0030	Bryce Bennett (D) HD 91	(H) Returned from Enrolling	4/3/2017	Generally revise election laws	Monitor	6 Other
HB 101	LC0315	Wendy McKamey (R) HD 19	(H) Sent to Enrolling	4/3/2017	Generally revise MPERA public employee retirement systems	Monitor	6 Other
HB 103	LC0344	Geraldine Custer (R) HD 39	(H) Sent to Enrolling	4/3/2017	Generally revise election laws - administrative cleanup	Monitor	6 Other
HB 118	LC1031	Jonathan Windy Boy (D) HD 32	(S) Hearing -- (S) State Administration	04/05/2017; 3:00 PM, Rm 335	Revise and provide additional funding for state suicide prevention program	Monitor	6 Other
HB 167	LC1230	Jeremy Trebas (R) HD 25	(H) Missed Deadline for Appropriation Bill Transmittal*	3/31/2017	Encourage school-community partnerships for arts education	Monitor	6 Other
HB 190	LC0963	Dave Fern (D) HD 5	(H) Missed Deadline for Appropriation Bill Transmittal*	3/31/2017	Establish grant program for early grades dual language immersion programs	Monitor	6 Other
HB 232	LC2156	Kenneth L Holmlund (R) HD 38	Chapter Number Assigned	3/13/2017	Revise laws for dual enrollment at community colleges	Monitor	6 Other
HB 247	LC1601	Kimberly Dudik (D) HD 94	(H) Signed by Governor	3/31/2017	Revise laws on sexual abuse of children	Monitor	6 Other
HB 248	LC2105	Kimberly Dudik (D) HD 94	(H) Sent to Enrolling	4/3/2017	Revise anti-bullying laws	Monitor	6 Other
HB 265	LC1116	Mary Ann Dunwell (D) HD 84	(H) Missed Deadline for Appropriation Bill Transmittal*	3/31/2017	Create a school suicide prevention competitive grant program	Proponent	6 Other

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HB 280	LC0865	Randy Brodehl (R) HD 9	(H) 2nd Reading Senate Amendments Not Concurred	4/3/2017	Allow Legislators to conceal carry handguns on state property	Monitor	6 Other
HB 294	LC0918	Jean Price (D) HD 24	(S) Hearing -- (S) Finance and Claims	03/08/2017; 8:00 AM, Rm 317	Encourage accessible playgrounds statewide	Monitor	6 Other
HB 298	LC2387	Edward Greef (R) HD 88	(H) Scheduled for 3rd Reading	4/4/2017	Emphasize sexual abuse awareness and prevention in elementary schools	Monitor	6 Other
HB 323	LC1419	Gordon Pierson (D) HD 78	(H) Transmitted to Governor	3/29/2017	Authorize emergency use of opioid antagonist in a school setting	Monitor	6 Other
HB 347	LC2249	Donald W Jones (R) HD 46	Chapter Number Assigned	3/23/2017	Revising speech-language pathologist or audiologist licensing laws	Monitor	6 Other
HB 355	LC2192	Ray L Shaw (R) HD 71	(H) Scheduled for 3rd Reading	4/4/2017	Revise laws related to school district transportation	Proponent	6 Other
HB 370	LC1179	Bryce Bennett (D) HD 91	(H) Signed by Governor	3/31/2017	Revise laws regarding the recording of public meetings	Monitor	6 Other
HB 381	LC2028	Dennis R Lenz (R) HD 53	(S) Returned to House with Amendments	3/27/2017	Require school districts to address suicide prevention and response	Monitor	6 Other
HB 385	LC0354	Seth Berglee (R) HD 58	(H) Missed Deadline for General Bill Transmittal*	3/1/2017	Provide for the Montana school safety act	Opponent	6 Other
HB 401	LC2000	Derek Skees (R) HD 11	(S) Hearing -- (S) State Administration	03/22/2017; 3:00 PM, Rm 335	Revise local gov't and school district campaign reporting laws	Monitor	6 Other
HB 436	LC1772	Tom Burnett (R) HD 67	(H) Missed Deadline for Referendum Proposal Transmittal*	3/31/2017	Require voter approval for employer contribution increases in retirement systems	Opponent	6 Other
HB 487	LC0167	Moffie Funk (D) HD 82	(S) Scheduled for 2nd Reading	4/4/2017	Revise youth athlete protection laws	Monitor	6 Other
HB 514	LC2359	Bridget Smith (D) HD 31	(S) Committee Vote Failed; Remains in Committee -- (S) State Administration	3/27/2017	Rename school commemoration of Columbus Day to Montana Heritage Day	Monitor	6 Other
HB 561	LC2516	Jessica Karjala (D) HD 48	(H) Missed Deadline for Revenue Bill Transmittal*	3/31/2017	Establish the Montana Suicide Review Team	Proponent	6 Other
HB 590	LC1416	Jessica Karjala (D) HD 48	(H) Missed Deadline for Appropriation Bill Transmittal*	3/31/2017	Generally revise suicide prevention laws and grants for youth suicide prevention	Monitor	6 Other
HB 617	LC1324	Andrea Olsen (D) HD 100	(S) Hearing -- (S) Public Health, Welfare and Safety	04/12/2017; 3:00 PM, Rm 317	Provide for licensure of specialists in educational psychology	Monitor	6 Other
HB 664	LC2242	Kimberly Dudik (D) HD 94	(H) Hearing -- (H) Judiciary	04/05/2017; 8:00 AM, Rm 137	Create a task force to study child abuse/neglect laws and legal processes	Monitor	6 Other
HJ 32	LC1126	Mary Ann Dunwell (D) HD 84	(H) Introduced	4/3/2017	Request interim study of truancy and chronic absenteeism	Monitor	6 Other
SB 17	LC0276	Nels Swandal (R) SD 30	(H) Scheduled for 3rd Reading	4/4/2017	Revise laws related to juvenile offenders and registration as sex offender	Monitor	6 Other
SB 85	LC1469	Mary Moe (D) SD 12	Chapter Number Assigned	3/8/2017	Submitting a 6-mill levy for support of the Montana University System to voters	Monitor	6 Other
SB 99	LC0322	Cary Smith (R) SD 27	(H) Scheduled for 2nd Reading	4/4/2017	Prohibit enforcement of new federal gun laws by Montana public employees	Opponent	6 Other

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SB 103	LC0362	Llew Jones (R) SD 9	(S) Transmitted to Governor	3/29/2017	Clarify education laws related to minimum aggregate hours and proficiency	Proponent	6 Other
SB 121	LC0056	Edward Buttrey (R) SD 11	(S) Transmitted to Governor	3/29/2017	Provide that volunteer positions are not reportable to TRS	Monitor	6 Other
SB 124	LC0917	Edith (Edie) McClafferty (D) SD 38	(H) Tabled in Committee -- (H) Education	4/3/2017	Extend school district bond term	Proponent	6 Other
SB 135	LC1606	Edith (Edie) McClafferty (D) SD 38	(S) Returned from Enrolling	3/30/2017	Generally revise laws related to first aid training in schools	Monitor	6 Other
SB 139	LC0496	Duane Ankney (R) SD 20	(H) Hearing -- (H) Appropriations	04/03/2017; 3:00 PM, Rm 102	Revise k-12 school district expansion laws	Monitor	6 Other
SB 147	LC0037	Diane Sands (D) SD 49	(S) Missed Deadline for Revenue Bill Transmittal*	3/31/2017	Revise clean indoor air act laws to prohibit use of vapor products	Proponent	6 Other
SB 197	LC2280	Terry Gauthier (R) SD 40	(H) Hearing -- (H) Judiciary	03/31/2017; 8:00 AM, Rm 137	Require child sexual abuse prevention efforts	Monitor	6 Other
SB 206	LC0820	Ryan Osmundson (R) SD 15	(H) Tabled in Committee -- (H) State Administration	3/23/2017	Provide for Montana standard time	Opponent	6 Other
SB 226	LC0548	Jill Cohenour (D) SD 42	(H) Tabled in Committee -- (H) Education	4/3/2017	Generally revise summer school bus transportation laws	Proponent	6 Other
SB 227	LC2159	Jill Cohenour (D) SD 42	(H) Hearing -- (H) Education	03/24/2017; 3:00 PM, Rm 137	Revise state school transportation reimbursement laws	Proponent	6 Other
SB 234	LC2525	Mary Caferro (D) SD 41	(H) Tabled in Committee -- (H) Education	3/13/2017	Expedite teacher licensure for military spouses	Monitor as Amended	6 Other
SB 241	LC0592	Edward Buttrey (R) SD 11	(H) Committee Report--Bill Concurred as Amended -- (H) Transportation	3/23/2017	Generally revise commercial drivers license laws	Monitor	6 Other
SB 242	LC1023	Sue Malek (D) SD 46	(H) Hearing -- (H) Education	03/24/2017; 3:00 PM, Rm 137	Encourage high schools to administer civics test	Opponent	6 Other
SB 256	LC0836	Dee Brown (R) SD 2	(S) Missed Deadline for General Bill Transmittal*	3/1/2017	Revise school district election laws	Monitor	6 Other
SB 263	LC0969	Dee Brown (R) SD 2	(S) Missed Deadline for General Bill Transmittal*	3/1/2017	Revise laws on public retirement system investments	Monitor	6 Other
SB 297	LC0979	Jedediah Hinkle (R) SD 32	(H) Tabled in Committee -- (H) State Administration	3/24/2017	Generally revise laws related to voters in school districts elections	Opponent	6 Other
SB 305	LC1782	Steve Fitzpatrick (R) SD 10	(H) Tabled in Committee -- (H) Judiciary	3/29/2017	Specifying how election to fill U.S. representative vacancy will be conducted	Monitor	6 Other
SB 361	LC2379	Chas Vincent (R) SD 1	(H) Hearing -- (H) Education	04/10/2017; 3:00 PM, Rm 137	Revise education laws related to truancy	Monitor	6 Other
SR 32	LC2596	Daniel R Salomon (R) SD 47	(S) Returned from Enrolling	3/30/2017	Confirm Governor's appointees to the Board of Public Education	Proponent	6 Other
SR 34	LC2598	Daniel R Salomon (R) SD 47	(S) Filed with Secretary of State	3/9/2017	Confirm Governor's appointees to the Historical Society Board of Trustees	Proponent	6 Other
SR 35	LC2597	Daniel R Salomon (R) SD 47	(S) Filed with Secretary of State	3/30/2017	Confirm Governor's appointees to the Board of Regents of Higher Education	Monitor	6 Other