
Channel Status Report - Geaux Far Louisiana



HB1 (APPROPRIATIONS) - Jack McFarland

STATUS: Pending House Appropriations

NOTE: Geaux Far Goal 1

Summary: Provides for the ordinary operating expenses of state government for Fiscal Year 2024-2025

HB8 (SCHOOLS/HIGH SCHOOL) - Michael Melerine

STATUS: Pending House floor action

NOTE: Geaux Far Goal 2

Summary: Prohibits the use of an appeals process for certain students who fail to pass state-administered tests required for high school graduation

HCR8 (SCHOOLS/HIGH SCHOOL) - Ken Brass

STATUS: Pending House Education

NOTE: Geaux Far Goal 1 and 2

Summary: Creates a task force to evaluate the use of LEAP tests in determinations relative to high school graduation

HCR17 (SCHOOLS/EMPLOYEES) - Laurie Schlegel

STATUS: Pending House floor action

NOTE: Geaux Far Goal 1, 2 and 3

Summary: Requests the state Department of Education, Department of Children and Family Services, and Louisiana Department of Health to collaborate to increase mental health counseling in public schools

HB80 (MEDICAID) - Michael Echols

STATUS: Pending House Health and Welfare - Sched. for 3/26/24

NOTE: Geaux Far Goal 3

Summary: Authorizes transportation network companies to provide nonemergency medical transportation services through the state Medicaid program (OR GF EX See Note)

HB137 (CHILDREN) - Ken Brass

STATUS: Pending House floor action

NOTE: Geaux Far Goal 1

Summary: Provides relative to the Children's Cabinet Advisory Board

HB153 (EDUCATION/SPECIAL) - Tony Bacala

STATUS: Pending House Education - Sched. for 3/26/24

NOTE: Geaux Far Goal 1

Summary: Provides relative to special education (OR NO IMPACT See Note)

HB190 (EARLY CHILDHOOD) - Barbara Freiberg

STATUS: Pending House Education - Sched. for 3/26/24

NOTE: Geaux Far Goal 4

Summary: Provides relative to the Early Childhood Care and Education Commission

HB192 (SUNSET LAW) - Dustin Miller

STATUS: Pending House Health and Welfare

NOTE: Geaux Far Goals 1, 2, and 3

Summary: Re-creates the Louisiana Department of Health

HB290 (EMPLOYMENT/WAGES-MINIMUM) - C. Denise Marcelle

STATUS: Pending House Labor and Industrial Relations

NOTE: Geaux Far Goal 2

Summary: Establishes a state minimum wage rate (OR INCREASE GF EX See Note)

HB310 (SCHOOLS) - Aimee Adatto Freeman

STATUS: Pending House Education

NOTE: Geaux Far Goal 2

Summary: Requires public schools to provide free menstrual products in easily accessible locations (OR INCREASE

HB324 (VOTERS/VOTING) - Delisha Boyd
STATUS: Pending House and Governmental Affairs
NOTE: Geaux Far Goal 1
Summary: Provides for early voting on Sundays

HB347 (ELECTION DAYS) - Kyle Green
STATUS: Pending House and Governmental Affairs
NOTE: Geaux Far Goal 1
Summary: Extends the duration of the early voting period

HB431 (EMPLOYMENT/WAGES-MINIMUM) - Delisha Boyd
STATUS: Pending House Labor and Industrial Relations
NOTE: Geaux Far Goal 2
Summary: Provides relative to the state minimum wage (OR INCREASE GF EX See Note)

HB489 (MEDICAID) - Jason Hughes
STATUS: Pending House Health and Welfare - Sched. for 3/26/24
NOTE: Geaux Far Goal 3
Summary: Provides relative to Medicaid services for maternal and infant health

HB588 (WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT) - Raymond Crews
STATUS: Pending House Labor and Industrial Relations
NOTE: Geaux Far Goal 1
Summary: Provides relative to the membership of the Workforce Investment Council

HB594 (SCHOOLS/FOOD PROGRAMS) - Kyle Green
STATUS: Pending House Education - Sched. for 3/21/24
NOTE: Geaux Far Goal 2
Summary: Creates and provides for the Free School Breakfast Program to be administered by the state Department of Education (OR INCREASE GF EX See Note)

HB598 (PSYCHOLOGISTS) - Lauren Ventrella
STATUS: Pending House Health and Welfare - Considered 3/21/24
NOTE: Geaux Far Goal 2 and 3
Summary: Provides relative to psychologists

HB606 (HIGHER ED/SU BD SUPS) - Edmond Jordan
STATUS: Pending House Education
NOTE: Geaux Far Goal 3
Summary: Requires the Southern University Board of Supervisors to establish a program for midwives and a program for doulas within the Southern University School of Nursing, subject to Board of Regents approval

HB662 (STUDENTS) - Tehmi Chassion
STATUS: Pending House Education
NOTE: Geaux Far Goal 2
Summary: Provides for awarding high school diplomas in certain circumstances

HB702 (MEDICAID) - Matthew Willard
STATUS: Pending House Health and Welfare - Sched. for 3/26/24
NOTE: Geaux Far Goal 3
Summary: Provides for Medicaid coverage and support for doula services (OR INCREASE GF EX See Note)

HB711 (VACCINES/VACCINATION) - Jay Galle
STATUS: Pending House Health and Welfare
NOTE: Geaux Far Goal 3
Summary: Provides relative to parental consent with respect to the administration of vaccines to minors

SCR8 (HOSPITALS) - Gerald Boudreaux
STATUS: Pending Senate Health and Welfare
NOTE: Geaux Far Goal 2

Summary: Requests hospital service districts to include nurse representation on their patient care decision-making body.

SCR10 (MENTAL HEALTH) - Eddie J. Lambert
STATUS: Pending Senate floor action - Sched. for 3/25/24
NOTE: Geaux Far Goal 2 and 3
Summary: Requests the Louisiana Department of Health to develop and implement a plan for managed care organizations to provide reimbursement for certain psychological services.

SR14 (BEHAVIORAL HEALTH) - Katrina Jackson-Andrews

STATUS: Pending Senate Health and Welfare

NOTE: Geaux Far Goal 2 and 3

Summary: Creates the Community Responder Task Force to study the implementation of a partnership between law enforcement agencies, behavioral health providers, and hospitals.

SB55 (HEALTH CARE) - Gary Carter, Jr.

STATUS: Pending Senate Health and Welfare

NOTE: Geaux Far Goal 3

Summary: Provides relative to post-birth information. (8/1/24) (OR NO IMPACT See Note)

SB120 (EARLY CHILDHOOD ED) - "Beth" Mizell

STATUS: Pending Senate Finance

NOTE: Geaux Far Goal 4

Summary: Transfers unused money from TOPS to the Louisiana Early Childhood Education Fund under certain circumstances. (gov sig)

SB135 (MEDICAID) - Royce Duplessis

STATUS: Pending Senate Health and Welfare

NOTE: Geaux Far Goal 3

Summary: Requires the Department of Health to amend the Medicaid state plan to include certain additional pregnancy and postpartum coverage. (7/1/25)

SB142 (MEDICAID) - Regina Ashford Barrow

STATUS: Pending Senate Health and Welfare

NOTE: Geaux Far Goal 3

Summary: Requires doula services to be covered by Medicaid. (8/1/24) (OR INCREASE GF EX See Note)

SB145 (CHILDREN) - Regina Ashford Barrow

STATUS: Pending Senate floor action - Sched. for 3/25/24

NOTE: Geaux Far Goal 1

Summary: Provides relative to the state child ombudsman. (8/1/24)

SB148 (HEALTH/ACC INSURANCE) - "Beth" Mizell

STATUS: Pending Senate Health and Welfare - Sched. for 3/20/24

NOTE: Geaux Far Goal 3

Summary: Provides relative to postpartum depression. (8/1/24) (OR INCREASE GF EX See Note)

SB151 (HEALTH CARE) - Gary Carter, Jr.

STATUS: Pending Senate Health and Welfare

NOTE: Geaux Far Goal 3

Summary: Provides relative to free-standing birth centers. (8/1/24)

SB153 (CAMPAIGN FINANCE) - Regina Ashford Barrow

STATUS: Pending Senate floor action - Sched. for 3/25/24

NOTE: Geaux Far Goal 1

Summary: Authorizes the use of campaign funds for certain childcare expenses. (8/1/24)

SB173 (EMPLOYMENT) - Gary Carter, Jr.

STATUS: Pending Senate Labor and Industrial Relations

NOTE: Geaux Far Goal 2

Summary: Provides relative to the state minimum wage. (gov sig) (OR INCREASE GF EX See Note)

SB174 (EMPLOYMENT) - Gary Carter, Jr.

STATUS: Pending Senate Labor and Industrial Relations

NOTE: Geaux Far Goal 2

Summary: Provides relative to employment practices related to wage history, wage disclosure, and retaliation. (8/1/24)

SB176 (LOTTERIES) - Bill Wheat

STATUS: Pending Senate Judiciary B

NOTE: Possibility of adding early childhood?

Summary: Constitutional amendment to provide relative to certain lotteries and certain disbursement of proceeds. (2/3 - CA13s1) (OR SEE FISC NOTE)

SB180 (EMPLOYMENT) - Regina Ashford Barrow

STATUS: Pending Senate Labor and Industrial Relations

NOTE: Geaux Far Goal 2

Summary: Constitutional amendment to establish a state minimum wage. (2/3 - CA13s1(A)) (OR INCREASE GF EX See Note)

SB190 (MEDICAID) - Gerald Boudreaux

STATUS: Pending Senate Health and Welfare

NOTE: Geaux Far Goal 3

Summary: Provides for Medicaid reimbursement rate increases. (8/1/24)

SB200 (HEALTH/ACC INSURANCE) - Royce Duplessis

STATUS: Pending Senate Insurance

NOTE: Geaux Far Goal 2

Summary: Provides for out-of-state health insurance coverage when the governor declares a state of emergency. (gov sig)

SB213 (SCHOOLS) - "Sam" Jenkins

STATUS: Pending Senate Education

NOTE: Geaux Far Goal 5

Summary: Provides sick leave for school employees under certain circumstances. (gov sig) (OR SEE FISC NOTE LF EX)

SB282 (TELECOMMUNICATIONS) - "Beth" Mizell

STATUS: Pending Senate Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs

NOTE: Geaux Far Goal 1 and 2

Summary: Provides relative to broadband. (8/1/24)

SB300 (INSURANCE POLICIES) - Royce Duplessis

STATUS: Pending Senate Insurance

NOTE: Geaux Far Goal 3

Summary: Provides for health insurance coverage of pregnancy-related and postpartum healthcare services. (8/1/24)

SB348 (LOTTERIES) - Bill Wheat

STATUS: Pending Senate Judiciary B

NOTE: Geaux Far Goal 4 (possibility of adding early childhood); and Goal 2

Summary: Authorizes three separate additional lottery games with proceeds from each dedicated to veterans, senior citizens, and persons with special needs. (2/3 - CA12s6(A)(2)) (See Act) (OR +\$12,400,000 GF EX See Note)

SB356 (WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT) - Katrina Jackson-Andrews

STATUS: Pending Senate Labor and Industrial Relations - Sched. for 3/27/24

NOTE: Geaux Far Goal 2

Summary: Provides for workforce training and education initiative for public assistance recipients. (8/1/24)

SB359 (BEHAVIORAL HEALTH) - Jay Luneau

STATUS: Pending Senate Health and Welfare

NOTE: Geaux Far Goal 2 and 3

Summary: Provides relative to behavioral health. (gov sig)
