



Legislative Update March 15, 2019

SECTION 1: GENERAL

I'd like to remind you again that **ICBA's Capital Summit** is right around the corner in Washington DC on April 28 – May 1. Please consider joining your fellow community bankers for this high-energy and informative advocacy event. Details can be found at <https://www.icba.org/events/icba-capital-summit>.

Unlike much of the state, Bismarck eluded the brunt of the most recent storm as a warm air mass enveloped the area. Many have speculated that this "mass" was some sort of hot air vortex emanating from the Capitol! All I know is that the road off the highway to my house seems to get longer every day. Enough already winter. You win!

Early this week, legislators heard economic updates from Moody's and IHS Markit who were hired by the state and legislature, respectively. Nothing very earth shattering came from those updates although both were rosier than the current legislative forecast. But I don't think that's very surprising especially given the House's stance on revenue projections. Conservative to say the least, but probably understandable given our state's revenue dependence on commodity prices.

An interesting controversy has been swirling the past couple weeks regarding the potential misdistribution of oil tax moneys over the past decade. The Senate Finance and Taxation Committee considered legislation this week addressing the recent discovery by North Dakota Land Commissioner Jodi Smith that two funds meant to benefit the state's public schools were shorted \$137 million. The real fight on this issue will come down to the question of potential repayment as the administration and legislators disagree strongly on how to remedy the situation with Republican legislators saying there was no "shorting" of funding. The debate has drawn in a great deal of interest as it involves the offices of the Governor, Attorney General, Treasurer, State Land Board and of course the legislature.

Speaking of money, the Senate unanimously passed House Bill 1066 unamended which is more widely known as "Operation Prairie Dog" and I'm still not sure why the name. Anyway, the bill would fund airport, city, county and township infrastructure projects throughout North Dakota with up to \$250 million in oil tax revenue to be distributed based on populations and property valuations. It still preserves, however, the hub city funding for Williston, Dickinson and Minot. As Senate Majority Leader Wardner characterized the bill in his floor comments, this bill creates an almost forced savings account for infrastructure for political subdivisions as they can stockpile the allocations for their infrastructure needs.

One specific aspect of the Department of Commerce's budget was on display to a full house Wednesday as the Senate Appropriations heard testimony on funding for the proposed Theodore Roosevelt Presidential Library and Museum at the entrance of our state's one national park in Medora. The governor kicked off the hearing providing testimony similar to what he gave to the House Appropriations (who didn't provide any appropriation) in January including a video message from Teddy Roosevelt V. Many supporters followed pounding the message that this is a one-time opportunity for North Dakota and that if not funded at a meaningful level, two other states are waiting in the wings to support the project as it seems to be a bit of a foregone conclusion that a TR Library is going to get built – the Walton family's \$50 plus million commitment seems to almost guaranty that.

SECTION 2: BILL UPDATES FROM ICBND “PRIORITY” TRACKING LIST

SB 2179 – was introduced by Judy Lee at the request of the Attorney General’s Office and relates to the prevention of financial exploitation. The bill does not mandate reporting, provides immunity to bank employees, and does establish a bit of a “roadmap” for reporting if the bank opts to do so. The bill was amended to our satisfaction in the Senate and was heard in the House IBL Monday. ICBND testified in support of the bill which received a 10-0 “do pass” recommendation. It will hit the House floor early next week.

SB 2205 – was introduced by Senator Holmberg on behalf of the ND Land Title Association and seeks to streamline the foreclosure process for abandoned property by eliminating the redemption period in the foreclosure judgement if the court determines the property to be abandoned as outlined in the bill. It’s important to note that this bill applies only to mortgaged property that is 10 acres or less, improved with a residential dwelling that consists of fewer than five units and is not a model home or under construction, and is not used in agricultural production. ICBND strongly supports this bill and after passing in the Senate, it received a 61-29 approval on the House floor Wednesday. Once implemented, it should carve at least six weeks off the foreclosure process for abandoned property.

SB 2262 – was introduced by the Attorney General’s office and relates to the use and possession of skimmers, scanning devices and re-encoders. It modernizes the code and, more importantly, would make it a crime to possess such equipment. Oddly enough, it’s not currently a crime. ICBND and others testified in support of the bill in both chambers and it passed on the House floor Wednesday by a vote of 83-7. On to the Governor’s desk!

SB 2271 – is the Housing Incentive Fund bill which was heard in the House IBL Monday. The Senate previously passed the bill but reduced the funding to \$10 million from the original \$40 million asking price. After nearly two hours of testimony (way too much by the way), the committee provided amendments including reinstatement of the \$40 million funding and gave the bill a 9-1 “do pass” recommendation. It will now be on to House Appropriations where the funding level is likely to again be adjusted downward.

HB 1008 – is the Department of Financial Institution’s budget bill and was heard Tuesday in the Senate Appropriations Subcommittee. While not a General Fund agency, the department’s budget has been cut fairly significantly so far this session. ICBND supports returning the department’s budget level to that of the 2015-2017 biennium which would be about \$300,000 higher than what the House-passed bill included.

HB 1485 – is a data privacy bill being pushed by Representative Jim Kasper on behalf of Microsoft. While it’s characterized by supporters as a way to deal with public mistrust in technology, business groups including ICBND have joined a coalition in opposition stating such a bill would hamper North Dakota’s economy, impose regulations far outside the national mainstream and frustrate consumers. Our stance is that there should be one set of privacy rules developed from federal legislation. The original bill language was inspired by legislation enacted in California last year but was hoghouse amended to mirror legislation that is being contemplated in Washington. The bill was ultimately turned into a study in the House, but on Wednesday Representative Kasper again introduced a hoghouse amendment to the Senate IBL Committee attempting to bring back the Washington state proposed language. The committee did not act on the bill, but I’d be shocked if they accept the amendments. This will likely stay a study but it’s garnered much attention.

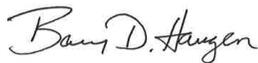
SECTION 3: BILL HEARINGS NEXT WEEK

Date and Time	Bill Number	Short Title	Committee
03/19/2019 10:30	<u>HB 1448</u>	Relating to exclusion of people from coverage of automobile insurance.	Senate Industry, Business and Labor
03/21/2019 08:30	<u>HB 1018</u>	A BILL for an Act to provide an appropriation for defraying the expenses of the department of commerce; to provide exemptions; to provide for a legislative management study of the unmanned aircraft systems industry; to provide for a transfer; to provide for a report; and to declare an emergency.	Senate Appropriations
03/21/2019 09:00	<u>SB 2197</u>	Relating to loans for family farmers.	House Agriculture
03/21/2019 10:15	<u>HB 1165</u>	Relating to nonconforming structures.	Senate Political Subdivisions

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Thank you for your participation in the legislative process. Please call, email or text me with any questions or concerns. If you'd like to be taken off this distribution list or if there are others in your organization that should be on the distribution list for the legislative updates, please let me know.

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ICBND BILL TRACKING LIST

Bill	Status	Title
HB 1008	House: PASSED Senate: INTRODUCED 02/18 S Introduced, first reading, referred Appropriations Committee 03/01 S Committee Hearing - 11:00 AM	A BILL for an Act to provide an appropriation for defraying the expenses of the department of financial institutions.
HB 1018	House: PASSED Senate: INTRODUCED 03/13 S Committee Hearing - 02:30 PM 03/21 S Committee Hearing - 08:30 AM	A BILL for an Act to provide an appropriation for defraying the expenses of the department of commerce; to provide exemptions; to provide for a legislative management study of the unmanned aircraft systems industry; to provide for a transfer; to provide for a report; and to declare an emergency.
HB 1035	House: PASSED Senate: INTRODUCED 02/18 S Introduced, first reading, referred Government and Veterans Affairs Committee 03/08 S Committee Hearing - 09:30 AM	Relating to initiated measures and election ballots.
HB 1043	House: DEFEATED 01/09 H Reported back, do not pass, placed on calendar 14 0 0 01/11 H Second reading, failed to pass, yeas 0 nays 88	Relating to the exemption of an open blockchain token from specified securities transactions and dealings; relating to the definitions of an open blockchain token and virtual currency and excluding an open blockchain token and virtual currency from specified money transmission requirements.
HB 1045	House: PASSED Senate: INTRODUCED 03/08 S Rereferred to Appropriations 03/14 S Committee Hearing - 11:30 AM	Relating to electronic transaction definitions, blockchain technology and smart contracts, number of shareholders, and series limited liability companies; relating to electronic transactions, filing of an annual report by corporations engaged in farming or ranching, Business Corporation Act definitions, knowledge and notice, share certificates, corporate voting list and voting trusts, acceptance of shareholder act by the corporation, corporate records, corporate dissolution procedure, and the filing of an annual report by a publicly traded corporation.
HB 1048	House: PASSED Senate: PASSED 03/11 H Returned to House 03/13 S Signed by President	Relating to the use of distributed ledger technologies and a pilot program.
HB 1055	House: PASSED Senate: INTRODUCED 03/08 S Committee Hearing - 10:30 AM 03/14 S Reported back, do pass, place on calendar 6 0 0	Relating to motor vehicle body damage disclosure.

<u>HB 1066</u>	House: PASSED Senate: PASSED 03/13 S Reported back, do pass, place on calendar 14 0 0 03/14 S Second reading, passed, yeas 46 nays 0	Relating to infrastructure funds; relating to oil and gas tax revenue allocations; to provide a continuing appropriation; to provide for a report; and to provide an effective date.
<u>HB 1067</u>	House: INTRODUCED Senate: PASSED 03/04 S Second reading, passed as amended, yeas 45 nays 0 03/05 H Returned to House (12)	Relating to municipal bid requirements and certificates of indebtedness.
<u>HB 1097</u>	House: PASSED Senate: INTRODUCED 02/18 S Introduced, first reading, referred Political Subdivisions Committee 03/07 S Committee Hearing - 08:30 AM	Relating to Sunday closing laws and retail agreements;
<u>HB 1106</u>	House: PASSED Senate: INTRODUCED 03/06 S Rereferred to Appropriations 03/14 S Committee Hearing - 09:00 AM	Relating to the establishment of an invisible reinsurance pool for the individual health insurance market; relating to premium taxes and credits for insurance companies; to provide for a legislative management study; to provide an expiration date; and to declare an emergency.
<u>HB 1110</u>	House: PASSED Senate: PASSED Governor: SIGNED 03/11 H Signed by Governor 03/08 03/13 Filed with Secretary Of State 03/08	Relating to the adoption of the Revised Uniform Law on Notarial Acts
<u>HB 1116</u>	House: PASSED Senate: PASSED Governor: SIGNED 03/11 H Signed by Governor 03/08 03/13 Filed with Secretary Of State 03/08	Relating to the North Dakota life and health insurance guaranty association; relating to application of laws to an insolvent insurer; and to provide for application.
<u>HB 1135</u>	House: PASSED Senate: PASSED 03/13 S Reported back, do pass, place on calendar 5 0 1 03/14 S Second reading, passed, yeas 46 nays 0	Relating to parking spaces for the mobility impaired; and to provide a penalty.
<u>HB 1165</u>	House: PASSED Senate: INTRODUCED 02/28 S Rereferred to Political Subdivisions 03/21 S Committee Hearing - 10:15 AM	Relating to nonconforming structures.
<u>HB 1171</u>	House: PASSED Senate: INTRODUCED 02/18 S Introduced, first reading, (emergency), referred Education Committee 03/11 S Committee Hearing - 09:30 AM	Relating to the development and implementation of a skilled workforce student loan repayment program; to provide a continuing appropriation; to provide for a transfer; to provide an expiration date; and to declare an emergency.
<u>HB 1181</u>	House: PASSED Senate: PASSED 03/13 H Returned to House 03/14 S Signed by President	Relating to the regulation of guaranteed asset protection waivers; to provide a penalty; and to provide for application.
<u>HB 1193</u>	House: PASSED Senate: INTRODUCED 02/20 S Introduced, first reading, referred Political Subdivisions Committee 03/07 S Committee Hearing - 10:15 AM	Relating to a living wage mandate prohibition for political subdivisions; and to provide for application.
<u>HB 1195</u>	House: INTRODUCED	Relating to customer contract clauses and the use

	Senate: PASSED 03/13 S Second reading, passed as amended, yeas 45 nays 0 03/14 H Returned to House (12)	of certain marketing practices involving automatic renewal; to provide a penalty; and to provide for application.
<u>HB 1217</u>	House: DEFEATED 01/28 H Reported back, do not pass, placed on calendar 10 4 0 01/31 H Second reading, failed to pass, yeas 24 nays 67	Relating to competition between the government and private industry and to require a report to the legislative management.
<u>HB 1218</u>	House: DEFEATED 01/25 H Reported back, do not pass, placed on calendar 11 0 3 01/29 H Second reading, failed to pass, yeas 3 nays 90	Relating to consumer towing protection; relating to custody of abandoned vehicles, notice to owners of abandoned vehicles, and right to reclaim an abandoned vehicle; to provide a penalty; and to provide an effective date.
<u>HB 1220</u>	House: PASSED Senate: PASSED Governor: SIGNED 03/13 H Signed by Governor 03/12 03/14 Filed with Secretary Of State 03/13	Relating to priority of agricultural supplier liens; and to provide for application.
<u>HB 1222</u>	House: DEFEATED 02/04 H Reported back, do not pass, placed on calendar 10 3 1 02/08 H Second reading, failed to pass, yeas 17 nays 71	Relating to the elimination of individual and corporate income tax and the imposition of a flat individual and corporate income tax at a rate of one percent; relating to the elimination of individual and corporate income tax; and to provide an effective date.
<u>HB 1235</u>	House: DEFEATED 02/05 H Reported back, do not pass, placed on calendar 12 2 0 02/11 H Second reading, failed to pass, yeas 16 nays 77	Relating to a corporate income tax credit and an employer deduction for reimbursement of employee child care expenditures; and to provide an effective date.
<u>HB 1241</u>	House: PASSED Senate: INTRODUCED 02/18 S Introduced, first reading, referred Finance and Taxation Committee 03/11 S Committee Hearing - 10:30 AM	Relating to an individual income tax deduction for contributions made to a first-time home buyer savings account; and to provide an effective date.
<u>HB 1243</u>	House: DEFEATED 01/25 H Reported back, do not pass, placed on calendar 10 4 0 01/30 H Second reading, failed to pass, yeas 12 nays 80	Relating to recording of easements.
<u>HB 1251</u>	House: INTRODUCED Senate: PASSED 03/11 S Second reading, passed as amended, yeas 41 nays 4 03/12 H Returned to House (12)	Relating to property disclosure requirements.
<u>HB 1253</u>	House: DEFEATED 02/14 H Amendment adopted, placed on calendar 02/15 H Second reading, failed to pass, yeas 5 nays 84	Relating to a criminal conviction and state licensure.
<u>HB 1263</u>	House: PASSED Senate: INTRODUCED 02/18 S Introduced, first reading, (emergency), referred Transportation Committee 03/14 S Committee Hearing - 02:00 PM	Relating to right of an owner to reclaim an abandoned vehicle; relating to custody and disposition of abandoned motor vehicles; to provide a penalty; and to declare an emergency.
<u>HB 1293</u>	House: DEFEATED 02/08 H Amendment adopted, placed on calendar 02/13 H Second reading, failed to pass, yeas 17 nays 75	Relating to retail business leases or agreements relating to employer's discriminatory practices and one day of rest; and to provide a contingent effective date.

HB 1317	House: DEFEATED 01/25 H Reported back, do not pass, placed on calendar 13 0 1 01/29 H Second reading, failed to pass, yeas 19 nays 74	Relating to the restriction on the possession of a firearm or dangerous weapon.
HB 1340	House: WITHDRAWN 01/14 H Request return from committee 01/14 H Withdrawn from further consideration	Relating to the period of property tax delinquency before foreclosure of a tax lien; to provide for application; and to provide an effective date.
HB 1371	House: DEFEATED 02/08 H Amendment adopted, placed on calendar 02/13 H Second reading, failed to pass, yeas 7 nays 83	Relating to new hire reporting of independent contractors; and to provide an effective date.
HB 1407	House: PASSED Senate: INTRODUCED 02/18 S Introduced, first reading, referred Transportation Committee 03/08 S Committee Hearing - 11:00 AM	Relating to the issuance of certificates of vehicle title.
HB 1441	House: DEFEATED 02/14 H Laid over one legislative day 02/18 H Second reading, failed to pass, yeas 22 nays 70	Relating to prohibition of discrimination on the basis of sexual orientation.
HB 1448	House: PASSED Senate: INTRODUCED 03/06 S Rereferred to Industry, Business and Labor 03/19 S Committee Hearing - 10:30 AM	Relating to exclusion of people from coverage of automobile insurance.
HB 1467	House: PASSED Senate: INTRODUCED 02/20 S Introduced, first reading, referred Agriculture Committee 03/08 S Committee Hearing - 09:30 AM	Relating to the definition of agriculture commissioner; relating to moving the authority over grain, grain buyers, warehousing, deposits, and warehousemen from the public service commission to the agriculture commissioner; to provide a penalty; and to provide a continuing appropriation.
HB 1475	House: PASSED Senate: INTRODUCED 02/18 S Introduced, first reading, referred Finance and Taxation Committee 03/06 S Committee Hearing - 09:45 AM	Relating to an income tax exclusion for employee education assistance provided by an employer; and to provide an effective date.
HB 1481	House: DEFEATED 02/12 H Laid over one legislative day 02/13 H Second reading, failed to pass, yeas 24 nays 68	Relating to determination of the true and full valuation of property; and to provide an effective date.
HB 1484	House: DEFEATED 02/06 H Reported back, do not pass, placed on calendar 12 2 0 02/11 H Second reading, failed to pass, yeas 15 nays 78	Relating to a health and human services stabilization fund and a paid family medical leave program; relating to matching grants for institutions under the control of the state board of higher education; to provide an appropriation; to provide for transfers; to provide statements of legislative intent; and to declare an emergency.
HB 1485	House: PASSED Senate: INTRODUCED 02/20 S Introduced, first reading, referred Industry, Business and Labor Committee 03/13 S Committee Hearing - 08:00 AM	Relating to protection against the disclosure of personal information; and to provide a penalty.
HB 1486	House: DEFEATED 02/20 H Second reading, failed to pass, yeas 11 nays 81 02/20 H Motion to reconsider laid on table	Relating to designating central standard time as the official standard time for North Dakota.
HB 1494	House: DEFEATED 02/01 H Amendment adopted, placed on calendar	Relating to interest rates set by the Bank of North Dakota.

	02/06 H Second reading, failed to pass, yeas 6 nays 86	
<u>HB 1509</u>	House: DEFEATED 01/30 H Reported back, do not pass, placed on calendar 9 3 2 02/05 H Second reading, failed to pass, yeas 17 nays 75	Relating to a paid family medical leave program; to provide an appropriation; and to provide for a transfer.
<u>HB 1513</u>	House: PASSED Senate: INTRODUCED 02/18 S Introduced, first reading, referred Finance and Taxation Committee 03/06 S Committee Hearing - 09:30 AM	Relating to individual income tax credits that may be claimed by a taxpayer; to repeal sections 57-38-01.20, 57-38-01.24, and 57-38-01.25 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the family care tax credit, internship employment tax credit, and workforce recruitment tax credit; and to provide an effective date.
<u>HB 1521</u>	House: PASSED Senate: INTRODUCED 02/27 S Introduced, first reading, (emergency), referred Special Committee on Ethics Committee 03/12 S Committee Hearing - 03:45 PM	Relating to reporting campaign contributions and expenditures, restrictions on public officials and lobbyists, investigations of ethics violations, and implementing requirements of article XIV of the Constitution of North Dakota; relating to rulemaking procedures, disqualification of agency heads in quasi-judicial proceedings, implementing article XIV of the Constitution of North Dakota, and requirements for the North Dakota ethics commission; to provide for a penalty; to provide an appropriation; to provide an effective date; to provide an expiration date; and to declare an emergency.
<u>HB 1524</u>	House: PASSED Senate: INTRODUCED 02/18 S Introduced, first reading, referred Industry, Business and Labor Committee 02/27 S Committee Hearing - 11:00 AM	Relating to the regulation of data brokers; and to provide a penalty.
<u>HB 1530</u>	House: PASSED Senate: INTRODUCED 02/19 S Introduced, first reading, referred Finance and Taxation Committee 03/12 S Committee Hearing - 10:00 AM	Relating to an income tax rate reduction fund and the transfer of legacy fund earnings; to repeal chapter 57-38 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the income tax; to provide a continuing appropriation; to provide an exemption; and to provide an effective date.
<u>SB 2075</u>	Senate: PASSED House: PASSED Governor: SIGNED 03/12 S Sent to Governor 03/14 S Signed by Governor 03/14	Relating to appraisal management companies.
<u>SB 2093</u>	Senate: PASSED House: PASSED Governor: SIGNED 03/12 S Sent to Governor 03/14 S Signed by Governor 03/14	Relating to the examination of technology service providers, the capital requirement for trust companies, the examination of trust companies, the definition of a financial institution, surety bond requirements for money brokers and collection agencies, notice requirement for deferred presentment service providers, fees for money transmitters, and reporting requirements for debt-settlement providers; relating to automatic renewal of license in 2009 for money brokers, automatic renewal of license in 2014 for collection agencies, deferred presentment service providers, and money transmitters.
<u>SB 2098</u>	Senate: PASSED	Relating to the Bank of North Dakota residential

	House: PASSED Governor: SIGNED 03/12 S Sent to Governor 03/14 S Signed by Governor 03/14	mortgage loan program.
<u>SB 2099</u>	Senate: PASSED House: INTRODUCED 03/05 H Committee Hearing - 02:00 PM 03/11 H Reported back, do pass, place on calendar 11 0 3	Relating to the medical facility infrastructure loan fund; and to declare an emergency.
<u>SB 2104</u>	Senate: DEFEATED 01/30 S Reported back, do not pass, placed on calendar 6 0 0 01/31 S Second reading, failed to pass, yeas 3 nays 42	Relating to the state's share of oil and gas taxes; and to provide an effective date.
<u>SB 2111</u>	Senate: PASSED House: DEFEATED 02/27 H Reported back, do pass, place on calendar 10 1 3 02/28 H Second reading, failed to pass, yeas 32 nays 60	Relating to electronic remittal of funds withheld under an income withholding order and new hire reporting; and to provide for an effective date.
<u>SB 2115</u>	Senate: PASSED House: INTRODUCED 03/04 H Committee Hearing - 02:30 PM 03/14 H Reported back amended, do pass, amendment placed on calendar 11 1 2	Relating to child support; to repeal section 14-09-09.37 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to child support; and to provide a continuing appropriation.
<u>SB 2116</u>	Senate: DEFEATED 01/30 S Reported back, do not pass, placed on calendar 7 0 0 01/31 S Second reading, failed to pass, yeas 2 nays 43	Relating to the infrastructure revolving loan fund.
<u>SB 2130</u>	Senate: PASSED House: PASSED Governor: SIGNED 03/08 S Signed by Governor 03/08 03/12 Filed with Secretary Of State 03/08	Relating to state agency fees.
<u>SB 2148</u>	Senate: PASSED House: INTRODUCED 02/27 H Introduced, first reading, referred Ethics Committee 03/12 H Committee Hearing - 02:15 PM	Relating to disclosures of expenditures, restrictions on public officials and lobbyists, investigations of ethics violations, and implementing requirements of article XIV of the Constitution of North Dakota; relating to the prohibition on personal use of campaign contributions and the rulemaking procedures and requirements for the North Dakota ethics commission; to provide a penalty; and to provide an appropriation.
<u>SB 2179</u>	Senate: PASSED House: INTRODUCED 03/13 H Reported back amended, do pass, amendment placed on calendar 10 0 4 03/14 H Amendment adopted, placed on calendar	Relating to the prevention of financial exploitation; and to amend and reenact section 6-08.1-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to a financial institution's duty of confidentiality.
<u>SB 2197</u>	Senate: PASSED House: INTRODUCED 02/28 H Rereferred to Agriculture 03/21 H Committee Hearing - 09:00 AM	Relating to loans for family farmers.
<u>SB 2205</u>	Senate: PASSED House: PASSED 03/13 H Second reading, passed, yeas 61 nays 29 03/14 S Returned to Senate	Relating to abandoned property; relating to foreclosure of real estate.

<u>SB 2214</u>	Senate: PASSED House: INTRODUCED 02/18 H Introduced, first reading, referred Education Committee 03/12 H Committee Hearing - 09:15 AM	Relating to debt service payments; relating to borrowing and lending authority, reserve funds, and school construction loans; to authorize the use of funds; to provide a bond issuance limitation; and to provide an appropriation.
<u>SB 2219</u>	Senate: DEFEATED 01/25 S Amendment adopted, placed on calendar 01/28 S Second reading, failed to pass, yeas 16 nays 29	Relating to the confidentiality of social security numbers; relating to data processing information confidentiality; and to provide a penalty.
<u>SB 2237</u>	Senate: DEFEATED 01/24 S Reported back, do not pass, placed on calendar 5 1 0 01/28 S Second reading, failed to pass, yeas 13 nays 32	Relating to a corporate income tax credit and an employer deduction for reimbursement of employee child care expenditures; and to provide an effective date.
<u>SB 2252</u>	Senate: DEFEATED 01/29 S Reported back, do not pass, placed on calendar 5 0 1 01/30 S Second reading, failed to pass, yeas 6 nays 39	Relating to deferred presentment service transaction fees; to provide a penalty; and to provide for application.
<u>SB 2262</u>	Senate: PASSED House: PASSED 03/13 H Second reading, passed, yeas 83 nays 7 03/14 S Returned to Senate	Relating to the use and possession of re-encoders and scanning devices; relating to the unauthorized use of personal identifying information; to repeal section 12.1-23-17 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the unlawful skimming of credit, debit, or other electronic payment cards; and to provide a penalty.
<u>SB 2271</u>	Senate: PASSED House: INTRODUCED 02/27 H Introduced, first reading, referred Industry, Business and Labor Committee 03/11 H Committee Hearing - 02:00 PM	Relating to the housing incentive fund; to provide a transfer; and to provide an appropriation.
<u>SB 2275</u>	Senate: PASSED House: INTRODUCED 02/27 H Introduced, first reading, referred Appropriations Committee 03/12 H Committee Hearing - 08:15 AM	Relating to the infrastructure revolving loan fund debt repayments; relating to the infrastructure revolving loan fund, borrowing and lending authority, reserve funds, and expanded bonding authority for counties; to repeal section 61-02-78 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to a revolving loan fund for water projects; to provide a transfer; to provide a continuing appropriation; to provide a bond issuance limitation; and to provide an effective date.
<u>SB 2282</u>	Senate: PASSED House: INTRODUCED 02/27 H Introduced, first reading, referred Appropriations Committee 03/11 H Committee Hearing - 03:00 PM	Relating to legacy fund earnings; to provide for a report to the legislative management; and to provide an appropriation.
<u>SB 2296</u>	Senate: PASSED House: PASSED 03/08 H Reported back, do pass, place on calendar 11 0 3 03/14 H Second reading, passed, yeas 83 nays 6	Relating to the Bank of North Dakota loan guarantee program.
<u>SB 2302</u>	Senate: DEFEATED 01/30 S Reported back, do not pass, placed on calendar 5 1 0 01/31 S Second reading, failed to pass, yeas 11 nays 34	Relating to an income tax credit for contributions to the housing incentive fund; and to provide an effective date.
<u>SB 2303</u>	Senate: DEFEATED 01/25 S Amendment failed	Relating to prohibition of discrimination on the basis of sexual orientation.

	01/25 S Second reading, failed to pass, yeas 20 nays 27	
<u>SB 2346</u>	Senate: PASSED House: INTRODUCED 02/27 H Introduced, first reading, referred Agriculture Committee 03/15 H Committee Hearing - 10:30 AM	Relating to records confidentiality for warehousemen and grain buyers and assessment refunds for grain producers; relating to warehouse and grain buyer licensing, scale ticket conversions, claims distributions, assessments and refunds, subrogation, and unlicensed grain buyers; to provide a penalty; to provide a continuing appropriation; and to provide for reports.
<u>SB 2354</u>	Senate: DEFEATED 02/07 S Reported back, do not pass, placed on calendar 6 0 0 02/08 S Second reading, failed to pass, yeas 2 nays 44	Relating to restoration of real property as a measure of damages.
<u>SB 2357</u>	Senate: PASSED House: DEFEATED 03/11 H Amendment adopted, placed on calendar 03/14 H Second reading, failed to pass, yeas 18 nays 71	A BILL for an Act to provide for a Bank of North Dakota loan guarantee program for federal workers affected by the federal shutdown; and to declare an emergency.
<u>HCR 3002</u>	House: DEFEATED 02/07 H Reported back, do not pass, placed on consent calendar 14 0 0 02/08 H Second reading, failed to adopt	A concurrent resolution requesting the Legislative Management to study the potential benefits of distributed ledger technology and blockchain for state government.
<u>HCR 3004</u>	House: PASSED Senate: INTRODUCED 02/28 S Received from House 02/28 S Introduced, first reading, referred Industry, Business and Labor Committee	A concurrent resolution requesting the Legislative Management to study the potential benefit value of blockchain technology implementation and utilization in state government administration and affairs.
<u>HCR 3026</u>	House: PASSED Senate: PASSED 03/06 H Signed by Speaker 03/06 H Filed with Secretary Of State 03/06	A concurrent resolution urging Congress and the Internal Revenue Service to allow states to determine health benefit coverage requirements without jeopardizing health savings account eligibility.
<u>HCR 3028</u>	House: DEFEATED 02/27 H Laid over one legislative day 02/28 H Second reading, failed to adopt yeas 20 nays 72	Relating to transparency of funding sources, lobbyists, conflicts of interest, and the establishment of an ethics commission.
<u>SCR 4001</u>	Senate: PASSED House: INTRODUCED 02/27 H Introduced, first reading, referred Government and Veterans Affairs Committee 03/14 H Committee Hearing - 08:15 AM	Relating to the process for approving constitutional amendments.
<u>SCR 4006</u>	Senate: PASSED House: PASSED 02/19 S Signed by President 02/19 S Filed with Secretary Of State 02/19	A concurrent resolution to recognize Monday, February 25, 2019, as "Bank of North Dakota Day" and to congratulate the Bank of North Dakota on its 100th anniversary.