

To:	Las Virgenes -Triunfo JPA
From:	Syrus Devers, Best & Krieger
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Re:	Monthly Report

This report is obviously brief due to the Legislature remaining on break during the December holiday, but there are a few notable items to report. The Legislature met on December 7th for one day to start the 2021/2022 biennial session and to swear in new members. They also introduced a larger than average number of bills for the first day. The Legislature meets again to start regular business on January 11th. (*Note that the previously reported date of January 4th was a projected date. The actual date is established by the adoption of Joint Rules by each house, which designated the 11th as the start to allow for more COVID-19 preparations.*)

The Senate and the Assembly announced new committee assignments but there were no significant changes to the policy committees related to water. Newly sworn in Senators John Laird, who replaced Bill Monning, and Susan Eggman, who replaced Kathleen Galgiani, will join the Senate Natural Resources and Water Committee, which is good news to BB&K.

BB&K would like to take this opportunity to say that it has been a pleasure serving the JPA during the trying times of 2020, and we look forward to serving under better circumstances in 2021.

Thank you and Happy New Year.