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Bill Number	Bill Title	State Summary	Sponsor	Current Status	Position
SB2	VACANCIES IN OFFICE	Amend KRS 83A.165, 118.115, 118.165, 118.365, 118.375, and 118A.100 to extend by ten calendar days the deadline for filing nomination papers to fill an unexpired term if the vacancy occurs five calendar days or less before the prescribed deadline; amend KRS 118.225 to conform; amend KRS 132.380 to require an examination whenever there is a vacancy in the office of property valuation administrator and to direct that the certificates of any examination shall remain valid for four years.	YATES, L	1/23/2020 - House Elections, Const. Amendments & Intergovernmental Affairs (H), (Bill Scheduled for Hearing)	Oppose
HB8	THEFT	Amend KRS 514.030 to raise the threshold level of property value for a Class D felony for theft by unlawful taking or disposition from \$500 to \$1,500.	MASSEY, C	1/10/2020 - (H) posted in committee House Judiciary (H)	Oppose
HB55	RECALL OF ELECTED OFFICIALS	Create a new section of KRS Chapter 63 establishing a procedure for the recall of any elected sheriff, jailer, constable, or peace officer; amend KRS 63.990 to include a criminal penalty for giving money or anything of value in exchange for a signature on a petition.	SCHAMORE, D	1/15/2020 - (H) posted in committee House Local Government (H)	Oppose
HB89	WORKERS COMPENSATION	Amend KRS 342.020 to require an employer to pay for medical benefits at the time of injury and thereafter during disability instead of 780 weeks; amend KRS 342.990 to conform.	TACKETT LAFERTY, A	1/10/2020 - (H) Referred to Committee House BR Sub. on Econ. Dev., Public Pro., Tour., and Energy (H)	Oppose

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HB120	FEES FOR SERVICES PROVIDED BY ELECTED OFFICIALS	Create a new section of KRS Chapter 64 to define 'elected official'; establish that a statutory fee amount for services performed by elected officials or their offices be considered the maximum fee amount; allow the elected official to charge a lower fee amount when the maximum fee amount is not necessary for funding purposes; require a schedule of current fee rates to be posted and records of historical fee rates when the elected official charges a lower fee amount.	MCCOY, C	2/6/2020 - (H) posted in committee House Local Government (H)	Oppose

Bill Number	Bill Title	State Summary	Sponsor	Current Status	Position
HB128	VOTER IDENTIFICATION	Create new sections of KRS Chapter 117 to allow a voter to cast a provisional ballot if the voter is unable to produce proof of identification, by executing a provisional voter's affidavit furnished by the State Board of Elections; describe the voting procedure for casting a provisional ballot; describe how to validate a provisional ballot or provisional absentee ballot by requiring the provisional voter to appear before the county clerk or county board of elections to provide an affidavit stating that the voter is the same individual who cast the provisional ballot or provisional absentee ballot, and to either show proof of identification or give a sworn statement as to the reasonable impediment that precluded the voter from obtaining proof of identification with an accompanying Social Security card, an identification card that has been approved by the State Board of Elections, any identification card with picture and signature, or a credit card; amend KRS 116.065 to include provisional ballots and provisional absentee ballots in the requirements for verification and the penalties of perjury; amend KRS 117.066 to clarify that there are two ballot boxes that are transferred to the county board of elections and to conform; amend KRS 117.077 to require proof of identification to be sent with the absentee ballot request; provide for the voter to cast a provisional absentee ballot if the	MILLS, R	1/31/2020 - (H) posted in committee House Elections, Const. Amendments & Intergovernmental Affairs (H)	Oppose

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Bill Number	Bill Title	State Summary	Sponsor	Current Status	Position
HB137	AMBULANCE SERVICE PROVIDERS	Create new sections of KRS Chapter 205 to define terms; establish the Medicaid ground ambulance service provider assessment; require ground ambulance service providers to pay a Medicaid ambulance service provider assessment quarterly; authorize the Cabinet for Health and Family Services to promulgate administrative regulations necessary to implement the Medicaid ground ambulance service provider assessment; create the ambulance service assessment revenue fund; APPROPRIATION.	ROTHENBURGER, R	1/24/2020 - (H) posted in committee House Appropriations & Revenue (H)	Support
HB161	DUALLY EMPLOYED RETIREMENT SYSTEM MEMBERS	Amend KRS 61.545 to provide that if a member is working in a regular full-time hazardous duty position that participates in the Kentucky Employees Retirement System or the County Employees Retirement System and is simultaneously employed in a nonhazardous position that is not considered regular full-time, the member shall participate solely as a hazardous duty member and shall not participate under the nonhazardous position unless he or she makes an election within 30 days of taking employment in the nonhazardous position; amend KRS 61.680 to conform; specify that provisions shall only apply to prospective nonhazardous employment occurring on or after the effective date of the Act.	TIPTON, J	1/27/2020 - (S) Referred to Committee Senate State & Local Government (S)	Support

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Bill Number	Bill Title	State Summary	Sponsor	Current Status	Position
HB162	TRANSFER OF COUNTY JAIL INMATES	Amend KRS 441.520 to require a judicial removal order cite danger for order of removal, establish incarceration rates and medical costs, impose geographic limits for removal, place liability for transfers upon the Administrative Office of the Courts, require that in all other removal orders the judge shall receive the written agreement of the originating and receiving jailer, establish the details of written agreement, establish criteria for cost and transportation, and require judge to review removal orders every 90 days for safety and security of inmates.	PRATT, P	1/24/2020 - (H) posted in committee House Judiciary (H)	Support
HB184	ANIMAL-DRAWN VEHICLES	Create a new section of KRS Chapter 189 to prohibit animal-drawn vehicles from being drawn by an animal wearing shoes that will damage the highway; amend KRS 189.990 to establish a penalty of \$25 for the first offense and \$50 for subsequent offenses; forward money from fines to the road fund; allow for prepayment of fine; exempt from court costs;	BRENDA, R	1/7/2020 - (H) Referred to Committee House Transportation (H)	Support

Bill Number	Bill Title	State Summary	Sponsor	Current Status	Position
HB193	WAGERING	<p>Establish KRS Chapter 239 and create new sections to define 'adjusted gross revenue,' 'beginner,' 'cabinet,' 'confidential information,' 'entry fee,' 'fantasy contest,' 'fantasy contest operator,' 'fantasy contest participant,' 'highly experienced player,' 'immediate family,' 'location percentage,' 'person,' 'principal stockholder,' 'registered fantasy contest operator,' 'script,' 'secretary,' and 'wager'; establish requirements for registration as a fantasy contest operator; require the cabinet to promulgate administrative regulations for the operation of fantasy contests; establish the wagering administration fund and direct the uses of that fund; establish the Kentucky problem gambling assistance account and direct the uses of that account; require an annual audit of fantasy contest registrants; establish requirements for fantasy contest procedures; amend KRS 230.210 to define 'professional sports venue' and 'sports wagering'; create new sections of KRS Chapter 230 to require the racing commission to institute a system of sports wagering at tracks and other specified locations; limit the types of events upon which wagers may be placed; amend KRS 230.215 to declare the intent to allow citizens to enjoy sports wagering and allow the racing commission to promulgate administrative regulations prescribing conditions under which sports wagering is to be</p>	KOENIG, A	2/10/2020 - (H) Posted for Passage in Regular Orders of the Day; w/ HCS 1, HFA 1, HFA 2, HFA 3, HFA 4, HFA 5	Support

Bill Number	Bill Title	State Summary	Sponsor	Current Status	Position
HB195	FIRE PROTECTION	<p>Amend KRS 95A.520 and 95A.540, relating to volunteer fire department mergers, to make it applicable to volunteer fire departments merging prior to the effective date of the Act; create a new section of KRS Chapter 95A to provide that for volunteer fire departments merging after the effective date of the Act, the Fire Commission shall pay to the departments the number of qualified shares of volunteer fire department aid each is entitled to for a period of 20 years after the date of the merger, upon the expiration of which the merged department shall receive only one share; provide contingency protocols if the merged fire department becomes unqualified; amend KRS 95A.540 to apply contingency protocols of new volunteer fire department for fire departments merging prior to the effective date of the act; create a new section of KRS Chapter 95A to provide a contingency protocol if a new volunteer fire department is created out of the merged one during the 20 year period; amend KRS 95A.262 to increase the volunteer fire department aid to \$15,000 annually from \$11,000 annually.</p>	ROTHENBURGER, R	1/15/2020 - (H) posted in committee House Local Government (H)	Support

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Bill Number	Bill Title	State Summary	Sponsor	Current Status	Position
HB208	SALES AND USE TAX EXEMPTIONS	Amend KRS 139.480 to exempt from sales and use tax tangible personal property purchased by a person for incorporation into a structure or improvement to real property under a contract with the federal, state, or local government, or a resident, nonprofit educational, charitable, or religious institution; apply to sales made after October 1, 2020, but before October 1, 2024; require the Department of Revenue to report the claimed exemptions to the Interim Joint Committee on Appropriations and Revenue; amend KRS 131.190 to give the Department authority to provide the report to LRC.	TIPTON, J	1/9/2020 - (H) Referred to Committee House Appropriations & Revenue (H)	Support
HB211	LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS	Create a new section of KRS 424.110 to 424.370 to give local governments the option to post required advertisements online on a notice Web site operated by local government in lieu of newspaper publication, so long as a one-time advertisement is published in an actual newspaper; specify requirements for advertisements published on the notice Web site and in an actual newspaper; specify rights of public and duties of local government; set out consequences of local government's failure to publish as required by law; provide penalty.	MILLER, J	1/15/2020 - (H) posted in committee House Local Government (H)	Support

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Bill Number	Bill Title	State Summary	Sponsor	Current Status	Position
HB229	COMMERCIAL MOBILE RADIO SERVICE CHARGES	Amend KRS 65.7636 to remove the ability of Lifeline providers to bill and collect the CMRS service charge levied under the section from end users; make conforming changes; EMERGENCY.	ROTHENBURGER, R	2/10/2020 - (H) Posted for Passage in Regular Orders of the Day	Support
HB264	911 SERVICES	Amend KRS 65.7631, relating to amounts distributed to public safety answering points (PSAPs) for the purposes of answering, routing, and properly disposing of CMRS 911 calls, to remove the qualifier 'CMRS.'	BLANTON, J	2/3/2020 - (S) Referred to Committee Senate Veterans, Military Affairs, & Public Protection (S)	Support
HB299	LOCAL GOVERNMENT PAYMENT FOR PURCHASES	Amend KRS 65.140 to enable payment for the purchase of goods or services by local government to be made by the party responsible; provide for documentation of purchaser disapproval; amend KRS 68.275 to authorize county judge/executive to pay claims as a requirement of state or federal law or regulation and, present those claims to fiscal court for review following payment;EMERGENCY.	ROTHENBURGER, R	2/7/2020 - (S) Referred to Committee Senate State & Local Government (S)	Support
HB337	DEPUTY JAILERS	Amend KRS 71.060 to allow jailers to appoint deputy jailers who are nonresidents of the Commonwealth.	BANTA, K	2/7/2020 - received in Senate	Support
HB361	COUNTY CLERK FEES	Amend KRS 64.012 to add affidavits of conversion or severance, assignments of release, and statements of authority as to real property to the list of filings with a specified fee; specify that the \$10 permanent storage fee is to accrue throughout the county clerk's term; amend KRS 186A.298 and 273A.020 to conform.	FISCHER, J	1/31/2020 - (H) posted in committee House Local Government (H)	Support

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Bill Number	Bill Title	State Summary	Sponsor	Current Status	Position
HB367	TRANSFER OF PRISONERS	Amend KRS 441.520, relating to the transfer of prisoners, to require an agreement between an originating and receiving jail before ordering the transfer of a prisoner; specify that if a transfer is ordered before receiving an agreement, the receiving jail shall not be required to house the prisoner nor shall the receiving jail's jailer be subject to contempt; outline what a receiving jail may charge for housing a transferred prisoner; require a sheriff to transport the transferred prisoner; require a Circuit Judge to review his or her transfer order every 60 days; amend KRS 441.530 to conform; amend KRS 532.100, relating to the placement of state prisoners, to provide for the transfer of state prisoners from jails at or over 150% capacity; allow a jail to place county prisoners in an area usually reserved for state prisoners if that area has vacant beds; amend KRS 197.020, 439.3407, 441.005, 441.045, 441.146, and 533.025 to conform: EMERGENCY.	FRAZIER, D	2/3/2020 - (H) posted in committee House Judiciary (H)	Support

Bill Number	Bill Title	State Summary	Sponsor	Current Status	Position
HB384	LOCAL GOVERNMENT	Create a new section of KRS Chapter 70 detailing the powers and duties of constables, excluding the general powers of peace or police officers, with certain exceptions; allow police powers where the county grants them and the constable or deputy has been certified pursuant to KRS 15.380, so long as that certification is maintained; amend KRS 15.707 deleting constables; amend KRS 16.060 deleting constables; amend KRS 61.300 deleting deputy constables; amend KRS 61.310 deleting deputy constables; amend KRS 63.170 by adding constables; amend KRS 63.180 by adding deputy constables; amend KRS 64.060 to remove noncertified constables from the fee schedule for services and allow certified constables to continue to receive fees per the schedule; amend KRS 64.190 to amend constable fee schedule; amend KRS 64.200 to exclude urban-county governments from constable compensation requirements and include deputy constables within reporting requirements; amend KRS 70.310 to require deputy constables to execute bond; amend KRS 70.320 to allow the appointment of deputy constables; specify how they are appointed and their numbers determined, and their qualifications; amend KRS 70.350 to specify where constables may execute warrants; amend KRS 70.410 to include deputy constables; amend KRS 70.430 to specify the	KOENIG, A	2/7/2020 - (H) Referred to Committee House Local Government (H)	Support

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Bill Number	Bill Title	State Summary	Sponsor	Current Status	Position
HB388	ELECTIONS	Amend KRS 117.035 to adjust the time of appointment for members of county boards of elections; amend KRS 117.045 to provide the method of appointment of precinct election officers and designate who may qualify to serve as a precinct election officer; amend KRS 117.066 to provide procedures for voting at a location containing more than one precinct and for the consolidation of precinct election officers; amend KRS 117.087 to provide for the verification of submitted mail-in absentee ballots beginning on the day before the election in preparation for counting the ballots on election day; amend KRS 117.085 and 117.086 to conform; EMERGENCY.	BRATCHER, K	2/7/2020 - (H) Referred to Committee House Elections, Const. Amendments & Intergovernmental Affairs (H)	Support
HCR35	CENSUS EFFORTS	Urge local governments in Kentucky to partner and establish the support of school-based outreach programs and nonprofit community-based organizations in order to localize census efforts.	OSBORNE, D	1/30/2020 - (S) Referred to Committee Senate State & Local Government (S)	Support
SB3	ELECTION OF STATE OFFICERS	Propose to amend Section 95 of the Constitution of Kentucky to hold the election of the Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Treasurer, Auditor of Public Accounts, Attorney General, Secretary of State, and Commissioner of Agriculture, Labor and Statistics in even-numbered years, every four years, beginning in 2028; provide transitional calendar; submit to the voters for ratification or rejection. Provide ballot language.	MCDANIEL, C	1/22/2020 - (H) Referred to Committee House Elections, Const. Amendments & Intergovernmental Affairs (H)	Support

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Bill Number	Bill Title	State Summary	Sponsor	Current Status	Position
SB5	SPECIAL PURPOSE GOVERNMENTAL ENTITIES	Create a new section of KRS Chapter 65A to require proposed increases in ad valorem taxes and certain fees and the levy of new ad valorem taxes or fees by special purpose governmental entities to be submitted to the legislative body of the county or city in which the special purpose governmental entity is located for review; amend various sections of the Kentucky Revised Statutes to conform; repeal KRS 65A.100; EFFECTIVE January 1, 2021.	ALVARADO, R	1/31/2020 - (H) posted in committee House Local Government (H)	Support
SB16	SOLID WASTE	Amend KRS 224.40-310 to modify the definition of 'waste disposal facility' to specify that all residual landfills are included in the process of local determination and remove the exception for private facilities that dispose of waste on their own private property; amend KRS 224.40-315 to remove the exception for private facilities that dispose of their own waste on their own property from the requirements to obtain approval from local governing body when a municipal solid waste disposal facility seeks to expand or construct a facility.	EMBRY JR., C	1/8/2020 - (S) Referred to Committee Senate Natural Resources & Energy (S)	Support

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SB24	SPORTS WAGERING	<p>Establish KRS Chapter 239 and create new sections to define 'amateur athletics,' 'collegiate sports contest,' 'commission,' 'principal,' 'professional sports contest,' 'sports wager,' and 'sports wagering'; create the Kentucky Gaming Commission; establish membership to be appointed by the Governor with the advice and consent of the Senate; establish the commission's responsibilities and authority; require the Governor to appoint an executive director and establish the executive director's responsibilities; require the commission to promulgate administrative regulations relating to sports wagering conducted by the Kentucky Lottery Corporation, racing associations licensed under KRS Chapter 230, and other locations; establish licensing fees; prohibit persons from wagering on an event in which they are a participant; establish the sports wagering distribution trust fund and the uses of the fund; establish penalties for tampering with the outcome of a sporting event and wagering on a sporting event by a participant; create a new section of KRS Chapter 138 to impose an excise tax on sports wagering at 25 percent of net sports wagering receipts; amend KRS 138.1817 to permit the Department of Revenue to work with the commission to restrict licensure in the event that sports wagering taxes are not paid; amend KRS</p>	CARROLL, J	1/8/2020 - (S) Referred to Committee Senate Licensing, Occupations, & Administrative Regulations (S)	Support

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Bill Number	Bill Title	State Summary	Sponsor	Current Status	Position
SB64	INDEMNIFICATION OF PROSECUTORS	Amend KRS 15.753 to provide that the Finance and Administration Cabinet shall reimburse the Attorney General, a Commonwealth's attorney, or a county attorney for fees or judgments after being sued for an act or omission in the course of his or her duties.	GIRDLER, R	2/7/2020 - (H) posted in committee House Judiciary (H)	Support
SB74	DRIVING UNDER THE INFLUENCE	Amend KRS 189A.105 to remove the restriction that a judge can only issue a search warrant for a blood or urine test when a defendant has been charged with driving under the influence and a person has been killed or suffered physical injury.	WESTERFIELD, W	2/7/2020 - (H) posted in committee House Judiciary (H)	Support

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Bill Number	Bill Title	State Summary	Sponsor	Current Status	Position
SB83	LIBRARIES	Amend KRS 173.480, relating to public library districts' initial board appointments, to allow a county judge/executive with the approval of the fiscal court to appoint the first members of the newly created library board when any of the prospective appointees presented to the judge, in the judge's opinion, are not suitable; amend KRS 173.490, relating to public library districts, to allow a county judge/executive with the approval of the fiscal court to appoint members or fill vacancies of the library board when any of the prospective appointees presented to the judge, in the judge's opinion, are not suitable; amend KRS 173.725, relating to petition-created library districts' initial board appointments, to allow a county judge/executive with the approval of the fiscal court to appoint the first members of the newly created library board when any of the prospective appointees presented to the judge, in the judge's opinion, are not suitable; amend KRS 173.730, relating to library districts created by petition, to allow a county judge/executive with the approval of the fiscal court to appoint members or fill vacancies of the library board when any of the prospective appointees presented to the judge, in the judge's opinion, are not suitable.	SCHICKEL, J	1/13/2020 - (S) Referred to Committee Senate State & Local Government (S)	Support

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SB95	SALES AND TAXES	Amend KRS 139.480 to exempt from sales and use tax tangible personal property purchased by a person for incorporation into a structure or improvement to real property under a contract with the federal, state, or local government, or a resident, nonprofit educational, charitable, or religious institution; apply to sales made after October 1, 2020, but before October 1, 2024; require the Department of Revenue to report the claimed exemptions to the Interim Joint Committee on Appropriations and Revenue; amend KRS 131.190 to give the department authority to provide the report to the Legislative Research Commission.	MCDANIEL, C	1/17/2020 - (S) Referred to Committee Senate Appropriations & Revenue (S)	Support
SB128	PERFORMANCE BASED INCENTIVES FOR JAILS	Amend KRS 197.045 on felony sentence credits to award funds to local jails which offer programming that results in credit for state inmates; create a new section of KRS Chapter 441 to allow local jails to classify state inmates who have not been classified by the Department of Corrections within 30 days of the date of conviction; amend KRS 532.100 to increase the state inmate per diem paid to local jails offering approved evidence-based programming; create a new section of KRS Chapter 441 to create a negotiated contract option for jails meeting certain standards; amend KRS 441.055 to authorize administration regulations regarding contracts; APPROPRIATION.	HIGDON, J	2/3/2020 - (S) Referred to Committee Senate Judiciary (S)	Support

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SB144	CORONERS	Amend KRS 72.410 to require a coroner to collect, secure, and provide for the disposal of any prescription medications of a decedent; amend KRS 72.992 to establish fines for violations of those duties.	CARPENTER, J	2/7/2020 - (S) Referred to Committee Senate State & Local Government (S)	Support