Legislative Link Update January 27, 2017

Today is the 19th day of session and there have been over 800 bills, memorials, and resolutions introduced. To date, we have identified 184 bills that we have added to our Legislative Link Tracking List because we believe they may be of interest to you and your neighborhood. The number of new bills being introduced will continue for a couple more weeks as Monday, January 30th marks the bill introduction limit in the Senate and the deadline in the House is the following Friday, February 10th.

You will see that there are several bills on our tracking list which are scheduled for committee hearings next week, including SB 1080 Teenage Drivers; Communication Devices Prohibited (Senate Rules), HB 2318 Concealed Weapons Permits; Suspension; Revocation (House Judiciary & Public Safety), SB 1289 HOAs; Hearings; Attorney Fees (Senate Government), and HB 2335 Tobacco Possession; Sale; Age; Signage (House Health).

Of the 184 bills on our tracking list, a total of 18 bills have cleared their initial committee. Additionally, two bills have cleared the Senate and now await House approval: **SB 1040** which establishes the Arizona Teacher Student Loan Program within the Commission for Postsecondary Education to support the recruitment of teachers in public schools in Arizona; and **SB 1060** which grants Jurisdiction over administrative hearings for disputes between condo or homeowners' associations and unit owners or members to the State Real Estate Department. At this time, there are no bills that have cleared the House.

This year, our bill tracking list will be available through an online report that can be accessed at the following website. The password is "Glendale". Utilizing a dynamic online report allows our Legislative Link participants to receive the most up to date information on bill status and committee hearing schedules at any time. http://www.azcapitolreports.com/webreport.cfm?webreport=25823&listid=61088&print=true

Remember, you can watch committee hearings via the internet by going to the legislature's website and clicking on the

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