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PUBLIC/HOUSE BILLS

H 557 (2019-2020) **MUNICIPAL OMNIBUS BILL**. Filed Apr 2 2019, *AN ACT TO MAKE VARIOUS CHANGES TO THE LAWS AFFECTING MUNICIPALITIES*.

House committee substitute makes the following changes to the 1st edition.

Section 1

Removes the effective date provision accompanying the proposed changes to GS 105-373, which allows the governing body of a taxing unit to, in its discretion, relieve the tax collector of taxes owed that are ten or more years past due when it appears to the governing body that such taxes are uncollectable, now providing that the changes are effective on the date the act becomes law (was, effective for taxable years beginning on or after January 1, 2019). Makes conforming organizational changes.

Section 6

Deletes the proposed changes to GS 160A-58.1, concerning a petition for annexation. Modifies the proposed changes to GS 160A-31, concerning annexation by petition, and GS 160A-58.7, concerning annexation of municipal property, by maintaining existing law that states that a municipality has no legal interest in a state-maintained street unless it owns the underlying fee and not just an easement (previously eliminated). Further modifies the proposed changes to GS 160A-31 and GS 160-58.7, and amends GS 160A-58.2, concerning public hearings on a petition for annexation, now providing that a municipality can include in an annexation ordinance adopted pursuant to the statutes in a description of the area to be annexed any adjacent public streets rights-of-way (was, any State-maintained street, street rights-of-way, or easement in GS 160A-31 and GS 160-58.7).

Intro. by Ross, Adcock.

GS 75, GS 105, GS 143B, GS 157, GS 160A, GS 162A

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Development, Land Use and Housing, Building and Construction, Property and Housing, Government, Tax, Local Government, Health and Human Services, Social Services, Adult Services

H 929 (2019-2020) **GAMING COMMISSION**. Filed Apr 16 2019, *AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE NORTH CAROLINA GAMING COMMISSION AND TO AUTHORIZE THE REGULATION OF FANTASY SPORTS LEAGUES*.

House committee substitute to the 1st edition makes the following changes.

Makes technical changes to the provisions directing the Revisor of Statutes to recodify specified law into new GS Chapter 18E, Gaming. Corrects a GS Chapter reference to refer to GS Chapter 18E rather than GS Chapter 18C regarding the Revisor's authority to separate subsections of existing law into new statutes for necessary organization of the new GS Chapter.

Provides that no action or proceeding pending on May 1, 2019, rather than those pending on May 1, 2017, brought by or against the North Carolina Lottery Commission, the State Bureau of Investigation, the Alcohol Law Enforcement Branch of the Department of Public Safety, or the Boxing Advisory Commission is affected by any provision of this act, and may be prosecuted or defended in the name of the North Carolina Gaming Commission. Makes conforming date changes to allow any business or other matter undertaken or commanded by any State program or office or contract transferred to the Commission pertaining to or connected with the functions, powers, obligations, and duties set forth herein, which is pending on May 1, 2019, to be conducted and completed by the Commission in the same manner and under the same terms and conditions and with the same effect as if conducted and completed by the original program, office, or commissioners or directors thereof.

Further specifies that the consolidation does not affect any ongoing investigation or audit and that prosecutions for offenses or

violations committed before May 1, 2019, (was, May 1, 2017) are not abated or affected by this act, and the statutes that would be applicable but for this act remain applicable to those prosecutions.

Intro. by Warren, Hardister, Saine, Hunter.

[STUDY, GS 14, GS 18C, GS 18E, GS 143](#)

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[Alcoholic Beverage Control, Government, Public Safety and
Emergency Management, Lottery and Gaming](#)

H 1015 (2019-2020) [CONFIRM CHRIS AYERS/EX. DIR. UTILITES COMM PS.](#) Filed May 22 2019, *A JOINT RESOLUTION PROVIDING FOR THE CONFIRMATION OF CHRISTOPHER J. AYERS AS EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF THE PUBLIC STAFF OF THE NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION.*

Includes whereas clauses. Confirms the appointment of Christopher Ayers as Executive Director of the Public Staff of the NC Utilities Commission for a term beginning July 1, 2019, and expiring June 30, 2025.

Intro. by Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House.

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LOCAL/HOUSE BILLS

H 187 (2019-2020) [AMEND TOWN OF ELON CHARTER/PARKING ORDINANCES.](#) Filed Feb 26 2019, *AN ACT TO AMEND THE CHARTER OF THE TOWN OF ELON TO AUTHORIZE THE TOWN TO ADOPT AND ENFORCE ORDINANCES RELATING TO PARKING.*

House committee substitute to the 1st edition makes the following changes.

Modifies proposed Article VI in the Elon town charter, SL 1985-109, now allowing the board of aldermen to provide by ordinance that each 24-hour period a vehicle remains illegally parked in the same on-street parking space is a separate offense that can be ticketed (previously that each hour a vehicle is illegally parked in an on-street parking space is a separate offense).

Intro. by Ross, Riddell.

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[Courts/Judiciary, Motor Vehicle, Transportation](#)

ACTIONS ON BILLS

PUBLIC BILLS

H 233: STATE AUDITOR/LOCAL FINANCE OFFICER AMENDS. (NEW)

Senate: Regular Message Sent To House

House: Regular Message Received For Concurrence in S Com Sub

H 321: PILOT PROJECT TO TREAT OPIOID OVERDOSE.

House: Reptd Fav

House: Re-ref Com On Appropriations, Justice and Public Safety

H 363: CRAFT BEER DISTRIBUTION & MODERNIZATION ACT.

House: Pres. To Gov. 5/22/2019

H 388: IMMUNIZING PHARMACISTS.

Senate: Reptd Fav

Senate: Re-ref Com On Rules and Operations of the Senate

H 413: FUNDS TO SUPPORT GREENSBORO/US FIGURE SKATING.

House: Reptd Fav

House: Re-ref Com On Appropriations, General Government

H 461: FUNDS FOR FORT FISHER AQUARIUM.

House: Reptd Fav

House: Re-ref Com On Appropriations, Agriculture and Natural and Economic Resources

H 532: DNCR ADD NEW TRAILS & VARIOUS CHANGES.

Senate: Regular Message Sent To House

House: Regular Message Received For Concurrence in S Amend

H 557: MUNICIPAL OMNIBUS BILL.

House: Reptd Fav Com Substitute

House: Re-ref Com On Finance

H 646: ID APPROVAL/FLEX MUNI ONE-STOP.

Senate: Reptd Fav

H 671: BEHAVIOR ANALYST LICENSURE.

House: Reptd Fav

House: Re-ref Com On Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House

H 758: MSD EXPANSION AND GOVERNANCE.

House: Reptd Fav

House: Re-ref Com On Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House

H 929: GAMING COMMISSION.

House: Reptd Fav Com Substitute

House: Re-ref Com On Judiciary

H 1014: 2020 CENSUS VTD VERIFICATION PROGRAM.

Senate: Withdrawn From Com

Senate: Re-ref to Redistricting and Elections. If fav, re-ref to Rules and Operations of the Senate

Senate: Reptd Fav

Senate: Re-ref Com On Rules and Operations of the Senate

H 1015: CONFIRM CHRIS AYERS/EX. DIR. UTILITES COMM PS.

House: Reptd Fav. For Introduction

House: Filed

S 310: ELECTRIC CO-OP RURAL BROADBAND SERVICES.

House: Reptd Fav

House: Re-ref Com On Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House

House: Reptd Fav

House: Cal Pursuant Rule 36(b)

House: Placed On Cal For 05/28/2019

S 359: BORN-ALIVE ABORTION SURVIVORS PROTECTION ACT.*House: Withdrawn From Cal**House: Placed On Cal For 05/29/2019***S 622: TAX REDUCTION ACT OF 2019.***House: Passed 1st Reading**House: Ref To Com On Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House***S 675: CONFIRM ROBERT CONNER TO MINING COMMISSION.***Senate: Passed 1st Reading**Senate: Ref To Com On Rules and Operations of the Senate***S 676: CONFIRM COREY VIERS TO MINING COMMISSION.***Senate: Passed 1st Reading**Senate: Ref To Com On Rules and Operations of the Senate***S 677: CONFIRM COREY VIERS TO MINING COMMISSION.***Senate: Passed 1st Reading**Senate: Ref To Com On Rules and Operations of the Senate**Senate: Withdrawn From Com**Senate: Re-ref Com On Select Committee on Nominations**Senate: Reptd Fav***S 678: CONFIRM ROBERT CONNER TO MINING COMMISSION.***Senate: Passed 1st Reading**Senate: Ref To Com On Rules and Operations of the Senate**Senate: Withdrawn From Com**Senate: Re-ref Com On Select Committee on Nominations**Senate: Reptd Fav***LOCAL BILLS****H 187: AMEND TOWN OF ELON CHARTER/PARKING ORDINANCES.***House: Serial Referral To Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House Stricken**House: Reptd Fav Com Substitute**House: Cal Pursuant Rule 36(b)**House: Added to Calendar**House: Passed 2nd Reading**House: Passed 3rd Reading***H 281: EXPAND SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS FOR DAM REPAIR.***House: Reptd Fav**House: Re-ref Com On Finance***S 80: CHINA GROVE SATELLITE ANNEXATIONS.***House: Serial Referral To Finance Stricken**House: Withdrawn From Com**House: Re-ref Com On Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House***S 138: EVEN-YR MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS/TOWN OF BLACK MTN.***Senate: Reptd Fav***S 139: EVEN-YR. MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS/TOWN OF MONTREAT.***Senate: Reptd Fav*

S 674: SURRY CO./MT. AIRY/ELKIN CITY/BD. ED PARTISAN.*Senate: Reptd Fav**Senate: Re-ref Com On Rules and Operations of the Senate***© 2019 School of Government The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill**

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