

2023 CCI Legislative Priority Ideas

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS STUDY SESSION

JUNE 14, 2022



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Purpose

- Overview of CCI purpose and process
- Review suggestion from Public Works & Development
- Board discussion



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CCI Legislative Priorities – Purpose

- 6 to 8 issues per year (average)
- CCI works with legislators to run bills
- Looking for bills that apply to most or all counties and:
 - Address existing inefficiencies; or
 - Launch new programs/tools counties can use to address the needs of their communities; or
 - Revise existing laws to better reflect implementation realities.
- CCI asks that the lead proponent be an active commissioner in 2023



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CCI Legislative Priorities – Process

- **July 8:** Collect ideas from member counties
- **July 15:** Initial discussion
- **September 23:** Refine at Steering Committee Meetings
- **October 7:** Finalize and approve at Legislative Committee Meeting
- **2023:** Run priority legislation



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Utility Relocation Delay Penalties

- Proposed idea from PWD – Transportation
- **Issue:** Utility companies are currently not meeting timelines or responding in a timely manner for utility relocations.
- **Impact:** Delays in relocations cause significant delays to construction timelines and unnecessary costs to local governments.
- **Potential Solution:** Explore legislative action to hold utility companies accountable for honoring timelines and/or bearing the responsibility for increased costs due to relocation delays.



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Board Discussion

1. Would you like staff to move forward with the PWD suggestion?
2. Are there any priority issues you would like staff to develop and submit to CCI?



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Thank you!
