California Community land trust network

CA CLT Network Policy Priorities 2024

AB 2897 (Connolly) — CACLTN Sponsored. Update the state CLT definition to accurately reflect the structure and work of CLTs and correct language from AB 1206 (2022 CACLTN bill). Fact Sheet.

Current Committee: Assembly Appropriations Committee

Community Anti-Displacement and Preservation Program: SB 225 (Caballero) and AB 1657 (Wicks): The Affordable Housing Bond Act of 2024 (2 year bills). SB 225 is the policy vehicle to create CAPP which would provide nonprofits with acquisition capital to acquire market rate buildings. AB 1657 would put a \$10B affordable housing bond on the November 2024 ballot, which includes the CAPP program as part of a \$1.5B proposed investment in preservation programs. <u>SB 225: CAPP Fact Sheet</u>. <u>AB1657 Fact</u> <u>Sheet</u>

Current Committee: Senate Appropriations Committee

AB 2353 (Ward): Freeze property tax collections — and interest on those collections — on buildings that have applied for the welfare exemption until a determination has been made.

Current Committee: Assembly Appropriations Committee

AB 1879 (Gipson): This bill would authorize the use of an electronic signatures on welfare exemption applications. <u>Text.</u>

Current Committee: Senate Rules Committee waiting assignment; passed by Assembly Appropriations

SB 1201, the Limited Liability Corporation (LLC) Owner Transparency Act (Durazo) The bill requires the owners of businesses held in LLCs and similar corporate entities to disclose their names. This information

is key to enforcing a wide range of existing laws designed to protect Californians, ranging from worker safety laws to habitability requirements in rental housing. <u>Fact Sheet</u>, <u>Sign-on Letter</u>.

Current Committee: Senate Appropriations Committee

AB 2539 - Mobilehome Resident Opportunity to Purchase Act: AB 2539 would grant the resident organization a right of first refusal and give them six months from the time they receive notice of intent to sell, to make an offer. The park owner must then engage in good faith negotiations with the resident organization and would be prohibited from negotiating with or accepting an offer from another party until the six-month period has elapsed.

Current Committee: Assembly Appropriations Committee

FIHPP Budget Defense and Implementation: Prevent debilitating cuts to the Foreclosure Intervention Housing Preservation Program. <u>Read 4.29.29 Letter</u>.

SB 555 Social Housing Bill Implementation: Passed in 2023, SB 555 requires HCD to study how to promote Social Housing in California. Implementation begins in 2024.

Current status: HCD is selecting consultants to carry out the study.

ACA1 (2024 Ballot Measure) ACA 1 will lower the necessary voter threshold from a two-thirds supermajority to 55 percent to approve local general obligation (GO) bonds and special taxes for affordable housing and public infrastructure projects. Fact sheet.

ACA10 (2024 Ballot Measure) - Human Right to Housing: ACA 10 will recognize that every Californian has the fundamental human right to adequate housing on an equitable and non-discriminatory basis. Should the measure pass the legislature, California voters will have the opportunity to vote to add this right to the state's constitution, creating an obligation on the part of state and local governments to take meaningful action to fully realize the right. Fact Sheet