Bill	Title	Status (4/3/2024)	Committee	Analysis
CACR14	Relating to the environment and natural resources. Providing that the state shall maintain and improve a clean and healthful environment for present and future generations.		Environment and Agriculture	This constitutional amendment concurrent resolution would require the state to maintain a clean and healthful environment and protect New Hampshire's natural resources.
HB 186	Relative to waivers for alternative sewage disposal systems.	Inexpedient to Legislate	Resources, Recreation and Development	This bill requires the approval of waivers for alternative sewage disposal systems that meet required standards.
HB 212-FN-A	Appropriating funding for investigations, testing, and monitoring relative to perand polyfluoroalkyl substances.	Inexpedient to Legislate	Resources, Recreation and Development	This bill: I. Changes the name of the PFAS loan fund to the PFAS response fund. II. Adds duties to the department of environmental services relative to investigating, testing, and monitoring for PFAS in soil, groundwater, surface water, wastewater, air, biota, and other media. III. Makes an appropriation to the PFAS response fund.
HB 242-FN	Relative to banning PFAS in food packaging.	Interim Study	Commerce and Consumer Affairs	This bill bans the use of food packaging containing perfluoroalkyl and polyfluoroalkyl substances (PFAS).
HB 300-FN	Prohibiting the disposal of certain food waste.	Inexpedient to Legislate	Environment and Agriculture	This bill defines food waste and prohibits its disposal in certain circumstances.

HB 326-FN	Prohibiting the use of	Inexpedient to Legislate	Environment and	This bill prohibits the use of
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	second generation		Agriculture	second generation anticoagulant
	anticoagulant rodenticides.			rodenticides, except in certain
				cases.
HB 398	Title: (New Title) relative to	OTPA VV in House;	Resources, Recreation and	This bill requires certain notice by
	notice of PFAS	referred to Senate	Development	the seller or the seller's agent of
	contamination prior to the	Commerce; amended in		PFAS and other groundwater
	sale of real property.	Senate; OTPA VV in		contamination prior to the sale of
		Senate; House Concurs		real property.
		with Senate		
		Amendment; to		
		Governor for signature		
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HB 414-FN	Title: relative to health	Inexpedient to Legislate	Commerce and Consumer	This bill requires insurance
	insurance coverage for		Affairs	coverage for preventative PFAS
	preventative PFAS care.			care.
HB 462-FN-A	Making an appropriation to	Inexpedient to Legislate	Environment and	This bill makes an appropriation
	the solid waste management		Agriculture	to the solid waste management
	fund and targeting food			fund and targets food waste
	waste reduction and			reduction and diversion.
	diversion.			
HB 602	Relative to landfill siting.	OTPA VV in House;	Environment and	This bill establishes additional
		referred to Senate	Agriculture	requirements for siting of landfills
		Energy and Natural		as permitted by the department
		Resources; Referred to		of environmental services.
		Interim Study by Senate		
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HB 641-FN	Relative to clearance inspections following identification of a lead exposure hazard.	Inexpedient to Legislate	Judiciary	This bill requires that a lead clearance inspection report be provided to the property owner and department of health and human services within 30 days of receipt of the sample or upon receipt of payment for the inspection, whichever is earlier.
HB 1068	Relative to establishing a blood lead level testing requirement for children entering day care and public schools.	Inexpedient to Legislate	Health, Human Services and Elderly Affairs	This bill establishes a blood lead level testing requirement for children entering day care and public schools.
HB 1089	Title: relative to the statute of limitations on civil actions involving PFAS.	Interim Study	Judiciary	This bill removes the statute of limitations for civil actions for damages resulting from a PFAS exposure.
HB 1103-FN	Relative to revising the penalties of the shoreland protection act.	OTP VV In House; referred to Senate Energy and Natural Resources; OTPA Senate VV; to Governor for signature	Resources, Recreation and Development	This bill revises the penalties of the shoreland protection act.
HB 1113	Relative to shoreland septic systems.	OTP VV In House; referred to Senate Energy and Natural Resources; OTP Senate VV; to Governor for signature	Resources, Recreation and Development	This bill modifies requirements for site assessment studies of shoreland septic systems.

HB 1114	Extending the commission to investigate and analyze the environmental and public health impacts relating to releases of perfluorinated chemicals in the air, soil, and groundwater in Merrimack, Bedford, Londonderry, and Litchfield.	referred to Senate Energy and Natural Resources; OTP in Committee 4-0; passed	Resources, Recreation and Development	This bill extends for 5 years the commission to investigate and analyze the environmental and public health impacts relating to releases of perfluorinated chemicals in the air, soil, and groundwater in Merrimack, Bedford, Londonderry, and Litchfield.
HB 1132	Relative to permits for the siting of new landfills.	Inexpedient to Legislate	Resources, Recreation and Development	This bill requires persons siting new solid waste landfills to identify brownfields within the state that may serve as the site of a new solid waste landfill as part of the public benefit requirement analysis.
HB 1139	Relative to location of conventional septic systems relative to the seasonal high water table.	OTP VV In House; referred to Senate Energy and Natural Resources; OTP Senate VV; to Governor for signature	Resources, Recreation and Development	This bill allows the use of stone and pipe and concrete chamber septic systems to be used on properties with seasonal high water tables.
HB 1140	Relative to requirements for homeowner installations of septic systems.	OTPA VV; OTP in Senate; to Governor for signature	Resources, Recreation and Development	This bill enables a homeowner to install a replacement waste disposal system in their own domicile without a permit.

HB 1141	Relative to requirements for	OTP VV In House;	Resources, Recreation and	This bill makes provisions for
	approval to increase load on	referred to Senate	Development	obtaining approval to increase
	a sewage disposal system.	Energy and Natural		load on a sewage disposal system.
		Resources; OTP Senate		
		VV; to Governor for		
		signature		
HB 1143	Including control of	OTPA VV In House;	Resources, Recreation and	This bill requires the department
	cyanobacteria blooms	referred to Senate	Development	of environmental services to
	under the New Hampshire	Energy and Natural		provide remedial actions for
	clean lakes program.	Resources; OTP Senate		cyanobacteria blooms under the
		VV; to Governor for		New Hampshire clean lakes
		signature		program.
HB 1145-FN	Prohibiting the private	OTPA 208-162; referred	Environment and	This bill prohibits new solid waste
	ownership of landfills.	to Senate Energy and	Agriculture	landfill permits in the state for
		Natural Resources;		facilities owned by any person
		referred to Interim Study		other than the state of New
		VV		Hampshire or a political
				subdivision thereof.
HB 1170-FN	Requiring public benefit and	Interim Study	Environment and	This bill requires the department
	community impact		Agriculture	of environmental services to
	assessments from the			conduct public benefit and
	department of			community impact assessments w
	environmental services.			
HB 1221	Relative to including solid	OTPA VV; referred to	Environment and	This bill includes solid waste
	waste landfills in the	Senate Energy and	Agriculture	landfills in the definition of
	definition of development of	Natural Resources;		development of regional impact,
	regional impact.	Senate OTPA; to		for review by local land use
		Governor for signature		boards.

<u>HB 1268</u>	Relative to prohibiting the issuance of large groundwater withdrawal permits for the commercial sale of bottled or bulk water.	Inexpedient to Legislate	Resources, Recreation and Development	This bill prohibits the issuance of large groundwater withdrawal permits for the commercial sale of bottled or bulk water.
HB 1293-FN	Relative to prohibiting the use of certain fertilizers using phosphorus.	OTP VV; referred to Senate Energy and Natural Resources; OTP Senate VV; to Governor for signature	Resources, Recreation and Development	This bill prohibits the use of certain fertilizers using phosphorus.
HB 1294-FN	AN ACT establishing a committee to study ways to facilitate municipal compliance with Clean Water Act requirements	OTPA VV; referred to Senate Energy and Natural Resources; ITL Senate VV	Environment and Agriculture	This bill establishes a committee to study ways to facilitate municipal compliance with Clean Water Act requirements.
HB 1326-FN	Relative to notification processes for large groundwater withdrawal applications.	Inexpedient to Legislate	Resources, Recreation and Development	This bill requires notice of a public meeting requested during the consideration of an application for a large groundwater withdrawal.
HB 1386-FN	Relative to prohibiting the disposal of lithium-ion batteries in solid waste landfill facilities, composting facilities, or incinerators.	OTPA VV; referred to Senate Energy and Natural Resources; OTPA Senate VV; to Governor for signature	Resources, Recreation and Development	This bill prohibits the disposal of lithium-ion batteries.
HB 1415	Relative to PFAS facility liability.	OTP VV; referrred to Senate Judiciary; OTP in Committee; OTP in Senate; to Governor for signature	Resources, Recreation and Development	This bill provides for perfluoroalkyls (PFAS) facility liability for contaminations of groundwater quality standards according to federal regulations.

HB 1477-FN	Relative to environmental surety bonds for businesses that pose a significant risk to the state's natural resources.	Inexpedient to Legislate	Resources, Recreation and Development	This bill directs the commissioner to develop a program requiring environmental surety bonds for businesses that pose a significant risk to the state's natural resources.
HB 1483	allowing subdivision regulations concerning water supply.	Interim Study	Resources, Recreation and Development	This bill allows adoption of subdivision regulations to require water supply studies, determination of adequate water quantity for reasonably anticipated future water uses, and minimum on-lot private well testing requirements, and clarifies the applicants duty to pay associated costs.
HB 1490	Relative to the solid waste management act.	OTPA VV; OTP in Senate; to Governor for signature	Environment and Agriculture	This bill makes various changes to the solid waste management act.
HB 1613-FN	Establishing a trust fund for money from soil and water environmental contamination court settlements.	OTPA VV; referred to Senate Ways and Means; amended and passed in committee 5-0; OTPA Senate VV; to Governor for signature	Ways and Means	This bill establishes a trust fund for money from soil and water environmental contamination court settlements.
HB 1620-FN	Relative to suspending the issuance of new landfill permits until 2031.	OTPA VV; referred to Senate Energy and Natural Resources; ITL Senate VV	Environment and Agriculture	This bill requires the suspension of approval of new landfill permits by the department of environmental services until 2031.

HB 1632-FN	Relative to out-of-state solid	OTPA VV: referred to	Resources, Recreation and	This bill prohibits newly permitted
110 1002 111	waste.	Senate Energy and	Development	solid waste facilities from
		Natural Resources;		accepting more than 15 percent
		Senate ITL VV		of solid waste transported from
				out-of-state.
HB 1649 -FN	Title: relative to prohibiting	OTPA in House; referred	Commerce and Consumer	This bill restricts the use of per
	certain products with	to Senate Energy and	Affairs	and polyfluoroalkyl substances in
	intentionally added PFAS	Natural Resources; OTP 5		certain consumer products sold in
	and relative to settlement	0 in Committee; OTP		New Hampshire. The bill also
	of lawsuits against	Senate VV; to Governor		makes appropriations to the
	manufacturers of PFAS for	for signature		department of environmental
	impacts to public drinking			services to fund an additional
	water systems.			position and to fund the PFAS
				products control program. The bill
				further provides that funds
				received by the state in
				settlement of PFAS litigation will
				be deposited in the drinking water
				and groundwater trust fund and
				used to provide grants and loans
				to public water systems whose
				water sources have been
				impacted by PFAS above
				applicable standards.

<u>HB 1687</u>	Relative to disposal of construction and demolition debris from state construction projects.	OTPA VV; referred to Senate Energy and Natural Resources; ITL Senate VV	Resources, Recreation and Development	This bill provides that state construction contracts include a requirement that hazardous waste be separated from construction and demolition debris at the construction site, prior to transport to a recycling facility.
HB 1707-FN	Title: relative to liability for the cost of PFAS blood testing.	Inexpedient to Legislate	Resources, Recreation and Development	This bill provides that any person who owns or operates a PFAS facility where a release of PFAS has resulted in total combined concentrations of PFAS in groundwater or surface water of a specified amount shall be strictly liable for the costs of blood tests for affected individuals.
HR 28	Title: urging for the compensation for injuries from PFAS and for the closure and cleaning of sites affected by PFAS.	ОТРА	Resources, Recreation and Development	This resolution urges for the compensation for injuries from PFAS and for the closure and cleaning of sites affected by PFAS.

SB 267	Requiring the commissioner	OTPA in Senate; ITL 189-	Resources, Recreation and	This bill requires the
<u>36 207</u>	of the department of	188 in House	Development	commissioner of the department
	environmental services to	100 III House	Development	of environmental services to
	consider "cumulative			
				review certain existing statutes
	impacts analysis" in rules			and make a report to the
	and statutes.			legislature about "cumulative
				impacts analysis." This bill also
				requires the department of
				environmental services to hire a
				person to reviewing and planning
				for the development of
				appropriate definitions and
				standards as it relates to
				cumulative impact in the
				permitting of facilities and makes
				an appropriation to the
				department for this purpose.
SB 301	relative to establishing a	OTPA in Senate; referred	Senate Energy and Natural	This bill creates a committee to
	committee to study the	to Resources, Recreation	Resources	study the possibility of putting a
	possibility of placing a	and Development; ITL		desalination plant on the
	desalination plant on the	House VV		seacoast.
	seacoast.			
SB 329	relative to background	OTP in Senate; referred	Senate Energy and Natural	This bill enables the department
	checks of certain persons	to House Environment	Resources	of environmental services to
	associated with solid waste	and Agriculture; OTP		request the attorney general
	management	House VV; signed by		perform a background check on
		governor into law		certain persons associated with
				solid waste facility permit
				applicants.

SB 392-FN-A	Relative to lead paint hazard	OTP in Committee:	Senate Finance	This bill makes an appropriation
	remediation.	Tabled in Senate		to the lead paint hazard remediation fund.
SB 393-FN	Relative to making an	OTPA Senate VV referred	Senate Finance	This bill makes an appropriation
	appropriation to the	to House Finance;		to the department of
	department of	Amended and passed		environmental services for the
	environmental services to	OTPA in Senate;		funding of regional drinking water
	fund regional drinking	Amended and passed in		infrastructure as part of Phase 2
	water infrastructure	House; to Governor for		of the Southern New Hampshire
		signature		Regional Water Project to
				increase water supply to multiple
				towns impacted by PFAS
				contamination and growing water
				demands.
<u>SB 399-FN</u>	Relative to insurance	OTPA Senate VV; OTP 18-	Senate Health and Human	This bill provides that health
	coverage for blood testing	0 in House Commerce	Services	insurance coverage for blood lead
	associated with elevated	and Consumer Affairs;		testing shall not be subject to a co-
	lead levels.	OTP in House; to		payment, deductible, or
		Governor for signature		coinsurance. The bill also requires
				coverage for follow-up blood
				testing that is necessary to
				complete the preventive
				screening when the initial blood
				testing indicates an elevated
				blood lead level or is inconclusive.

<u>SB 413-FN</u>	relative to civil actions for PFAS contamination.	OTPA Senate VV; amended in House to include non-germaine landlord tenant provisions; OTPA House 188-178; Senate nonconcurs with House changes, killing the bill	Senate Judiciary	This bill creates a civil action for certain PFAS contamination.
<u>SB 589</u>	relative to wastewater surcharges	OTPA in Senate; referred to Resources, Recreation and Development; OTPA House VV; to Governor for signature	Senate Energy and Natural Resources	This bill enables the collection of a limited surcharge on certain wastewater services.