

# 2012 Legislative Update

Bills introduced by or relating to the Department of Game, Fish and Parks

Legislative Calendar: <http://legis.state.sd.us/sessions/2011/2012Calendar.pdf>

## HOUSE BILLS

### **HB-1018:** Repeal certain obsolete or unnecessary provisions pertaining to the Department of Game, Fish and Parks. <http://legis.state.sd.us/sessions/2012/Bill.aspx?Bill=1018>

Introduced by the Committee on Ag & Natural Resources at the request of GFP.

- Jan. 05: Bill as introduced. <http://legis.state.sd.us/sessions/2012/Bill.aspx?File=HB1018P.htm>
- Jan. 10: First read in House and referred to House Ag & Natural committee
- Jan. 26: Scheduled for hearing
- Jan. 26: Ag & Natural Do Pass, passed 12-0
- Jan. 26: Placed on Consent
- Jan. 30: House Do Pass, passed 69-0
- Jan. 31: First read in Senate and referred to Ag & Natural committee
- Feb. 09: Scheduled for hearing
- Feb. 09: Ag & Natural Do Pass, passed 8-0
- Feb. 09: Placed on Consent, passed
- Feb. 13: Senate deferred to another day
- Feb. 15: Senate deferred to another day
- Feb. 16: Senate deferred to another day
- Feb. 21: Senate deferred to another day
- Feb. 22: Senate deferred to another day
- Feb. 23: Senate Do Pass, passed 32-0
- Feb. 24: Signed by Speaker
- Feb. 27: Signed by President
- **Mar. 02: Signed by Governor**

### **HB-1019:** Revise the license fee for snowmobiles and to revise the period for each license.

<http://legis.state.sd.us/sessions/2012/Bill.aspx?Bill=1019>

Introduced by the Committee on Transportation at the request of GFP.

- Jan. 05: Bill as introduced. <http://legis.state.sd.us/sessions/2012/Bill.aspx?File=HB1019P.htm>
- Jan. 10: First read in House and referred to House Transportation committee
- Jan. 19: Scheduled for hearing
- Jan. 19: Transportation Do Pass, passed 9-0
- Jan. 19: Placed on consent, passed
- Jan. 20: House Do Pass, passed 64-0
- Jan. 23: First read in Senate and referred to Senate Transportation
- Feb. 15: Scheduled for hearing
- Feb. 15: Transportation Do Pass, passed 5-0
- Feb. 15: Placed on Consent, passed
- Feb. 16: Senate Do Pass, passed 32-0
- Feb. 21: Signed by Speaker
- Feb. 22: Signed by President
- Feb. 23: Delivered to Governor
- **Feb. 29: Signed by Governor**

### **HB-1020:** Authorize the Department of Game, Fish and Parks to sell the Marcotte Tract located within the Marcotte Game Production Area in Meade County to the City of Sturgis. <http://legis.state.sd.us/sessions/2012/Bill.aspx?Bill=1020>

Introduced by the Committee on State Affairs at the request of GFP.

- Jan. 05: Bill as introduced. <http://legis.state.sd.us/sessions/2012/Bill.aspx?File=HB1020P.htm>
- Jan. 10: First read in House and referred to House State Affairs committee
- Jan. 20: Scheduled for hearing
- Jan. 20: State Affairs Do Pass, passed 13-0
- Jan. 20: Placed on consent, passed
- Jan. 24: House deferred to another day

- Jan. 25: House Do Pass, passed 67-2
- Jan. 26: First read in Senate and referred to Ag & Natural committee
- Feb. 09: Scheduled for hearing
- Feb. 09: Ag & Natural Do Pass, passed 9-0
- Feb. 10: Senate Deferred to another day
- Feb. 13: Senate deferred to another day
- Feb. 15: Senate Do Pass, passed 31-0
- Feb. 16: Signed by Speaker
- Feb. 21: Signed by President
- Feb. 22: Delivered to Governor
- **Feb. 24: Signed by Governor**

**HB-1074: Exempt certain counties from restrictions relating to the taking of muskrats.**

<http://legis.state.sd.us/sessions/2012/Bill.aspx?Bill=1074>

*Introduced by Representatives Dennert, Cronin, Feickert, Hoffman, Kirschman, Kloucek, Betty Olson, Schaefer, and Wink; and Senators Cutler, Brown, and Frerichs.*

- Jan. 20: Bill as introduced. <http://legis.state.sd.us/sessions/2012/Bill.aspx?File=HB1074P.htm>
- Jan. 20: First read in House and referred to Ag & Natural Resources
- Feb. 02: Scheduled for hearing
- **Feb. 02: Ag & Natural tabled, passed 10-0**

**HB-1080: Waive certain license requirements to hunt fox and coyote with firearms.**

<http://legis.state.sd.us/sessions/2012/Bill.aspx?Bill=1080>

*Introduced by Representatives Betty Olson, Jensen, Russell and Venner; and Senators Maher, Rhoden, and Sutton.*

- Jan. 20: Bill as introduced. <http://legis.state.sd.us/sessions/2012/Bill.aspx?File=HB1080P.htm>
- Jan. 20: First read in House and referred to Ag & Natural Resources
- Feb. 07: Scheduled for hearing
- Feb. 09: Scheduled for hearing
- Feb. 09: Ag & Natural Motion to Amend, passed <http://legis.state.sd.us/sessions/2012/Amendment.aspx?Amend=amd1080ra.htm>
- Feb. 09: Ag & Natural Do Pass Amended, passed 9-3
- **Feb. 13: House Do Pass, failed 20-49**

**HB-1081: Revise certain provisions relating to the killing of any mountain lion to protect human life, livestock, or pets.**

<http://legis.state.sd.us/sessions/2012/Bill.aspx?Bill=1081>

*Introduced by Representatives Betty Olson, Greenfield, Hubbel, Jensen, Jones, Kopp, Russell, and Venner; and Senators Rhoden, Maher, and Sutton.*

- Jan. 20: Bill as introduced. <http://legis.state.sd.us/sessions/2012/Bill.aspx?File=HB1081P.htm>
- Jan. 20: First read in House and referred to Ag & Natural Resources
- Feb. 07: Scheduled for hearing
- Feb. 07: Ag & Natural Do Pass, failed 4-7
- **Feb. 07: Ag & Natural deferred to 41<sup>st</sup> Legislative Day, passed 8-3**

**HB-1082: Provide certain exceptions to Department of Game, Fish and Parks promulgated rules pertaining to the taking of mountain lions.**

<http://legis.state.sd.us/sessions/2012/Bill.aspx?Bill=1082>

*Introduced by Representatives Betty Olson, Greenfield, Hubbel, Jensen, Jones, Kopp, Russell, and Venner; and Senators Maher and Sutton.*

- Jan. 20: Bill as introduced. <http://legis.state.sd.us/sessions/2012/Bill.aspx?File=HB1082P.htm>
- Jan. 20: First read in House and referred to Ag & Natural Resources
- Feb. 07: Scheduled for hearing
- **Feb. 07: Ag & Natural deferred to 41<sup>st</sup> Legislative Day, passed 7-4**

**HB-1087: Limit the terms of certain conservation easements.**

<http://legis.state.sd.us/sessions/2012/Bill.aspx?Bill=1087>

*Introduced by Representatives Betty Olson, Kopp, Russell, Venner, and Verchio; and Senators Begalka, Juhnke, Maher, Al Novstrup, Rhoden, and Sutton.*

- Jan. 20: Bill as introduced. <http://legis.state.sd.us/sessions/2012/Bill.aspx?File=HB1087P.htm>
- Jan. 20: First read in House and referred to Ag & Natural Resources
- Feb. 07: Scheduled for hearing
- Feb. 07: Ag & Natural Do Pass, passed 9-4
- **Feb. 08: House Do Pass, failed 22-45**

**HB-1090: Provide for the issuance of deer hunting licenses to certain landowners for use by family members.**

<http://legis.state.sd.us/sessions/2012/Bill.aspx?Bill=1090>

*Introduced by Representatives Hoffman, Brunner, Cronin, and Dennert; and Senators Begalka and Rhoden.*

- Jan. 20: Bill as introduced. <http://legis.state.sd.us/sessions/2012/Bill.aspx?File=HB1090P.htm>
- Jan. 20: First read in House and referred to Ag & Natural Resources
- Jan. 31: Scheduled for hearing

➤ **Jan. 31: Ag & Natural Resources Tabled, passed 13-0**

**HB-1091: Provide for the issuance of temporary nonresident waterfowl licenses.** <http://legis.state.sd.us/sessions/2012/Bill.aspx?Bill=1091>  
*Introduced by Representatives Hoffman, Deelstra, Dennert, Greenfield, Moser, Betty Olson, Schaefer, and Turbville; and Senators Nygaard, Brown, Hundstad, and Maher.*

- Jan. 20: Bill as introduced. <http://legis.state.sd.us/sessions/2012/Bill.aspx?File=HB1091P.htm>
- Jan. 20: First read in House and referred to Ag & Natural Resources
- Jan. 31: Scheduled for hearing
- Jan. 31: Ag & Natural Motion to Amend, passed. <http://legis.state.sd.us/sessions/2012/Amendment.aspx?Amend=amd1091aa.htm>
- Jan. 31: Ag & Natural Do Pass Amended, passed 13-0

➤ **Feb. 02: House Do Pass Amended, failed 29-37**

**HB-1092: Authorize the sale of nonresident duck hunting licenses in certain counties.**

<http://legis.state.sd.us/sessions/2012/Bill.aspx?Bill=1092>

*Introduced by Representatives Hoffman, Cronin, Dennert, Greenfield, Jon Hansen, and Turbville; and Senators Nygaard and Hundstad.*

- Jan. 20: Bill as introduced. <http://legis.state.sd.us/sessions/2012/Bill.aspx?File=HB1092P.htm>
- Jan. 20: First read in House and referred to State Affairs
- Jan. 25: Scheduled for hearing

➤ **Jan. 25: State Affairs Tabled, passed 13-0**

**HB-1100: Revise the number of ownership acres necessary to qualify for certain big game hunting licenses to be used on a landowner's own property.** <http://legis.state.sd.us/sessions/2012/Bill.aspx?Bill=1100>

*Introduced by Representatives Bernie Hunhoff, Moser, and Betty Olson; and Senators Jean Hunhoff, Maher and Sutton.*

- Jan. 23: Bill as introduced. <http://legis.state.sd.us/sessions/2012/Bill.aspx?File=HB1100P.htm>
- Jan. 23: First read in House and referred to Ag & Natural Resources
- Feb. 02: Scheduled for hearing
- Feb. 02: Deferred by Chair
- Feb. 07: Scheduled for hearing
- Feb. 07: Ag & Natural Motion to Amend, passed <http://legis.state.sd.us/sessions/2012/Amendment.aspx?Amend=amd1100ta.htm>
- Feb. 07: Ag & Natural Do Pass Amended, passed 8-5

➤ **Feb. 09: House Do Pass Amended, failed 30-40**

**HB-1117: Provide for the taking of muskrats by shooting under certain conditions.**

<http://legis.state.sd.us/sessions/2012/Bill.aspx?Bill=1117>

*Introduced by Representatives Feickert, Blake, Cronin, Dennert, Elliott, Hoffman, Kirschman, Kloucek, Betty Olson, Schaefer, and Wink; and Senators Cutler, Brown, Frerichs, and Maher.*

- Jan. 23: Bill as introduced. <http://legis.state.sd.us/sessions/2012/Bill.aspx?File=HB1117P.htm>
- Jan. 23: First read in House and referred to Ag & Natural Resources
- Feb. 02: Scheduled for hearing
- Feb. 02: Ag & Natural Do Pass, passed 10-0
- Feb. 06: House Do Pass, passed 63-7
- Feb. 07: First read in Senate and referred to Ag & Natural
- Feb. 21: Scheduled for hearing
- Feb. 21: Ag & Natural Do Pass, passed 5-3
- Feb. 22: Senate deferred to another day
- Feb. 23: Senate Do Pass, passed 21-11
- Feb. 24: Signed by Speaker
- Feb. 27: Signed by President
- Feb. 28: Delivered to Governor

➤ **Mar. 02: Signed by Governor**

**HB-1153: Revise and clarify certain provisions relating to the revocation of fur dealer licenses.**

<http://legis.state.sd.us/sessions/2012/Bill.aspx?Bill=1153>

*Introduced by Representatives Gibson, Abdallah, Blake, Deelstra, Fargen, Hawley, Kirschman, Sigdestad, Street, Tornow, and Wismer; and Senators Frerichs, Bradford, Sutton, and Tideman.*

- Jan. 23: Bill as introduced. <http://legis.state.sd.us/sessions/2012/Bill.aspx?File=HB1153P.htm>
- Jan. 23: First read in House and referred to Ag & Natural Resources
- Feb. 02: Scheduled for hearing
- Feb. 02: Ag & Natural Do Pass, passed 10-0

- Feb. 02: Placed on Consent
- Feb. 06: House Do Pass, passed 70-0
- Feb. 07: First read in Senate and referred to Ag & Natural
- Feb. 16: Scheduled for hearing
- Feb. 16: Ag & Natural Do Pass, passed 8-0
- Feb. 16: Placed on Consent, passed
- Feb. 21: Senate Do Pass, passed 32-0
- Feb. 22: Signed by Speaker
- Feb. 23: Signed by President
- Feb. 24: Delivered to Governor
- **Mar. 02: Signed by Governor**

**HB-1164: Appropriate money for the repair of state-owned dams managed by School and Public Lands and the Department of Game, Fish and Parks.** <http://legis.state.sd.us/sessions/2012/Bill.aspx?Bill=1164>

*Introduced by Representatives Wismer, Brunner, Dennert, Hawley, Hoffman, Schaefer, and Sigdestad; and Senators Sutton, Frerichs, and Putnam.*

- Jan. 23: Bill as introduced. <http://legis.state.sd.us/sessions/2012/Bill.aspx?File=HB1164P.htm>
- Jan. 23: First read in House and referred to Appropriations
- Feb. 02: Scheduled for hearing
- Feb. 02: Appropriations Do Pass, failed 2-7
- **Feb. 02: Appropriations deferred to 41<sup>st</sup> Legislative Day, passed 7-2**

**HB-1166: Require the Departments of Agriculture and Game, Fish and Parks to provide certain actions and funding specified in the South Dakota black-tailed prairie dog conservation and management plan.**

<http://legis.state.sd.us/sessions/2012/Bill.aspx?Bill=1166>

*Introduced by Representatives Russell, Kopp, Betty Olson, and Verchio; and Senators Maher and Rampelberg.*

- Jan. 23: Bill as introduced. <http://legis.state.sd.us/sessions/2012/Bill.aspx?File=HB1166P.htm>
- Jan. 23: First read in House and referred to Appropriations
- Feb. 02: Scheduled for hearing
- Feb. 02: Referred to House State Affairs, passed 9-0
- Feb. 08: Scheduled for hearing
- Feb. 10: Scheduled for hearing
- **Feb. 10: State Affairs Tabled, passed 10-2**

**HB-1168: Provide for the waiver of the state's sovereign immunity in certain instances relating to the control of species of management concern.** <http://legis.state.sd.us/sessions/2012/Bill.aspx?Bill=1168>

*Introduced by Representatives Russell, Hubbel, Kopp, Betty Olson, and Verchio; and Senators Rampelberg and Maher.*

- Jan. 23: Bill as introduced. <http://legis.state.sd.us/sessions/2012/Bill.aspx?File=HB1168P.htm>
- Jan. 23: First read in House and referred to State Affairs
- Feb. 01: Scheduled for hearing
- **Feb. 01: State Affairs deferred to 41<sup>st</sup> Legislative Day, passed 9-4**

**HB-1176: Authorize certain party hunting methods and practices pertaining to big game hunting.**

<http://legis.state.sd.us/sessions/2012/Bill.aspx?Bill=1176>

*Introduced by Representatives Venner, Bolin, Brunner, Greenfield, Hubbel, Jensen, Kirkeby, Liss, Betty Olson, Russell, Schaefer, and Tornow; and Senators Maher and Sutton.*

- Jan. 23: Bill as printed. <http://legis.state.sd.us/sessions/2012/Bill.aspx?File=HB1176P.htm>
- Jan. 23: First read in House and referred to Ag & Natural Resources
- Feb. 02: Scheduled for hearing
- Feb. 02: Ag & Natural Motion to Amend, passed <http://legis.state.sd.us/sessions/2012/Amendment.aspx?Amend=amd1176ta.htm>
- **Feb. 02: Ag & Natural Deferred to 41<sup>st</sup> Legislative Day, passed 8-2**

**HB-1188: Provide widows and widowers of certain veterans free or reduced fees for certain hunting and fishing licenses and admission to state parks and other facilities.** <http://legis.state.sd.us/sessions/2012/Bill.aspx?Bill=1188>

*Introduced by Representatives Jensen, Hoffman, Hubbel, Hunt, Kopp, Stace Nelson, Betty Olson, Russell, Stricherz, Tornow, Venner, and Verchio; and Senators Rampelberg, Frerichs, Maher, Sutton, and Tieszen.*

- Jan. 23: Bill as printed. <http://legis.state.sd.us/sessions/2012/Bill.aspx?File=HB1188P.htm>
- Jan. 23: First read in House and referred to Ag & Natural Resources
- Feb. 09: Scheduled for hearing
- Feb. 09: Ag & Natural Do Pass, passed 10-3
- Feb. 10: House Do Pass, passed 38-29
- Feb. 13: First read in Senate and referred to Ag & Natural
- Feb. 21: Scheduled for hearing

➤ **Feb. 21: Ag & Natural Deferred to 41<sup>st</sup> Legislative Day, passed 8-0**

**HB-1198: Revise the definition of firearm to include certain muzzle-loading and black powder weapons.**

<http://legis.state.sd.us/sessions/2012/Bill.aspx?Bill=1198>

*Introduced by Representatives Rozum, Abdallah, Bolin, Carson, Conzet, Cronin, Deelstra, Elliott, Hagar, Jon Hansen, Hoffman, Hubbel, Bernie Hunhoff, Jensen, Jones, Kirkeby, Kopp, Magstadt, Moser, Munsterman, David Novstrup, Betty Olson, Perry, Rausch, Romkema, Schaefer, Sly, Solum, Street, Stricherz, Tornow, Turbiville, Van Gerpen, Vanneman, Venner, Wick, Willadsen, and Wismer; and Senators Cutler, Adelstein, Bradford, Lederman, Tom Nelson, Al Novstrup, Rave, Rhoden, Schlekeway, Tieszen, and Vehle.*

- Jan. 23: Bill as introduced. <http://legis.state.sd.us/sessions/2012/Bill.aspx?File=HB1198P.htm>
- Jan. 23: First read in House and referred to Ag & Natural Resources
- Feb. 09: Scheduled for hearing
- Feb. 09: Ag & Natural Do Pass, passed 12-0
- Feb. 10: House Motion to Amend, passed <http://legis.state.sd.us/sessions/2012/Amendment.aspx?Amend=amd1198ta.htm>
- Feb. 10: House Do Pass Amended, passed 67-0
- Feb. 10: House Title Amended, passed <http://legis.state.sd.us/sessions/2012/Amendment.aspx?Amend=amd1198tta.htm>
- Feb. 13: First read in Senate and referred to Ag & Natural
- Feb. 23: Scheduled for hearing
- Feb. 23: Ag & Natural Do Pass, passed 7-1
- Feb. 24: Senate deferred to another day
- Feb. 27: Senate deferred to another day
- Feb. 28: Senate Do Pass Amended, passed 33-0
- Feb. 29: Signed by Speaker
- Feb. 29: Signed by President
- Feb. 29: Delivered to Governor
- **Mar. 12: Signed by Governor**

**HB-1252: Require the placement of fluorescent material on certain big game hunting blinds.**

<http://legis.state.sd.us/sessions/2012/Bill.aspx?Bill=1252>

*Introduced by Representatives Gibson, Blake, Boomgarden, Gosch, Killer, Schrempp, and Wismer; and Senators Bradford and Maher.*

- Jan. 26: Bill as introduced. <http://legis.state.sd.us/sessions/2012/Bill.aspx?File=HB1252P.htm>
- Jan. 26: First read in House and referred to Ag & Natural Resources
- Feb. 09: Scheduled for hearing
- Feb. 09: Ag & Natural Motion to Amend, passed <http://legis.state.sd.us/sessions/2012/Amendment.aspx?Amend=amd1252oa.htm>
- Feb. 09: Ag & Natural Do Pass Amended, failed 3-9

➤ **Feb. 09: Ag & Natural Deferred to 41<sup>st</sup> Legislative Day, passed 10-2**

**HB-1269: Make an appropriation for certain costs related to disasters and to pine beetle suppression and to declare an emergency.** <http://legis.state.sd.us/sessions/2012/Bill.aspx?Bill=1269>

*Introduced by the Committee on Appropriations at the request of the Office of the Governor.*

- Jan. 26: Bill as introduced. <http://legis.state.sd.us/sessions/2012/Bill.aspx?File=HB1269P.htm>
- Jan. 26: First read in House and referred to Appropriations
- Feb. 10: Scheduled for hearing
- Feb. 10: Appropriations Do Pass, passed 9-0
- Feb. 13: House Do Pass, passed 65-1
- Feb. 14: First read in Senate and referred to Appropriations
- Feb. 23: Scheduled for hearing
- Feb. 23: Appropriations Do Pass, passed 9-0
- Feb. 24: Senate Do Pass, passed 28-0
- Feb. 27: Signed by Speaker
- Feb. 28: Signed by President
- Feb. 29: Delivered to Governor
- **Mar. 02: Signed by Governor**

## SENATE BILLS

**SB-10: Revise certain provisions pertaining to boating while under the influence.** <http://legis.state.sd.us/sessions/2012/Bill.aspx?Bill=10>

*Introduced by the Committee on Judiciary at the request of GFP.*

- Jan. 05: Bill as introduced. <http://legis.state.sd.us/sessions/2012/Bill.aspx?File=SB10P.htm>
- Jan. 10: First read in Senate and referred to Senate Judiciary committee
- Feb. 09: Scheduled for hearing

- Feb. 09: Deferred by Chair
- Feb. 13: Scheduled for hearing
- Feb. 13: Judiciary Motion to Amend, passed <http://legis.state.sd.us/sessions/2012/Amendment.aspx?Amend=amd10ib.htm>
- Feb. 13: Judiciary Motion to Amend, passed <http://legis.state.sd.us/sessions/2012/Amendment.aspx?Amend=amd10oa.htm>
- Feb. 13: Judiciary Do Pass Amended, passed 7-0
- Feb. 14: Senate Do Pass Amended, passed 27-6
- Feb. 15: First read in House and referred to Judiciary
- Feb. 24: Scheduled for hearing
- Feb. 24: Judiciary Do Pass, passed 9-2
- Feb. 27: House Do Pass Amended, passed 45-24
- Feb. 28: Signed by President
- Feb. 29: Signed by Speaker
- Feb. 29: Delivered to Governor
- **Mar. 16: Signed by Governor**

**SB-22:** Revise certain provisions regarding the vacation or the change of location of county and township highways on school and public lands. <http://legis.state.sd.us/sessions/2012/Bill.aspx?Bill=22>

*Introduced by the Committee on Transportation at the request of the Office of School and Public Lands.*

- Jan. 06: Bill as introduced. <http://legis.state.sd.us/sessions/2012/Bill.aspx?File=SB22P.htm>
- Jan. 10: First read in Senate and referred to Senate Transportation
- Jan. 30: Scheduled for hearing
- Jan. 30: Transportation Motion to Amend, passed <http://legis.state.sd.us/sessions/2012/Amendment.aspx?Amend=amd22ta.htm>
- Jan. 30: Transportation Do Pass, passed 7-0
- Jan. 30: Placed on Consent
- Feb. 01: Senate Do Pass Amended, passed 35-0
- Feb. 02: First read in House and referred to Local Government
- Feb. 21: Scheduled for hearing
- Feb. 21: Local Government Do Pass, passed 7-0
- Feb. 21: Placed on Consent, passed
- Feb. 22: House Do Pass Amended, passed 67-0
- Feb. 23: Signed by President
- Feb. 24: Signed by Speaker
- Feb. 27: Delivered to Governor
- **Mar. 02: Signed by Governor**

**SB-38:** Provide for the transfer of the control of an office building in Rapid City, to make an appropriation for the construction and renovation of the building, and to declare an emergency. <http://legis.state.sd.us/sessions/2012/Bill.aspx?Bill=38>

*Introduced by the Committee on Agriculture and Natural Resources at the request of the Ag Department.*

- Jan. 05: Bill as introduced. <http://legis.state.sd.us/sessions/2012/Bill.aspx?File=SB38P.htm>
- Jan. 10: First read in Senate and referred to Senate Appropriations committee
- Jan. 26: Scheduled for hearing
- Jan. 26: Appropriations Motion to Amend <http://legis.state.sd.us/sessions/2012/Amendment.aspx?Amend=amd38aa.htm>
- Jan. 26: Appropriations Do Pass Amended, passed 8-0
- Jan. 31: Senate Do Pass Amended, passed 31-2
- Feb. 01: First read in House and referred to Appropriations
- Feb. 13: Scheduled for hearing
- Feb. 13: Appropriations Do Passed, passed 9-0
- Feb. 14: House deferred to another day
- Feb. 15: House Do Pass Amended, passed 57-8
- Feb. 16: Signed by President
- Feb. 21: Signed by Speaker
- Feb. 22: Delivered to Governor
- **Feb. 23: Signed by Governor**

**SB-40:** Permit a county to authorize temporary fencing within rights-of-way subject to its jurisdiction.

<http://legis.state.sd.us/sessions/2012/Bill.aspx?Bill=40>

*Introduced by the Committee on Judiciary at the request of the Office of the Attorney General.*

- Jan. 07: Bill as introduced. <http://legis.state.sd.us/sessions/2012/Bill.aspx?File=SB40P.htm>
- Jan. 10: First read in Senate and referred to Senate Local Government
- Jan. 20: Scheduled for hearing
- **Jan. 20: Local Government deferred to 41<sup>st</sup> Legislative Day, passed 7-0**

**SB-71: Modify the requirements relating to the publication of the administrative rules.**

<http://legis.state.sd.us/sessions/2012/Bill.aspx?Bill=71>

*Introduced by Senators Jean Hunhoff, Buhl, and Vehle; and Representatives Hunt, Gibson, Lucas, and Tornow.*

- Jan. 20: Bill as introduced. <http://legis.state.sd.us/sessions/2012/Bill.aspx?File=SB71P.htm>
- Jan. 20: First read in Senate and referred to State Affairs
- Jan. 25: Scheduled for hearing
- Jan. 25: State Affairs Do Pass, passed 9-0
- Jan. 26: Senate deferred to another day
- Jan. 30: Senate deferred to another day
- Feb. 01: Senate deferred to another day
- Feb. 06: Senate deferred to another day
- Feb. 07: Senate deferred to another day
- Feb. 09: Senate deferred to another day
- Feb. 13: Senate deferred to another day
- Feb. 14: Senate Do Pass, passed 34-0
- Feb. 15: First read in House and referred to State Affairs
- Feb. 22: Scheduled for hearing
- Feb. 22: State Affairs Do Pass, passed 11-0
- Feb. 22: Placed on Consent, passed
- Feb. 23: House Do Pass, passed 67-0
- Feb. 24: Signed by President
- Feb. 27: Signed by Speaker
- Feb. 28: Delivered to Governor
- **Mar. 02: Signed by Governor**

**SB-88: Revise the allowable time periods for use of nonresident small game hunting licenses.**

<http://legis.state.sd.us/sessions/2012/Bill.aspx?Bill=88>

*Introduced by Senators Juhnke, Bradford, and Sutton; and Representatives Schaefer, Brunner, Betty Olson, and Scott.*

- Jan. 23: Bill as introduced. <http://legis.state.sd.us/sessions/2012/Bill.aspx?File=SB88P.htm>
- Jan. 23: First read in Senate and referred to Ag & Natural Resources
- Jan. 26: Scheduled for hearing
- Jan. 26: Deferred by chair
- Jan. 31: Scheduled for hearing
- Jan. 31: Ag & Natural Motion to Amend. <http://legis.state.sd.us/sessions/2012/Amendment.aspx?Amend=amd88ta.htm>
- **Jan. 31: Ag & Natural Deferred to 41<sup>st</sup> Legislative Day, passed 5-3.**

**SB-114: Designate the American bison as the state animal.** <http://legis.state.sd.us/sessions/2012/Bill.aspx?Bill=114>

*Introduced by Senators Tom Nelson, Krebs, Lederman, Maher, Rampelberg, and Tieszen; and Representatives Verchio, Gibson, and Rozum.*

- Jan. 23: Bill as introduced. <http://legis.state.sd.us/sessions/2012/Bill.aspx?File=SB114P.htm>
- Jan. 23: First read in Senate and referred to State Affairs
- Feb. 01: Scheduled for hearing
- Feb. 01: State Affairs Motion to Amend. <http://legis.state.sd.us/sessions/2012/Amendment.aspx?Amend=amd114ja.htm>
- Feb. 01: State Affairs Do Pass Amended, passed 9-0
- Feb. 01: State Affairs Title Amended. <http://legis.state.sd.us/sessions/2012/Amendment.aspx?Amend=amd114jta.htm>
- Feb. 06: Senate Do Pass Amended, passed 25-10
- Feb. 06: Senate Title Amended. <http://legis.state.sd.us/sessions/2012/Amendment.aspx?Amend=amd114xta.htm>
- Feb. 07: First read in House and referred to State Affairs
- Feb. 22: Scheduled for hearing
- Feb. 24: Scheduled for hearing
- **Feb. 24: State Affairs deferred to 41<sup>st</sup> Legislative Day, passed 7-5**

**SB-143: Increase the number of allowable nonresident waterfowl hunting days.** <http://legis.state.sd.us/sessions/2012/Bill.aspx?Bill=143>

*Introduced by Senators Nygaard, Frerichs, and Peters; and Representatives Hoffman, Boomgarden, Cronin, Dennert, Feickert, Perry, Turbiville, and Wick.*

- Jan. 24: Bill as introduced. <http://legis.state.sd.us/sessions/2012/Bill.aspx?File=SB143P.htm>
- Jan. 24: First read in Senate and referred to Ag & Natural Resources
- Feb. 02: Scheduled for hearing
- **Feb. 02: Ag & Natural Deferred to 41<sup>st</sup> Legislative Day, passed 5-3.**

**SB-150: Authorize counties and townships to permit fencing within the rights-of-way of certain minimum maintenance roads.** <http://legis.state.sd.us/sessions/2012/Bill.aspx?Bill=150>

*Introduced by Senators Begalka and Bradford; and Representatives Sigdestad and Stace Nelson.*

- Jan. 25: Bill as introduced. <http://legis.state.sd.us/sessions/2012/Bill.aspx?File=SB150P.htm>
- Jan. 25: First read in Senate and referred to Ag & Natural Resources
- Feb. 02: Scheduled for hearing
- Feb. 02: Ag & Natural Do Pass, failed 3-4
- **Feb. 02: Ag & Natural Tabled, passed 5-4**

**SB-153: Authorize the transfer of certain landowner preference big game licenses.** <http://legis.state.sd.us/sessions/2012/Bill.aspx?Bill=153>

*Introduced by Senators Sutton, Begalka, Bradford, Brown, Buhl, Frerichs, Hundstad, Juhnke, Lederman, Maher, Russell Olson, Putnam, Rampelberg, and Rhoden; and Representatives Betty Olson, Fargen, Hickey, Jones, Moser, Tulson, and Venner.*

- Jan. 25: Bill as introduced. <http://legis.state.sd.us/sessions/2012/Bill.aspx?File=SB153P.htm>
- Jan. 25: First read in Senate and referred to Ag & Natural Resources
- Feb. 02: Scheduled for hearing
- Feb. 02: Ag & Natural Motion to Amend, passed
- **Feb. 02: Ag & Natural Deferred to 41<sup>st</sup> Legislative Day, passed 6-3**

**SB-172: Toll any conviction for the operation of a boat while under the influence when calculating the number of offenses for enhancement of a driving under the influence charge.** <http://legis.state.sd.us/sessions/2012/Bill.aspx?Bill=172>

*Introduced by Senator Tieszen; and Representative Jon Hansen.*

- Jan. 25: Bill as introduced. <http://legis.state.sd.us/sessions/2012/Bill.aspx?File=SB172P.htm>
- Jan. 25: First read in Senate and referred to Judiciary
- Feb. 09: Scheduled for hearing
- Feb. 09: Deferred by Chair
- Feb. 13: Scheduled for hearing
- Feb. 13: Judiciary Motion to Amend, passed <http://legis.state.sd.us/sessions/2012/Amendment.aspx?Amend=amd172ja.htm>
- Feb. 13: Judiciary Do Pass Amended, failed 3-4
- **Feb. 13: Judiciary Deferred to 41<sup>st</sup> Legislative Day, passed 4-3**

## HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

**HCR-1012:** Directing the Department of Game, Fish and Parks to return a mountain lion carcass or pelt to a certain Harding County resident and to reconsider its policy with respect to possession of mountain lion carcass and pelts.

<http://legis.state.sd.us/sessions/2012/Bill.aspx?Bill=HCR1012>

*Introduced by Representatives Betty Olson, Brunner, Cronin, Dennert, Fargen, Greenfield, Jon Hansen, Hubbel, Jensen, Jones, Kirkeby, Kloucek, Kopp, Liss, Miller, Russell, Schaefer, Schrempp, Steele, Stricherz, Van Gerpen, Vanneman, Verchio, and Wink; and Senators Maher, Begalka, Bradford, Brown, Frerichs, Juhnke, Rampelberg, Rhoden, and Sutton.*

- Feb. 21: As introduced and referred to Ag & Natural. <http://legis.state.sd.us/sessions/2012/Bill.aspx?File=HCR1012P.htm>
- Feb. 23: Scheduled for hearing
- Feb. 23: Ag & Natural Adopt Resolution, passed 8-4
- **Feb. 24: House Adopt Resolution, failed 21-47**

**HCR-1012:** Directing the Department of Game, Fish and Parks to return a mountain lion carcass or pelt to a certain Butte County resident and to reconsider its policy with respect to possession of mountain lion carcass and pelts.

<http://legis.state.sd.us/sessions/2012/Bill.aspx?Bill=HCR1013>

*Introduced by Representatives Betty Olson, Brunner, Greenfield, Jon Hansen, Hubbel, Kirkeby, Liss, Miller, Russell, and Van Gerpen; and Senators Rhoden, Begalka, Juhnke, and Maher.*

- Feb. 21: As introduced and referred to Ag & Natural. <http://legis.state.sd.us/sessions/2012/Bill.aspx?File=HCR1013P.htm>
- Feb. 23: Scheduled for hearing
- **Feb. 23: Ag & Natural Deferred to 41<sup>st</sup> Legislative Day, passed 9-3**