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HOW TO MONITOR BILLS DURING THE LEGISLATIVE SESSION

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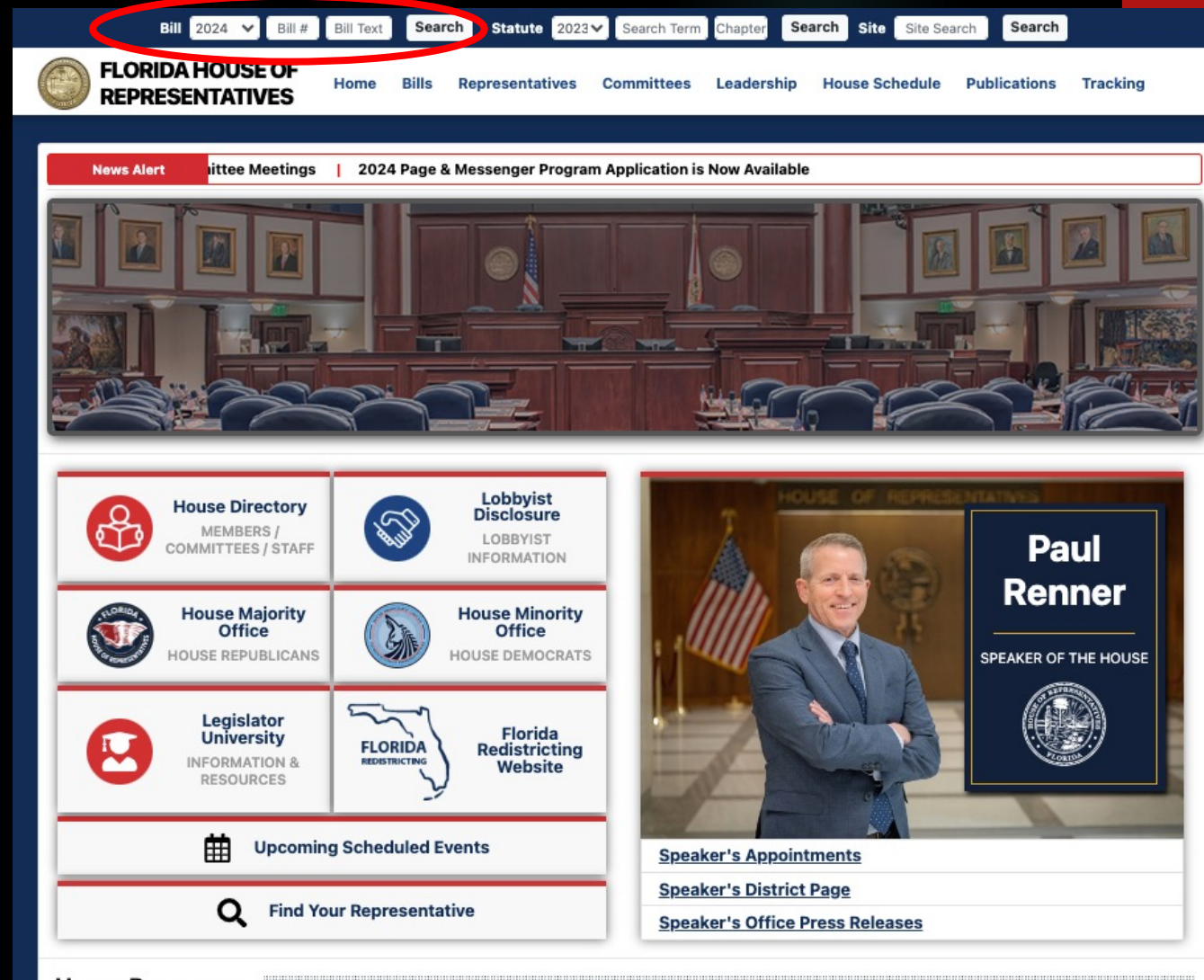
Official	Office	Phone	Links
 Corey Simon Senator (R) FL-3	404 South Monroe Street Senate Office Building, Room 302 Tallahassee, FL 32399	(850) 487-5003	   
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URL for Florida House:

<http://www.myfloridahouse.gov>

There are two ways you can search for a bill

1. If you know the bill's number, simply put the number in text field labeled "Bill #" and click "Search"
2. If you don't know the bill's number, or simply want to conduct a broader search, you can enter some text from the bill.
 - This method of searching could be useful if you wanted to find all bills that deal with a specific topic.



Each bill will have its own page which contains quite a bit of useful information including the following:

Bill sponsor and cosponsors →

Committees of reference →

Companion Bill (if any) →

Text of the bill →

Staff analysis →

Vote history →

News Alert

Fall 2023 Interim Committee Meetings | 2024 Page & Messenger Program Application is Now Available

HB 109 - Conversion Charter Schools

General Bill by Andrade

Conversion Charter Schools: Revises requirements for application for conversion charter school; authorizes municipalities to apply for conversion of specified public schools to charter schools; & authorizes Charter School Review Commission to solicit & review applications for conversion charter schools.

Effective Date: July 1, 2024

Last Event: Now in Choice & Innovation Subcommittee on Tuesday, October 17, 2023 4:45 PM

Lobbyist Disclosure Information

Referred Committees and Committee Actions

House Referrals

Choice & Innovation Subcommittee

PreK-12 Appropriations Subcommittee

Education & Employment Committee

Related Bills

(No Related Bills On Record)

Bill Text

Original Filed Version

Staff Analysis

(None Available)

Vote History

(No Votes Recorded)

In addition to searching for bills, you may want to search for committees.

This can be easily done by simply clicking “Committees” from the homepage of the Florida House.

Then, click on the name of the committee you’re interested in.

The screenshot shows the official website of the Florida House of Representatives. At the top, a navigation bar contains links for Bill, Statute, Search, and other resources. The 'Committees' link is highlighted with a red circle. Below the navigation bar, a large banner image depicts the interior of the House chamber. A grid of six tiles provides quick access to various resources: House Directory (Members / Committees / Staff), Lobbyist Disclosure (Lobbyist Information), House Majority Office (House Republicans), House Minority Office (House Democrats), Legislator University (Information & Resources), and the Florida Redistricting Website. To the right of this grid, a section for Paul Renner, Speaker of the House, features a portrait and links to his appointments, district page, and office press releases. At the bottom of the grid, there are links for 'Upcoming Scheduled Events' and 'Find Your Representative'.

On the Committee's page you can find when their next meeting is scheduled

Agenda for the next meeting
(Click on "View Notice")

The leadership of the Committee

The rest of the members of the Committee

Committee Staff

Education Quality Subcommittee

Location: 308 House Office Building * 402 South Monroe Street * Tallahassee, FL 32399-1300

Contact: (850) 717-4830

Next Meeting: November 15, 2023 3:00 PM

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Leadership for Education Quality Subcommittee

Chair



[Trabulsy, Dana](#) [R]

Vice Chair



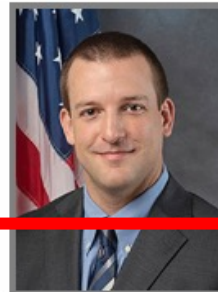
[Temple, John Paul](#) [R]

Democratic Ranking Member



[Benjamin, Christopher](#) [D]

Representatives



Staff

[Sanchez, Chris](#)
Policy Chief

[Pearson, Misty](#)
Administrative Lead

[Vernon, Andrea](#)
Administrative Support

URL for Florida Senate:
<http://www.flsenate.gov/>

You'll notice that the Senate website is set up very similar to the House.

You can search by bill number, and you can search for committees.

The screenshot shows the official website of the Florida Senate. At the top, there is a navigation bar with a search function. A red circle highlights the 'Go to Bill' section, which includes a dropdown for the year (currently set to 2023) and a 'Go' button. Another red circle highlights the 'Committees' link in the main navigation menu. Below the navigation bar, a banner announces that the Senate will convene at 10:30 a.m. on Monday, December 12, 2022, for the 2022 Special Session A. A date slider shows 'Wednesday, December 7, 2022'. Below this, tabs for 'Calendar', 'Filed Today', and 'Bill Actions' are visible, with a message stating 'No events scheduled for this day.' The 'Recent Posts' section features three items: a joint proclamation for Special Session A, committee leadership assignments, and a newsletter from Senator Ana Maria Rodriguez. On the right, a 'Spotlights' section features a photo of Senator Kathleen Passidomo and text about the 2022 Organization Session.

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Wednesday, December 7, 2022

Calendar Filed Today Bill Actions

No events scheduled for this day.

Recent Posts

- [Joint Proclamation for Special Session A - Hurricane Relief, Property Insurance Reform, Toll Credit Program](#) (PDF)
December 6, 2022 - Publication by President's Office
- [Committee Leadership and Committee Assignments](#) (PDF)
December 5, 2022 - Publication by President's Office
- [Senate District 40 November Newsletter - Senator Ana Maria Rodriguez](#) (PDF)
November 30, 2022 - Publication by Senator Rodriguez

Spotlights

2022 Organization Session

The Senate convened in Organization Session on November 22, 2022. Senator Kathleen Passidomo of Naples was elected Senate President and Senator Dennis Baxley of Ocala was elected

SB 246: Conversion Charter Schools

GENERAL BILL by [Harrell](#)

← Bill Sponsor

 Tracking This Bill

[Glossary of Legislative Terms](#)

Conversion Charter Schools; Revising the requirements for an application for a conversion charter school; authorizing municipalities to apply for the conversion of specified public schools to charter schools; authorizing the Charter School Review Commission to solicit and review applications for conversion charter schools, etc.

Effective Date: 7/1/2024

Last Action: 11/7/2023 Senate - Referred to Education Pre-K -12; Appropriations Committee on Education; Fiscal Policy

Bill Text: [Web Page](#) | [PDF](#)

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Committees of reference

Senate Committee References:

- 1. [Education Pre-K -12](#) (ED)
- 2. [Appropriations Committee on Education](#) (AED)
- 3. [Fiscal Policy](#) (FP)

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Bill History Related Bills (1) Bill Text (1) Amendments (0) Analyses (0) Vote History (0) Citations (1)

Bill History

DATE	CHAMBER	ACTION
10/20/2023	Senate	• Filed
11/7/2023	Senate	• Referred to Education Pre-K -12; Appropriations Committee on Education; Fiscal Policy

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In addition to the bill history, you can find the House companion bill (if any), the text of the bill, any amendments that have been filed to the bill, the legislative analysis of the bill, the vote history, and the statutory citations by selecting the tabs above.

Want to know when a bill has been placed on a committee agenda, when an amendment to the bill has been submitted, and when a bill has been voted upon? The “Track this Bill” feature will provide all that information (and more) to you.

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Creating an account is as simple as filling out the above fields and clicking “Create Account.”

By default, the email frequency is set to “never” which isn’t terribly helpful. You’ll want to be sure to change it to one of the other options. Choosing “instantly” ensures you’ll get updates in real-time.

All committee meetings, as well as meetings of the full House and Senate and State Board of Education meetings can be streamed live at <http://www.thefloridachannel.org> by choosing the “Live Streams” tab and the selecting the meeting you would like to watch.

10/18/23 State Board of Education Meeting



Today's Schedule

18 Wednesday
October 2023

TV 24/7 **LIVE STREAMS**

01:30 pm • **WATCH NOW »**
03:00 pm **House Infrastructure and Tourism Appropriations Subcommittee**
Live Streams **Live**

01:30 pm • **WATCH NOW »**
03:00 pm **House Insurance and Banking Subcommittee**
Live Streams **Live**

02:00 pm • **WATCH NOW »**
03:30 pm **Senate Committee on Health Policy**

Click on Live Streams to watch today's LIVE events. Click on TV 24/7 to watch The Florida Channel's TV feed. Click off Live Streams or TV 24/7 to view a combined list of both.

The stream will begin 10 minutes before the meeting is scheduled to start.

Prefer to watch on your phone? There is a Florida Channel app that will allow you watch livestreams as well as archived videos.

We know that most of our members are unable to watch the meetings live.

You can find all education committee videos on our 2024 Session webpage (<http://www.feaweb.org/session>) within one day after the conclusion of the meeting.

Simply click on the “Video of meeting here” link to watch the meeting.

— **Special Session/Interim Committee Week #4, November 6-10**

Monday, November 6:

- 10:00-10:30 a.m. House in session
- 10:00-10:45 a.m. Senate in session
- 11:00 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Senate Fiscal Policy Committee will take up SB 4C related to expanding vouchers. ([Video of meeting here.](#))
- 3:30-6:00 p.m. House Appropriations Committee will take up HB 3C related to expanding vouchers. ([Video of meeting here.](#))