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# 2018 State Legislative Session

March 20, 2018



# Legislative Overview

## Florida Senate



**President**

Joe Negron  
District 25



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Senator  
Randolph Bracy  
District 11



Senator  
Linda Stewart  
District 13



Senator  
Victor Torres, Jr.  
District 15



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## Florida House



**Speaker**

Richard Corcoran  
District 37



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Rep. Bruce  
Antone, D-46



Rep. Kamia  
Brown, D-45



Rep. Bob  
Cortes, D-30



Rep. Bobby  
Olszewski, D-44



Rep. Amy  
Mercado, D-48



Rep. Mike  
Miller, D-47



Rep. Rene  
Plasencia, D-50



Rep. Jennifer  
Sullivan, D-31



Rep. Carlos Guillermo  
Smith, D-49



# Presentation

- **Legislative Agenda**
- **Additional Issues**
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# Legislative Priorities

## Hurricane Response

Support state funding and resources that address local needs associated with Hurricane Irma and Hurricane Maria

## Mental Health

Support legislation to address policies and funding for mental health services in Central Florida





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## Opioid Addiction

Support services and funding for opioid abuse, addiction, and overdose treatment

## Medical Marijuana

Support changes to state law, clarifying local governments may specify allowable locations for cultivation, processing, and dispensing facilities



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## **Brownfields**

Support changes to the Brownfield Redevelopment Act, giving local governments discretion to designate brownfield areas with only a perception of contamination

## **Corrections Contraband**

Support legislation that strengthens safety and security within county detention facilities in two key areas: cellular telephones and drones



# Legislative Priorities

## Home Rule

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- Preserve Home Rule
- Preserve local government funding sources
- Maintain existing authority for zoning, permitting, conservation



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- **SUPPORT:** Policies to reduce homelessness, including funding of the Affordable Housing Trust Fund, SHIP, Sadowski Fund
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- **OPPOSE:** Preemption, cost shifts, unfunded mandates
- **OPPOSE:** Legislation that negatively impacts TDT funding and/or governance



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## **SB 7026 Public Safety**

Marjory Stoneman Douglas High School Public Safety Act

## **Constitutional Revision Committee**

Full commission considering all active proposals, next step is Style and Drafting



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