



EQUALITY CALIFORNIA

20 YEARS



2019 STATE
LEGISLATIVE SCORECARD



A MESSAGE FROM EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR RICK ZBUR

Dear friends,

This year marked the beginning of a new legislative cycle, a new governor, and for Equality California, a new package of pro-equality legislation. In partnership with longstanding champions in the legislature, Equality California sponsored and passed groundbreaking bills and resolutions and laid the foundation for even more historic advances in 2020.

As always, our 2019 legislative package focused on addressing the persistent disparities in health and well-being that LGBTQ people continue to face. Central to this effort was the need to lift up the voices of the most vulnerable in our community, including those living with HIV or at greatest risk of transmission, LGBTQ youth who face rejection at home and bullying at school, LGBTQ parents engaged in custody disagreements and transgender people who continue to struggle to obtain accurate and affirming identification documents. And we're not stopping there. We're working with our pro-equality legislative and community partners to eliminate deep-rooted discrimination embedded in California's penal code, to address the disproportionate rates of violence and discrimination that transgender people experience while incarcerated, to support bodily autonomy for people born with differences in sex characteristics and more.

We cannot do this alone, and the work is far from done. But thanks to the support of our hundreds of thousands of members, our pro-equality legislative champions, and our diverse and powerful community partners, California is closer to being truly healthy, just and fully equal for all LGBTQ people.

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Rick Zbur". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Rick" being more prominent than the last name "Zbur".

Rick Zbur, Executive Director
Equality California






THANK YOU, LEGISLATIVE LGBTQ CAUCUS

As one of the nation's largest, most diverse caucuses of openly LGBTQ state legislators, the California Legislative LGBTQ Caucus has continued to pave the way toward a world that is healthy, just and fully equal for all LGBTQ people.

In 2019, under the new leadership of Chair Senator Scott Wiener (D-San Francisco) and Vice Chair Assemblymember Todd Gloria (D-San Diego), the Caucus authored and co-authored many of Equality California's top legislative priorities including the PrEP and PEP Access Expansion bill and the Safe and Supportive Schools Act of 2019. Equality California is grateful to the seven Caucus members and their staff, outgoing Chair Assemblymember Evan Low and Caucus consultants Alina Hernandez and Alan Moore. We look forward to continuing to grow the Caucus to ensure that the LGBTQ community is well-represented in the Capitol.



“ Thank you to Equality California for bringing pro-equality Californians to advocate for legislation that will keep the Golden State at the forefront of LGBTQIA civil rights.”

**Legislative LGBTQ Caucus Vice Chair,
Assemblymember Todd Gloria**



I stand here in solidarity
with you and I am going to
be in there fighting for you!”

Senator María Elena Durazo



PRIORITY SCORED LEGISLATION

Equality California's 2019 legislative package once again focused on protecting and supporting the most vulnerable members of the LGBTQ community, including LGBTQ youth, transgender people and people living with HIV. Working closely with many of our diverse partner organizations throughout California, Equality California sponsored 12 bills and three resolutions this year. Five bills were signed into law, four were converted into two-year bills, and all three resolutions were adopted by the Legislature. Our sponsored legislation this year took on a wide range of issues that will help advance the health and well-being of the LGBTQ community and the diverse communities to which LGBTQ people belong.

SPONSORED BILLS

Safe and Supportive Schools Act

AB 493 by Assemblymember Todd Gloria (D-San Diego) and State Superintendent of Public Instruction Tony Thurmond

AB 493 will require the California Department of Education to develop resources and a model training for school districts to provide teachers and staff with the tools they need — and want — to support LGBTQ students who may be facing harassment or lack of acceptance at school, rejection at home or discrimination in the broader community. LGBTQ students have higher dropout rates than their non-LGBTQ peers and continue to report missing school because of safety concerns at higher rates than non-LGBTQ students. Public school teachers and staff are on the front lines of providing a safety net against the effects of discrimination and lack of acceptance for the LGBTQ community, which can result in higher dropout rates, lower economic success and a number of other disparities in health and well-being that LGBTQ people continue to face. If LGBTQ students have support in school, their likelihood of overcoming these disparities and succeeding in school and life increases significantly. Equality California cosponsored AB 493 along with State Superintendent of Public Instruction Tony Thurmond.

Status: Signed into law by Governor Newsom on October 12, 2019.

PrEP and PEP Access Expansion

SB 159 by Senator Scott Wiener (D-San Francisco) and Assemblymember Todd Gloria (D-San Diego)

SB 159 will reduce barriers to accessing HIV preventative medications. This legislation will authorize pharmacists to furnish pre-exposure prophylaxis (PrEP) and post-exposure prophylaxis (PEP) to patients without a prescription. Pharmacists are already authorized to furnish birth control pills without a prescription. The legislation will also prohibit insurance companies from requiring patients to obtain prior authorization before using their insurance benefits to obtain PrEP or PEP. Equality California cosponsored SB 159 along with the San Francisco AIDS Foundation, APLA Health, the Los Angeles LGBT Center, the California Pharmacists Association and California Society of Health-Systems Pharmacists.

Status: Signed into law by Governor Newsom on October 7, 2019.

Bias-Free Child Custody Determinations

SB 495 by Senator Maria Elena Durazo (D-Los Angeles)

SB 495 will add language to the California Family Code to prohibit discrimination on the basis of sexual orientation or gender identity of a parent, legal guardian or relative when granting custody of a child. While there are examples of California case law to the effect that “sexual preference” should not affect child custody determinations, this language is outdated, unclear and has not been codified within the California Family Code. This lack of clear and comprehensive policy allows local Family Court mediators, investigators, and judges to make recommendations and rulings based on their own biases about how sexuality and gender may impact the “well-being of the child.” All parents deserve the right to be considered in matters of custody without their sexual orientation or gender identity being used against them. Equality California cosponsored SB 495 with the Women’s Policy Institute and the Long Beach Bar Association.

Status: Signed into law by Governor Newsom on October 7, 2019.

Updating Transgender Students’ Academic Records

AB 711 by Assemblymember David Chiu (D-San Francisco)

AB 711 will ensure that local educational agencies in California update the records of former students who identify as transgender, making certain that their legal name and gender are accurately reflected on critical documents like high school diplomas and school transcripts. This includes reissuing high school diplomas and high school equivalency certificates, as needed. This bill seeks to close a gap in current law to ensure that all transgender people who have attended California educational institutions have the same rights and protections. Equality California cosponsored AB 711 with Transgender Law Center.

Status: Signed into law by Governor Newsom on August 30, 2019.



Bullying and mistreatment of our students will not be tolerated. There's no hate in this place — not on our watch."

State Superintendent of Public Instruction
Tony Thurmond on AB 493

Gamete Banks Donor Information

AB 785 by Assemblymember Richard Bloom (D-Santa Monica)

AB 785 will streamline the transfer of important donor medical history information for families and donor-conceived individuals. This legislation also aligns the existing state codes to match the federal Food and Drug Administration's regulations for tissue transfers.

Status: Signed into law by Governor Newsom on October 7, 2019.

LGBTQ Young People Nondiscrimination

SB 145 by Senator Scott Wiener (D-San Francisco) and LA County District Attorney Jackie Lacey

SB 145 will address the state's discriminatory practice of treating LGBTQ young people differently than their non-LGBTQ peers when engaging in voluntary sexual activity. Currently, for example, if an 18-year-old boy has voluntary sex with his 17-year-old girlfriend, he isn't automatically required to register as a sex offender. But if an 18-year-old boy has voluntary sex with his 17-year-old boyfriend or an 18-year-old girl has voluntary sex with her 17-year-old girlfriend, they're automatically required to register as sex offenders, no matter the circumstances. SB 145 only applies when a teenager age 14 or older has consensual sex with a partner who is within 10 years of age. Equality California cosponsored SB 145 along with Los Angeles County District Attorney Jackie Lacey.

Status: Passed by the Senate 25-3. Passed by the Assembly Committee on Public Safety 6-2. Converted to a two-year bill by the Assembly Committee on Appropriations, to be considered in 2020.

Transgender Respect, Agency, and Dignity Act

SB 132 by Senator Scott Wiener (D-San Francisco)

SB 132 addresses a very real problem facing incarcerated transgender individuals, namely, transgender people being housed according to their birth-assigned gender, not their gender identity or perception of safety, resulting in significant risk of violence. Transgender women housed in male facilities face particular risk of rape and assault. SB 132 will change state law to require incarcerated transgender people in the custody of the Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation be classified and housed based on their gender identity, unless the incarcerated person's evaluation of their own safety is that another housing placement is safest. SB 132 also requires that the preferred first name, gender pronoun and honorific of the incarcerated individual be used by facility staff in all written and verbal communications. By housing incarcerated transgender people based on their gender identity or perception of health and safety, transgender people will be housed in institutions that decrease their likelihood of experiencing targeting and violence, and they will have access to the programming and work opportunities that will best promote and support their health and safety.

Status: Passed by the Senate 29-8 with bipartisan support. Passed by the Assembly Committee on Public Safety 5-1. Passed by the Assembly Committee on Appropriations 11-5. Converted to a two-year bill, to be considered in 2020.

Homeless Youth Grant Program

AB 307 by Assemblymember Eloise Gomez Reyes (D-San Bernardino) and Senator Scott Wiener (D-San Francisco)

AB 307 will require the development and administration of a grant program that would, primarily, support nonprofit organizations or continuum of care administrative entities in serving youth experiencing homelessness. Funding will go toward an array of supportive services, including rental assistance, drug abuse prevention, health care and employment assistance. All programs funded under AB 307 will be required to have the cultural competence to serve youth who identify as LGBTQ. Equality California is cosponsoring AB 307 along with the California Coalition for Youth, Tipping Point Community, John Burton Advocates for Youth, Housing CA and Corporation for Supportive Housing.

Status: Passed by the Assembly 74-0 with bipartisan support. Passed by the Senate Committee on Human Services 6-0 with bipartisan support. Passed by the Senate Committee on Housing 10-0 with bipartisan support. Held by the Senate Committee on Appropriations.



2019 Equality California Institute-Comcast Legislative Fellows



“ We can always count on Equality California to help our communities stay strong and united. Together we are building a rainbow army of love soldiers to combat hate and injustice!”

California Insurance Commissioner Ricardo Lara

Affirming Records

SB 741 by Senator Cathleen Galgiani (D-Stockton)

SB 741 will update the law to allow transgender Californians to update their marriage certificates and the birth certificates of their children to accurately reflect their legal name and gender, while still protecting their privacy. Current state law allows transgender people to petition courts to change their legal name and gender to conform with their gender identity. The law then allows such a person's old birth certificate to be sealed and a new one issued as an original to protect the person's privacy and respect their identity. This legislation would simply align the process for updating transgender people's marriage certificates and the birth certificates of their children with the process for updating their own birth certificate.

Status: Passed by the Senate 30-8 with bipartisan support. Passed by the Assembly Committee on the Judiciary 9-2. Referred to the Committee on Health. Converted to a two-year bill, to be considered in 2020.

SPONSORED RESOLUTIONS

Honoring Bayard Rustin

ACR 27 by Assemblymember Wendy Carrillo (D-Los Angeles)

ACR 27 honors the legacy of civil rights, labor and LGBTQ leader Bayard Rustin. Rustin dedicated his entire life to advancing justice and dignity for all. He was a close advisor to Reverend Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., organized the historic 1963 March on Washington for Jobs and Freedom and promoted equity through nonviolent protests. An openly gay Black man, Rustin understood the intricate intersections of marginalized identities and fought tirelessly for progress and opportunity. His extraordinary efforts promoted unity and transformed the landscape of activism.

Status: Adopted by the Legislature on March 19, 2019.

Black HIV/AIDS Awareness

HR 12 by Assemblymembers Mike Gipson (D-Carson) and Todd Gloria (D-San Diego) and SR 15 by Senators Holly Mitchell (D-Los Angeles), Toni Atkins (D-San Diego), Steven Bradford (D-Gardena), Cathleen Galgiani (D-Stockton) and Scott Wiener (D-San Francisco)

Introduced by members of the Legislative LGBTQ Caucus and the Legislative Black Caucus, HR 12 and SR 15 proclaimed February 7, 2019 as Black HIV/AIDS Awareness Day in California in order to encourage greater awareness, education, community engagement and treatment. Equality California cosponsored HR 12 and SR 15 with the California State NAACP.

Status: HR 12 adopted by the Assembly and SR 15 adopted by the Senate on February 7, 2019.

SUPPORTED RESOLUTION

LGBTQ Pride Month and 50th Anniversary of Stonewall

SR 44 by Senator Scott Wiener (D-San Francisco), Senate Pro Tempore Toni Atkins (D-San Diego) and Senator Cathleen Galgiani (D-Stockton) and HR 41 by Assemblymember Todd Gloria (D-San Diego), Assemblymember Sabrina Cervantes (D-Corona), Assemblymember Susan Eggman (D-Stockton) and Assemblymember Evan Low (D-Campbell)

Status: Adopted by the Legislature on June 26, 2019.

BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS SUPPORTED, BUT NOT SCORED

In addition to our sponsored legislation in 2019, we supported a number of important pieces of legislation and selected some to feature on this scorecard. While our sponsored legislation focused explicitly on the LGBTQ community, these pieces of legislation had significant impacts on LGBTQ people and the diverse communities to which we belong. We selected these pieces of legislation to feature because they provide an overall picture of the breadth of issues we engage on in Sacramento.

Mental Health Cultural Competency

AB 512 by Assemblymember Phil Ting (D-San Francisco)

AB 512 would require counties to assess the disparities in utilization, access and results of mental health services by race, ethnicity, language, disability status, sexual orientation, gender identity and immigration status in their published mental health plan data.

Status: AB 512 was vetoed by Governor Newsom on October 13, 2019.

California Act to Save Lives

AB 392 by Assemblymember Shirley Weber (D-San Diego)

AB 392 explicitly limits when police officers can use deadly force - changing the standard from one based on "reasonable belief" that someone will be harmed, to a standard that requires police officers to use deadly force only when faced with absolute necessity, and someone is faced with imminent death or bodily injury.

Status: Signed into law by Governor Newsom on August 19, 2019.

California Non-Profit Security Grant

AB 1548 by Assemblymember Jesse Gabriel (D-San Fernando Valley)

AB 1548 establishes grant funding for nonprofit organizations such as schools, institutions of worship, community centers, and other nonprofits who are at-risk of hate crimes. The grant will help pay for additional physical security measures at these non-profits.

Status: Signed into law by Governor Newsom on October 11, 2019.

Public University Student Health Centers: Medical Abortions

SB 24 by Senator Connie Leyva (D-Chino)

SB 24 will give public university students safe access to a non-surgical abortion, or "the abortion pill" at their university health centers.

Status: Signed into law by Governor Newsom on October 11, 2019.

Domestic Partnerships

SB 30 by Senator Scott Wiener (D-San Francisco)

SB 30 expands who can enter into a domestic partnership by removing the requirement that both people whether in a same sex or opposite sex relationship must be over 62.

Status: Signed into law by Governor Newsom on July 30, 2019.

Compassionate Care Cannabis Donations

SB 34 by Senator Scott Wiener (D-San Francisco)

SB 34 will allow licensed professionals to donate medicinal cannabis to patients in need, and exempt them from the excise tax.

Status: Signed into law by Governor Newsom on October 12, 2019.

Protections for Sex Workers

SB 233 by Senator Scott Wiener (D-San Francisco)

SB 233 gives immunity from arrest to sex-workers who report sexual assault and violent crimes. It also eliminates the possibility of sex-workers being arrested for possession of condoms.

Status: Signed into law by Governor Newsom on July 30, 2019.

“Equality California is an effective champion for LGBTQ rights and their work has had a meaningful impact on countless lives.”

Assemblymember Susan Eggman





Assemblymember Christy Smith and policy advocates at our 2019 LGBTQ Advocacy Day

Diversity in Utility Providers

SB 255 by Senator Steven Bradford (D- Gardena)

SB 255 will require the California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC) to report on efforts of community choice aggregators to comply with contracting diversity guidelines and encourages other load-serving entities to participate.

Status: Signed into law by Governor Newsom on October 2, 2019.

Ensuring Diversity in California's Insurance Industry

SB 534 by Senator Steven Bradford (D-Gardena) and Insurance Commissioner Ricardo Lara

SB 534 would reinstate and expand California's Insurance Diversity Supplier Survey to include more dynamic groups including, but not limited to, LGBTQ people and veterans.

Status: Signed into law by Governor Newsom on September 5, 2019.

Compassionate Counsel for LGBTQ People

ACR 99 by Assemblymember Evan Low (D-Campbell)

ACR 99 calls upon community and faith leaders to acknowledge and consider the negative effects of so-called "conversion therapy" when counseling LGBTQ people. It encourages them to counsel LGBTQ people with compassion and acceptance of their identities.

Status: Adopted by the Legislature on September 9, 2019.

DEFEATED ANTI-LGBTQ LEGISLATION

Equality California worked with our partners to defeat legislation that would have harmed the LGBTQ community and moved our state backward in the fight for civil rights and social justice.

Voluntary Veterans' Preference in Hiring

AB 160 by Assemblymember Randy Voepel (R-Santee)

AB 160 would have permitted employers to engage in otherwise unlawful employment discrimination in order to grant preferential treatment to veterans. Veterans deserve recognition, respect and opportunity, but not at the expense of every other marginalized group — people who also face high rates of unemployment, underemployment and financial instability. Specifically, AB 160 would have empowered those who seek to exclude LGBTQ people, women, people of color and immigrants from equal employment opportunities to do so under the guise of giving preference to veterans. We support expanding economic opportunity for veterans, but not in a way that absolves employers of any responsibility for discrimination on the basis of all other factors covered under the Fair Employment and Housing Act. AB 160 would also have compounded the discrimination that LGBTQ individuals have already faced due to current and historic exclusion from opportunities to serve in the military.

Defeated in Senate Judiciary Committee.



California continues to lead the nation in advancing the cause of equality for our LGBTQ community and we will continue working to ensure that our state remains a beacon of hope for all!”

Assemblymember Sabrina Cervantes

OUR STATE SCORECARD

Methodology

In the scorecard that follows, the analysis of votes is based on the final floor votes cast on the measures. “Yes” votes on scored legislation are represented by “+” and “no” votes are represented by “-.” Legislators who are present but not voting are denoted by an “A” for “abstaining,” which is scored as equivalent to a “no” vote on sponsored or supported legislation. Passage of legislation typically requires a “yes” vote by the majority of all legislators, so failing to cast a vote has the same effect as a “no” vote.

Legislators who were officially absent for a vote or were otherwise not required to vote on a bill did not have that vote factored into the rating and are denoted on the scorecard with an “E” for “excused.” Missed votes on scored legislation may be excused if the legislator was a co-author, voted to support the legislation at a previous floor vote or in committee, or was absent from the floor on official business.

The overall score reflects legislators’ votes on Equality California-sponsored legislation and priority supported legislation (highlighted in RED). Highlighted in YELLOW are bills that Equality California supported but did not factor into this year’s scoring. The votes in YELLOW are included for informational purposes only. Members of the LGBTQ Caucus are denoted with an “*” and authors of sponsored legislation are denoted with a “+” next to their names.

Please note:

HR 41 [Gloria, Cervantes, Eggman, and Low - LGBTQ Pride Month], ACR 27 [Carrillo - Bayard Rustin], and HR 12 [Gipson and Gloria - Black HIV/AIDS Awareness Day] were not scored in the Assembly because roll call votes did not occur on the Assembly floor. AB 307 [Reyes - Homeless Youth Grant Program] is only scored in the Assembly because a vote did not occur on the Senate floor and SB 741 [Galgiani - Affirming Records] were only scored in the Senate because a vote did not occur on the Assembly floor.

Senator Lena Gonzalez [D-Long Beach] is only scored on votes that occurred after she took office in June 2019. Votes that occurred prior to her taking office are denoted by “N/A” for “not applicable” and are not factored into her score.

Senator Brian Dahle [R-Bieber] received two scores -- one score is based on votes that occurred while he held office in the Assembly, and one score is based on votes that occurred while he held office in the Senate. Votes that occurred outside of his term in either house are denoted by “E” and are not factored into his score in that house. Senator Dahle cast a vote on AB 785 [Bloom] in both houses. Overall, Senator Dahle’s combined score is 29%.

Because the governor is not required to sign or veto resolutions, he is not scored on them.

* SB 145 [Wiener - Sex Offender Registry] is scored on the Senate floor and in the Assembly Public Safety Committee. The bill was unilaterally converted into a two-year bill in the Assembly Appropriations Committee by Assemblymember Lorena Gonzalez, who received credit consistent with a “no” vote for this action.

State Assembly

Members	Party	District	AB 307	AB 493	AB 711	AB 785	SB 145	SB 159	SB 495	Total
Aguiar-Curry	D	4	+	+	+	+	E	+	+	100%
Arambula	D	31	+	+	+	+	E	+	+	100%
Bauer-Kahan	D	16	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	100%
Berman	D	24	+	+	+	+	E	+	+	100%
Bigelow	R	5	A	A	A	+	E	+	A	33%
Bloom +	D	50	+	+	+	+	E	+	+	100%
Boerner Horvath	D	76	+	+	+	+	E	+	+	100%
Bonta	D	18	+	+	+	+	E	+	+	100%
Brough	R	73	+	-	A	+	E	+	A	50%
Burke	D	62	+	+	+	+	E	+	+	100%
Calderon	D	57	+	+	+	+	E	+	+	100%
Carrillo +	D	51	+	+	+	+	E	+	+	100%
Cervantes *	D	60	+	+	+	+	E	+	+	100%
Chau	D	49	+	+	+	+	E	+	+	100%
Chen	R	55	+	-	+	+	E	+	A	67%
Chiu +	D	17	+	+	+	+	E	+	+	100%
Choi	R	68	+	A	A	+	E	+	A	50%
Chu	D	25	+	+	+	+	E	+	+	100%
Cooley	D	8	E	+	+	+	E	+	+	100%
Cooper	D	9	+	+	+	+	E	+	+	100%
Cunningham	R	35	+	+	+	+	E	+	E	100%
Dahle/VACANT	R	1	A	E	E	+	E	E	E	50%
Daly	D	69	+	+	+	+	E	+	+	100%
Diep	R	72	+	A	A	+	-	+	A	43%
Eggman *	D	13	+	+	+	+	E	+	+	100%
Flora	R	12	+	A	A	+	E	+	A	50%
Fong	R	34	A	A	A	+	E	+	A	33%
Frazier	D	11	+	+	E	+	E	A	+	80%
Friedman	D	43	+	+	+	+	E	+	+	100%
Gabriel	D	45	+	+	+	+	E	+	+	100%
Gallagher	R	3	+	-	A	+	E	+	A	50%
Garcia, Cristina	D	58	+	+	+	+	E	+	+	100%
Garcia, Eduardo	D	56	E	+	E	+	E	+	+	100%
Gipson +	D	64	+	+	+	+	E	+	+	100%
Gloria *+	D	78	+	+	+	+	E	+	+	100%
Gonzalez	D	80	+	+	+	+	-*	+	+	86%
Gray	D	21	+	+	+	+	E	+	+	100%
Grayson	D	14	+	+	+	+	E	+	+	100%
Holden	D	41	+	+	+	+	E	+	+	100%
Irwin	D	44	+	+	+	+	E	+	+	100%

State Assembly *[Continued]*

Members	AB 392	AB 512	AB 1548	SB 24	SB 30	SB 34	SB 233	SB 255	SB 534	ACR 99
Aguiar-Curry	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Arambula	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Bauer-Kahan	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Berman	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Bigelow	A	+	+	-	A	A	-	+	+	-
Bloom +	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Boerner Horvath	+	+	+	+	+	A	+	+	+	+
Bonta	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Brough	+	+	+	-	A	+	A	+	-	-
Burke	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Calderon	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Carrillo +	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Cervantes *	+	+	+	+	+	+	A	+	+	+
Chau	+	+	+	+	+	+	A	+	+	+
Chen	+	+	+	-	A	+	A	+	+	-
Chiu +	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Choi	+	A	+	-	A	A	A	+	A	A
Chu	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Cooley	E	+	+	A	A	+	+	+	+	+
Cooper	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+
Cunningham	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+
Dahle/VACANT	A	E	E	E	E	E	E	E	E	E
Daly	+	+	+	+	A	+	+	+	+	+
Diep	+	+	+	-	A	+	+	+	A	A
Eggman *	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Flora	A	+	+	-	A	+	A	A	A	A
Fong	+	+	+	-	A	+	-	+	A	-
Frazier	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	A	E	+
Friedman	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Gabriel	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Gallagher	+	+	+	-	+	+	-	A	A	-
Garcia, Cristina	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Garcia, Eduardo	E	+	+	A	+	+	+	+	+	+
Gipson +	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Gloria *+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Gonzalez	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Gray	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	E	+
Grayson	+	+	+	A	E	+	+	+	+	A
Holden	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Irwin	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+

State Assembly *[Continued]*

Members	Party	District	AB 307	AB 493	AB 711	AB 785	SB 145	SB 159	SB 495	Total
Jones-Sawyer	D	59	+	+	E	+	+	+	+	100%
Kalra	D	27	+	+	+	+	E	+	+	100%
Kamlager-Dove	D	54	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	100%
Kiley	R	6	A	A	A	+	E	+	A	33%
Lackey	R	36	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	86%
Levine	D	10	+	+	+	+	E	+	+	100%
Limón	D	37	+	+	+	+	E	+	+	100%
Low * +	D	28	+	+	+	+	E	+	+	100%
Maienschein	D	77	+	+	+	+	E	+	+	100%
Mathis	R	26	+	A	A	+	E	+	A	50%
Mayes	R	42	+	+	E	+	E	+	+	100%
McCarty	D	7	+	+	+	+	E	+	+	100%
Medina	D	61	+	+	+	+	E	+	+	100%
Melendez	R	67	+	A	A	+	E	+	A	50%
Mullin	D	22	+	+	+	+	E	+	+	100%
Muratsuchi	D	66	+	+	+	+	E	+	+	100%
Nazarian	D	46	+	+	+	+	E	+	+	100%
O'Donnell	D	70	+	+	+	+	E	+	+	100%
Oberholte	R	33	+	A	+	+	E	+	A	67%
Patterson	R	23	+	A	A	+	E	+	A	50%
Petrie-Norris	D	74	+	+	+	+	E	+	+	100%
Quirk	D	20	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	100%
Quirk-Silva	D	65	+	+	+	+	E	+	+	100%
Ramos	D	40	+	+	+	+	E	+	+	100%
Rendon	D	63	+	+	+	+	E	+	+	100%
Reyes +	D	47	+	+	+	+	E	+	+	100%
Rivas, Luz	D	39	+	+	+	+	E	+	+	100%
Rivas, Robert	D	30	+	+	+	+	E	+	+	100%
Rodriguez	D	52	+	+	+	+	E	+	+	100%
Rubio	D	48	+	+	+	+	E	+	+	100%
Salas	D	32	+	+	+	+	E	+	+	100%
Santiago	D	53	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	100%
Smith	D	38	+	+	+	+	E	+	+	100%
Stone	D	29	+	+	+	+	E	+	+	100%
Ting	D	19	+	+	+	+	E	+	+	100%
Voepel	R	71	+	A	A	+	E	+	A	50%
Waldron	R	75	+	A	A	+	E	+	A	50%
Weber	D	79	+	+	+	+	E	+	E	100%
Wicks	D	15	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	100%
Wood	D	2	+	+	+	+	E	+	+	100%

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Members	AB 392	AB 512	AB 1548	SB 24	SB 30	SB 34	SB 233	SB 255	SB 534	ACR 99
Jones-Sawyer	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Kalra	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Kamlager-Dove	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Kiley	A	A	+	-	A	+	-	A	-	-
Lackey	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	A	A
Levine	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Limón	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Low * +	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	E	+
Maienschein	+	+	+	+	+	+	A	+	+	+
Mathis	A	-	+	-	A	+	-	+	A	-
Mayes	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+
McCarty	+	+	+	A	E	+	+	+	+	+
Medina	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Melendez	A	-	+	-	A	A	-	A	-	-
Mullin	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Muratsuchi	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+
Nazarian	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
O'Donnell	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Obernolte	+	-	+	-	A	A	A	A	-	A
Patterson	A	-	+	-	A	+	-	+	A	-
Petrie-Norris	+	+	+	+	+	+	A	A	+	+
Quirk	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Quirk-Silva	+	+	+	A	+	+	A	+	+	+
Ramos	A	+	+	+	+	A	-	+	+	A
Rendon	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Reyes +	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Rivas, Luz	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	E	+	+
Rivas, Robert	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Rodriguez	+	+	+	+	+	+	A	+	+	+
Rubio	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Salas	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+
Santiago	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Smith	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	E	+	+
Stone	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Ting	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Voepel	A	A	+	-	A	+	-	+	A	-
Waldron	A	+	+	-	A	+	-	+	A	-
Weber	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	E	+
Wicks	+	+	+	+	E	+	E	+	+	+
Wood	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+





We have challenges, but we know what needs to happen to solve them. The California Legislative LGBTQ Caucus and Equality California are working hand in glove every single day to do it.”

**Legislative LGBTQ Caucus Chair,
Senator Scott Wiener**



State Senate

Members	Party	District	AB 493	AB 711	AB 785	SB 132	SB 145	SB 159	SB 495	SB 741	ACR 27	SR 44
Allen	D	26	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Archuleta	D	32	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Atkins **	D	39	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Bates	R	36	A	A	+	-	A	+	A	-	+	+
Beall	D	15	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Borgeas	R	8	A	A	+	-	A	+	A	-	+	+
Bradford +	D	35	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Caballero	D	12	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Chang	R	29	A	E	+	+	A	+	+	+	E	+
Dahle	R	1	A	A	+	E	E	+	A	E	E	A
Dodd	D	3	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Durazo +	D	24	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Galgiani **	D	5	+	+	+	+	A	+	+	+	+	+
Glazer	D	7	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Gonzalez	D	33	+	+	+	E	E	+	+	E	E	+
Grove	R	16	A	A	+	-	-	+	A	-	+	A
Hertzberg	D	18	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Hill	D	13	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Hueso	D	40	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Hurtado	D	14	+	+	+	+	A	+	+	+	+	+
Jackson	D	19	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Jones	R	38	A	A	+	-	-	A	A	-	+	+
Leyva	D	20	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
McGuire	D	2	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Mitchell +	D	30	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Monning	D	17	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Moorlach	R	37	A	A	+	-	A	+	A	-	+	A
Morrell	R	23	A	A	+	-	-	+	A	-	+	-
Nielsen	R	4	+	A	+	-	A	A	+	-	+	A
Pan	D	6	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Portantino	D	25	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Roth	D	31	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Rubio	D	22	+	+	+	+	A	+	+	+	+	+
Skinner	D	9	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Stern	D	27	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Stone	R	28	A	A	+	-	A	+	A	-	+	+
Umberg	D	34	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Wieckowski	D	10	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Wiener **	D	11	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Wilk	R	21	+	+	+	A	A	+	+	+	+	+

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Members	SR 15	Total	AB 392	AB 512	AB 1548	SB 24	SB 30	SB 34	SB 233	SB 255	SB 534	ACR 99
Allen	+	100%	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Archuleta	+	100%	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Atkins **	+	100%	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Bates	+	45%	A	-	+	-	+	+	-	+	+	A
Beall	+	100%	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Borgeas	+	45%	E	A	+	-	+	A	E	+	A	-
Bradford +	+	100%	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Caballero	+	100%	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Chang	+	78%	+	+	+	-	+	+	-	+	+	A
Dahle	E	33%	+	-	+	-	+	+	-	+	A	-
Dodd	+	100%	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Durazo +	+	100%	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Galgiani **	+	91%	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Glazer	+	100%	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Gonzalez	E	100%	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Grove	+	36%	+	-	+	-	E	+	-	+	A	A
Hertzberg	+	100%	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Hill	+	100%	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Hueso	+	100%	+	+	+	+	E	+	+	+	+	+
Hurtado	+	91%	+	+	+	+	+	A	+	+	+	+
Jackson	+	100%	+	+	+	+	E	+	+	+	+	+
Jones	+	36%	-	-	+	-	E	+	-	+	+	-
Leyva	+	100%	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	E	+
McGuire	+	100%	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Mitchell +	+	100%	+	+	+	+	E	+	+	+	+	+
Monning	+	100%	+	+	+	+	E	+	+	+	+	+
Moorlach	+	36%	+	-	+	-	+	+	-	+	A	-
Morrell	E	30%	-	-	+	-	E	A	-	+	A	-
Nielsen	+	45%	A	-	+	-	A	+	-	+	A	-
Pan	+	100%	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Portantino	+	100%	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Roth	+	100%	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Rubio	+	91%	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Skinner	+	100%	+	+	+	+	E	+	+	+	+	+
Stern	+	100%	+	+	+	+	E	+	+	+	+	+
Stone	+	45%	-	-	+	-	+	+	-	+	A	-
Umberg	+	100%	+	+	+	+	E	+	+	+	+	+
Wieckowski	+	100%	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Wiener **	+	100%	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Wilk	+	82%	+	+	+	-	+	+	-	+	+	A

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Thank you, Governor Newsom!

In his first year in office, Governor Gavin Newsom delivered on his promise to stand with the LGBTQ community and people living with HIV. The governor signed all five of the bills sponsored by Equality California that reached his desk and committed to working with Equality California on our two-year bills that will be considered in 2020. We thank Governor Newsom and his staff for their leadership and strong support for full, lived equality for all LGBTQ people.

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+	+	+	+	+	100%	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+







Senator Holly Mitchell and drag queens at the Swearing In Celebration for Insurance Commissioner Ricardo Lara



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