



INFRASTRUCTURE AND GROWTH

Lawmakers Send Four Florida Chamber-Backed Infrastructure Bills to Governor's Desk

With only three days left in the 2019 Legislative Session, the Florida House of Representatives and Florida Senate are continuing to pass Florida Chamber-backed bills. Today, four infrastructure-related bills passed, sending three to **Governor Ron DeSantis'** desk, and the fourth is poised for final passage. Those include:

Transportation (SB 7068): Ensures Florida's infrastructure is prepared to meet its growing population. SB 7068 mirrors recommendations from the Florida Chamber's Infrastructure Coalition Report. ***This bill has fully passed the Florida Legislature.***

Communications Services (SB 1000): Reduces barriers for the deployment of small cell devices to reliably boost cellular coverage while taking up a minimal amount of space. ***This bill has fully passed the Florida Legislature.***

Public Utility Storm Protection Plans (SB 796): Hardens Florida's electrical grid to prepare Florida for future hurricanes and other disasters. ***This bill has passed the Florida House of Representatives and is poised for final passage in the Florida Senate***

Autonomous Vehicles (HB 311): Modernizes the autonomous vehicle regulatory structure to make Florida the most autonomous-friendly state in the union. ***This bill has fully passed the Florida Legislature.***

Thank you to **Speaker Jose Oliva**, **Senate President Bill Galvano**, and the **Florida Legislature** for their leadership in prioritizing these long-term goals and positioning Florida for smarter growth.

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The Florida Chamber Infrastructure Coalition: [The Florida Chamber Infrastructure Coalition](#) is dedicated to creating long-term investments in Florida's energy, water, transportation, telecommunications, and rural infrastructure. Click [HERE](#) to join the Florida Chamber Infrastructure Coalition and learn how we are doubling down on efforts to maximize Florida's economic growth opportunities through infrastructure investments.

The Florida Chamber's Autonomous Florida: Florida is uniquely prepared to be at the cutting edge of the autonomous revolution. [Autonomous Florida](#) is committed to focusing and unifying the business community's voice to ensure that Florida becomes the autonomous vehicle capital of North America. [Join Autonomous Florida](#) to secure the autonomous future.