April 8, 2021

**California Legislative Alert**

[**SB 799**](https://leginfo.legislature.ca.gov/faces/billNavClient.xhtml?bill_id=202120220SB799) **(Glazer)/**[**AB 1512**](https://leginfo.legislature.ca.gov/faces/billNavClient.xhtml?bill_id=202120220AB1512) **(Bauer-Kahan) Off-highway vehicular recreation: Carnegie State Vehicular Recreation Area: Alameda-Tesla Expansion Area**

**SB 700 will be heard in the**

**Senate Natural Resources & Water Committee**

**Thursday, April 15, upon adjournment of Senate Agriculture Committee, Capitol, Room 4203**

**AB 1512 will be heard in the**

**Assembly Water, Parks and Wildlife Committee on**

**Thursday, April 22, 2:30 p.m., Capitol, Room 4202**

The Off Road Vehicle Legislative Coalition is comprised of several statewide or regional organizations of OHV enthusiasts. Our coalition has reviewed SB 799/AB 1512 and strongly oppose these bills. SB 799/AB 1512 would deny opportunities for local Bay Area residents, including the elderly and disabled and motorized recreation enthusiasts.

* It will set a precedent, allowing for the sale of any State Park where neighboring property owners seek relief from a perceived “wrong” in that Park.
* There are legislative and institutional processes in place to dispose of State Parks properties. These processes were deliberate in their development to ensure careful consideration of all factors before these assets would be sold or redesignated. SB 799/AB 1512 seek to do an end run around these institutional processes.
* Opposition to the Carnegie State Vehicular Recreation Area (SVRA), whether the expansion property or the current park, is a local issue. Statewide legislation is an abuse of legislative resources. Consider that this is the fifth year in a row such legislation has been introduced, and it still is directed at a single State Park.
* SB 249 (Chapter 459, Statutes of 2017) outlines specific processes and standards for State Vehicle Recreation Areas, such as Carnegie, that exceed the standards for other State Parks. The proposed conservatorships would not be required to meet these high standards nor be required to be accessible to the California public.
* Carnegie SVRA meets the standards established for an urban park. Elimination of this resource is in direct conflict with this standard.

Contact your Legislator NOW to oppose SB 799/AB 1512.

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| **SENATE NATURAL RESOURCES AND WATER****SB 799** |
| **Member** | **District** | **Party** | **Room** | **Phone** | **Fax** |
| [Stern, Henry](http://sd27.senate.ca.gov/) (Chair) | 27  | D  | 5080  | 916 651 4027  | 916 651 4927  |
| [Jones, Brian](https://jones.cssrc.us/) (Vice-Chair) | 38  | R  | 4088  | 916 651 4038  | 916 651 4938  |
| [Allen, Benjamin](http://sd26.senate.ca.gov/) | 26  | D  | 4076  | 916 651 4026  | 916 651 4926  |
| [Eggman, Susan Talamantes](http://sd05.senate.ca.gov/) | 5  | D  | 4052  | 916 651 4005  | 916 651 4905  |
| [Grove, Shannon](https://grove.cssrc.us/) | 16  | R  | 3048  | 916 651 4016  | 916 651 4916  |
| [Hertzberg, Robert](https://sd18.senate.ca.gov/) | 18  | D  | 313  | 916 651 4018  | 916 651 4918  |
| [Hueso, Ben](http://sd40.senate.ca.gov/) | 40  | D  | 4035  | 916 651 4040  | 916 651 4940  |
| [Laird, John](http://sd17.senate.ca.gov/) | 17  | D  | 4040  | 916 651 4017  | 916 651 4917  |
| [Limón, Monique](http://sd19.senate.ca.gov/) | 19  | D  | 3092  | 916 651 4019  | 916 651 4919  |

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| **ASSEMBLY WATER, PARKS AND WILDLIFE****AB 1512** |
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| [Garcia, Eduardo](https://a56.asmdc.org/)  (Chair) | 56  | D  | 4140  | 916 319 2056  | 916 319 2156  |
| [Dahle, Megan](https://ad01.asmrc.org/)  (Vice-Chair) | 1  | R  | 4208  | 916 319 2001  | 916 319 2101  |
| [Bennett, Steve](https://a37.asmdc.org/) | 37  | D  | 6031  | 916 319 2037  | 916 319 2137  |
| [Bigelow, Franklin](https://ad05.asmrc.org/) | 5  | R  | 4158  | 916 319 2005  | 916 319 2105  |
| [Friedman, Laura](https://a43.asmdc.org/) | 43  | D  | 2137  | 916 319 2043  | 916 319 2143  |
| [Garcia, Cristina](https://a58.asmdc.org/) | 58  | D  | 2013  | 916 319 2058  | 916 319 2158  |
| [Kalra, Ash](https://a27.asmdc.org/) | 27  | D  | 2196  | 916 319 2027  | 916 319 2127  |
| [Levine, Marc](https://a10.asmdc.org/) | 10  | D  | 5135  | 916 319 2010  | 916 319 2110  |
| [Muratsuchi, Al](https://a66.asmdc.org/) | 66  | D  | 2179  | 916 319 2066  | 916 319 2166  |
| [Nguyen, Janet](https://ad72.asmrc.org/) | 72  | R  | 4153  | 916 319 2072  | 916 319 2172  |
| [Rubio, Blanca](https://a48.asmdc.org/) | 48  | D  | 5175  | 916 319 2048  | 916 319 2148  |
| [Salas, Rudy](https://a32.asmdc.org/) | 32  | D  | 4016  | 916 319 2032  | 916 319 2132  |
| [Smith, Thurston](https://ad33.asmrc.org/) | 33  | R  | 4116  | 916 319 2033  | 916 319 2133  |
| [Villapudua, Carlos](https://a13.asmdc.org/) | 13  | D  | 4117  | 916 319 2013  | 916 319 2113  |
| [Ward, Christopher](https://a78.asmdc.org/) | 78  | D  | 2176  | 916 319 2078  | 916 319 2178  |

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If your Assemblymember/Senator is not on the committee list above, please contact the bills’ authors and tell her of your OPPOSITION to SB 799/AB 1512.

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| **SB 799 Author** | **District** | **Party** | **Room** | **Phone** | **Fax** |
| [Glazer, Steve](http://sd07.senate.ca.gov/) | 7 | D | 5108 | 916 651 4007 | 916 651 4907 |
| **AB 1512 Author** | **District** | **Party** | **Room** | **Phone** | **Fax** |
| [Bauer-Kahan, Rebecca](https://a16.asmdc.org/) | 16  | D  | 2130  | 916 319 2016  | 916 319 2116  |

Lists of Social Media contacts for both bills are attached.