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Thursday, June 5, 2025  
10 minutes prior to Session  
State Capitol, Room 126

**CONSENT AGENDA**

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# Memo

**To:** Rules Committee Members  
**From:** Michael Erke, Bill Referral Consultant  
**Date:** 6/4/2025  
**Re:** Consent Bill Referrals

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Since you received your preliminary list of bill referrals, SB 812 has been removed from the referral list.

## REFERRAL OF BILLS TO COMMITTEE

06/05/2025

Pursuant to the Assembly Rules, the following bills were referred to committee:

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<u>SB 54</u>	JUD.
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<u>SB 56</u>	REV. & TAX.
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<u>SB 92</u>	H. & C.D.
<u>SB 92</u>	L. GOV.
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<u>SB 236</u>	E.S. & T.M.
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<u>SB 276</u>	L. GOV.
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<u>SB 278</u>	HEALTH
<u>SB 278</u>	P. & C.P.
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<u>SB 293</u>	REV. & TAX.
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<u>SB 333</u>	L. GOV.
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<u>SB 446</u>	JUD.
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<u>SB 447</u>	INS.
<u>SB 450</u>	JUD.
<u>SB 452</u>	HUM. S.
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<u>SB 489</u>	L. GOV.
<u>SB 489</u>	H. & C.D.
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<u>SB 515</u>	L. GOV.
<u>SB 520</u>	HEALTH
<u>SB 520</u>	HIGHER ED.
<u>SB 530</u>	HEALTH
<u>SB 535</u>	HEALTH
<u>SB 543</u>	H. & C.D.
<u>SB 543</u>	L. GOV.
<u>SB 549</u>	L. GOV.
<u>SB 551</u>	PUB. S.
<u>SB 553</u>	PUB. S.
<u>SB 563</u>	W., P., & W.
<u>SB 568</u>	ED.
<u>SB 572</u>	TRANS.
<u>SB 572</u>	JUD.
<u>SB 576</u>	P. & C.P.
<u>SB 577</u>	JUD.
<u>SB 590</u>	INS.
<u>SB 591</u>	REV. & TAX.
<u>SB 593</u>	U. & E.
<u>SB 597</u>	L. & E.
<u>SB 597</u>	JUD.
<u>SB 599</u>	W., P., & W.
<u>SB 603</u>	REV. & TAX.
<u>SB 609</u>	W., P., & W.
<u>SB 609</u>	JUD.
<u>SB 611</u>	L. GOV.
<u>SB 611</u>	JUD.
<u>SB 615</u>	E.S. & T.M.
<u>SB 615</u>	NAT. RES.
<u>SB 617</u>	L. & E.
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<u>SB 646</u>	E.S. & T.M.
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<u>SB 648</u>	JUD.
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<u>SB 685</u>	ED.
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<u>SB 715</u>	L. GOV.
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<u>SB 724</u>	E.S. & T.M.
<u>SB 724</u>	H. & C.D.
<u>SB 731</u>	TRANS.
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<u>SB 739</u>	HUM. S.
<u>SB 741</u>	NAT. RES.
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<u>SB 745</u>	ED.
<u>SB 748</u>	H. & C.D.
<u>SB 748</u>	HUM. S.
<u>SB 750</u>	H. & C.D.
<u>SB 750</u>	JUD.
<u>SB 753</u>	L. GOV.
<u>SB 754</u>	E.S. & T.M.
<u>SB 757</u>	L. GOV.
<u>SB 757</u>	JUD.
<u>SB 760</u>	ELECTIONS
<u>SB 764</u>	HEALTH
<u>SB 765</u>	W., P., & W.
<u>SB 769</u>	E.D., G., & H.I.
<u>SB 769</u>	JUD.
<u>SB 774</u>	B. & P.
<u>SB 781</u>	E.D., G., & H.I.
<u>SB 781</u>	L. GOV.

<u>SB 782</u>	L. GOV.
<u>SB 785</u>	REV. & TAX.
<u>SB 808</u>	JUD.
<u>SB 809</u>	L. & E.
<u>SB 809</u>	JUD.
<u>SB 820</u>	PUB. S.
<u>SB 822</u>	JUD.
<u>SB 827</u>	L. GOV.
<u>SB 839</u>	NAT. RES.
<u>SB 839</u>	JUD.
<u>SB 844</u>	G.O.
<u>SB 845</u>	ED.
<u>SB 845</u>	L. & E.
<u>SB 847</u>	INS.
<u>SB 847</u>	JUD.
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<u>SB 855</u>	G.O.
<u>SB 862</u>	HEALTH
<u>SCR 25</u>	U. & E.
<u>SCR 33</u>	RLS.
<u>SCR 50</u>	NAT. RES.
<u>SCR 56</u>	RLS.
<u>SCR 66</u>	JUD.
<u>SCR 69</u>	RLS.
<u>SCR 76</u>	RLS.



## Assembly Concurrent Resolution

No. 90

**Introduced by Assembly Members Gipson, Bonta, Bryan, Elhawary,  
Jackson, McKinnor, Ransom, Sharp-Collins, and Wilson**

(Principal coauthors: Senators Richardson, Smallwood-Cuevas, and  
Weber Pierson)

May 22, 2025

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 90—Relative to Juneteenth.

### LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL’S DIGEST

ACR 90, as introduced, Gipson. Juneteenth.

This measure would recognize June 19, 2025, as Juneteenth and would urge the people of California to join in celebrating Juneteenth as a day to honor and reflect on the significant role that African Americans have played in the history of the United States and how they have enriched society through their steadfast commitment to promoting unity and equality.

Fiscal committee: no.

1 WHEREAS, Juneteenth, also known as “Juneteenth  
2 Independence Day,” “Emancipation Day,” “Emancipation  
3 Celebration,” and “Freedom Day,” is the oldest African American  
4 holiday observance in the United States; and

5 WHEREAS, Juneteenth, or June 19, 1865, is considered the  
6 date when the last slaves in America were freed when General  
7 Gordon Granger rode into the City of Galveston, Texas, and issued  
8 General Order No. 3, almost two and one-half years after President  
9 Abraham Lincoln issued the Emancipation Proclamation; and

1 WHEREAS, 2025 marks 160 years of freedom celebrations;  
2 and

3 WHEREAS, Juneteenth commemorates the strong survival  
4 instinct of African Americans who were first brought to this  
5 country stacked and shackled in the bottom of slave ships in a  
6 monthlong journey across the Atlantic Ocean known as the “Middle  
7 Passage”; and

8 WHEREAS, August 2019 marked 400 years since the first  
9 arrival of Africans to colonial America, and the United States  
10 Congress has established the 400 Years of African-American  
11 History Commission to commemorate the historic heritage and  
12 contributions that Americans of African descent have made to help  
13 shape the cultural, academic, social, economic, and moral attributes  
14 of this nation; and

15 WHEREAS, In August 1619, the first documented Africans  
16 arrived in the English colony of Virginia. The group, recorded  
17 upon arrival as “20 and odd Negros,” was part of a larger group  
18 of West Africans enslaved by Portuguese slave traders. They were  
19 on their way to the City of Veracruz, Mexico, aboard a Spanish  
20 ship when they were captured off the coast of Mexico by an English  
21 privateer ship and transported to Virginia, where they were put  
22 ashore at what is now the City of Hampton, Virginia, and sold as  
23 involuntary laborers or indentured servants; and

24 WHEREAS, Slavery had not yet been institutionalized, so the  
25 Africans were informed they would work under contract for a  
26 certain period of time before being granted freedom and the rights  
27 afforded other settlers. However, while European indentured  
28 servants were listed along with their year of expected freedom, no  
29 such information accompanied the names of the African indentured  
30 servants; and

31 WHEREAS, On September 22, 1862, President Lincoln issued  
32 the preliminary Emancipation Proclamation, warning the rebellious  
33 Confederate States that he would declare their slaves “forever free”  
34 if those states did not return to the Union by January 1, 1863.  
35 Enforcement of the Emancipation Proclamation occurred only in  
36 Confederate States that were under Union Army control; and

37 WHEREAS, Even after the lapse of California’s Fugitive Slave  
38 Law in 1855, masters informally held enslaved people in California  
39 until 1864, and it was not until June 28, 1864, that all fugitive slave  
40 laws were officially repealed; and

1 WHEREAS, Prior to the end of the Civil War, Congress passed  
2 the Thirteenth Amendment to the United States Constitution on  
3 January 31, 1865, which abolished slavery throughout the United  
4 States and its territories. Spontaneous celebrations erupted  
5 throughout the country when African Americans learned of their  
6 freedom; and

7 WHEREAS, Texas, as a part of the Confederacy, was resistant  
8 to the Emancipation Proclamation. But on June 18, 1865, Union  
9 troops arrived in the City of Galveston, Texas, to take possession  
10 of the state and enforce the emancipation of its slaves. Former  
11 slaves in Galveston rejoiced in the streets with jubilant celebrations.  
12 The following day, June 19, became known as “Juneteenth,” a  
13 name derived from a portmanteau of the words “June” and  
14 “nineteenth.” Juneteenth celebrations began in Texas the following  
15 year; and

16 WHEREAS, Juneteenth education and celebrations declined in  
17 America in the early part of the 20th century. But the Civil Rights  
18 Movement of the 1950s and 1960s saw a resurgence of interest in  
19 Juneteenth, along with renewed community celebrations of the  
20 day; and

21 WHEREAS, On January 1, 1980, Juneteenth became an official  
22 state holiday in Texas through the efforts of Al Edwards, an African  
23 American state legislator. The successful passage of this bill  
24 marked Juneteenth as the first emancipation celebration granted  
25 official state recognition; and

26 WHEREAS, As of 2022, all 50 states in the country recognize  
27 Juneteenth as an official state holiday or day of observance; and

28 WHEREAS, In June 2020, after the brutal murder of George  
29 Floyd, several prominent companies, including Nike, the National  
30 Football League, X, and Square, announced plans to offer  
31 Juneteenth as a paid holiday to their employees. Further, several  
32 financial institutions, including JPMorgan Chase, Northern Trust,  
33 Fifth Third Bank, PNC Bank, and Capital One, also announced  
34 that they will be closing all or parts of their business early on June  
35 19 while paying employees for the full day; and

36 WHEREAS, On June 17, 2021, President Biden signed the  
37 Juneteenth National Independence Day Act into law, establishing  
38 June 19 as a federal holiday and making it the first federal holiday  
39 since the establishment of Martin Luther King Jr. Day in 1983;  
40 and

1 WHEREAS, A growing number of American and African  
2 American cultural institutions have sponsored Juneteenth cultural  
3 events designed to make all Americans aware of this celebration,  
4 including the Smithsonian Institution’s National Museum of  
5 American History in Washington, D.C., the Chicago Historical  
6 Society, the Black Archives of Mid-America in Kansas City, Inc.  
7 in the City of Kansas City, Missouri, the California African  
8 American Museum in the City of Los Angeles, California, the  
9 Henry Ford Museum and Greenfield Village in the City of  
10 Dearborn, Michigan, the African American Museum in the City  
11 of Dallas, Texas, and the National Juneteenth Observance  
12 Foundation. Juneteenth celebrations are a tribute to those African  
13 Americans who fought so long for freedom and worked so hard  
14 to make the dream of equality a reality; and

15 WHEREAS, California law requires the Governor to proclaim  
16 the third Saturday in June of each year to be known as “Juneteenth  
17 National Freedom Day: A day of observance” to urge all  
18 Californians in celebrating this day to honor and reflect on the  
19 significant roles that African Americans have played in the history  
20 of the United States and how African Americans have enriched  
21 society through their steadfast commitment to promoting freedom,  
22 brotherhood, and equality; and

23 WHEREAS, Juneteenth commemorates African American  
24 freedom and emphasizes education and achievement. It is a day,  
25 a week, and in some areas, a month marked with celebrations,  
26 guest speakers, picnics, and family gatherings. It is a time for  
27 reflection and rejoicing. It is a time for assessment,  
28 self-improvement, and for planning the future; now, therefore, be  
29 it

30 *Resolved by the Assembly of the State of California, the Senate*  
31 *thereof concurring*, That the Legislature of the State of California  
32 hereby recognizes June 19, 2025, as Juneteenth; and be it further

33 *Resolved*, That the Legislature urges the people of California to  
34 join in celebrating Juneteenth as a day to honor and reflect on the  
35 significant role that African Americans have played in the history  
36 of the United States and how they have enriched society through  
37 their steadfast commitment to promoting unity and equality; and  
38 be it further

- 1     *Resolved*, That the Chief Clerk of the Assembly transmit copies
- 2     of this resolution to the author for appropriate distribution.

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Date of Hearing: June 5, 2025

ASSEMBLY COMMITTEE ON RULES  
Blanca Pacheco, Chair  
ACR 90 (Gipson) – As Introduced May 22, 2025

**SUBJECT:** Juneteenth.

**SUMMARY:** Recognizes June 19, 2025, as Juneteenth; and, urges the people of California to join in celebrating Juneteenth as a day to honor and reflect on the significant role that African Americans have played in the history of the United States, and how they have enriched society through their steadfast commitment to promoting unity and equality. Specifically, **this resolution** makes the following legislative findings:

- 1) Juneteenth, also known as “Juneteenth Independence Day,” “Emancipation Day,” “Emancipation Celebration,” and “Freedom Day,” is the oldest African American holiday observance in the United States.
- 2) Juneteenth, or June 19, 1865, is considered the date when the last slaves in America were freed when General Gordon Granger rode into Galveston, Texas, and issued General Order No. 3, almost two and one-half years after President Lincoln issued the Emancipation Proclamation.
- 3) Juneteenth education and celebrations declined in America in the early part of the 20th century. But the Civil Rights Movement of the 1950s and 1960s saw a resurgence of interest in Juneteenth, along with renewed community celebrations of the day.
- 4) On January 1, 1980, Juneteenth became an official state holiday in Texas through the efforts of Al Edwards, an African American state legislator. The successful passage of this bill marked Juneteenth as the first emancipation celebration granted official state recognition.
- 5) As of 2022, all 50 states in the country recognize Juneteenth as an official state holiday or day of observance.
- 6) California law requires the Governor to proclaim the third Saturday in June of each year to be known as “Juneteenth National Freedom Day: A day of observance,” to urge all Californians in celebrating this day to honor and reflect on the significant roles that African Americans have played in the history of the United States.
- 7) A growing number of American and African American cultural institutions have sponsored Juneteenth cultural events designed to make all Americans aware of this celebration, including the Smithsonian Institution’s National Museum of American History in Washington, D.C., the Chicago Historical Society, the Black Archives of Mid-America in Kansas City, and the California African American Museum in the City of Los Angeles.
- 8) Juneteenth commemorates African American freedom and emphasizes education and achievement. It is a day, a week, and in some areas, a month marked with celebrations, guest speakers, picnics, and family gatherings. It is a time for reflection and rejoicing. It is a time for assessment, self-improvement, and for planning the future.

9) 2025 marks 160 years of freedom celebrations.

**FISCAL EFFECT:** This resolution is keyed non-fiscal by Legislative Counsel.

**REGISTERED SUPPORT / OPPOSITION:**

**Support**

None on file

**Opposition**

None on file

**Analysis Prepared by:** Michael Erke / RLS. / (916) 319-2800

## Assembly Concurrent Resolution

No. 92

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**Introduced by Assembly Member Mark González**  
**(Principal coauthors: Assembly Members Ahrens, Alanis, Bauer-Kahan, Berman, Elhawary, Gabriel, Jeff Gonzalez, Haney, Kalra, Lowenthal, Macedo, Pacheco, Michelle Rodriguez, Schultz, Solache, Soria, Valencia, Wallis, Ward, and Wicks)**  
**(Principal coauthors: Senators Becker and Pérez)**

May 29, 2025

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Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 92—Relative to Electronic Dance Music Month.

### LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL’S DIGEST

ACR 92, as introduced, Mark González. Electronic Dance Music Month.

This measure would declare the month of June 2025 as Electronic Dance Music Month.

Fiscal committee: no.

- 1 WHEREAS, Electronic dance music, or “EDM,” traces its roots  
2 back to the 1970s with the rise of disco and the innovative use of  
3 synthesizers in popular music; and  
4 WHEREAS, EDM encompasses a wide array of subgenres,  
5 including, but not limited to, disco, synthpop, techno, house, trance,  
6 drum and bass, dubstep, trap, hardstyle, and many more; and  
7 WHEREAS, EDM is a vibrant and inclusive musical form that  
8 brings people of all backgrounds together on the dance floor; and  
9 WHEREAS, EDM concerts are dynamic gatherings where the  
10 music, lights, and community come together in celebration; and



1 WHEREAS, Attendees of these events are the heart of the EDM  
2 movement, and are known for their passion, creativity, and  
3 expressive fashion; and

4 WHEREAS, EDM culture is rooted in the core values of Peace,  
5 Love, Unity, and Respect, commonly abbreviated as “PLUR”; and

6 WHEREAS, Peace represents the elimination of conflict and  
7 the embrace of harmony; and

8 WHEREAS, Love is shared through acts of kindness and  
9 goodwill; and

10 WHEREAS, Unity invites all people into the community  
11 regardless of background, identity, or differences; and

12 WHEREAS, Respect is shown through empathy, acceptance,  
13 and treating others as one wishes to be treated; and

14 WHEREAS, These values reflect the spirit of California, a state  
15 that celebrates diversity, inclusion, and creative expression; and

16 WHEREAS, California is home to some of the world’s most  
17 iconic EDM festivals, hosted in cities across the state, including  
18 the Cities of Los Angeles, San Francisco, San Diego, San Jose,  
19 San Bernardino, Bakersfield, Palm Springs, Coachella, and across  
20 the North Coast region; and

21 WHEREAS, These festivals not only serve as cultural  
22 landmarks, but also generate millions in economic impact for local  
23 communities and the state; now, therefore, be it

24 *Resolved by the Assembly of the State of California, the Senate*  
25 *thereof concurring*, That the Legislature hereby recognizes the  
26 profound cultural, social, and economic impact of EDM on the  
27 lives of Californians; and be it further

28 *Resolved*, That the Legislature hereby declares the month of  
29 June 2025 as Electronic Dance Music Month; and be it further

30 *Resolved*, That the Chief Clerk of the Assembly transmit copies  
31 of this resolution to the author for appropriate distribution.

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Date of Hearing: June 5, 2025

ASSEMBLY COMMITTEE ON RULES  
Blanca Pacheco, Chair  
ACR 92 (Mark González) – As Introduced May 29, 2025

**SUBJECT:** Electronic Dance Music Month.

**SUMMARY:** Declares the month of June 2025 as Electronic Dance Music Month and recognizes the profound cultural, social, and economic impact of electronic dance music on the lives of Californians. Specifically, **this resolution** makes the following legislative findings:

- 1) Electronic dance music, or “EDM,” traces its roots back to the 1970s with the rise of disco and the innovative use of synthesizers in popular music.
- 2) EDM encompasses a wide array of subgenres, including, but not limited to, disco, synthpop, techno, house, trance, drum and bass, dubstep, trap, hardstyle, and many more.
- 3) EDM is a vibrant and inclusive musical form that brings people of all backgrounds together on the dance floor. EDM concerts are dynamic gatherings where the music, lights, and community come together in celebration.
- 4) EDM culture is rooted in the core values of Peace, Love, Unity, and Respect, commonly abbreviated as “PLUR”. Peace represents the elimination of conflict and the embrace of harmony. Love is shared through acts of kindness and goodwill. Unity invites all people into the community regardless of background, identity, or differences. Respect is shown through empathy, acceptance, and treating others as one wishes to be treated.
- 5) California is home to some of the world’s most iconic EDM festivals, hosted in cities across the state, including the Cities of Los Angeles, San Francisco, San Diego, San Jose, San Bernardino, Bakersfield, Palm Springs, Coachella, and across the North Coast region. These festivals not only serve as cultural landmarks, but also generate millions in economic impact for local communities and the state.

**FISCAL EFFECT:** This resolution is keyed non-fiscal by Legislative Counsel.

**REGISTERED SUPPORT / OPPOSITION:**

**Support**

None on file

**Opposition**

None on file

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