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Bill	Sponsors	Title	Last Action	Latest Version
CT 2025 SB 1282	Environment Committee	AN ACT CONCERNING THE MINIMUM QUARANTINE FOR CERTAIN DOGS AND CATS EXPOSED TO RABIES. To reduce the minimum quarantine time from six to four months for dogs, cats and other animals that have been attacked and that may have been exposed to rabies. Public Hearing • Environment Feb 19, 2025 12:00pm LOB Zoom and YouTube Live	Senate • Feb 11, 2025: Public Hearing 02/19	Raised Bill
CT 2025 SB 72	Environment Committee Sen. Stephen G. Harding	AN ACT REQUIRING LEGISLATIVE APPROVAL OF THE DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION'S EVICTION OF FARMERS CONDUCTING FARMING ON STATE-OWNED PROPERTY. To protect farmers who permissibly farm on state-owned land. Public Hearing • Environment Feb 19, 2025 12:00pm LOB Zoom and YouTube Live	Senate • Feb 11, 2025: Public Hearing 02/19	Committee Bill
CT 2025 SB 62	Environment Committee Sen. Heather S. Somers	AN ACT CONCERNING THE ISSUANCE OF A NEW PERMIT FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A DOCK WHEN THE FORMER PERMIT HAS EXPIRED. To expedite the issuance of a new permit to build a dock when the former permit has expired but there are no changes to the application for such permit. Public Hearing • Environment Feb 19, 2025 12:00pm LOB Zoom and YouTube Live	Senate • Feb 11, 2025: Public Hearing 02/19	Committee Bill
CT 2025 SB 641	Sen. Martha Marx Sen. Catherine A. Osten Rep. Nick Gauthier	AN ACT ESTABLISHING A PILOT PROGRAM FOR A BOAT WASHING STATION AT GARDNER LAKE IN THE TOWN OF SALEM. To reduce invasive plants carried on the hull, prop and motor of boats in Gardner Lake in the town of Salem.	Senate • Feb 10, 2025: Vote to Draft (ENV)	Proposed Bill
CT 2025 SB 75	Sen. Stephen G. Harding Rep. Aundre Bumgardner	AN ACT REQUIRING THE EXPEDITING OF PERMITS FOR THE REMEDIATION OF HYDRILLA IN LAKES ACROSS THE STATE. To expedite the permitting process for the remediation of hydrilla in lakes across the state.	Senate • Feb 10, 2025: Vote to Draft (ENV)	Proposed Bill

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CT 2025 SB 73	Sen. Stephen G. Harding	AN ACT TRANSFERRING OVERSIGHT OF FARMING ON STATE-OWNED LAND FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE. To transfer oversight of certain farming activities from the Department of Energy and Environmental Protection to the Department of Agriculture.	Senate • Feb 10, 2025: Vote to Draft (ENV)	Proposed Bill
CT 2025 HB 6250	Rep. Brandon Chafee Rep. Joseph P. Gresko	AN ACT CONCERNING THE LEVELS OF STAFFING FOR ENVIRONMENTAL CONSERVATION OFFICERS. To provide for a full staff of environmental conservation officers necessary for the enforcement of environmental regulations.	House • Feb 10, 2025: Vote to Draft (ENV)	Proposed Bill
CT 2025 HB 6249	Rep. Jason Rojas	AN ACT LIMITING APPEALS UNDER THE CONNECTICUT ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION ACT. To limit who can take an appeal under CEPA.	House • Feb 10, 2025: Vote to Draft (ENV)	Proposed Bill
CT 2025 HB 6248	Rep. Brandon Chafee	AN ACT ESTABLISHING A MORATORIUM ON FISHING FOR STRIPED BASS IN THE LOWER HOUSATONIC RIVER. To restore the population of striped bass in the lower Housatonic River.	House • Feb 10, 2025: Vote to Draft (ENV)	Proposed Bill
CT 2025 HB 6236	Rep. Alphonse Paolillo Sen. Martin M. Looney Rep. Kerry S. Wood	AN ACT PROHIBITING WATERFOWL AND BIRD HUNTING IN SECTIONS OF THE MORRIS COVE AREA OF NEW HAVEN. To provide increased safety and quality of life to residents of the Morris Cove area of New Haven.	House • Feb 10, 2025: Vote to Draft (ENV)	Proposed Bill
CT 2025 HB 5388	Rep. Aundre Bumgardner	AN ACT CONCERNING NATURAL FISHING, HUNTING AND AQUACULTURE RIGHTS OF CERTAIN NATIVE AMERICAN TRIBES. To affirm and expand fishing, hunting and aquaculture rights of state-recognized Native American tribes.	House • Feb 10, 2025: Vote to Draft (ENV)	Proposed Bill
CT 2025 HB 5134	Rep. Dave W. Yaccarino	AN ACT CONCERNING THE COMMISSIONER OF AGRICULTURE'S RESPONSIBILITIES FOR RABBIT PROCESSING IN THE STATE. To provide a way for rabbits to be processed in the state for consumption by consumers and retail food establishments.	House • Feb 10, 2025: Vote to Draft (ENV)	Proposed Bill
CT 2025 SJ 36	Government Administration and Elections Committee Rep. Mary M. Mushinsky Rep. Nick Gauthier	RESOLUTION PROPOSING A STATE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT CONCERNING ENVIRONMENTAL RIGHTS.	Senate • Feb 3, 2025: Public Hearing 02/07	Senate Constitutional Resolution
CT 2025 SB 313	Environment Committee Sen. Jeff Gordon Rep. Kurt Vail	AN ACT ESTABLISHING A SPEED LIMIT FOR LAKE MASHAPAUG IN UNION. To establish a speed limit for Mashapaug Lake.	Senate • Jan 27, 2025: Public Hearing 01/31	Committee Bill
CT 2025 SB 63	Environment Committee Sen. Heather S. Somers Rep. Aundre Bumgardner	AN ACT CONCERNING THE MITIGATION OF EFFECTS ON WILDLIFE AND FISHERIES FROM FUTURE OFFSHORE WIND PROJECTS. To require the Department of Energy and Environmental Protection to adopt regulations regarding the mitigation of future offshore wind project proposals on wildlife and fisheries.	Senate • Jan 27, 2025: Public Hearing 01/31	Committee Bill
CT 2025 SB 59	Environment Committee Sen. Heather S. Somers Rep. Tom O'Dea	AN ACT REQUIRING A PLAN FOR BENEFICIAL USE DREDGING. To improve navigation in Connecticut's waterways and increase and improve coastal wetland habitat and water quality.	Senate • Jan 27, 2025: Public Hearing 01/31	Committee Bill
CT 2025 SB 55	Environment Committee Sen. Heather S. Somers Rep. Greg S. Howard	AN ACT REQUIRING THE INCREASING OF THE BOATING SPEED LIMIT ON WYASSUP LAKE IN NORTH STONINGTON DURING THE SUMMER MONTHS. To increase the boating speed limit on Wyassup Lake in North Stonington during the summer months.	Senate • Jan 27, 2025: Public Hearing 01/31	Committee Bill
CT 2025 HB 5013	Environment Committee Rep. Joseph P. Gresko Rep. Aundre Bumgardner	AN ACT ADDING CERTAIN PLANTS TO THE INVASIVE PLANTS LIST. To prohibit the sale, use and distribution of certain invasive plants in the state.	House • Jan 27, 2025: Public Hearing 01/31	Committee Bill

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CT 2025 HB 5012	Environment Committee Rep. Joseph P. Gresko Rep. Nicholas Menapace	AN ACT PROHIBITING THE PRACTICE OF SHARK FINNING. To prohibit the practice of shark finning.	House • Jan 27, 2025: Public Hearing 01/31	Committee Bill
CT 2025 SB 1116	Sen. Rick Lopes Rep. Josh Elliott Sen. Martin M. Looney	AN ACT PROVIDING FUNDING FOR THE MAINTENANCE OF CERTAIN TRAILS BY THE DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION. To fund the maintenance of certain trails by the Department of Energy and Environmental Protection.	Senate • Jan 23, 2025: Referred to Joint Committee on Environment	Proposed Bill
CT 2025 HB 6285	Rep. Cara Christine Pavalock-D'Amato	AN ACT AUTHORIZING A LIMITED BLACK BEAR HUNTING SEASON. To manage the black bear population and protect the residents of the state.	House • Jan 23, 2025: Referred to Joint Committee on Environment	Proposed Bill
CT 2025 HB 6284	Rep. Cara Christine Pavalock-D'Amato Rep. Devin R. Carney Rep. Sarah Keitt	AN ACT PROHIBITING THE USE OF DOGS FOR THE TESTING OF CONSUMER PRODUCTS NOT INTENDED FOR DOGS. To prohibit the use of dogs for the testing of consumer products.	House • Jan 23, 2025: Referred to Joint Committee on Environment	Proposed Bill
CT 2025 HB 6274	Rep. Devin R. Carney Rep. Kerry S. Wood	AN ACT PROHIBITING THE USE OF STEEL-JAW LEGHOLD TRAPS ON BODIES OF WATER. To prohibit the use of steel-jaw leghold traps on bodies of water.	House • Jan 23, 2025: Referred to Joint Committee on Environment	Proposed Bill
CT 2025 HB 6264	Rep. Nicholas Menapace Rep. Kevin Ryan Rep. Nick Gauthier	AN ACT CONCERNING THE INCORPORATION OF NATIVE PLANT SPECIES AND POLLINATOR HABITATS ON STATE PROPERTY. To promote ecological health and biodiversity and support pollinators.	House • Jan 23, 2025: Referred to Joint Committee on Environment	Proposed Bill
CT 2025 HB 6261	Rep. Melissa Osborne	AN ACT CONCERNING OLD-GROWTH FORESTS IN THE STATE. To define "mature and old-growth forests" in the state so such forests can be inventoried for the purposes of being able to plan prospectively to protect this environmentally crucial component of the ecosystem.	House • Jan 23, 2025: Referred to Joint Committee on Environment	Proposed Bill
CT 2025 HB 6260	Rep. Melissa Osborne	AN ACT CONCERNING THE INTENTIONAL FEEDING OF DANGEROUS WILDLIFE, LIMITING THE USE OF BIRD FEEDERS AND PROHIBITING THE IMPROPER STORAGE OF FOOD, GARBAGE AND WILDLIFE ATTRACTANTS. To reduce wildlife to human habituation and the frequency and likelihood of negative human interactions with wildlife.	House • Jan 23, 2025: Referred to Joint Committee on Environment	Proposed Bill
CT 2025 HB 6253	Rep. Anthony L. Nolan	AN ACT EXEMPTING SENIOR CITIZENS FROM FISHING LICENSE FEES. To enhance recreational opportunities for senior citizens.	House • Jan 23, 2025: Referred to Joint Committee on Environment	Proposed Bill
CT 2025 HB 6244	Rep. Geraldo C. Reyes	AN ACT CONCERNING PUBLIC ACCESS TO WATERFRONT AREAS. To provide for public access to waterways.	House • Jan 23, 2025: Referred to Joint Committee on Environment	Proposed Bill
CT 2025 HB 6243	Rep. Kurt Vail	AN ACT ESTABLISHING A SPEED LIMIT FOR PERSONAL WATERCRAFTS AND MOTORBOATS ON LAKE MASHAPAUG IN THE TOWN OF UNION. To establish a speed limit for Lake Mashapaug.	House • Jan 23, 2025: Referred to Joint Committee on Environment	Proposed Bill
CT 2025 HB 6239	Rep. Tracy Marra	AN ACT CONCERNING BOW AND ARROW HUNTING PRACTICES IN DEER AND TURKEY MANAGEMENT ZONE 11. To provide safe bow and arrow hunting practices and deer population control in deer and turkey management zones.	House • Jan 23, 2025: Referred to Joint Committee on Environment	Proposed Bill
CT 2025 HB 6234	Rep. Karen Reddington-Hughes Rep. Mark W. Anderson	AN ACT CONCERNING BLACK BEAR CONSERVATION AND THE REDUCTION OF PERSON TO BEAR CONFLICTS AND PREDATION OF WHITE-TAILED DEER BY BLACK BEARS. To provide for protections from black bear predation of white-tailed deer fawns and reduce human-bear conflicts through certain conservation measures.	House • Jan 23, 2025: Referred to Joint Committee on Environment	Proposed Bill
CT 2025 HB 6227	Rep. Patrick S. Boyd Rep. Anne Dauphinais	AN ACT AUTHORIZING SUNDAY HUNTING. To authorize Sunday hunting in the state.	House • Jan 23, 2025: Referred to Joint Committee on Environment	Proposed Bill

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CT 2025 HJ 14	Rep. Jason Doucette Rep. Nick Gauthier	RESOLUTION PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO THE STATE CONSTITUTION CONCERNING AN INDIVIDUAL RIGHT TO CLEAN AND HEALTHY AIR, WATER, SOIL, ECOSYSTEMS AND ENVIRONMENT AND A SAFE AND STABLE CLIMATE. To propose an amendment to the State Constitution to provide each person with an individual right to clean and healthy air, water, soil, ecosystems and environment and a safe and stable climate for the benefit of public health, safety and the general welfare.	House • Jan 22, 2025: Referred to Joint Committee on Environment	Proposed House Joint Resolution
CT 2025 HB 6153	Rep. Kerry S. Wood	AN ACT CONCERNING ANIMAL ABUSE. To increase the penalty for a first offense of starvation of, violence against or death of an animal and performing medical procedures or experimentation without a veterinarian license.	House • Jan 22, 2025: Referred to Joint Committee on Judiciary	Proposed Bill
CT 2025 HB 5974	Rep. Amy Morrin Bello Rep. Kerry S. Wood	AN ACT PROHIBITING THE USE OF LEGHOLD AND BODY-GRIPPING TRAPS. To ban leghold and body-gripping traps in Connecticut.	House • Jan 22, 2025: Referred to Joint Committee on Environment	Proposed Bill
CT 2025 HB 5912	Rep. Doug Dubitsky	AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE USE OF FIREARMS FITTED WITH SOUND SUPPRESSORS BY HUNTERS. To authorize the use of gun sound suppressors by hunters.	House • Jan 22, 2025: Referred to Joint Committee on Environment	Proposed Bill
CT 2025 HB 5910	Rep. Doug Dubitsky Rep. Donna Veach Rep. Craig C. Fishbein	AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE HUNTING OF ANIMALS BY FIREARM ON PRIVATE PROPERTY ON ALL DAYS OF THE WEEK DURING THE LEGAL HUNTING SEASON FOR SUCH ANIMAL. To allow the hunting of all animals on private property on all days of the week, including Sundays, during the legal hunting season for such animal.	House • Jan 22, 2025: Referred to Joint Committee on Environment	Proposed Bill
CT 2025 HB 5902	Rep. Kerry S. Wood	AN ACT CONCERNING THE BREEDING OF ANIMALS IN THE STATE. To regulate animal breeding in the state through the Department of Agriculture.	House • Jan 22, 2025: Referred to Joint Committee on Environment	Proposed Bill
CT 2025 HB 5901	Rep. Kerry S. Wood	AN ACT CONCERNING THE CLASSIFICATION OF BEAVER AND THE PROTECTION OF BEAVER AND THEIR HABITAT. To provide protections for beaver and beaver habitat in the state .	House • Jan 22, 2025: Referred to Joint Committee on Environment	Proposed Bill
CT 2025 HB 5676	Rep. Mark W. Anderson	AN ACT CONCERNING A REPORT ON THE STATE'S POTENTIAL MANAGEMENT OF THE COLEBROOK RIVER LAKE. To redesignate the water levels for the state's potential management of the Colebrook River Lake.	House • Jan 21, 2025: Referred to Joint Committee on Environment	Proposed Bill
CT 2025 HB 5675	Rep. Mark W. Anderson Rep. Craig C. Fishbein Rep. Anne Dauphinais	AN ACT CONCERNING THE ELIMINATION OF THE RESTRICTION ON CARRYING HANDGUNS IN STATE PARKS AND FORESTS FOR SELF-DEFENSE. To authorize the carrying of handguns in state parks and forests for purposes of self-defense.	House • Jan 21, 2025: Referred to Joint Committee on Environment	Proposed Bill
CT 2025 HB 5671	Rep. Karen Reddington-Hughes Rep. Anne Dauphinais Sen. Eric C. Berthel	AN ACT CONCERNING A LIMITED BLACK BEAR HUNTING SEASON. To manage the black bear population and protect residents of the state.	House • Jan 21, 2025: Referred to Joint Committee on Environment	Proposed Bill
CT 2025 SB 734	Sen. Martha Marx Rep. Nicholas Menapace	AN ACT PROHIBITING THE USE OF STEEL JAW LEG HOLD AND BODY CRUSHING TRAPS. To protect pets and children from accidental harm caused by steel jaw leg hold and body crushing traps.	Senate • Jan 17, 2025: Referred to Joint Committee on Environment	Proposed Bill
CT 2025 HB 5462	Rep. Steve Weir	AN ACT CONCERNING THE REGISTRATION FEE FOR PONTOON BOATS. To charge a fair registration fee for pontoon boats.	House • Jan 17, 2025: Referred to Joint Committee on Transportation	Proposed Bill
CT 2025 SB 645	Sen. Rob Sampson	AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE USE OF ATV AND DIRT BIKE REGISTRATION FEES TO FUND ALL-TERRAIN VEHICLE TRAILS ON STATE-OWNED PROPERTY. To provide for the creation of all-terrain vehicle trails on state property.	Senate • Jan 16, 2025: Referred to Joint Committee on Environment	Proposed Bill
CT 2025 SB 644	Sen. Rob Sampson	AN ACT ELIMINATING CERTAIN FACTORS IN DOG LICENSING FEES. To eliminate the higher dog licensing fee for unspayed or unneutered dogs.	Senate • Jan 16, 2025: Referred to Joint Committee on Environment	Proposed Bill

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CT 2025 HB 5315	Rep. Karen Reddington-Hughes Rep. Mark W. Anderson Rep. Anne Dauphinais	AN ACT CONCERNING THE REGULATION AND CONTROL OF THE BLACK BEAR POPULATION IN THE STATE. To establish a bear management framework intended to ensure a healthy bear population, minimize conflicts between bears and humans and allow for limited regulated hunting of black bear.	House • Jan 16, 2025: Referred to Joint Committee on Environment	Proposed Bill
CT 2025 HB 5263	Rep. David Rutigliano Rep. Craig C. Fishbein Rep. Anne Dauphinais	AN ACT EXEMPTING SENIOR CITIZENS FROM FISHING LICENSE FEES. To exempt senior citizens from fishing license fees.	House • Jan 15, 2025: Referred to Joint Committee on Environment	Proposed Bill
CT 2025 HB 5261	Rep. Arnold Jensen	AN ACT AUTHORIZING A LIMITED BLACK BEAR HUNTING SEASON. To manage the black bear population in the state and protect residents.	House • Jan 15, 2025: Referred to Joint Committee on Environment	Proposed Bill
CT 2025 HB 5259	Rep. Mitch Bolinsky	AN ACT REQUIRING AN AUDIT OF THE EFFICACY OF INVESTIGATIONS AND ENFORCEMENT ACTIONS RELATED TO SUSPICIOUS DEATHS AND SERIOUS INJURIES THAT OCCUR ON THE WATERWAYS OF THE STATE. To enhance boating safety and investigations of serious boating accidents that may have been attributable to operator impairment.	House • Jan 15, 2025: Referred to Joint Committee on Environment	Proposed Bill
CT 2025 SB 557	Sen. Norman Needleman	AN ACT CONCERNING THE APPROVAL OF MUNICIPAL PLANS OF CONSERVATION AND DEVELOPMENT. To require approval of municipal plans of conservation and development by municipal legislative bodies prior to adoption.	Senate • Jan 14, 2025: Referred to Joint Committee on Planning and Development	Proposed Bill
CT 2025 HB 5210	Rep. Craig C. Fishbein Rep. Anne Dauphinais Rep. Gale L. Mastrofrance SCD	AN ACT CONCERNING THE SALE OF AMMUNITION AT GUN CLUBS AND FIREARM RANGES. To allow a gun club or firearm range to sell ammunition for use at such club or range to any person without requiring such person to hold a valid ammunition certificate.	House • Jan 14, 2025: Referred to Joint Committee on Public Safety and Security	Proposed Bill
CT 2025 HB 5207	Rep. Carol Hall	AN ACT ALLOWING OFF-DUTY LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS TO CARRY FIREARMS ON SCHOOL GROUNDS. To allow off-duty law enforcement officers to carry firearms on school grounds.	House • Jan 14, 2025: Referred to Joint Committee on Public Safety and Security	Proposed Bill
CT 2025 HB 5140	Rep. Karen Reddington-Hughes Rep. Anne Dauphinais	AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE USE OF A SINGLE-SHOT HANDGUN TO HUNT DEER ON CERTAIN PRIVATE PROPERTY. To allow the use of a single-shot handgun for the hunting of deer on private land.	House • Jan 14, 2025: Referred to Joint Committee on Environment	Proposed Bill
CT 2025 HB 5132	Rep. Seth Bronko Rep. Craig C. Fishbein Rep. Anne Dauphinais	AN ACT AUTHORIZING SUNDAY HUNTING ON PUBLIC AND PRIVATE PROPERTY BY SHOTGUN OR RIFLE. To authorize hunting on Sunday on private and public lands by shotgun or rifle.	House • Jan 14, 2025: Referred to Joint Committee on Environment	Proposed Bill
CT 2025 HB 5131	Rep. Greg S. Howard Sen. Heather S. Somers	AN ACT REQUIRING THE STATE TO PAY FOR THE COSTS OF ANY SURVEY OR OTHER MAINTENANCE OF WYASSUP LAKE THAT IS REQUIRED OR CONDUCTED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION. To require the state, rather than residents of Wyassup Lake, to pay for any survey costs required by the state or the Department of Energy and Environmental Protection.	House • Jan 14, 2025: Referred to Joint Committee on Environment	Proposed Bill
CT 2025 HB 5109	Rep. Amy Morrin Bello Rep. Aundre Bumgardner Rep. Nicholas Menapace	AN ACT CONCERNING THE QUARANTINE TIME FOR DOGS AND CATS THAT ARE NOT VACCINATED FOR RABIES BUT THAT MAY HAVE BEEN EXPOSED TO RABIES AS INDICATED BY WOUNDS OF UNKNOWN ORIGIN. To follow the National Association of State Public Health Veterinarians and reduce the maximum quarantine time to four months for cats and dogs with open wounds that are suspected of having been exposed to rabies.	House • Jan 13, 2025: Referred to Joint Committee on Environment	Proposed Bill
CT 2025 SB 500	Sen. Rob Sampson Rep. Anne Dauphinais Rep. Gale L. Mastrofrance SCD	AN ACT ELIMINATING THE RESTRICTION ON CARRYING HAND GUNS IN STATE PARKS AND FORESTS FOR SELF-DEFENSE PURPOSES. To eliminate the restriction on the carrying of handguns in state parks and state forests for the purpose of self-defense.	Senate • Jan 10, 2025: Referred to Joint Committee on Environment	Proposed Bill

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CT 2025 SB 79	Sen. Henri Martin	AN ACT AUTHORIZING SUNDAY HUNTING ON PRIVATE AND PUBLIC LANDS. To expand Sunday hunting during hunting season.	Senate • Jan 8, 2025: Referred to Joint Committee on Environment	Proposed Bill
CT 2025 SB 77	Sen. Stephen G. Harding	AN ACT REQUIRING THE DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION TO PATROL ALL MAJOR LAKES IN THE STATE DURING BOATING SEASON. To enhance safety for residents who utilize the major lakes in the state.	Senate • Jan 8, 2025: Referred to Joint Committee on Environment	Proposed Bill
CT 2025 SB 76	Sen. Stephen G. Harding	AN ACT REQUIRING A STUDY OF THE LEVEL OF HYDRILLA IN STATE LAKES FOR PURPOSES OF REMEDIATION. To study the threat to state lakes posed by hydrilla and the funding required to remediate such threat.	Senate • Jan 8, 2025: Referred to Joint Committee on Environment	Proposed Bill
CT 2025 SB 74	Sen. Stephen G. Harding	AN ACT REQUIRING THE DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION TO SUBMIT PLANS FOR ANY SIGNIFICANT TREE CUTTING UNDERTAKEN BY SAID AGENCY. To require the Department of Energy and Environmental Protection to submit plans, in advance, for any significant tree removal projects to the General Assembly.	Senate • Jan 8, 2025: Referred to Joint Committee on Environment	Proposed Bill
CT 2025 SB 69	Sen. Jeff Gordon Rep. Mark DeCaprio Sen. Saud Anwar	AN ACT ESTABLISHING A FUND FOR TRAIL MAINTENANCE BY THE DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION. To assist the Department of Energy and Environmental Protection with maintaining state trails.	Senate • Jan 8, 2025: Referred to Joint Committee on Environment	Proposed Bill
CT 2025 SB 68	Sen. Jeff Gordon	AN ACT REQUIRING INCREASED PATROL AND ENFORCEMENT ON STATE-OWNED LANDS AND WATERWAYS. To increase patrols and enforcement performed by the Department of Energy and Environmental Protection on state-owned lands and waterways.	Senate • Jan 8, 2025: Referred to Joint Committee on Environment	Proposed Bill
CT 2025 SB 66	Sen. Jeff Gordon	AN ACT AUTHORIZING ALL SUNDAY HUNTING. To permit Sunday hunting.	Senate • Jan 8, 2025: Referred to Joint Committee on Environment	Proposed Bill
CT 2025 SB 61	Sen. Heather S. Somers	AN ACT REQUIRING THE DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION TO PAY FOR ANY SURVEY OF A STATE-OWNED LAKE THAT SAID DEPARTMENT REQUIRES. To require the Department of Energy and Environmental Protection to pay for any survey of a state-owned lake when said department requires such survey to be performed.	Senate • Jan 8, 2025: Referred to Joint Committee on Environment	Proposed Bill
CT 2025 SB 54	Sen. Eric C. Berthel	AN ACT AUTHORIZING BLACK BEAR HUNTING IN LITCHFIELD COUNTY. To authorize black bear hunting in Litchfield County.	Senate • Jan 8, 2025: Referred to Joint Committee on Environment	Proposed Bill
CT 2025 SB 49	Sen. Eric C. Berthel	AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE KILLING OF BLACK BEAR THAT INJURE OR KILL LIVESTOCK OR OTHER DOMESTIC ANIMALS. To permit a person to kill a black bear that attacks such person's livestock.	Senate • Jan 8, 2025: Referred to Joint Committee on Environment	Proposed Bill
CT 2025 SB 48	INTRODUCER WITHDRAWN	AN ACT SAFEGUARDING CONNECTICUT'S NATURAL RESOURCES AND ENVIRONMENT. To ensure a healthier and more resilient ecosystem for future generations and foster conservation and environmental stewardship for a thriving and sustainable Connecticut.	Senate • Jan 8, 2025: Referred to Joint Committee on Environment	Proposed Bill
CT 2025 HB 5022	Rep. Donna Veach Rep. Craig C. Fishbein Rep. Anne Dauphinais	AN ACT AUTHORIZING SUNDAY HUNTING ON PRIVATE AND PUBLIC PROPERTY BY SHOTGUN OR RIFLE. To authorize Sunday hunting on private and public property by shotgun or rifle.	House • Jan 8, 2025: Referred to Joint Committee on Environment	Proposed Bill
CT 2025 HB 5021	Rep. Donna Veach Rep. Anne Dauphinais Rep. Gale L. Mastrofrance sco	AN ACT AUTHORIZING A LIMITED BLACK BEAR HUNTING SEASON. To manage the black bear population and protect residents of the state.	House • Jan 8, 2025: Referred to Joint Committee on Environment	Proposed Bill

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