

RSAI Legislative Action 2023 Dead Bills

The 2023 Session was the first of a two-year biennium, which means that any bills introduced in 2023 will initially be alive for consideration in the 2024 Session. Along the way, RSAI reported the status of these bills as dead, for failure to survive one of the funnel dates regulating the Legislature's agenda. Advocates can work during the Interim to inform lawmakers of the potential impacts, both positive and negative, of the following bills listed below, separated by bills we supported and those we opposed or monitored. See the <u>RSAI Bill</u> <u>Registration Document</u> for bill status or other bills RSAI tracked during the 2023 Session.

Bills RSAI Supported (Educate/Advocate during the Interim regarding the benefits to your district/students):

- <u>SF 246</u> / <u>HF 380</u> Dropout Prevention Equity. RSAI supported.
- <u>SF 253 / HF 244</u> Mental Health Professional Loan Repayment Program. RSAI supported.
- <u>SF 392</u> Teacher Recruitment/Retention Omnibus including management fund for recruiting/retention plans. RSAI supported.
- <u>SF 546</u> On-line Public Notice. RSAI supported.
- <u>SF 572</u> Clean-up and Tax Credit Changes to ESAs. RSAI supported.
- <u>HF 97</u> Management Fund Use to Pay Student Teachers. RSAI supported.
- <u>HF 297 PK Weighting 1.0 for low income. RSAI supported.</u>
- <u>HF 370 / SF 390</u> IASB Updates (Health Trainings Tax Force, Bonding, etc.) RSAI supported.
- <u>HF 459</u> Operational Sharing Weighting and Cap. RSAI supported.
- <u>HF 477</u> Poverty Work Group. RSAI supported.
- <u>HF 632</u> Cyber Security SAVE Spending. RSAI supported.

Bills RSAI Opposed (Educate/Advocate during the Interim regarding harm or concerns to district/students):

- <u>SF 247</u> Modified Supplement Amount if more than 35% Open Enrolled into the district. RSAI undecided.
- <u>SF 251</u> Administration Expenditure Limitation. RSAI opposed.
- <u>SF 483/HF 608</u> Seizure Disorder Training. RSAI opposed.
- <u>SF 485</u> / <u>HF 134</u> Open Enrollment Busing. RSAI opposed.
- <u>SF 543/HF 654</u> Guns on School Grounds. RSAI opposed.
- HF 12 Social Studies Instruction Mandate. RSAI undecided.
- <u>HF 409</u> Public Comment Period Mandate at School Board Meetings. RSAI opposed.
- <u>HF 608/SF 483</u> Seizure Disorder Action Plans and Training. RSAI opposed.
- <u>HSB 138</u> Private School Testing Exemption for ESA Recipients. RSAI opposed.