



\$30 million sent to Flint from the Legislature

How large will the legacy costs be?

How many other cities have a similar problem?

Governors legacy?



Detroit Public Schools
Nearly \$1 billion debt

Close Old district use city property taxes to pay down debt

\$100-\$200 million to start a new smaller school district

Reorganize the district

Accountability system/close bad schools



Marijuana

Main bills 4209 (Calton) and 4210 (Lyons) passed the house last year with wide bipartisan support.

Stuck in Senate Judiciary committee, possible discharge to the senate floor.

Creates Commercial medical licenses.

Tiered similar to beer and wine (grower, distributor and provisioning center).

Revenue: Licensing fees and 3% sales tax at point of sale. High estimates reach \$60 million.

Unanswered questions: Bankable options and federal enforcement with new administration.



Legislation likely to be introduced soon to make issue state-wide
Institutions have passed resolutions and have begun making the change
For example, MSU has 50+ gender neutral bathrooms on campus
Allows LGBTQ individuals to avoid confusion and discrimination
Several states are having similar conversations



Presidential Election Year

Two most unpopular leading candidates in history

Contested convention

Time for a multi-party system?

Date