

1000 Friends continues to urge you to **call on Gov. DeSantis to veto the damaging SB 620** that passed the Florida House and Senate this session. This harmful legislation would allow businesses to sue governments over changes to local ordinances if the business is at least three years old and can convince a court that a new law resulted or will result in a 15% loss of profit.



Why should you care?

SB 620 undermines the primary responsibility of local government to protect the health, safety and welfare of its residents. If Gov. DeSantis signs SB 620 into law, the fear of being targeted by expensive lawsuits could deter local governments from passing local ordinances to regulate adult entertainment activities, puppy mills, noise ordinances, the hours of bars that impact neighborhoods, new nuisances caused by new technology and much more.

Call or Email Gov. DeSantis Now and Urge Him to VETO SB 620!
(850) 717-9337 or governorron.desantis@eog.myflorida.com

Let him know you oppose this bill because it:

- **Strips your local government of its fundamental authority** to address critical issues unique to your community
- **Allows any one business – including part of a multinational corporation – to halt a local ordinance**, even if a majority of businesses in an area support the measure
- **Increases the chance of financially motivated and malicious lawsuits against local governments**, with taxpayers footing much of the bill
- **Rewards businesses that litigate, rather than innovate**
- **Will result in unintended consequences** due to the bill's vague language

Check [Florida TaxWatch's outstanding report](#) to find out more on the damaging implications of this short-sighted legislation.

Please ACT NOW!

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