



General Assembly

Amendment

February Session, 2018

LCO No. 4301



Offered by:
SEN. KENNEDY, 12th Dist.

To: Senate Joint Resolution No. 35 File No. 302 Cal. No. 174

***"RESOLUTION PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO THE STATE
CONSTITUTION TO PROTECT REAL PROPERTY HELD OR
CONTROLLED BY THE STATE."***

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- 1 In line 43, after the question mark insert the following:
- 2 "Sec. 2. That the following be proposed as an amendment to the
3 Constitution of the State, which, when approved and adopted in the
4 manner provided by the Constitution, shall, to all intents and
5 purposes, become a part thereof:
- 6 Article first of the Constitution is amended by adding section 21 as
7 follows:
- 8 (NEW) Sec. 21. Each person is entitled to the protection,
9 preservation and the enhancement of the natural resources of the state
10 which shall be held in public trust.
- 11 RESOLVED: That the foregoing proposed amendment to the
12 Constitution be continued to the next session of the General Assembly
13 elected at the general election to be held on November 6, 2018, and

14 published with the laws passed at the present session, or be presented
15 to the electors at the general election to be held on November 6, 2018,
16 whichever the case may be, according to article sixth of the
17 amendments to the Constitution. The designation of said proposed
18 amendment to be used on the ballots at such election shall be "Shall the
19 Constitution of the State be amended to: Hold the natural resources of
20 the state in public trust and provide each citizen with the entitlement
21 to the protection, preservation and enhancement of the natural
22 resources of the state?"