

Good evening,

I hope you're doing well! It was great seeing you all last night and being able to provide some updates on behalf of Senator Padilla's office.

Please find my updates below so that you may include them on your website:

Senator Padilla is currently in Sacramento, where his bills continue to go through the legislative process. Some of the Senator's bills that are heading to the Assembly include:

- **SB 638**, part of the California Senate's affordability package, seeks to establish establishes a new California Education and Workforce Development Coordinating Entity within the Government Operations Agency and creates a Career Technical Education and Career Pathways Grant Program to streamline and fund apprenticeships, dual enrollment, work-based learning, and related CTE initiatives. This bill will be heard in the Assembly Education Committee.
- **SB 243** would require operators to prevent addictive Artificial Intelligence engagement patterns to help prevent users from becoming addicted to the platforms. This bill has made it out of the Assembly Privacy and Consumer Protection Committee and will now be heard in the Assembly Judiciary Committee.

Our office is hiring an intern based out of our San Diego County District Office in Chula Vista. If you or anyone you know is interested in learning more and applying, you can find more information at this

link: <https://jobs.senate.ca.gov/office-of-senator-padilla-district-office-volunteer-intern-1021>

As we start to approach the Fall, our office will be hosting a variety of events. We'll be hosting a Know Your Rights Community Forum relating to immigration on August 18 in partnership with Councilmember Sean Elo-Rivera's office. We're still working on finalizing details, but wanted to update so you all can save the date. Make sure to follow Senator Padilla's social media pages, including Instagram, X, and Facebook, for the most up-to-date information about events.

Lastly, our office will also be launching our July newsletter soon! If you would like to receive them, please sign up on our Senate website [sd18.senate.ca.gov/contact/updates](https://sd18.senate.ca.gov/contact/updates).

If you have any additional questions, please reach out via email ([Rosanna.javier@sen.ca.gov](mailto:Rosanna.javier@sen.ca.gov)), his website (<https://sd18.senate.ca.gov/>), or by calling Senator Padilla's San Diego County office at 619-409-7690 and I'd be happy to speak with you more.

Thank you and have a nice rest of your day!

Best,

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