



Positions and Legislative Votes 2026

Below is a breakdown of the positions taken by the Grand Junction Chamber during the 2026 Legislative Session.

Positions Take: **38** (Compared to 34 in 2025)

Overall Position Success Rate: **66%** (Compared to 53% in 2025. Percentage does not include bills killed before introduction)

Bad Bills Killed Before Introduction: **4**

Legislator Vote Alignment with Chamber Positions:

- Senator Rich 97%
- Representative Taggart 95%
- Representative Soper 95%

Bill #	Short Title	Chamber Position	Outcome	Senator Rich Vote	Rep. Taggart Vote	Rep. Soper Vote
HB26-1003	Small Business Recovery Modifications	Amend	Passed	No	Yes	No
HB26-1004	Continuation of Child Care Contribution Tax Credit	Support	Passed	No	Yes	No
HB26-1005	Worker Protection Collective Bargaining	Oppose	Passed	No	No	No
HB26-1012	Consumer Protections to Promote Fair Market Pricing	Oppose	Failed	N/A	N/A	N/A
HB26-1014	Extend Colorado Job Growth Incentive Tax Credit	Support	Passed	Yes	Yes	Yes
HB26-1031	Protections for Agricultural Products Grown in Colorado	Support	Passed	Yes	Yes	Yes
HB26-1036	Local Taxes on Vacant Residential Property	Oppose	Failed	N/A	N/A	N/A
HB26-1054	Protections for Worker Safety	Oppose	Failed	No	No	No
HB26-1078	Off-Campus Courses & Concurrent Enrollment Programs	Support	Passed	Yes	Yes	Yes
HB26-1088	Business Entity Filing Secretary of State	Support	Passed	Yes	Yes	Yes
HB26-1106	Eviction Protections for Tenants	Oppose	Failed	N/A	N/A	N/A
HB26-1119	Authority for Different Mill Levy Rates	Oppose	Failed	N/A	N/A	N/A
HB26-1210	Prohibit Surveillance Price & Wage Setting	Oppose	Passed	No	No	No
HB26-1221	Tax Expenditure Adjustments	Oppose	Failed	N/A	No	No
HB26-1222	Modify Tax Expenditures	Oppose	Failed	N/A	No	No
HB26-1223	Modifying Certain Tax Expenditures	Oppose	Passed	No	No	No
HB26-1272	Extreme Temperatures Worker Protections	Oppose	Passed	No	No	No
HB26-1289	Modification of Certain Tax Expenditures	Amend	Passed	No	No	No

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HB26-1317	Unified Postsecondary Talent Development System	Amend	Passed	Yes	Yes	Yes
HB26-1326	Sunset Public Utilities Commission	Amend	Passed	No	No	No
HB26-1327	Large Employer Worker Health-Care Support	Oppose	Failed	N/A	No	No
HB26-1421	Fee Sharing with Nonlawyers in Legal Practice	Support	Passed	Yes	Yes	No
SB26-002	Energy Affordability	Oppose	Passed	No	No	No
SB26-022	Challenges Meeting 2030 Emissions Reduction Goals	Support	Failed	N/A	N/A	N/A
SB26-041	Consumer Protections Medical Care Entities	Oppose	Failed	N/A	N/A	N/A
SB26-049	Homeowner Natural Disaster Mitigation	Support	Failed	N/A	N/A	N/A
SB26-062	Rodenticide Use Restrictions	Oppose	Failed	No	N/A	N/A
SB26-076	Certification & Practice of Certified Public Accountants	Support	Passed	Yes	Yes	Yes
SB26-078	Changes to Institutions of Higher Education Statutes	Support	Passed	Yes	Yes	Yes
SB26-081	Increase Agricultural Employee Overtime Protections	Oppose	Failed	N/A	N/A	N/A
SB26-093	Workers' Compensation Insurance Coverage Verification	Oppose	Passed	No	No	No
SB26-102	Large-Load Data Centers	Oppose	Failed	N/A	N/A	N/A
SB26-116	Property Tax Modifications	Oppose	Passed	No	No	No
SB26-121	Overtime Threshold for Agricultural Employees	Support	Passed	Yes	Yes	Yes
SB26-134	Payment Card Networks' Fees	Oppose	Passed	No	Yes	No
SB26-137	Measures to Reduce Administrative Burdens	Support	Passed	Yes	Yes	Yes
SB26-178	Health Insurance Affordability Measures	Oppose	Passed	Excused	Yes	No
SB26-189	Automated Decision-Making Technology	Support	Passed	Yes	Yes	Yes

