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## **MSCA 2022 Legislative Session Talking Points**

The 2022 legislative session began on January 31. The Minnesota Constitutional deadline for adjournment is May 23.

As members you know, brick and mortar retail has been subjected to unprecedented challenges from the COVID-19 pandemic. Workforce shortages, supply-chain issues, inflation, and changing consumer behavioral have restricted retail businesses from emerging from the pandemic. During the 2022 legislative session, MSCA will work to encourage legislators to invest in Minnesota's brick and mortar businesses through the following points:

- Reduce and ultimately eliminate the state general levy
- Resolve the Unemployment Insurance deficit without increasing taxes on businesses
- Streamline government regulations by addressing delays in the approval process
- Prohibit increases and additional municipal fees.

On February 15th, 2022, a special redistricting panel, appointed by the MN Supreme Court, established new congressional and legislative districts for the next 10 years. To locate your district, [click here](#).

If you need additional information, please contact the MSCA office.