



**CLARB**  
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# Joint Licensure Summit

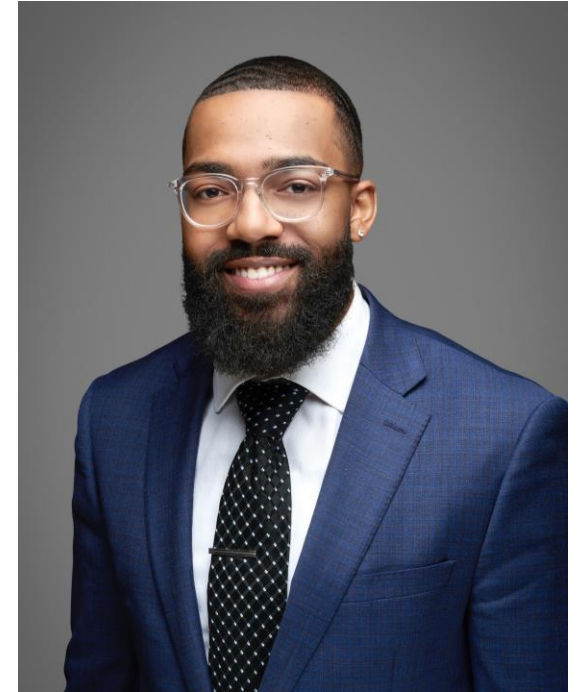
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# Agenda



Uniform Standard Updates



2026 Legislative Update



ICOR Practice Overlap



# Uniform Standard Update

# Uniform Licensure Standards

Hawaii  
SB 2607



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## 2027 Adoption Approaches: Utilizing Partners

### **Strengthening Strategic Partners for 2027 Legislative Success**

- NCARB ready to introduce legislation in 2027
- NCARB has hired a government affairs firm to assist their legislative efforts, expanded intelligence, relationship-building, and advocacy capacity



## 2027 Adoption Approaches: Utilizing Partners

### **Leveraging Coalitions and Regulatory Associations**

- ICOR Practice Overlap, used to defend scope and licensure
- ICOR deference statement, reduce potential conflicts across professions
- FARB access to agency leadership, open doors for early conversations and regulatory insight



## 2027 Adoption Approaches: Utilizing Resources



### **Maximizing Capacity and Visibility**

- Budgetary resources allocated for targeted board visits, legislative engagement and lobbying support
- Virtual presentations expand reach to additional boards, chapters and stakeholder groups
- Opportunity to refine language

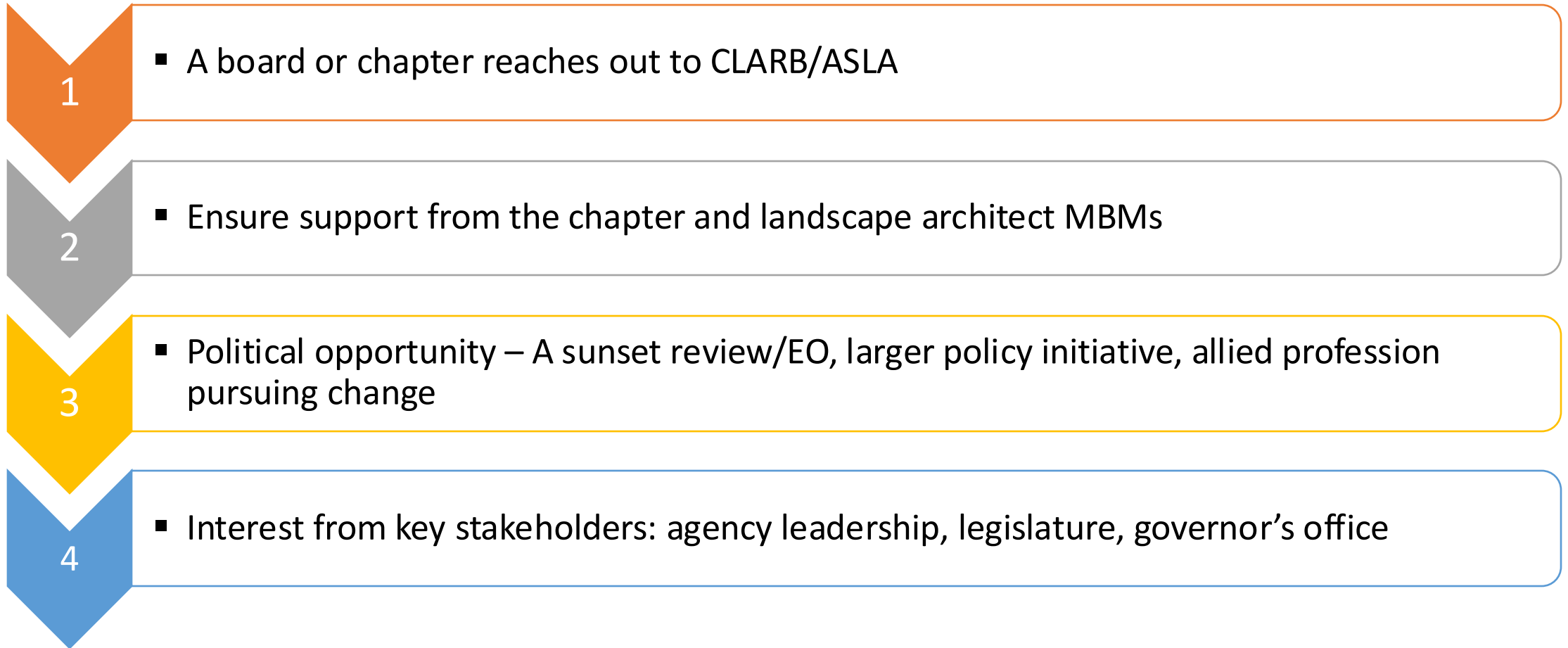


## 2027 Approaches: Continued Work with ASLA

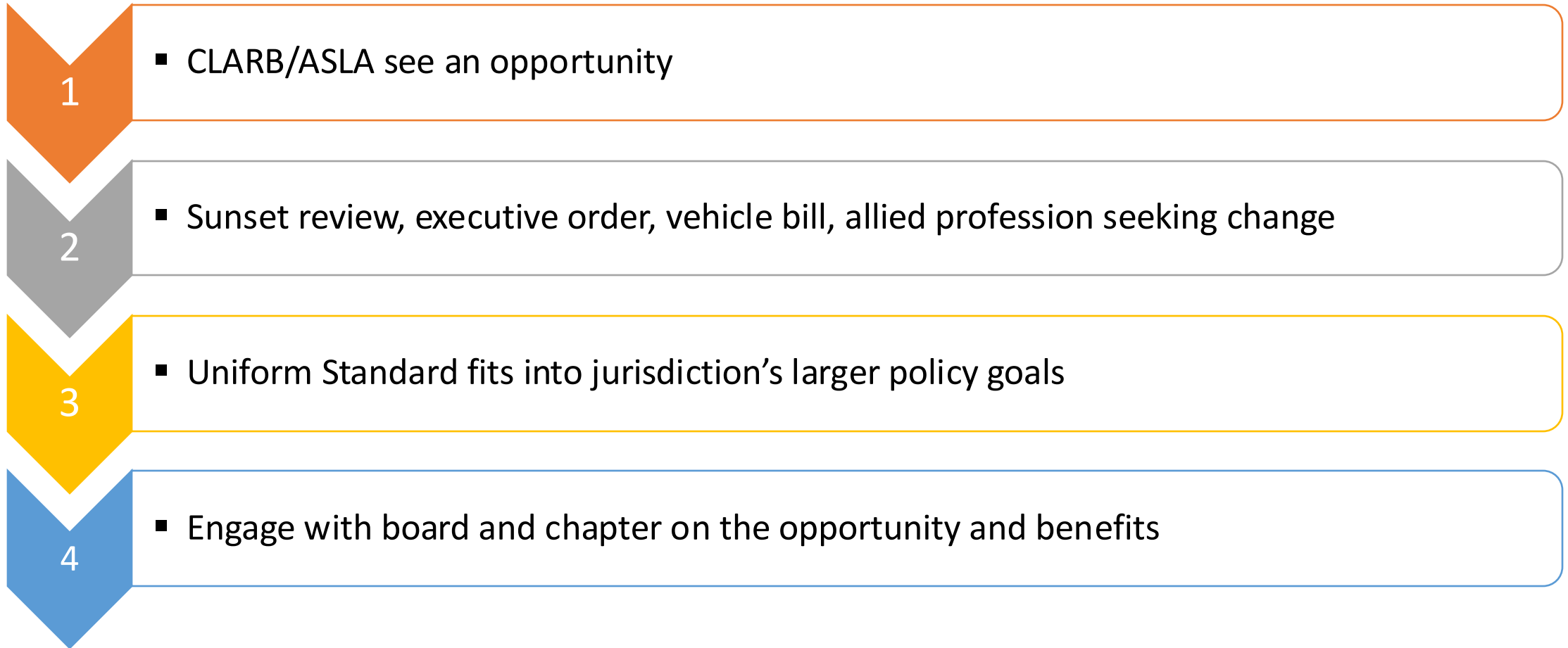
### **Deepening Engagement Across the Landscape Architect Community**

- Joint meetings with boards, chapters and sponsors to reinforce shared goals and messaging
- Co-branded presentations to boards, agencies and chapters to strengthen credibility and alignment
- Uniform Standard integrated into broader initiatives, creating multiple avenues for adoption
- Additional considerations: Scope enhancement, practice act, CE, CLARB Record
- Celebration of new adopters across ASLA and CLARB audiences to build momentum and recognition

# Process for Identifying Jurisdictions



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## 2027 Target Jurisdictions

Jurisdiction	Adoption Vehicle	Support	Timing	Implementation Date
<b>Alabama</b>	Multiple pathways	Board, ASLA, CLARB	Re-introduction in 2027	2028
<b>New Mexico</b>	Sunset review	Board, ASLA, CLARB	Re-introduction in 2027	2028
<b>North Carolina</b>	Reducing time to licensure	Board, ASLA, CLARB	Possible introduction in 2027	2028-2029
<b>South Carolina</b>	Multiple pathways, reform interest	ASLA, CLARB	Possible introduction in 2027	2028
<b>Tennessee</b>	Multiple pathways	Board, ASLA, CLARB	Possible introduction in 2027	2028–2029
<b>Utah</b>	Agency and allied profession interest	Board visit, NCARB, board, ASLA, CLARB	Possible introduction in 2027	2028
<b>Washington</b>	Sunset review	Agency, board, ASLA, CLARB	Introduction in 2027	2028



## Additional Jurisdictions



### **Idaho**

- Passed legislation for partial alignment

### **Kansas**

- Interest from chapter and landscape architect MBM

### **Arizona**

- Interest from board and chapter, but complicated statutory structure

### **Wisconsin**

- CLARB board visit and support from agency leadership

# 2026 Legislative Update



Illinois  
Sunset Date  
Extension:



Board  
Reauthorization &  
Design Professional:

Alaska  
HB 314



Sunset Date  
Extension:

Oklahoma  
SB 1455



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Practice Act  
Updates:

Maryland  
HB 485/SB 256



Scope of Practice:

Virginia  
HB 1254



Deregulation:

Michigan  
HB 4879



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Occupational Licensing  
Task Force:

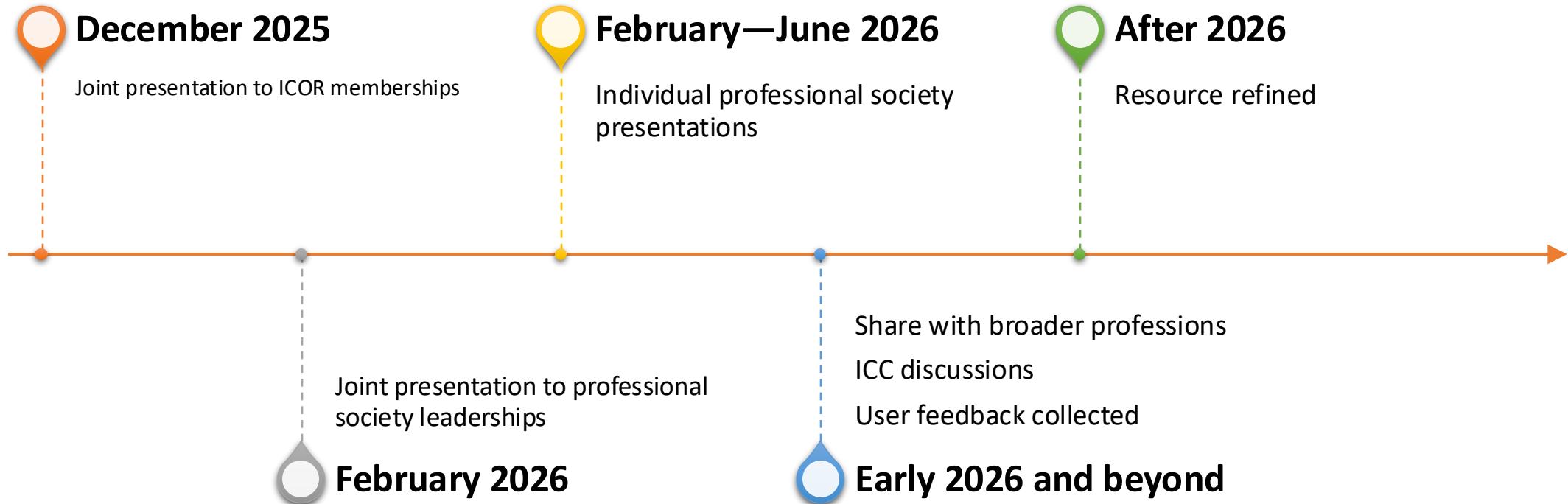
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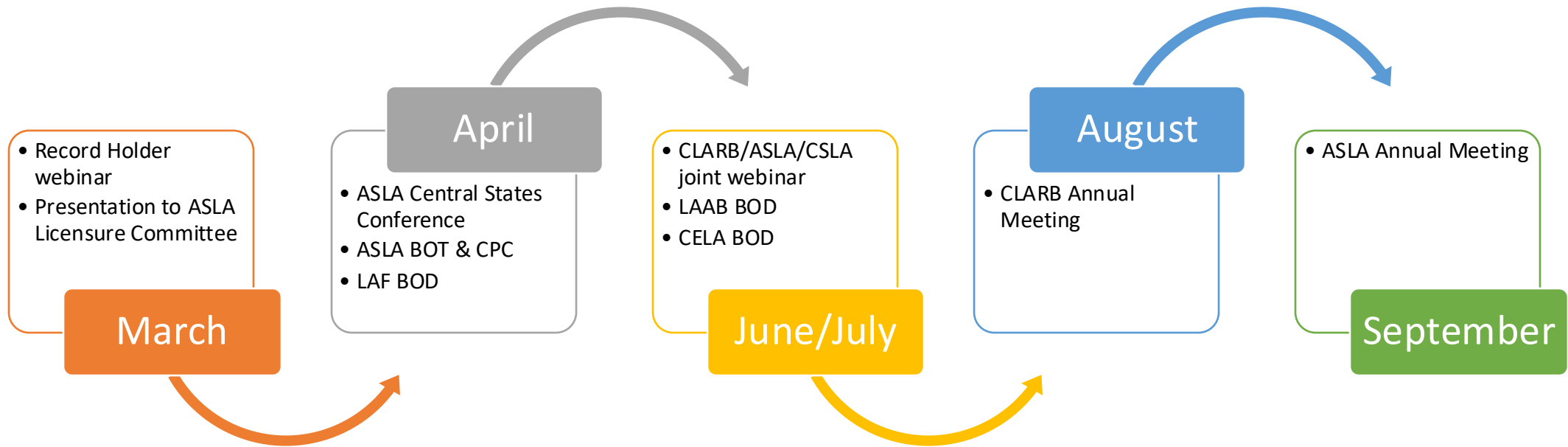
# ICOR Practice Overlap Update



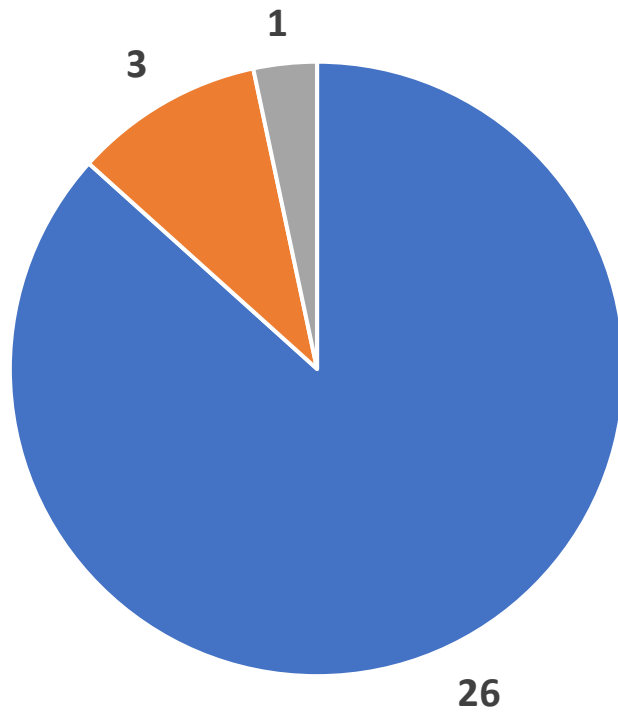
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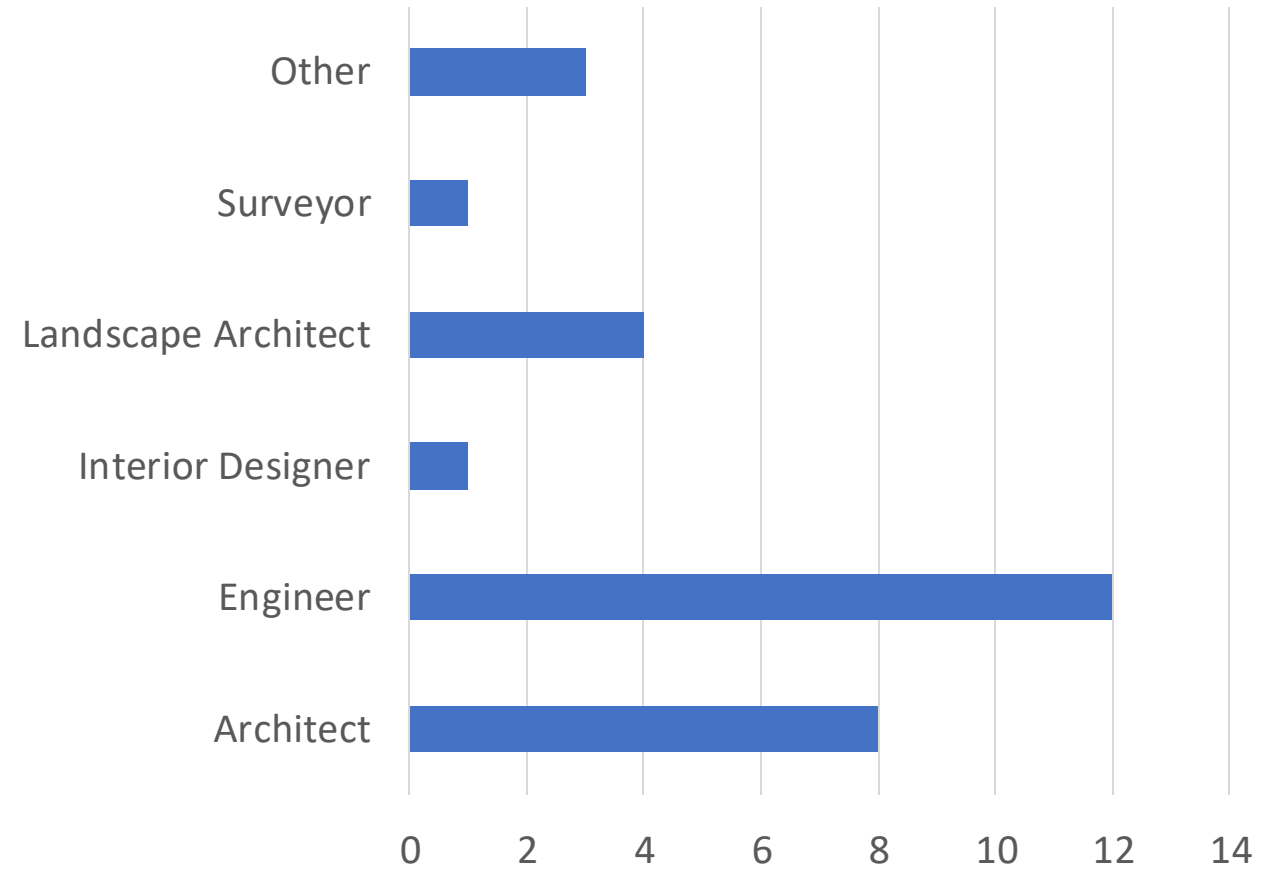
# CLARB activities



# Feedback



- Licensed Design Professional
- Licensed Design Professional & Member of a Regulatory Board
- Regulatory Board Staff
- Code Official



## Next Steps

- Continue public roll-out to build awareness and use of the resource
- Collect feedback for potential future refinements
- Collect use cases from members and practitioners
- Explore options for digitizing resource

# Proactive Advocacy Activities

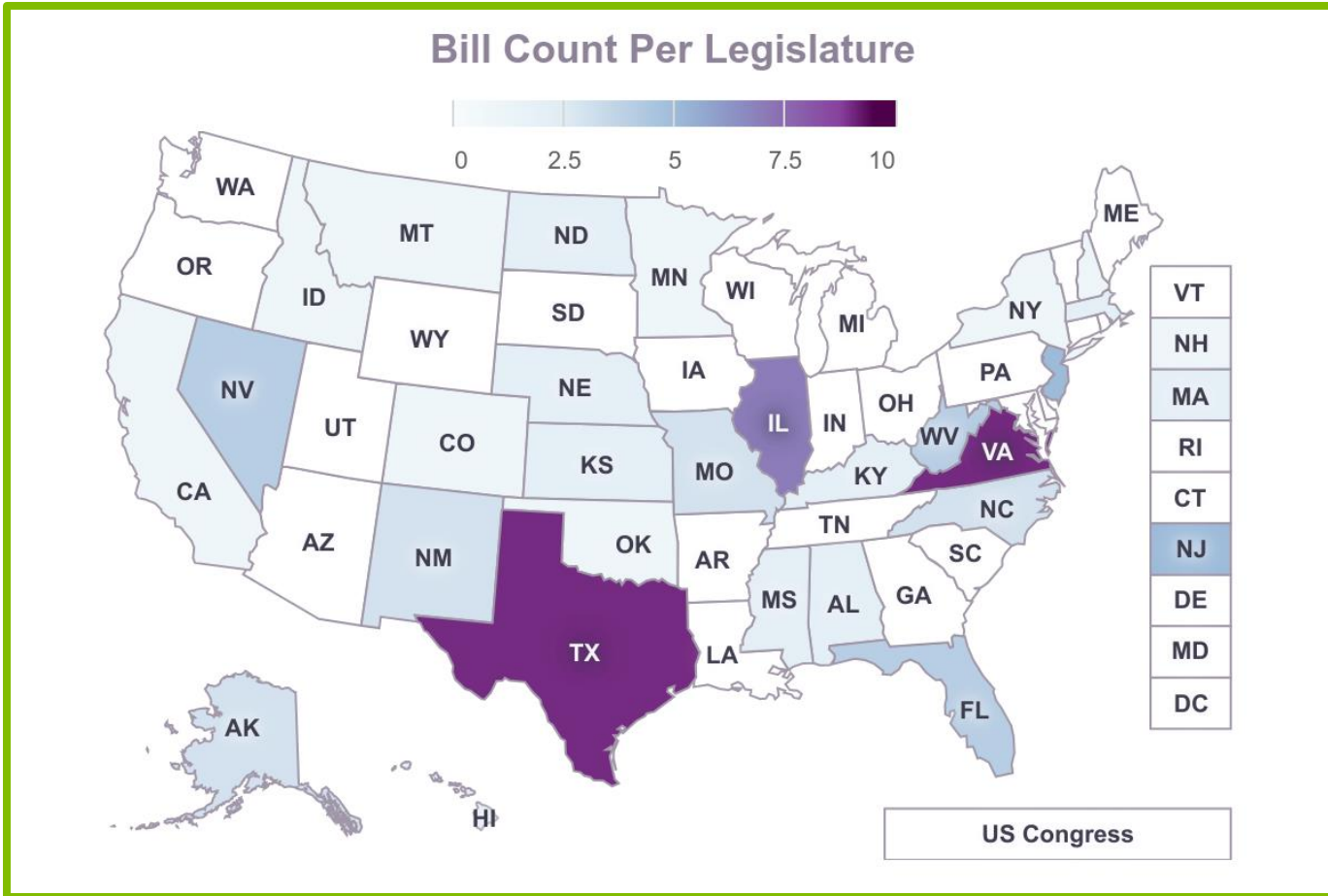


# 2026 Site Tours w/ Public Officials

**Topics: Active Transportation Projects; Green Infrastructure; Excess Heat Mitigation**



# 2026 Legislative Tracking



# State and Federal Legislative Priorities Survey



# Upcoming CLARB Events

Proseries event: Spec for Success:  
The Benefits of Structural Soil

- Free to CLARB record holders
- 1 hour CE
- Ongoing series

CLARB 2026 Annual Meeting

- August 26 – 29
- Calgary, Alberta, Canada
- Registration Open



# QUESTIONS

