

## Government Affairs Update September 28, 2021

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It's a **very** busy week in Washington.

The House of Representatives is anticipated to bring the [bipartisan infrastructure bill](#) up for a vote Thursday, which is also the day the FAST Act -- the federal legislation that authorizes transportation programs and funding -- is set to expire. In tandem, and as promised by House leadership, the body is also set to consider a framework of the reconciliation bill, or social spending bill which encompasses President Biden's "Build Back Better" plan. In addition to considering these significant pieces of legislation, time is running out for Congress to reach an agreement on funding federal programs before the end of the fiscal year on September 30, creating the risk of a government shutdown, and also for increasing the debt limit to avoid a default on spending previously authorized. It's safe to say there's a lot going on.

As things progress, we will keep you informed with a subsequent update later this week.

As always, please reach out with any questions or concerns.

Best,

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