

Association of Bay Area Governments

Executive Board

May 21, 2026

Agenda Item 10.c.

Legislation

Subject:

Assembly Bill 2508 (Hoover): Public Utilities Public Purpose Programs Fund

Eliminates the ratepayer-based funding stream for energy efficiency programs, such as BayREN, and replaces it with funding from the Greenhouse Gas Reduction Fund, subject to annual appropriation.

Background:

On May 8, 2026, the Joint MTC ABAG Legislation Committee received a report on the following:

- Assembly Bill 2508 (Hoover): Public Utilities Public Purpose Programs Fund
- Staff recommendation: Oppose / ABAG Executive Board

The Joint MTC ABAG Legislation Committee summary sheet is attached.

Issues:

None

Recommended Action:

The ABAG Executive Board is requested to approve an oppose position on Assembly Bill 2508 (Hoover): Public Utilities Public Purpose Programs Fund.

Attachments:

- A. Summary Sheet, Joint MTC ABAG Legislation Committee

Reviewed:



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