

LEGISLATION & GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATION COMMITTEE

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Thursday, January 17, 2008 – 3:30 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

ABAG Large Conference Room B, MetroCenter, 101 Eighth Street, Oakland

AGENDA*

1.	OPEN AGENDA Committee members may raise issues for consideration; members of the public may speak.	Information/ Action
2.	APPROVAL OF MINUTES Committee will review and approve the minutes of the November 15, 2007, L&GO meeting.	Information/ Action
3.	ELECTION OF 2008 L&GO CHAIR AND VICE CHAIR	Information/ Action
4.	LEGISLATIVE PRIORITIES FOR 2008 LEGISLATIVE SESSION Review and approve priorities and strategies for 2008 Legislative Session	Information/ Action
5.	2008 LEGISLATIVE SESSION BILLS FOR CONSIDERATION Discuss newly introduced and carry-over bills from 2007 Legislative Session, suggest amendments as needed, and review positions taken. AB 94 Levine: Renewable Energy SB 303 Ducheny: Local Government Housing SB 375 Steinberg: Transportation Planning: Improved Travel Models—Sustainable Communities Strategy—Environmental Review SB 732 Steinberg: Safe Drinking Water, Water Quality and Supply, Food Control, River and Coastal protection Bond Act of 2006—Sustainable Communities Council	Information/ Action
6.	2008 LEGISLATIVE RECEPTION IN SACRAMENTO Update on Legislative Reception sponsored by ABAG and MTC, on January 30 th , at Sheraton Grand in Sacramento.	Information/ Action
7.	ADJOURNMENT Next meeting is scheduled for March 20, 2008.	Information/ Action

* The Committee may take any action on any item on the agenda.

** California Bill Texts and actions can be read and printed out from state website: www.leginfo.ca.gov.