

LEGISLATION & GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATION COMMITTEE

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Thursday, September 17, 2009 – 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 July 16, 2009, L&GO meeting.	Information/ Action
3.	2009 LEGISLATIVE SESSION—BILLS FOR CONSIDERATION** Review the following two federal bills: S.1619: The Livable Communities Act of 2009 , Senator Chris Dodd (D-CT) H.R. 3525: Tax Exempt Private Activity Bond (PAB) Use for Renewable Energy Generation and Energy and Water Efficiency Projects , Congressman Mike Thompson (D-CA) <i>General status update on state bills previously considered:</i> SB 406 (DeSaulnier) Land Use: Environmental Quality SB 575 (Steinberg) Local Planning: Housing Element SB 279 (Hancock) Local Government: Community Facilities Districts AB 155 (Mendoza) Local Government—Bankruptcy	Information/ Action
4.	UPDATE FROM YOUTH GUN VIOLENCE TASK FORCE ON MODEL ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS Updates and recommendations to Executive Board	Action
5.	ADJOURNMENT Next meeting is scheduled for November 19, 2009.	Action
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* The Committee may take any action on any item on the agenda

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