

April 19, 2017

Julie Pierce, President
Members, Executive Board
Association of Bay Area Governments
375 Beale Street, Suite 700
San Francisco, California 94105

Dear President Pierce and Members of the Executive Board:

I submit for your consideration the following proposed change to the Contract for Services between Metropolitan Transportation Commission and Association of Bay Area Governments:

6.7 Pension and Medical Benefits

- (a) ABAG will retain all liability for meeting its annual obligation for outstanding CalPERS pension obligations and retiree medical benefits, and will make meeting such obligations a its highest budgetary priority permitted by law.

Respectfully,

/s/ Henry Gardner
Executive Director *Emeritus*
Association of Bay Area Governments

Cc: Brad Paul, Acting Executive Director
Kenneth Moy, Legal Counsel
Courtney Ruby, Director, Finance and Administrative Services