MOBILIZING CALIFORNIA’S PUBLIC HEALTH SECTOR

Jenny Bard, Director, Health Partnerships
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Dear Governor Brown and Members of the California State Legislature:

On behalf of the undersigned organizations, we would like to express our support for SB 100 and appreciation for your efforts as the bill’s author. Strengthening and accelerating the targets in California’s Renewable Portfolio Standard to ultimately achieve 100% renewable energy by 2045 is an important step forward for climate, health, and equity.

January 3, 2018

The Honorable Jim Beall, Chair
Senate Transportation Committee
State Capitol, Room 2209
Sacramento, CA 95814

Subject: Support for SB 526: State Mobility Action Plan for Healthy Communities

Dear Chair Beall and Members of the Committee:

On behalf of the undersigned health and medical organizations in California, we are writing to express our support for Senate Bill 526 (Allen). SB 526 addresses a critical and growing suite of health concerns. The legislation intends to provide a platform for addressing insufficient progress toward achieving the goals of California’s Sustainable Communities Strategies.
Planning Decisions Are Health Decisions
Governor’s Executive Order on Climate Change and Transportation

“The order draws important connections between meeting California’s climate goals and envisioning a sustainable transportation system that supports and protects public health.”
Key climate policies moving forward (California)

- State Budget Funding for cleaning up transportation pollution
- Strong implementation of the Governor’s executive order and SB 375
- Reduce heavy duty diesel emissions
  - Cut down on pollution at ports
  - Requirements for zero emission trucks
  - Stronger engine standards for trucks
- Zero Emission Transportation solutions
- Continue to fight for California’s authority to set strong vehicle emission standards
Year of Air Pollution & Health

Each month of the year focuses on a different aspect of air pollution and climate change – from major pollution sources, to vulnerable populations, to steps everyone can take to protect the air we all breathe.
This month during the **Year of Air Pollution and Health**, the focus is supporting youth engagement in clean air and climate advocacy. Everyone’s health is at risk from air pollution and climate change, but children...
OUR PURPOSE

SAVING lives by fighting lung disease
DEFENDING our right to breathe clean air
PROTECTING our lung health