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Honorable Senator Bill Dodd
State Capitol, Room 5064
Sacramento, CA 95814

SUBJECT: SB 1088 – Oppose unless amended

Dear Senator Dodd:

Problematic language recently inserted into SB 1088 would impinge on Community Choice agency (CCA) statutory authority.

I write on behalf of the thousands of North Bay and statewide friends and supporters of the Center for Climate Protection to urge you to amend SB 1080 to remove language that would unnecessarily hobble the growth of local clean energy.

In conjunction with the operational CCAs, I urge you to make the following amendment:

2899.7 ~~Nothing in this chapter alters the responsibilities or authority of community choice aggregators.~~ **In reviewing the plans, the Commission shall ensure that plans do not duplicate equivalent investments and services provided by third parties including community choice aggregators.** **Nothing in this chapter alters the responsibilities or authority of community choice aggregators to provide equivalent investments and services.**

This amendment is critical because CCAs are investing in reliability resources today. Without this change, CCA customers would unfairly be paying twice for reliability services. The amendment will ensure that double-procurement of reliability resources does not occur in territories served by CCAs.

Thank you for your consideration of this request.

Sincerely,



Ann Hancock, Executive Director