SAN FRANCISCO BAY AREA RAPID TRANSIT DISTRICT

MEMORANDUM

TO: Board of Directors **DATE:** January 2, 2026

FROM: General Manager

SUBJECT: Federal Legislation for Consideration – H.R. 6298 (Friedman)

At the Board of Directors meeting on January 8, 2026, staff will present federal legislation for your consideration.

H.R. 6298 (Friedman), the Safe and Affordable Transit Act, was previously scheduled for Board consideration on December 4, 2025. However, the bill was pulled from discussion as official bill text had not yet been published by the U.S. Government Publishing Office.

Attached are official bill text and an analysis for H.R. 6298. Staff request the Board consider passing the draft motion shown below.

If you have any questions, please contact Rodd Lee, Assistant General Manager, External Affairs, at (510) 464-6235.

Michael Jones

Robert M. Powers

Attachments

cc: Board Appointed Officers Deputy General Manager

Executive Staff

DRAFT MOTION:

The Board of Directors supports H.R. 6298.