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## **Boilermakers for Just Transition**

Additional submitted attachment is included below.



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Commissioners and Panelist,

The presentations shown on June 21st or phenomenal, our labor organization is excited for the bright outlook of a clean energy future. There is one thing that is missing from these plans, specific "skilled and trained" language written into the framework of this transition for a just and equitable future of Labor organizations that have been building California's infrastructure throughout our state's history.

Many of these members also live in disadvantaged communities, and labor organizations offer higher education through apprenticeship programs with no college debt. We must be certain private companies do not hire low skilled workers to build the hydrogen infrastructure with no long-term future. Our state's future relies on highly skilled workers with a proven safety record. We highly support this transition, but we also must be included in it.

Respectfully,

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