



Legislation and Communications Committee

# Report on Activities from Washington, D.C.

Item 6d

May 13, 2024

Report on  
Activities  
from  
Washington  
DC

Subject

Report on Activities from Washington DC

Purpose

To provide a legislative update

# Federal Matrix Update.



## New Bills - Support

### PFAS Liability Protection

- S.1430, Water System PFAS Liability Protection Act
- Draft Senate PFAS bill
- H.R. 7944, Water System PFAS Liability Protection Act

### Low-Income Household Water Assistance Program

- S.3830, the LIHWAP Establishment Act
- H.R. 8032, the LIHWAP Establishment Act

# Federal Matrix Update



## New Bills

### Funding for water infrastructure projects

- H.R. 7990, the Large-Scale Water Recycling Reauthorization and Investment Act
- H.R.8030/S.4134, the DROUGHT Act of 2024

FY25  
Appropriations  
Hearings.



**The Honorable Deb Haaland**  
Secretary, Department of Interior



**The Honorable Michael S. Regan**  
Administrator, Environmental  
Protection Agency

# Low Income Homeowners Water Assistance Program

## FY25 Policy Proposal.



- No direct funding proposed for FY25
- States may redirect up to 2.7% of LIHEAP funding
- Sen. Padilla and Reps. Sorensen and Chavez-DeRemer requesting dedicated funding
- Reps. Tlaib, Dingell, Blunt Rochester, Moore, and Lofgren requesting \$500M



