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Liane Randolph Chair, CA Air Resources Board

Via email

Re: CARB Scoping Plan - Request for comment deadline extension

Chair Randolph,

We are contacting you on behalf of BizFed, the Los Angeles County Business Federation and Central Valley Business Federation. BizFed Los Angeles is an alliance of over 200 business organizations who represent over 400,000 employers in Los Angeles County and BizFed Central Valley is an alliance of over 75 organizations, representing 30,000 employers in the Central Valley. We are writing to express our concerns with the June 24 comment period deadline for the draft 2022 California Air Resources Board (CARB) Scoping Plan (Plan).

BizFed represents businesses large and small from a wide range of industries who will be heavily impacted by the goals set forth in the Plan. As such, we want to provide CARB with the most comprehensive comment letter that accurately represents the views of the broader business community. Doing so takes time, education, collaboration, and discussion.

CARB staff is often given many months, if not years, to collaborate and put forth a document that has an immense impact on nearly every resident and business in the state. Stakeholders are only given a 45-day comment period to review CARB staff analysis, raise awareness amongst their network, collaborate and provide comprehensive feedback. This is not enough time to adequately assess such an important document.

We respectfully request that the **state extend the comment period deadline another 45 days, at a minimum**, for our members, and other stakeholders, to properly review and comment on the draft.

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We appreciate your consideration. If you have any questions, please contact sarah.wiltfong@bizfed.org and melissa.traugh@bizfed.org.

Sincerely,

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