

# Fiscal Note

State of Alaska  
2026 Legislative Session

Bill Version: HB 164  
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Title: NET METERING PROGRAM & FUND  
Sponsor: RLS BY REQUEST OF THE GOVERNOR  
Requester: (H) ENERGY

Department: Department of Commerce, Community and Economic Development  
Appropriation: Alaska Energy Authority  
Allocation: Alaska Energy Authority Rural Energy Assistance  
OMB Component Number: 2600

## Expenditures/Revenues

Note: Amounts do not include inflation unless otherwise noted below.

(Thousands of Dollars)

	FY2027 Appropriation Requested	Included in Governor's FY2027 Request	Out-Year Cost Estimates				
			FY 2027	FY 2027	FY 2028	FY 2029	FY 2030
<b>OPERATING EXPENDITURES</b>	<b>FY 2027</b>						
Personal Services							
Travel							
Services							
Commodities							
Capital Outlay							
Grants & Benefits							
Miscellaneous							
<b>Total Operating</b>	<b>0.0</b>		<b>0.0</b>		<b>0.0</b>		<b>0.0</b>

## Fund Source (Operating Only)

None							
<b>Total</b>	<b>0.0</b>		<b>0.0</b>		<b>0.0</b>		<b>0.0</b>

## Positions

Full-time							
Part-time							
Temporary							

## Change in Revenues

None							
<b>Total</b>	<b>0.0</b>		<b>0.0</b>		<b>0.0</b>		<b>0.0</b>

**Estimated SUPPLEMENTAL (FY2026) cost:** 0.0 *(separate supplemental appropriation required)*

**Estimated CAPITAL (FY2027) cost:** 0.0 *(separate capital appropriation required)*

**Does the bill create or modify a new fund or account?** Yes

*(Supplemental/Capital/New Fund - discuss reasons and fund source(s) in analysis section)*

## ASSOCIATED REGULATIONS

Does the bill direct, or will the bill result in, regulation changes adopted by your agency? No  
If yes, by what date are the regulations to be adopted, amended or repealed? 07/01/26

## Why this fiscal note differs from previous version/comments:

Updated for SLA2026 fiscal note template.

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## FISCAL NOTE ANALYSIS

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### Analysis

This legislation has no fiscal impact to Alaska Energy Authority.

The bill creates a net metering reimbursement fund, administered by the Alaska Energy Authority (Authority) as the fiduciary of the fund under AS 37.10.071. Subject to appropriation, the Authority will make payments from the fund to a load-serving entity eligible for recoverable cost in accordance with regulations adopted by the Regulatory Commission of Alaska. The effective date is July 1, 2026.