

# Fiscal Note

State of Alaska  
2026 Legislative Session

Bill Version:	CSHB 164(ENE)
Fiscal Note Number:	3
(H) Publish Date:	4/1/2026

Identifier: HB164-DCCED-AEA-01-26-26  
 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	Included in	Out-Year Cost Estimates				
	Appropriation Requested	Governor's FY2027 Request	FY 2028	FY 2029	FY 2030	FY 2031	FY 2032
<b>OPERATING EXPENDITURES</b>	<b>FY 2027</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>	<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>	<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>	<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 If yes, by what date are the regulations to be adopted, amended or repealed? 07/01/26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.

Prepared By:	Curtis Thayer, Executive Director	Phone:	(907)771-3000
Division:	Alaska Energy Authority	Date:	01/26/2026
Approved By:	Hannah Lager, Administrative Services Director	Date:	01/27/26
Agency:	Department of Commerce, Community, and Economic Development		

FISCAL NOTE ANALYSIS

STATE OF ALASKA  
2026 LEGISLATIVE SESSION

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.