What Recent Congressional Action Means for Clean Transportation

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Today's Speakers

- Genevieve Cullen, President, Electric Drive Transportation Association
- David Cobb, Federal Affairs Director, National Biodiesel Board
- Jeffrey Clarke, General Counsel, NGVAmerica
- Michael Baker, Senior Director Legislative Affairs, National Propane Gas Association
- Frank Wolak, President & CEO, Fuel Cell & Hydrogen Association
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Today's Focus

- Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act Signed into law on 11/15/21
- Build Back Better Act–
 - Passed by House Today
 - Action shifts to the Senate





IJA and BBB ELECTRIFICATION PROVISIONS



Infrastructure Investment & Jobs Act **\$9.5 Billion for Clean Hydrogen Programs**

Regional Clean Hydrogen Hubs provides \$8 billion to develop at least four large-scale hydrogen production and utilization projects across the country.

Clean Hydrogen Electrolysis Program provides \$1 billion for demonstration, commercialization, and deployment of electrolyzer systems.

Clean Hydrogen Manufacturing and Recycling provides \$500,000,000 to support a clean hydrogen domestic supply chain.

Clean Hydrogen Strategy and Roadmap directs the development of the first U.S. national strategy to facilitate a clean hydrogen economy.

Build Back Better Act

Hydrogen and Fuel Cell Tax Credits

- **Clean Hydrogen Production Credit** •
- Fuel Cell and Energy Storage Investment Tax Credit
- Carbon Oxide Sequestration Credit
- Advanced Manufacturing Investment Credit Advanced Energy Project Credit

- Qualified Fuel Cell Motor Vehicles Credit
- Qualified Commercial Electric Vehicles Credit
- Alternative Fuel Refueling Property Credit



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Natural Gas Vehicles for America

Natural Gas Vehicle Priorities in BIF/IIJA PL 117-58

- Low/No Bus Funding; CNG/LNG eligibility; 25% set-aside for Low Emission buses
- NG Inclusion in Alternative Fuel Corridors Grant Program
- Clean School Bus Program
- Natural gas infrastructure safety and modernization funding
- Hydrogen funding
- Other Programs: CMAQ, transit buses, port facilities

NGV Priorities in BBB/Budget Reconciliation

- \$0.50/gallon Alternative Fuels Tax Credit: proposed 5- year extension
- Requesting inclusion of \$1.00/gallon RNG credit
- Parity for NGVs and hybrids in commercial vehicle credits





NPGA'S TOP INFRASTRUCTURE PRIORITIES

- H.R. 3684 Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act
 - \$2.5 Billion Grants for Charging and Fueling Infrastructure
 - \$1.6 Billion Grants Low Emission Bus and Bus Facilities
 - \$2.5 Billion Grants for Clean School Buses
 - Pilot Apprenticeship Program for Interstate CDLs (DRIVE-Safe Act)
- H.R. 5376 Build Back Better Act (as of 11/19)
 - Five-year extension of the Alternative Fuel Tax Credit
 - Clean Fuel Production Credit & Advanced Energy Project Credit

BUILD BACK BETTER ACT

Tax Incentives

- \$1 per gallon biodiesel blenders' tax credit extended four years through 2026.
- Clean Fuel Production Tax Credit beginning 2027.
 - Based on GHG intensity of fuel.

Biofuels Infrastructure Funding

- Extends USDA HBIIP Program through 2031
- \$1 billion available over 10 years.
- No biodiesel/ethanol project funding ratio specified.
- Up to 75% federal share for all projects.



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