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**From:** John McPherson <john@sagemonterey.org>  
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**To:** comments  
**Subject:** Agency is outside of Measure J authority

Dear Board Members,

The agency seems to have moved very fast past evaluating the feasibility of acquiring Cal Ams assets to planning a hostile takeover of a private company that doesn't intend to be bought. This is going to just be a legal quagmire, so the Agency needs to explain how this is in the interest of ratepayers.

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