

HOUSE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE REPORT

	February 4, 2026
Chair of Committee	Date

Committee on Business Affairs & Labor.

After consideration on the merits, the Committee recommends the following:

HB26-1003 be amended as follows, and as so amended, be referred to the Committee of the Whole with favorable recommendation:

- 1 Amend printed bill, page 4, line 27, strike "EACH".
- 2 Page 5, strike lines 1 and 2 and substitute "THE LOAN PROGRAM SHALL BE
- 3 USED TO FUND BUSINESSES ACROSS THE STATE OVER THE DURATION OF
- 4 THE PROGRAM AND, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 24-48.5-604 (8)(d),
- 5 SHALL MAINTAIN TARGETS AND SUPPORT BUSINESSES LOCATED IN RURAL
- 6 COUNTIES AND BUSINESSES OWNED BY WOMEN, MINORITIES, OR VETERANS.
- 7 THE PROGRAM SHALL".

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