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# ALERT

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## Alert #7 - FY2011

4/13/11

### ALERT SUMMARY:

1. **PURVIEW: State (not federal)**
2. **LEVEL OF MOBILIZATION: None; for information only**

### FY12 HOUSE BUDGET RELEASED

- The House Ways and Means Committee released its state budget for FY2012.
- The appropriation for ABE line item #7035-0002 is \$27,702,108.
- This amount is the same as the current funding level for FY2011.

### MCAE IS NOT FILING A BUDGET AMENDMENT

- **MCAE is not seeking a budget amendment.**
- Despite the fact that MCAE will not be asking any representative to file an amendment for ABE funding, a representative could either file an amendment independently or file one at the request of someone other than MCAE.
- MCAE will review the amendments when they are published next week. If there are any amendments that have an impact on ABE, MCAE will send an alert to keep you informed and let you if there's any action to be taken.
- Please watch your email next week.

### QUESTIONS:

- For questions on this alert, contact Jennifer McAllister at [jmcallister@mcae.net](mailto:jmcallister@mcae.net) or 617-482-MCAE (6223), Roberta Soolman at [litvolma@aol.com](mailto:litvolma@aol.com) or 617-367-1313, or Steve Reuys at [steve.reuys@umb.edu](mailto:steve.reuys@umb.edu) or 617-287-4071.

### NEXT MCAE PUBLIC POLICY COMMITTEE MEETING

**May 13, 2011**

10 a.m. to 12 noon  
UMass/Boston  
100 Morrissey Blvd  
Healey Library  
Media Conference Room  
Lower Level

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