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AB 1

Perez, John A. (D-46th)

Status: Assembly Inactive File

Description: Would appropriate \$60.0 million for CalWORKs Stage 3 Child Care services. The bill would also require that funds be directed to families that were receiving, or would have been eligible to receive, CalWORKs Stage 3 Child Care services, before or after October 31, 2010 and through March 31, 2011. The bill contains an urgency clause and would be effective immediately upon the Governor's signature.

County Position: Support

Support: Los Angeles County

State Update: 2/7/2011

Opposition: None on File

Bill Information: http://www.leginfo.ca.gov/pub/11-12/bill/asm/ab_0001-0050/ab_1_bill_20110114_amended_asm_v98.pdf

AB 6

Fuentes, Felipe (D-39th)

Status: Assembly Appropriations

Description: Would: 1) eliminate the Statewide Fingerprint Imaging System requirement for CalWORKs and CalFresh; 2) repeal the quarterly reporting requirement for CalWORKs and CalFresh and require semi-annual reporting for these programs; and 3) require the State to develop and implement a utility assistance initiative for CalFresh recipients.

County Position: Oppose Unless Amended

Support: California Food Policy Advocates; Western Center on Law and Poverty; Los Angeles Regional Food Bank; California Association of Food Banks; California Catholic Conference; California Grocers Association and others

State Update: 4/1/2011

Opposition: California District Attorneys Association

Bill Information: http://www.leginfo.ca.gov/pub/11-12/bill/asm/ab_0001-0050/ab_6_bill_20101206_introduced.pdf

AB 19

Fong, Paul (D-22nd)

Status: Set for hearing in Assembly Housing and Community Development on 4/27/11

Description: Would require a water purveyor that provides water service to a multiunit residential structure or mixed-use residential and commercial structure that is subject to specified building standards, to either adopt a general policy to require the installation of a water meter or a submeter to measure water supplied to each individual dwelling unit, or to inform an applicant for new water service as to whether a water meter or submeter is required for each individual dwelling.

County Position: **Support and Amend**

Support: Clean Water Action; Planning and Conservation League; Friends of the River; Sierra Club; Environmental Justice Coalition for Water

State Update: 3/14/2011

Opposition: Apartment Association of Greater Los Angeles; Apartment Association of Orange County; Apartment Association, California Southern Cities; San Francisco Association of Realtors; Utility Conservation Coalition

Bill Information: http://www.leginfo.ca.gov/pub/11-12/bill/asm/ab_0001-0050/ab_19_bill_20101206_introduced.pdf

AB 25

Hayashi, Mary (D-18th)

Status: Assembly Appropriations Suspense File

Description: Would establish policies to mitigate the risk of concussions and head injuries for students participating in athletic activities.

County Position: **Support**

Support: The National Football League; Brain Injury Association of California; American Red Cross (California Chapters); California Teachers Association; California Parent Teachers Association; Others

State Update: 3/14/2011

Opposition: None on File

Bill Information: http://www.leginfo.ca.gov/pub/11-12/bill/asm/ab_0001-0050/ab_25_bill_20110131_amended_asm_v98.pdf

AB 36

Perea, Henry (D-31)

Status: Governor's Desk

Description: Would add technical language which would amend the State Personal Income and Corporation Income Tax laws to conform with the Federal Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act of 2010. Specifically, this bill would provide language related to an exclusion from wages of amounts expended for medical care.

County Position: **Support**

Support: Butte County; Merced County; California Chamber of Commerce; California Hospital Association; California Labor Federation; California School Employees Association

State Update: 3/9/2011

Opposition: None on File

Bill Information: [http://www.leginfo.ca.gov/pub/11-12/bill/asm/ab_0001-0050/ab_36_bill_20110218_amended_asm_v97.pdf](http://www.leginfo.ca.gov/pub/11-12/bill/asm/ab_0001-0050/ab_0036_bill_20110218_amended_asm_v97.pdf)

AB 46

Perez, John A. (D-46th)

Status: Assembly Local Government

Description: Would require that every city with a population of less than 150 people, as of January 1, 2010, be disincorporated into the city's respective county. The bill would require the disincorporation to take effect 90 days after the effective date of this bill, unless the county board of supervisors determines within 90 days that continuing such a city within the county's boundaries would serve a public purpose and requires the local agency formation commission to oversee the terms and conditions of the disincorporation of the city.

County Position: **Support**

Support: Los Angeles County

Board Action: 12/14/2010

Opposition: None on File

Bill Information: http://www.leginfo.ca.gov/cgi-bin/postquery?bill_number=ab_46&sess=CUR&house=B&author=john_a._perez

AB 66

Chesbro, Wesley (D-1st)

Status: Assembly Revenue and Taxation

Description: Would extend the temporary 0.65 percent increase to the Vehicle License Fee to fund local public safety programs. The increase is set to expire on June 30, 2011.

County Position: **Support**

Support: California State Association of Counties; League of California Cities; Urban Counties Caucus; Numerous law enforcement agencies; and others

State Update: 12/29/2010

Opposition: None on File

Bill Information: http://www.leginfo.ca.gov/cgi-bin/postquery?bill_number=ab_66&sess=CUR&house=B&author=chesbro

AB 73

Feuer, Mike (D-42nd)

Status: Assembly Human Services

Description: As amended on March 31, 2011, establishes a four-year pilot project in three counties to create a presumption that juvenile court hearings in juvenile dependency cases be open to the public, unless the court finds that admitting the public would not be in a child's best interest; among other provisions.

County Position: **Support in Concept**

Support: Los Angeles County (in concept); Ventura County Board of Supervisors; Judicial Council of California; Children's Advocacy Institute; Alliance for Children's Rights and others

State Update: 3/31/2011

Opposition: California Youth Connection (unless amended); California Welfare Directors Association (unless amended); California Public Defenders Association; National Association of Social Workers, California Chapter; Service Employees International Union (SEIU) and others

Bill Information: http://www.leginfo.ca.gov/cgi-bin/postquery?bill_number=ab_73&sess=CUR&house=B&author=feuer

AB 182

Davis, Mike (D-48th)

Status: Assembly Appropriations

Description: Would amend the Political Reform Act of 1974 to continue an existing pilot program authorizing filing officers for Statements of Economic Interest (Form 700) in the counties of Los Angeles, Merced, Orange, Santa Clara, Stanislaus and Ventura to permit the electronic filing (e-filing) of the form until December 31, 2012. Additionally, this bill would permit the acceptance of electronic filings of Form 700 by all government agencies, starting on January 1, 2013.

County Position: **Support**

Support: California Association of Clerks and Election Officials (sponsor)
Los Angeles County; City of Long Beach;
Orange County Board of Supervisors; Santa Clara County Board of Supervisors; Fair Political Practices Commission; American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees AFL-CIO

State Update: 2/17/2011

Opposition: None on File

Bill Information: http://www.leginfo.ca.gov/pub/11-12/bill/asm/ab_0151-0200/ab_182_bill_20110124_introduced.pdf

AB 192

Logue, Dan (R-3rd)

Status: Assembly Revenue and Taxation

Description: Would appropriate \$500.0 million from the State General Fund to the Local Safety and Protection Account (LSPA) to fund local public safety programs beginning on July 1, 2011, and each July 1 thereafter, for a period of five years

County Position: **Support**

Support: Los Angeles County

State Update: 2/1/2011

Opposition: None on File

Bill Information: http://www.leginfo.ca.gov/pub/11-12/bill/asm/ab_0151-0200/ab_192_bill_20110126_introduced.pdf

AB 259

Smyth, Cameron (R-38th)

Status: Assembly Judiciary

Description: Would amend Government Code Section 27701 to allow a person to be eligible to the office of public defender if he or she is a sitting or retired judge, and as a judge meets specified qualifications, or if he/she was a judicial commissioner, magistrate, referee, or elected public official and meets specified qualifications.

County Position: **County-Sponsored**

Support: Los Angeles County

Board Action: 8/10/2010

Opposition: California Public Defenders Association; Black Public Defenders' Association; Gay and Lesbian Public Defender Employee Association; Latino Public Defenders Association; Asian Pacific Public Defender's Association; Crime Victims Action Alliance

Bill Information: http://www.leginfo.ca.gov/pub/11-12/bill/asm/ab_0251-0300/ab_259_bill_20110207_introduced.pdf

AB 298

Brownley, Julia (D-41st)

Status: Assembly Floor

Description: Would prohibit a manufacturer or distributor from selling or distributing a reusable bag in California, if the bag is designed or intended to be sold or distributed to a store's customers, unless: 1) the guidelines for cleaning and disinfecting the reusable bag are printed on the bag, or on a tag attached to the bag; and 2) the reusable bag meets specified criteria, including it does not contain lead, cadmium, or other heavy metal in toxic amounts.

County Position: **Support**

Support: Californians Against Waste; Clean Water Action; Environmental Working Group; Heal the Bay; Surfrider Foundation; Seventh Generation Advisors

State Update: 3/14/2011

Opposition: None on File

Bill Information: http://www.leginfo.ca.gov/pub/11-12/bill/asm/ab_0251-0300/ab_298_bill_20110209_introduced.pdf

AB 341

Chesbro, Wesley (D-1st)

Status: Set for hearing in Assembly Natural Resources on 4/25/11

Description: Would: 1) increase the mandatory solid waste diversion rate from 50 percent to 75 percent by January 1, 2020; 2) require the owner or operator of a business that contracts for waste services and generates more than four cubic yards of total waste and recyclable materials per week, to arrange for recycling services; and 3) require enforcement agencies to inform solid waste facility operators that it is requiring a revision in the solid waste facility permit in conjunction with allowing changes in the design or operation of a facility.

County Position: **Oppose**

Support: None on File

State Update: 3/14/2011

Opposition: Los Angeles County

Bill Information: http://www.leginfo.ca.gov/pub/11-12/bill/asm/ab_0301-0350/ab_341_bill_20110210_introduced.pdf

AB 375

Skinner, Nancy (D-14th)

Status: Set for a hearing in the Assembly Insurance Committee on 4/13/11.

Description: Would expand the presumption of job-related injuries to cover all hospital employees for blood-borne infectious diseases, Methicillin-resistant Staphylococcus aureus (MRSA), and all neck and back injuries. This presumption would exist if the impairment develops or manifests itself during the period of employment with the hospital.

County Position: **Oppose**

Support: None on File

State Update: 3/30/2011

Opposition: Los Angeles County

Bill Information: http://www.leginfo.ca.gov/pub/11-12/bill/asm/ab_0351-0400/ab_375_bill_20110214_introduced.pdf

AB 396

Mitchell, Holly (D-47)

Status: Assembly Appropriations

Description: Would allow counties to draw down Medi-Cal funds to provide reimbursement for the medical treatment of Medi-Cal eligible detained minors who are hospitalized outside of a county's detention facility for more than 24 hours.

County Position: **County-Sponsored**

Support: American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees, AFL-CIO; California Psychiatric Association; Chief Probation Officers of California; Los Angeles Probation Officers' Union; Riverside Sheriffs' Association; California Public Defenders Association

State Update: 2/24/2011

Opposition: None on File

Bill Information: http://www.leginfo.ca.gov/pub/11-12/bill/asm/ab_0351-0400/ab_396_bill_20110214_introduced.pdf

AB 438

Williams, Das (D-35)

Status: Set for hearing in Assembly Local Government.on 4/13/11

Description: Would require a city or the board of trustees of a library district that intends to operate its libraries itself with the help of a private contractor that will employ library staff to operate the library, to obtain voter approval at a regularly scheduled election of the decision to withdraw from the county free library system and to use a private contractor that will employ library staff to operate the library, prior to submitting a notice of withdrawal to the county board of supervisors. The County seeks amendments to remove the existing withdrawal provisions that only apply to the counties of Los Angeles and Riverside and to expand voter approval requirement to any cities that wish to withdraw from a county public library system. The bill was amended on March 29, 2011 and April 4, 2011. The amendments are being reviewed by the affected departments for re-evaluation of County position.

County Position: **Support if Amended**

Support: Ventura Reader's Book Group; Service Employees International Union; Los Angeles Alliance for a New Economy; Central Coast Alliance United for a Sustainable Economy; Santa Clarita Organization for Planning and the Environment; California Labor Federation and others

Board Action: 3/22/2011

Opposition: Library Systems & Services, LLC; League of California Cities; Howard Jarvis Taxpayers Association; City of Cerritos; Shasta Public Library Foundation; Concerned Citizens Coalition of Stockton and others

Bill Information: http://www.leginfo.ca.gov/pub/11-12/bill/asm/ab_0401-0450/ab_438_bill_20110316_amended_asm_v98.pdf

AB 542

Allen, Michael (D-7)

Status: Assembly Housing and Community Development

Description: Would increase the number of housing opportunities by expanding the number of land sites deemed suitable for residential development that can accommodate some portion of the city's or county's regional housing need by income level.

County Position: **Support and Amend**

Support: Napa County Board of Supervisors

State Update: 3/31/2011

Opposition: California Rural Legal Assistance Foundation; Western Center on Law and Poverty

Bill Information: http://www.leginfo.ca.gov/pub/11-12/bill/asm/ab_0501-0550/ab_542_bill_20110216_introduced.pdf

AB 550

Huber, Alyson (D-10th)

Status: Assembly Water, Parks and Wildlife

Description: Would prohibit: 1) the construction of a periperal canal from the Sacramento River to a point south of the Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta, unless expressly authorized by the Legislature; and 2) the construction and operation of a peripheral canal from diminishing or negatively affecting the water supplies, water rights, or quality of water for water users within the Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta watershed, or imposing any new burdens on infrastructure within, or financial burdens on persons residing in the Delta or Delta watershed.

County Position: **Oppose**

Support: None on File

State Update: 3/31/2011

Opposition: Metropolitan Municipal Water District of Southern California

Bill Information: http://www.leginfo.ca.gov/pub/11-12/bill/asm/ab_0501-0550/ab_550_bill_20110216_introduced.pdf

AB 652

Mitchell, Holly (D-47)

Status: Assembly Health

Description: Would specify that the costs of initial health assessments and forensic medical evaluations performed on children who are placed out of home due to suspected abuse or neglect shall be covered benefits under the Medi-Cal Program, the Healthy Families Program or a licensed health care insurance plan.

County Position: **County-Sponsored**

Support: None on File

State Update: 2/24/2011

Opposition: None on File

Bill Information: http://www.leginfo.ca.gov/pub/11-12/bill/asm/ab_0651-0700/ab_652_bill_20110216_introduced.pdf

AB 720

Hall III, Isadore (D-52nd)

Status: Assembly Local Government

Description: Would eliminate the ability of counties who have elected to be subject to the Uniform Public Construction Cost Accounting Act to use Road Commissioner authority granted under Public Contract Code Section 20395 which allows counties to use their own employees to perform work on county highways. Would also increase from \$30,000 to \$45,000 the total cost of a project that is allowed to be performed by public agency employees.

County Position: **Oppose**

Support: None on File

State Update: 3/31/2011

Opposition: California State Association of Counties;
Regional Council of Rural Counties; Urban
Counties Caucus

Bill Information: http://www.leginfo.ca.gov/pub/11-12/bill/asm/ab_0701-0750/ab_720_bill_20110217_introduced.pdf

AB 1155

Alejo, Luis (D-28)

Status: Set for a hearing in Assembly Insurance on 4/13/11

Description: Would prohibit the consideration of race, religious creed, color, national origin, age, gender, marital status, sex, sexual orientation, or genetic characteristics as a cause or other factor of disability considered in the determination of workers' compensation benefits. However, the bill would negatively affect the County for a number of reasons including but not limited to significantly weaken workers' compensation reforms contained in SB 899 (Chapter 34, Statutes of 2004),

County Position: **Oppose**

Support: None on File

State Update: 3/30/2011

Opposition: Los Angeles County

Bill Information: http://www.leginfo.ca.gov/pub/11-12/bill/asm/ab_1151-1200/ab_1155_bill_20110218_introduced.pdf

AB 1297

Chesbro, Wesley (D-1st)

Status: Assembly Health

Description: Would maximize reimbursement of Federal Medicaid funding to counties for specialty mental health services.

County Position: **Support**

Support: Los Angeles County

State Update: 4/6/2011

Opposition: None on File

Bill Information: http://www.leginfo.ca.gov/pub/11-12/bill/asm/ab_1251-1300/ab_1297_bill_20110218_introduced.pdf

AB 1354

Huber, Alyson (D-10th)

Status: Set for hearing in Assembly Business, Professions & Consumer Protection on 4/26/11

Description: Would prohibit public entities from withholding retention progress payments made to a contractor for the construction of any public work or improvement beginning January 1, 2012.

County Position: **Oppose**

Support: None on File

State Update: 3/31/2011

Opposition: Los Angeles County

Bill Information: http://www.leginfo.ca.gov/pub/11-12/bill/asm/ab_1351-1400/ab_1354_bill_20110218_introduced.pdf

ABX1 9

Chesbro, Wesley (D-1st)

Status: Assembly Revenue and Taxation and Local Gov.

Description: Would extend the temporary .65 percent increase to the Vehicle License Fee to fund local public safety programs. The increase is set to expire on June 30, 2011.

County Position: **Support**

Support: California State Association of Counties; League of California Cities; Urban Counties Caucus; Numerous law enforcement agencies; and others

State Update: 12/29/2010

Opposition: None on File

Bill Information: http://www.leginfo.ca.gov/cgi-bin/postquery?bill_number=abx1_9&sess=CUR&house=B&author=chesbro

ACAX1 2

Blumenfield, Bob (D-40th)

Status: Assembly Budget

Description: Would establish the Schools and Local Safety Public Safety Protection Act of 2011, a constitutional amendment, upon voter approval to extend \$11.0 billion in specified tax increases for five years, of which, \$5.9 billion would be dedicated to fund the Governor's Realignment Proposal to shift financial responsibilities of various programs from the State to counties. The constitutional amendment would also guarantee counties ongoing revenues beyond the five-year tax extension and provide protections to counties against increased costs from future State and Federal actions. This measure is identical to SCAX1 1.

County Position: **Support**

Support: California Teachers Association; California Chamber of Commerce; Chief Probation Officers of California; Riverside County Board of Supervisors; Sonoma County Board of Supervisors; Various Local Chambers of Commerce

Board Action: 3/22/2011

Opposition: Howard Jarvis Taxpayers Association

Bill Information: http://www.leginfo.ca.gov/pub/11-12/bill/asm/ab_0001-0050/acax1_2_bill_20110321_amended_asm_v98.pdf

SB 33

Simitian, Joseph S. (D-11th)

Status: Senate Judiciary

Description: Repeal the January 1, 2013 sunset date and make permanent provisions established by SB 1018, (Chapter 140, Statutes of 2005), which expanded the scope of the Elder Abuse and Dependent Adult Civil Protection Act.

County Position: **Support**

Support: AARP; California State Association of Counties; California Senior Legislature; California Commission on Aging; County Welfare Directors Association and others

State Update: 3/30/2011

Opposition: None on File

Bill Information: http://www.leginfo.ca.gov/pub/11-12/bill/sen/sb_0001-0050/sb_33_bill_20101206_introduced.pdf

SB 62

Liu, Carol (D-21st)

Status: Set for hearing in Senate Judiciary on 4/12/11

Description: Would enhance the County's existing Homeowner Notification Program to authorize the County to:
1) notify homeowners and renters subject to notices of default or sale; 2) collect a fee for notification upon the recording of a notice of default or sale; and 3) use a portion of the recording fee to provide information, counseling, or assistance to a person who receives the notice. These provisions would sunset on January 1, 2015. The bill also states that the Legislature finds and declares the need for the special law because the County is experiencing a foreclosure and real estate fraud crisis that necessitates additional authority for the County to provide notice of the recording of certain foreclosure-related real property transactions to interested parties.

County Position: **County-Sponsored**

Support: Consumer Federation of California; Consumer Federation of America; Consumers Union

Board Action: 12/15/2009

Opposition: None on File

Bill Information: http://www.leginfo.ca.gov/pub/11-12/bill/sen/sb_0051-0100/sb_62_bill_20110103_introduced.pdf

SB 136

Yee, Leland (D-8th)

Status: Senate Health

Description: Would require health care plans and individual or group health insurance policies to provide coverage for smoking cessation services.

County Position: **Support**

Support: Los Angeles County

State Update: 3/14/2011

Opposition: None on File

Bill Information: http://www.leginfo.ca.gov/pub/11-12/bill/sen/sb_0101-0150/sb_136_bill_20110131_introduced.pdf

SB 141

Price, Curren D. Jr. (D-26th)

Status: Set for hearing in Senate Appropriations on 4/11/11

Description: Would require the State to reimburse counties for elections to fill State and Federal legislative vacancies. This proposal would add provisions requiring that all expenses incurred to conduct elections called by the Governor to fill a vacancy in the office of State Senator, Member of the Assembly, United States Senator or Representative in Congress be paid by the State. The bill also states that when an election proclaimed by the Governor is consolidated with a local election, the State would pay only for those expenses directly related to the elections proclaimed by the Governor.

County Position: **County-Sponsored**

Support: California State Association of Counties (CSAC); Orange County Board of Supervisors; Regional Council of Rural Counties (RCRC); San Bernardino County Board of Supervisors; Santa Clara County Board of Supervisor; California Secretary of State

Board Action: 5/26/2009

Opposition: None on File

Bill Information: http://www.leginfo.ca.gov/pub/11-12/bill/sen/sb_0101-0150/sb_141_bill_20110131_introduced.pdf

SB 194

Governance and Finance Committee

Status: Set for hearing in Senate Governance and Finance on 4/27/2011

Description: Contains a County-sponsored proposal which would increase the upper limit amount a board of supervisors may delegate to a county road commissioner or other county officer to order changes or additions in the work being performed under county road contracts from \$150,000 to \$200,000. Would also clarify that these change orders may include additions to the work. The rest of the provisions in the bill do not directly affect County operations.

County Position: **Support**

Support: Los Angeles County

State Update: 2/16/2011

Opposition: None on File

Bill Information: http://www.leginfo.ca.gov/pub/11-12/bill/sen/sb_0151-0200/sb_194_bill_20110208_introduced.pdf

SB 244

Wolk, Lois (D-5th)

Status: Set for hearing in Senate Governance and Finance on 4/27/11

Description: Would require a city or county to amend its general plan before January 1, 2014, to address the presence of island, fringe, or legacy unincorporated communities inside or near its boundaries, and would require the amended general plan to include specified information about disadvantaged unincorporated communities. It would also require a city or county to take specified action related to the conditions or deficiencies within these areas and outline implementation measures to achieve the goals for eliminating or reducing the negative conditions.

County Position: **Oppose**

Support: None on File

State Update: 3/14/2011

Opposition: Los Angeles County

Bill Information: http://www.leginfo.ca.gov/pub/11-12/bill/sen/sb_0201-0250/sb_244_bill_20110315_amended_sen_v98.pdf

SB 457

Calderon, Charles M. (D-58th)

Status: Senate Appropriations

Description: Would require the Workers' Compensation Appeals Board (WCAB) to allow a lien on workers' compensation benefits for certain medical expenses in excess of the Official Medical Fee Schedule.

County Position: **Oppose**

Support: California Labor Federation, AFL-CIO; California Professional Firefighters

State Update: 3/30/2011

Opposition: California Joint Powers Authority

Bill Information: http://www.leginfo.ca.gov/pub/11-12/bill/sen/sb_0451-0500/sb_457_bill_20110216_introduced.pdf

SB 515

Corbett, Ellen (D-10th)

Status: Senate Appropriations

Description: Would: 1) require battery manufacturers, by September 30, 2012, to submit a stewardship plan (plan) to the Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery (CalRecycle) for review; 2) prohibit, on and after January 1, 2014, a producer, wholesaler, or retailer from selling household batteries unless CalRecycle certifies the submitted plan as complete; and 3) establish progressive collection goals for household batteries of 25 percent by 2015, 45 percent by 2017, with proof of continuous meaningful improvement in the collection rate starting January 1, 2018 and after.

County Position: **Support**

Support: Stopwaste.org; Californians Against Waste; CSAC; California Retailers Association; League of California Cities

State Update: 3/31/2011

Opposition: The Grocers Manufacturing Association; Hewlett-Packard; TechAmerica; Toy Industry Association Inc.

Bill Information: http://www.leginfo.ca.gov/pub/11-12/bill/sen/sb_0501-0550/sb_515_bill_20110217_introduced.pdf

SB 568

Lowenthal, Alan (D-27th)

Status: Senate Floor

Description: Would prohibit, on and after January 1, 2013, a food vendor from dispensing prepared food to a customer in a polystyrene foam food container.

County Position: **Support**

Support: Californians Against Waste; Heal the Bay; Sierra Club California; Breast Cancer Fund; Clean Water Action

State Update: 3/31/2011

Opposition: American Chemistry Council; California Chamber of Commerce; California Manufacturers and Technology Association; Society of the Plastics Industry

Bill Information: http://www.leginfo.ca.gov/pub/11-12/bill/sen/sb_0551-0600/sb_568_bill_20110217_introduced.pdf

SB 913

Pavley, Fran (D-23rd)

Status: Senate Appropriations

Description: Would clarify a Chief Probation Officer's authority to consent to medical examinations or non-emergency care for youth detained in county juvenile detention facilities when the parent or legal guardian refuses or fails to respond to a request for medical consent

County Position: **County-Sponsored**

Support: California State Association of Counties; Chief Probation Officers of California

State Update: 2/24/2011

Opposition: None on File

Bill Information: [http://www.leginfo.ca.gov/pub/11-12/bill/sen/sb_0901-0950/sb_913_bill_20110218_introduced.pdf](http://www.leginfo.ca.gov/pub/11-12/bill/sen/sb_0901-0950/sb_0901-0950/sb_913_bill_20110218_introduced.pdf)

SCAX1 1

Steinberg, Darrell (D-6th)

Status: Senate Appropriations

Description: Would establish the Schools and Local Safety Public Safety Protection Act of 2011, a constitutional amendment upon voter approval to: extend \$11.0 billion in specified tax increases for five years of which \$5.9 billion would be dedicated to fund the Governor's Realignment Proposal to shift financial responsibilities of various programs from the State to counties. The constitutional amendment would also guarantee counties ongoing revenues beyond the five-year tax extension and provide protections to counties against increased costs from future State and Federal actions. This measure is identical to ACAX 1 2.

County Position: **Support**

Support: California Teachers Association; California Chamber of Commerce; Chief Probation Officers of California; Riverside County Board of Supervisors; Sonoma County Board of Supervisors; Various Local Chambers of Commerce

Board Action: 3/22/2011

Opposition: Howard Jarvis Taxpayers Association

Bill Information: http://www.leginfo.ca.gov/pub/11-12/bill/sen/sb_0001-0050/scax1_1_bill_20110317_amended_sen_v98.pdf

H.R. 470

Heck (R-NV)

Status: Committee on Natural Resources

Description: Also known as the Hoover Power Allocation Act of 2011, would extend the Hoover Power Plant Act of 1984 (Act). The Act, which governs the allocation of water and power from the Hoover Dam, is currently scheduled to expire in 2017. H.R. 470 would essentially keep current contracts governing the allocation of energy resources in place.

County Position: **Support**

Support: City of Burbank; City of Glendale; City of Los Angeles; Southern California Edison

State Update: 3/1/2011

Opposition: None on File

Bill Information: <http://www.gpo.gov/fdsys/pkg/BILLS-112hr470ih/pdf/BILLS-112hr470ih.pdf>
