

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS  
OF THE COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA

A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA, CALIFORNIA OPPOSING PROPOSITION 98 AND SUPPORTING PROPOSITION 99

Resolution No. \_\_\_\_\_

WHEREAS, two constitutional amendment ballot measures, Proposition 98 and 99 will appear on California's June 2008 ballot; and

WHEREAS, Proposition 98 will prevent government from taking private property through eminent domain to transfer to a third party thereby constraining governmental use of land for redevelopment, affordable housing or public ownership of water or electric utility services and will eliminate rent control laws in California; and

WHEREAS, the No on Proposition 98 campaign is represented by the League of California Cities, California State Association of Counties, League of California Homeowners, California League of Conservation Voters, California Alliance for Retired Americans and other leading state and local associations who oppose Proposition 98; and,

WHEREAS, a coalition of senior, homeowner, business, labor, environmentalists, affordable housing advocates and local governments have sponsored and support Proposition 99 since Proposition 99 will not change state or local rent control laws, laws dealing with tenant protections and affordable housing requirements or environmental laws or regulations BUT will prevent governments from using eminent domain to take an owner-occupied home to transfer to private parties.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Board of Supervisors does resolve as follows:

1. The Board of Supervisors hereby opposes Proposition 98 on the June 2008 ballot.
2. The Board of Supervisors authorizes the use of its name by the No on Proposition 98 campaign in opposition to Proposition 98.
3. The Board of Supervisors hereby supports Proposition 99.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Santa Barbara, State of California, this 13<sup>th</sup> day of May 2008, by the following vote:

AYES:

NOES:  
ABSENT:  
ABSTAIN:

ATTEST:  
MICHAEL F. BROWN  
CLERK OF THE BOARD

By \_\_\_\_\_  
Deputy Clerk

Approved as to Form:  
DANIEL WALLACE  
COUNTY COUNSEL

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Deputy County Counsel

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Chair, Board of Supervisors  
County of Santa Barbara

Approved as to Form:  
ROBERT W. GEIS,  
Auditor -Controller

By: \_\_\_\_\_