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To the Santa Barbara County Board of Supervisors

Please include in public comment at upcoming meetings.

I am a voter and resident of Santa Barbara County. In view of the painful lack of affordable housing in our county, I urge you strongly to pass legislation outlawing renovictions. One of my sons was forced to give up a good job at Cottage Hospital and move out of state when he and his family lost their rented house to a renoviction. After they were evicted, the owners merely did a little cosmetic work, nothing major, and then rented it out again for a much higher rent.

There is legal precedent for moratoria on no-fault evictions with or without a pandemic in place. Los Angeles and San Diego are great examples that staff can study, so they can draft a no-fault eviction moratorium for SB County as quickly as possible. Please make sure this happens.

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