

Lenzi, Chelsea

From: Don & Sally Webb <sdwebb@cox.net>
Sent: Saturday, June 10, 2017 1:11 PM
To: sbcob; Williams, Das; Wolf, Janet; Hartmann, Joan; Adam, Peter; Lavagnino, Steve
Subject: Please support funding for those vulnerable in our county.

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621 Cowles Rd.
Santa Barbara, CA 93108

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From: Myrna Tuttle <revmom13@gmail.com>
Sent: Saturday, June 10, 2017 1:30 PM
To: sbcob; +dwilliams@countyofsb.org; +jwolf@countyofsb.org;
+jhartmann@countyofsb.org; +peter.adam@countyofsb.org;
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Sincerely,
Rev. Dr. Myrna Tuttle
340 Old Mill Road #114
Santa Barbara, CA 93110

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From: Randy Sunday <randysunday@cox.net>
Sent: Saturday, June 10, 2017 1:35 PM
To: sbcob; +dwilliams@countyofsb.org; +jwolf@countyofsb.org;
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Sincerely,
Randy Sunday
945 Ward Drive
Santa Barbara, CA 93111

Sent from my iPhone

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From: Nick Beeson <beesonsb@cox.net>
Sent: Saturday, June 10, 2017 1:36 PM
To: sbcob; Williams, Das; Wolf, Janet; Hartmann, Joan; Adam, Peter; Lavagnino, Steve
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Sincerely,
Nicholas Beeson
1821 Gibraltar Rd
Santa Barbara, CA 93105

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From: Myrna Tuttle <revmom13@gmail.com>
Sent: Saturday, June 10, 2017 1:39 PM
To: sbcob
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Sent: Saturday, June 10, 2017 1:40 PM
To: sbcob; Williams, Das; Wolf, Janet; Hartmann, Joan; Adam, Peter; Lavagnino, Steve
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Sincerely,

FRANCES J MONK
171 MIRAMAR AVE
SANTA BARBARA, CA 93108

Lenzi, Chelsea

From: Nancy Alexander <fancezerosix@gmail.com>
Sent: Saturday, June 10, 2017 2:07 PM
To: sbcob; +dwilliams@countyofsb.org; +jwolf@countyofsb.org;
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Sincerely,
NANCY ALEXANDER
PO Box 5400
Santa Barbara, CA 93150-5400

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From: Teresa Pietsch <teresapietsch@cox.net>
Sent: Saturday, June 10, 2017 2:45 PM
To: sbcob; Williams, Das; Wolf, Janet; Hartmann, Joan; Adam, Peter; Lavagnino, Steve
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Sincerely,
Teresa Pietsch
199 N Kellogg Ave unit A
SB 93111

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From: Maureen Earls <maurenearls00@gmail.com>
Sent: Saturday, June 10, 2017 2:59 PM
To: sbcob; Williams, Das; Wolf, Janet; Hartmann, Joan; Adam, Peter; Lavagnino, Steve
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Sincerely,
Maureen Earls, CLUE SB President
3174 Laurel Canyon
93105

Sent from my iPhone

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From: susanhorne@cox.net
Sent: Saturday, June 10, 2017 5:25 PM
To: sbcob; Hartmann, Joan; Wolf, Janet; Lavagnino, Steve; Adam, Peter
Subject: Budget for Equity Care

Dear Board of Supervisors -

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Yours,

- Susan Horne, Health Educator, Ret.

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From: Christine Milne <csm4gwp@yahoo.com>
Sent: Saturday, June 10, 2017 9:32 PM
To: sbcob; Williams, Das; Wolf, Janet; Hartmann, Joan; Adam, Peter; Lavagnino, Steve
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Sincerely,
Christine S. Milne
4202 Calle Real #204
Santa Barbara, CA 93110-4076

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From: Sondra C. Aggeler <aggelgeo@aol.com>
Sent: Saturday, June 10, 2017 10:24 PM
To: sbcob; Williams, Das; Wolf, Janet; Hartmann, Joan; Adam, Peter; Lavagnino, Steve
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Sincerely,
Sondra Aggeler
612 Miramonte Drive
Santa Barbara 93109

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From: Jeannette Love <jenblove9@gmail.com>
Sent: Sunday, June 11, 2017 9:26 AM
To: sbcob; +dwilliams@countyofsb.org; +jwolf@countyofsb.org;
+jhartmann@countyofsb.org; +peter.adam@countyofsb.org;
+steve.lavagnino@countyofsb.org
Subject: Please support funding for those vulnerable in our county.

Dear Santa Barbara County Board of Supervisors,

I stand with CLUE Santa Barbara in encouraging the Santa Barbara County Board of Supervisors to restore funding for Homeless Shelters.

Rev. Jeannette Love

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From: Anna Kokotovic <anna48k@gmail.com>
Sent: Sunday, June 11, 2017 8:50 PM
To: sbcob; +dwilliams@countyofsb.org; +jwolf@countyofsb.org;
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Sincerely,

Anna Kokotovic, PhD
5816 La Goleta Rd
Goleta, CA 93117

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From: Charlenelittle <charlenelittle29@gmail.com>
Sent: Sunday, June 11, 2017 10:30 PM
To: sbcob; Williams, Das; Wolf, Janet; Hartmann, Joan; Adam, Peter; Lavagnino, Steve
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Sincerely,
Charlene Little
1141 Cima Linda Ln
Santa Barbara, CA 93108

Sent from my iPad

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From: Richard Jensen <bonniejensen@mac.com>
Sent: Sunday, June 11, 2017 11:32 PM
To: sbcob; Williams, Das; Wolf, Janet; Hartmann, Joan; Adam, Peter; Lavagnino, Steve
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Name
Address
Zip Code

Sent from my iPhone

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From: Denise Williams <conflictresolutionworks@gmail.com>
Sent: Sunday, June 11, 2017 11:51 PM
To: sbcob; +dwilliams@countyofsb.org; +jwolf@countyofsb.org;
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Denise Williams
27 W. Anapamu St. #244
Santa Barbara, CA 93101

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From: Denise Williams <conflictresolutionworks@gmail.com>
Sent: Sunday, June 11, 2017 11:56 PM
To: sbcob; Williams, Das; Wolf, Janet; Hartmann, Joan; Adam, Peter; Lavagnino, Steve
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Denise Williams, Ph.D.
27 W. Anapamu St. #244
Santa Barbara, CA 93101

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From: EUGENIA HOYNE <eugenia38@me.com>
Sent: Monday, June 12, 2017 6:18 AM
To: sbcob; Williams, Das; Wolf, Janet; Hartmann, Joan; Adam, Peter; Lavagnino, Steve
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Sincerely,
Eugenia Hoyne
2718 Miradero Drive
93105

Alexander, Jacquelyne

From: Martha Santrizos <zosmar@aol.com>
Sent: Monday, June 12, 2017 8:09 AM
To: sbcob; Williams, Das; Wolf, Janet; Hartmann, Joan; Adam, Peter; Lavagnino, Steve
Subject: Please support funding for those vulnerable in our county.

Dear Santa Barbara County Board of Supervisors, I stand with CLUE Santa Barbara in encouraging the Santa Barbara County Board of Supervisors to restore funding for Homeless Shelters & Warming Centers to protect the most vulnerable in our community from harm. We also encourage you to restore and expand funding for individuals with Behavioral Health needs – specifically those who need a level of care in Institute for Mental Disease or hospitals. Developing a new Crisis Residential Treatment program would be a wise preventative step. We also ask that you mitigate cuts to Social Services staff who assist people in our community in qualifying for important programs for healthcare, income and employment. Cuts to staff in Social Services could jeopardize Federal and State dollars and have unintended consequences on our County budget in the future. Please consider that the last analysis of our county budget allocations for Behavioral Wellness revealed that we spend less per person in our county than comparison counties. "Most comparison counties selected for this study spend more County Funds per capita to support MH (Mental Health) and ADP services than does Santa Barbara County."* Benchmark County San Luis Obispo provides a county contribution of \$23,000 per 1,000 while Santa Barbara County contributes \$7,356 per 1,000. *Tri West Report: <http://bit.ly/triwest> The Behavioral Wellness budget needs to be exempt from cuts in funding to those most vulnerable until there is a just distribution of county funds, comparable to other counties, based on data from an outside evaluation. Sincerely, Name Address Zip Code

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Alexander, Jacquelyne

From: Worth Street Reach <info@worthstreetreach.org>
Sent: Monday, June 12, 2017 8:13 AM
To: sbcob; Williams, Das; Wolf, Janet; Hartmann, Joan; Adam, Peter; Lavagnino, Steve
Subject: READ TODAY

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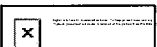
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From: Emily Allen <emilyalleninsb@gmail.com>
Sent: Sunday, June 11, 2017 1:30 PM
To: sbcob; Williams, Das; Wolf, Janet; Hartmann, Joan; Adam, Peter; Lavagnino, Steve
Subject: Cuts to health and human services

Dear Supervisors,

In advance of the budget hearings I hope you will consider how cuts to **health** and **human services** will impact people experiencing homelessness and other vulnerable individuals and families.

I started following the county budget closely in 2007 when Casa Del Mural – a home for people with Serious Persistent Mental Illness (SPMI)– was closed as a Licensed Board & Care. The loss of beds for people with SPMI meant sending more people out of county to Institutes for Mental Disease (IMDs) and more hospitalizations at a higher cost to the county. Now we are trying to replace in county beds to reduce this cost.

In following years I remember when Veterans Service Representatives were not fully funded. That meant fewer Veterans getting the Federal and State benefits they needed. And fewer dollars coming to these Veterans and into our local economy. Often the result was an increased burden on the county's General Relief program and a negative impact on our economy.

In both cases the cuts seemed reasonable at the time. There was a cost to providing the service and the budget was strained. But in both cases there was a greater cost to the county in the long run. Cuts to Social Services programs could have this same unintended consequence.

In looking at the investments you will make to roads, buildings and maintenance please also consider the investment you make in the people of Santa Barbara County through health and human services. And how cuts to these programs can have unintended consequences.

I hope you will restore funding for Warming Centers and Emergency Shelters (Community Services), Institute for Mental Disease and hospital beds (Behavioral Wellness), and mitigate cuts to Social service workers with CalFresh, CalWORKS, Medi-Cal, In Home Supportive Services, Adult Protective

Services, Subsidized Employment, Child Welfare Services, Foster Care and General Relief (Social Services).

Thank you for your consideration.

All the best

Emily Allen