COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA

LEGISLATIVE ANALYSIS FORM

This form is required for the Legislative Program Committee to consider taking an advocacy position on an issue or legislative item

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1) BILL SUBJECT:
Request the State Department of Water Resources to adjust regulations so that the City of Santa Barbara could seek Proposition 1 funds for the desalination plant. County residents living in areas serviced by the City of Santa Barbara water system are funding operations of the desalination plant through water rates. Proposition 1 was passed by California voters to fund infrastructure projects designed to increase water supply.

2) FROM DEPARTMENT:
First District

3) IS THIS ITEM SPECIFICALLY REFERENCED IN THE LEGISLATIVE PLATFORM?
No

4) WHICH POLICY-RELATED MATTER IS OF CONCERN WITH THIS BILL?
Community Sustainability

5) HOW WOULD THIS BILL IMPACT THE COUNTY? (Current practices, responsibility, authority, pros/cons, affected programs and/or services, etc.)
Little impact on County operations, however as a water rate payer for facilities in the City of Santa Barbara, the increased cost of water resulting from desalination operations will affect our water bill.

6) IMPACT ON COUNTY PROGRAM:
- Major
- Minor
- None

SANTA BARBARA COUNTY IMPACT:
- Major
- Minor
- None

STATEWIDE IMPACT:
- Major
- Minor
- None

Explanation of Impacts:

7) WOULD THIS BILL IMPACT (Legislative Principles):
   a. Job growth and Economic Vitality?  
      - YES  
      - NO
   b. Efficient service delivery and operations?  
      - YES  
      - NO
   c. Fiscal stability?  
      - YES  
      - NO
   d. Inter-agency cooperation?  
      - YES  
      - NO
   e. Local control?  
      - YES  
      - NO
   f. Health and human services?  
      - YES  
      - NO
   g. Community sustainability and environmental protection?  
      - YES  
      - NO

Additional Comments:
8) **FISCAL IMPACT ON THE COUNTY:**
- Revenue Increase
- Revenue Decrease
- Cost Increase
- Cost Decrease
- Unfunded Mandate
- Undetermined
- None

   Additional Comments:

9) **OTHER AGENCIES THAT SHOULD REVIEW THIS BILL:**

10) **CSAC POSITION ON BILL:**
- Support
- Oppose
- Support if Amended
- Oppose unless Amended
- Watch
- No position taken

11) **OTHER LOCAL OR STATEWIDE ORGANIZATIONS THAT HAVE TAKEN A POSITION ON THIS BILL:**
   
   (Indicate support or opposition for each)
   
   City of Santa Barbara

12) **PROPOSED AMENDMENTS:** (Attach separate sheet)

13) **RECOMMENDATION:**
- Support
- Oppose
- Support if Amended
- Oppose unless Amended
- Recommend Support to Board*
- Recommend Opposition to Board*
- Concerns (Why? Explain in #6)
- No Position (Why?)

* Indicates that the department believes that the Board of Supervisors should take a formal position on this bill

   Additional Comments:

14) **LEGISLATIVE ANALYSIS FORM PREPARED BY:**
   
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