California Ballot Propositions Recommendations

for the Tuesday, November 3, 2020 General Election

(Listed approx. progressive to conservative) ORGANIZATIONS	PROPOSITIONS											
	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25
California Democratic Party	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes		Yes
Harvey Milk LGBT Democratic Club	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes		No	Yes	No	Yes		Yes
San Francisco Green Party	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes		No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes
Peace & Freedom Party	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes
California Labor Federation		Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No		No	Yes		Yes
California League of Conservation Voters		Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes		No	Yes				Yes
American Association of University Women	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes			Yes				Yes
California Nurses Association		Yes	Yes			Yes		Yes	No		No	Yes
League of Women Voters of California		Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	No				No	Yes
Friends Committee on Legislation of California	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	No	Yes
California Parent Teacher Association		Yes	Yes			Yes						
Sierra Club of California		Yes	Yes						No			Yes
California Federation of Teachers		Yes	Yes						No			Yes
California Teachers Association		Yes	Yes				No		No			Yes
California State Association of Counties			Yes			No						
California Manufacturers & Technology		No										
California Taxpayers Association		No						No				
California Chamber of Commerce		No					Yes	No	Yes			
Howard Jarvis Taxpayers Association	No	No			No	No		No	Yes		No	No
California Republican Party	No	No	No	No	No		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	No

BRIEF BALLOT PROPOSITIONS DESCRIPTIONS

14. Authorizes bonds to continue funding stem cell and other medical research.

15. Changes tax assessment of commercial and industrial property, increasing funding for public schools, community colleges and local government services.

16. Repeals Proposition 209 Affirmative Action Amendment thus allowing state and local entities to consider race, sex, color, ethnicity & national origin in public education, employment & contracting.

17. Restores right to vote for persons on parole.

18. Allows voting in primary elections for 17-year-olds who will be 18 by the next general election.

19. Increases ability of seniors & other eligible homeowners to transfer tax assessments. Requires inherited homes that are not primary residences to be reassessed at market value. Net revenue goes to wildfire agencies & counties.

20. Restricts parole for non-violent offenders. Authorizes felony sentences for certain offenses currently treated only as misdemeanors.

21. Expands local government's authority to enact rent control on residential property.

22. Defines app-based transportation and delivery drivers as independent contractors and adopts labor and wage policies specific to app-based drivers and companies.

23. Authorizes state regulation of kidney dialysis clinics and establishes minimum staffing and other requirements.

24. Expands consumer privacy laws.

25. Referendum to overturn a 2018 law that replaced money bail system with a system based on public safety risk.

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