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To: LAFCo Commissioners

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Legislative Report – Information Only Subject:

Attached please find the legislative update provided at the Legislation Session on October 27 at the 2017 Annual Conference in San Diego. Staff will be prepared to answer questions.

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LEGISLATIVE UPDATE FROM SACRAMENTO CALAFCO ANNUAL CONFERENCE October 27, 2017

LAFCO-Related Bills

- AB 464 (Gallagher) Makes changes to LAFCO statutes which govern changes of organization and reorganization, including annexation proceedings. SIGNED Chapter 43, Statutes of 2017.
- AB 979 (Lackey) Makes changes to the statutes which govern the independent special district selection committee and representation of special districts on LAFCOs. SIGNED Chapter 203, Statutes of 2017.
- AB 1361 (E. Garcia) Authorizes a municipal water district, until January 1, 2023, to apply to a LAFCO to extend water service to Indian lands and prohibits the LAFCO from denying the application. SIGNED Chapter 449, Statutes of 2017.
- AB 1725 (Assembly Local Government Committee) Annual Assembly Local Government Committee Omnibus bill that makes several minor noncontroversial changes to the Cortese-Knox-Hertzberg Act. SIGNED Chapter 353, Statutes of 2017.
- SB 130 (Senate Budget and Fiscal Review Committee) Provides a city that incorporated between January 1, 2004 and January 1, 2012 with property tax in lieu of vehicle license fees (VLF adjustment amount). SIGNED Chapter 9, Statutes of 2017.
- SB 448 (Wieckowski) Requires the State Controller to publish a list of inactive special districts and establishes a process for LAFCOs to dissolve inactive special districts. SIGNED Chapter 334, Statutes of 2017.

Issues on Deck for Next Session

- Healthcare Districts
- Water

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