



City of Encinitas

Office of
The Mayor

August 30, 2017

The Honorable Rocky Chavez
California State Assembly
State Capitol, Room 2170
Sacramento, CA 95814

Catherine S. Blakespear
Mayor

RE: COMMUNITY CHOICE AGGREGATION (CCA)
Oppose Legislation Limiting CCAs

Dear Assembly Member Chavez:

Tony Kranz
Deputy Mayor

It was recently brought to our attention that there may be some last-minute discussions on attempting to amend a bill during these last two weeks of the legislative session to limit Community Choice Aggregation commonly referred to as CCA's.

Tasha Boerner Horvath
Council Member

While the City of Encinitas continues to explore the possibility of a CCA, the city has not made a final determination on this issue. As a result, the City would oppose any legislation that would limit a local government's ability to determine if a CCA is the best option for their residents. The City has worked on this issue for the past two and a half years by having agenda reports, a Council ad hoc subcommittee, public hearings and expert testimony on the subject.

Mark Muir
Council Member

Last minute gut and amendments or amendments to current legislation will not receive the full public hearing and public process that is necessary for this type of issue, if it is done in the last weeks of the legislative session.

For these reasons, we would oppose legislation that limits CCA's.

Joe Mosca
Council Member

Should you have any questions or concerns regarding our position on this issue please feel free to contact me at 760. 633.2618, or our lobbyist, Jonathan Clay, at 916.441.0202.

Sincerely,

Karen P. Brust
City Manager

Catherine S. Blakespear
Mayor

cc: City Council
JGC Government Relations
Mark Delin, Assistant City Manager