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Cynthia Park

STATE BOARD OF EQUALIZATION

Item Name: Info Hearing - Split Roll Initiative

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## Agenda Item(s):

2. Overview of Proposition 15

## Comment:

My name is Cynthia Park. I am a resident and parent residing in the City of Alameda. I support Proposition 15 because it provides needed funding for K-12 public education. Public schools play an incredibly important role in our communities, and remain one of our best tools to address increasing socioeconomic inequities. Proposition 15 would reclaim \$12 billion every year for our schools and local services by closing corporate property tax loopholes -- all while protecting homeowners and renters, small businesses, and agriculture. The Board of Equalization has an important role to play in ensuring that Prop 15 is implemented effectively, and that it is fully enforced. We call on the Board of Equalization to rise to the occasion of implementing a change that Californians like me have needed for a very long time. I am asking you to support Prop. 15 — a fair and balanced reform to put our Schools & Communities First. Sincerely, Cynthia Park, Resident and Parent, Alameda, CA



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