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California Cities for Local Control, a growing coalition comprising to-date of <u>over</u>

427 locally-elected California City Mayors and Councilmembers, opposes SB8

(see website referenced below for list of elected officials).

SB 8 extends SB 330 by an additional five years, when SB 330's term of applicability is only at its midpoint. It incentivizes the construction of market rate homes, curtails cities' abilities to charge developer fees to cover critical infrastructure, and allows developers to sue cities for project denials.

The Legislature should work with cities, not against them, to address California's housing needs.

Sincerely,

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