SUBMITTAL TO THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE, STATE OF CALIFORNIA



FROM: Supervisor John Tavaglione SUBMITTAL DATE: February 7, 2012

SUBJECT: Support for Senate Bill 654 & 986, 2012 session, California State Legislature

RECOMMENDED MOTION: That the Board of Supervisors:

1. Authorizes county advocates in Sacramento to advocate for the passage of SB 654 & 986 in the State Senate and State Assembly.

- 2. Authorizes the Assistant County Executive Officer and or his designees to work with the bill authors to support specified amendments.
- 3. Authorizes advocates and County staff to testify in support of the two bills as necessary to support the bills passing in committee and on the floor.
- 4. Authorizes staff to work with the Brown Administration to secure support for both bills in the 2012 session.

BACKGROUND: Existing law dissolved our Redevelopment Agency on February 1, 2012. SB 986 requires the proceeds generated by the former redevelopment agency be deemed encumbered and prohibits the successor agency from remitting the proceeds as presently prescribed. Bonds issued by the former redevelopment agencies would also be required to be used for the purposes for which they were originally issued. SB 654 amends Sections 34176, 34177, and 34178 of the Health and Safety Code relating to redevelopment and would allow local redevelopment agencies across the state to keep \$1.4 billion in redevelopment money for affordable housing.

John Tavaglione, Chairman Second District

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