



RESOLUTION NO. 141-2010

OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF EL DORADO

In Support of Proposition 23

An Initiative Statute That Proposes to Suspend the Implementation of Air Pollution Control Law (AB 32) Requiring Major Sources of Emissions to Report and Reduce Greenhouse Gas Emissions That Cause Global Warming, Until Unemployment Drops to 5.5 Percent or Less for Full Year

WHEREAS, in 2006, the California Legislature enacted AB 32 the "California Global Warming Solutions Act of 2006" which requires the reduction of the state's greenhouse gas emissions to 1990 levels by the year 2020; and,

WHEREAS, the State of California and local government entities across the state are facing the most severe economic crisis since the 1930's, with millions out of work, increasing numbers of home foreclosures, reduced revenues and record setting budget deficits; and,

WHEREAS, the implementation of AB 32 will result in additional costs and regulations to state and local businesses and will increase the costs of producing and delivering electricity at a time when California can least afford such increases; and,

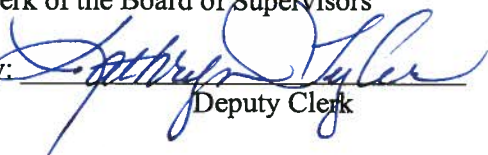
WHEREAS, Proposition 23 proposes to suspend the implementation of AB 32 until the unemployment rate in California drops to 5.5 percent or less for four consecutive quarters, and further would prohibit state agencies from proposing or adopting new regulations or enforcing previously adopted regulations that would implement AB 32 during the suspension period.


NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the El Dorado County Board of Supervisors in an effort to delay the implementation of the AB 32 greenhouse gas reduction programs that are costly to taxpayers, businesses, and all levels of government joins a broad coalition of taxpayers, local officials, business and agricultural organizations in support of Proposition 23.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of Supervisors of the County of El Dorado at a regular meeting of said Board, held the 24th day of August, 2010, by the following vote of said Board:

Ayes: Sweeney, Knight, Nutting, Briggs
Noes: Santiago
Absent: none

Attest:
Suzanne Allen de Sanchez
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

By: 
Deputy Clerk


Raymond J. Nutting
Vice-Chair, Board of Supervisors

I CERTIFY THAT:
THE FOREGOING INSTRUMENT IS A CORRECT COPY OF THE ORIGINAL ON FILE IN THIS OFFICE.

Attest: Suzanne Allen de Sanchez, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the County of El Dorado, State of California.

By: _____ Date: _____
Deputy Clerk