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Repair Our Schools Now Update

THANK YOU! Your letters are working. Both the Assembly and Senate Budget Education Subcommittees proposed Trailer Bill Budget Language to increase Proposition 51 bond apportionments to \$1.5 billion for the 2018-19 fiscal year and in each of the subsequent three years. We support the Assembly version as it will provide the next governor more flexibility.

We need to keep up the letters for the next two weeks until the Governor signs the 2018-19 State Budget.

If you have already sent a letter, **please do so again**. We have a new letter available on the Repair Our Schools Now website (www.repairourschoolnow.com) for you to send to your representatives.

If you have yet to send a letter, please send your message NOW so your legislators know how important the funding is to voters in advance of these critical discussions. CASH is asking all of our members to visit the Repair Our Schools Now website at www.repairourschoolsnow.com and take 30 seconds to send a message asking your legislators to demand that \$3 billion of school bonds are released.

Your information will be geo-matched to your legislative district, and a message will be sent to your State Senator, Assembly Member, the Governor and the Lt. Governor from repairourschoolsnow.com. Your email address will not be seen by recipients unless you authorize it to be used. Please encourage your colleagues and friends to submit their own message. Thank you for your help!

Legislative/Budget Update

The Legislature is very busy this time of year, with two major deadlines in June. First, bills must be passed out of the house of origin by June 1 to continue moving through the legislative process this year. Both houses passed a large number of bills out of their Appropriations Committees on May 25, followed by a week of floor sessions to process bills to meet the house of origin deadline.

Second, the Legislature is working toward a constitutional deadline of June 15 to pass the budget bill for FY 2018-19. The Conference Committee convened May 30 to begin the work of reconciling any differences in actions between the Senate and Assembly. Once the Legislature has a framework for their budget, the Big 3 (Governor, Senate President Pro Tempore Toni Atkins, and Assembly Speaker Anthony Rendon) will conduct final budget negotiations. We expect the Legislature to meet the June 15 deadline and also pass trailer bills to implement policy changes in the budget.

AB 195 Local Bond Ballot Labels

Work continues to enact a fix for AB 195 (Obernolte), which was chaptered into law last year. If uncorrected, AB 195 will likely have a major chilling effect on local bonds. CASH is actively participating with a coalition of stakeholders to request an exemption from the provisions of AB 195 for local bonds. We have gained some traction in the budget process, where we are targeting our efforts due to the urgency of the matter.



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The Assembly passed placeholder trailer bill language to suspend for two years the local bond-related provisions of AB 195, providing time to address our concerns through the legislative process next year while allowing November 2018 bonds to move forward. The coalition is urging conference committee to support the Assembly's action in the Legislature's budget.

Specifically, AB 195 requires a local ballot measure that imposes a tax or raises the rate of a tax to include on the ballot label the amount of money to be raised annually and the rate and duration of the tax to be levied. This is misleading and confusing to voters when applied to bonds, and recent polling reflects that confusion, showing a drop in support of 5 to 10 percent (average 7%) when the AB 195 language is added to the ballot label. This will push many local bonds below the threshold required for passage.

School Safety Legislation: School Safety Plans, Active Shooter Drills, and Door Locks

With increased interest and concerns about school safety, the California Legislature has introduced a variety of bills that are intended to make schools safer. There are two bills in particular, AB 1747 (Rodriguez) and AB 3205 (O'Donnell) that M&O departments and facility directors should be aware of. Both bills were approved by the Assembly Appropriations Committee on May 25, 2018. The following is a summary of the provisions of each bill:

AB 1747 (Rodriguez) – School Safety Plans

Summary: Expands the required elements of a school safety plan (SSP), requires schools to conduct annual active shooter drills, and requires the Department of Education to provide additional guidance and oversight of school safety plans. Specifically the bill:

- Requires schoolsite council to consult with first responders in developing SSP, and share with first responders and law enforcement.
- Requires school district or COE to conduct drills on “tactical responses to criminal incidents” at least once annually (“including procedures related to individuals with firearms on school campus or school-related events”).
- Requires CDE to provide “general direction” to school districts and COEs on what to include in the school building disaster plan.
- Requires CDE to develop Best Practices for reviewing and approving SSPs.
- Requires CDE to post a compliance checklist for developing a SSP.
- Requires CDE, by 1/1/2020, to conduct a statewide survey to determine whether schools have forwarded their comprehensive SSPs to the school district or COE and whether they were approved.
- Requires CDE, by 11/1/2020, and every other year after to submit a report to the Legislature.
- Establishes the School/Law Enforcement Partnership (SPI and AG) to develop programs and policies necessary to implement law related to SSPs.

AB 3205 (O'Donnell) – Door Locks/Modernization Projects

Requires that as part of receiving funding for a Modernization project for a facility constructed before January 1, 2012, a school district must include locks that allow doors to classrooms and any room with an occupancy of five or more to be locked from the inside of the room.

We will provide updates as these and other school safety bills move through the legislative process.



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State Water Board Scheduling More Free Workshops on New Storm Water Permit

Last month we reported that CASH is working with State Water Board staff to schedule more workshops (the first workshop was held on May 14 at the San Diego COE) to see what new responsibilities there will be for schools in the revised MS4 permit, and to have an opportunity to provide input. Two new workshops have been scheduled: June 20th at the Mendocino COE and Tuesday June 26th at the Los Angeles COE. We are in the process of scheduling more workshops at other county offices of education.

The following is a generic summary of the workshops:

Meeting Announcement: K-12 Public Schools and Community Colleges
State Water Resources Control Board Newly Proposed Municipal Storm Water Permitting for All School Sites

Why, What and When of the Newly Proposed Requirements within the Statewide Municipal Storm Water Permit

The State Water Resources Control Board will be conducting initial outreach regarding the re-issuance of the Small Municipal Separate Storm Sewer System (MS4) Permit allowing discharges to waters of the United States. Public school districts and community college districts within already-permitted municipalities may have storm water discharge requirements in the upcoming statewide permit reissuance. Prior to developing school-specific permit requirements, staff of the State Water Resources Control Board is seeking your input during several outreach sessions held throughout the State.

The outreach sessions are FREE events. Please attend or login to the webcast to:

1. Hear an overview of the proposed permit requirements specific to schools;
2. Ask questions, voice concerns, and provide feedback to State Water Board staff; and
3. Learn about available resources to assist school districts with storm water management.

Join your Fellow School Facility Professionals at a CASH Networking Mixer!

Mixers take place across California and are open to all school facilities professionals, no RSVP required.

July 19, 2018

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Questions about the CASH Networking Mixers? Please contact Mike Vail at (949) 498-8993 or mgvailsancllemente@sbcglobal.net.

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