

California Senior Legislature

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In its Humble Beginnings twenty-five years ago Governor Jerry Brown receives the first copy of the California Senior Legislature Manual from members of the Senior Legislature Steering Committee.

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Governor Jerry Brown receives first copy of the California Senior Legislature Manual from members of the Senior Legislature Steering Committee. (L-R: Janet Levy, Department of Aging; Evelyn Trder, NARFE; David Lira, California Association of Area Agency Directors; Maggie Helton, Triple-A Council of California; Barry Donenfeld, California Association of Nutrition Directors for the Elderly; Carl Jones, Congress of California Seniors; Covernor Jerry Brawn; Dan Borawiak, California Association of Nutrition Directors for the Elderly; Ruth Kahn, California Commission on Aging; Tom Moore, Sr., California Gray Panthers; Chuck Preston, Gray Panthers; Betty Midtby, Sacramento Elderly Nutrition Project Council; Sherman L. Tyler, Jr., California Commission on Aging; Cordon Hodge, Northern California Regional Commission on Aging; Ted Ruhig, Sacramento Gray Panthers)

On the road to the first session of the California Senior Legislature, the steering committee has completed the first phase of what is proving to be a very challenging and exciting task. The presentation to Governor Brown of the manual for the senior legislature marked the culmination of several months of hard work by the committee and staff consultants. The Commission formed the steering committee in order to insure broad participation by the major state-wide senior and aging network organizations.

CALIFORNIA SENIOR LEGISLATURE 25 Years of Service

Established by State Law, the Mission of the California Senior Legislature is to help preserve and enhance the quality of life for older Californians and their families.

It was 1979 when then State Assembly Member Henry Mello introduced legislation to create a non-partisan, volunteer grassroots body of seniors 60 years of age and older to be elected by their peers – the California Senior Legislature. The first session was convened in July of 1981 and was deemed such a success that the Honorable Mello introduced SCR 44 (1982) providing for annual CSL sessions.

Governor Jerry Brown observed, "The California Senior Legislature offers our older citizens a special opportunity to assist me and the Legislature in developing priorities for the year [1981] and the years to come."

The first session resulted in the passage of several laws, including strengthening laws dealing with elder abuse, providing for the building of "granny houses" for elderly relatives, and a measure that helped counties set up adult day heath care programs. The other CSL priority proposals were made into two-year bills. Overall, there was a 60% success recorded with these first priorities.

From that early auspicious start, the CSL has flourished for the past 25 years. Every year, through its senior legislative session process, it has formulated and sponsored top priority proposals, shepherding them into bill form and subsequent enacted legislation.

The results of these legislative efforts have resulted in numerous extremely important advances, such as Alzheimer's Disease treatment and programs, expanded geriatric and gerontology training for all levels of caregivers, greater protection against elder abuse of all forms, protections for mobilehome owners, improved care in longterm care facilities including the Nursing Home Patients' Protective Act, and prescription benefits for Medicare beneficiaries, to mention a few.

The history of the CSL's legislative accomplishments affecting state and federal programs and services – as well as other important issues of concern to older Californians – is well documented. Of the CSL's 239 legislative proposals picked up by the Legislators from 1982 through 2004, 155 were chaptered into law, resulting in an average success rate of 65 percent.

CSL's successes have not gone unnoticed. More than decade ago, in celebration of CSL's 10th Anniversary Session, former president Ronald Reagan sent a greeting that stated, "I am pleased to offer my heartfelt congratulations to all the members of the California Senior Legislature on this their 10th anniversary of legislative advocacy on behalf of the elderly of California." President Reagan's letter concluded with, "I commend all members of the CSL, past and present, for accepting the challenge of the state legislature to prioritize the needs of California's elderly, and for being an inspiration to us all, proving that individuals can indeed have a voice in our legislative system."

In 2004 we were heartbroken and dismayed over the passing of our founder, the Honorable Henry Mello, State Senator (ret.) He had remained steadfast in his strong association and support for the CSL throughout our entire history. In his final days he helped in the passage of legislation making the CSL independent of the California Commission on Aging.



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October, 2005

Dear Senior Legislators:

It is my pleasure to extend a warm welcome to our 25th Silver Anniversary Legislative Session of the California Senior Legislature. I look forward to working with you during this very special week. We are truly fortunate and privileged to celebrate 25 years of taking part in developing legislation that addresses senior issues.

This has been a most challenging year for CSL, the JRC and me since I was elected as Chair of the Joint Rules Committee this past April. With the help and support of the Executive Director of the California Commission on Aging, the JRC members, and the Legislative Committee, we have had many successes.

In order to meet the obligations of AB 1994, we physically relocated to 1020 N. Street, Suite 513, Sacramento, we negotiated to identify an administrative agency, prepared a realistic budget, and worked to sustain "California Fund for Senior Citizens" tax check-off line 54 on the California State personal income tax form. My thanks to the CSL members who actively participated and were able to increase donations to fund our Annual Legislative Session lunches and banquets.

CSL is a remarkable group of volunteers who have worked very hard and developed legislation that benefits all California senior citizens. I am proud to be a member of this group. I extend my thanks to all of you who have worked together and supported each other. Many of you have gone far beyond the normal "call of duty."

It has been a pleasure to serve as JRC Chair during the past 6 months. I look forward to meeting each one of you during this Annual Session. My thanks to all of you CSL members for your dedication and hard work. Please join me in celebrating the Silver Anniversary of the California Senior Legislature.

Sincerely,

Helen E. Kar

Helen E. Karr, Senior Assembly Member Chair of the Joint Rules Committee



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Dear Members of the California Senior Legislature:

The California Commission on Aging congratulates you as you gather in Sacramento for your Silver Anniversary Session, marking the 25th consecutive meeting of the California Senior Legislature (CSL). You are to be commended for a remarkable history!

This has been a challenging year for CSL as the Joint Rules Committee (JRC) responded to the requirements of AB 1994 and worked to identify funding sustainability. In addition, the CSL offices were relocated this past year to 1020 N Street. The members you elect to the JRC this week will be responsible to complete this transition and lead the organization into a new era.

Within two months of your Session, the 2005 White House Conference on Aging delegates will meet in Washington D.C. California is fortunate to have the largest delegation in attendance and the opportunity to impact federal policy issues. We urge CSL members to follow the proceedings and incorporate the recommendations into future CSL proposals.

Constituent input is a critical part of the aging network design and evaluation. We all share the goal of providing elders and their families with appropriate access to information and services that help people remain in their homes and communities.

Best wishes to you for a successful session.

Sincerely,

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Dear California Senior Legislators,

On behalf of the Triple-A Council of California, welcome to Sacramento and your Silver Anniversary Session. TACC is proud to represent the 33 Area Agency on Aging Advisory Councils in California and to pursue its role in education and advocacy, as well as communication and collaboration with key state partners.

As you all well know, CSL faces difficult challenges. We are hopeful that these can be met successfully and that our two organizations, along with the California Commission on Aging and other state partners, can continue to pursue Coordinated Advocacy on behalf of seniors.

As chair of TACC's Legislative Committee for the last two years, I have helped ensure that we place a high priority on consideration of all authored bills that derive from the work of the California Senior Legislature. I will make certain that we continue to do so.

As you deliberate over the next few days to create your priority proposals and work over the coming weeks to turn proposals into bills, please keep in mind a fact that shows how important your efforts are --- the success of these efforts will have an important beneficial effect on one out of every 1,300 people on our planet.

Again, welcome to this Session and congratulations on your many past successes. Please be assured that your efforts are appreciated and that they make a difference in the lives of those that we all strive to serve.

Sincerely,

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Havard Staggs President



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October 17, 2005

California Senior Legislature 1300 National Drive, Suite 173 Sacramento, CA 95834

Dear Members:

On behalf of the Sacramento County Board of Supervisors, I would like to welcome you to the Silver Anniversary Session of the California Senior Legislature (CSL) on October 17 – 20, 2005.

The Board of Supervisors recognizes and thanks the attendees for their support and advocacy efforts on behalf of our state's older Americans.

Best wishes to the California Senior Legislature for your continued success and prosperity as you embark on another year of service to the Sacramento community and the State of California.

Sincerely,

ROGER DICKINSON Chair, Board of Supervisors Supervisor, District One

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While we have listed some of those who make these contributions, there are many, many others who help not only during the CSL Legislative Session, but also throughout the year. Our deepest gratitude goes to all of these individuals.



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REGISTRATION

Hallway Adjacent to Room 4202

9am – 3pm

JRC & SESSION PLANNING COMMITTEE MEETING

Room 4203 9am – 10:15am Senior Assembly Member Helen Karr – Presiding Senior Senator Jim Levy – Session Planning

POLICY COMMITTEE CHAIRS & VICE-CHAIRS ORIENTATION

Room 4203 10:30am – 11:30pm Senior Senator Bud Winslow Senior Assembly Member Mattie Walker

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SESSION VOLUNTEER ORIENTATION

Room 4202

1pm – 3pm

Staff Room 125 Volunteer Coordinator Karen Morris-Cole

| MONDAY, OCTOBER 17 (Continued) | | | | | |
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| GENERAL SESSION Monday, October 17, 2005 | | | | | |
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| Pledge of Allegiance | e Senior Senator Clifford Erven | | | | |
| Welcoming Remarks & Repor | t Sandra Fitzpatrick, Executive Director, California Commission on Aging | | | | |
| Introductions | Senior Assembly Member Helen Karr | | | | |
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| Legislative Committee Report Senior Senator Jerry Smith | | | | | |
| Proposal Prioritization Process Senior Senator Joe Murphy | | | | | |
| Adoption of Rules Deputy Legislative Counsel | | | | | |
| Expense Reimbursemen | t Senior Senator Erwin Fromm | | | | |
| General Announcements | Senior Senator Jim Levy | | | | |
| General Meeting — BYLAWS 3:45pm - 5pm Senior Senator Connie Eaton – Presiding Scott Michael Burns – Registered Parliamentarian | | | | | |
| | NNER – AWARDS PRESENTATIONS | | | | |
| Hosted by Kaiser Permanente Kaiser Permanente Senior Advantage Hyatt Regency – Sacramento, 12 th & L Streets | | | | | |
| No Host Social 5:30pm | | | | | |
| Dinner & Awards 6:30pm – 9pm | | | | | |
| Presentation of Awards & Certificates Senior Assembly Member Helen Karr – Presiding Chair, Joint Rules Committee | | | | | |
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| TUESDAY, OCTOBER 18 State Capitol | | | | | | |
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| LT. GOVERNOR CRUZ BUSTAMANTE'S ANNUAL CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST State Capitol, Room 1114 8am – 8:45am | | | | | | |
| OPENING CEREMONIES Assembly Chambers 9am – 12pm | | | | | | |
| Senior As | sembly Member Helen Karr – Presiding | | | | | |
| Invocation | Father Anthony M. Garibaldi, St. Francis of Assisi Parish, Sacramento | | | | | |
| Presentation of Colors | Air Force ROTC Color Guard, Detachment 88 California State University, Sacramento | | | | | |
| Pledge of Allegiance | Senior Senator Richard Lundin (Retired General) | | | | | |
| National Anthem | Janice Noga, Fresno | | | | | |
| Oath of Office | The Honorable Bruce McPherson, Secretary of State | | | | | |
| Introductions | Senior Senator Joseph Murphy, Crier Senior Senator Anne Mack, Escort Coordinator Senior Assembly Member Samuel Park, Escort Coordinator Karen Morris-Cole, Volunteer Coordinator | | | | | |
| Distinguished Statesman | | | | | | |
| Award | Senior Assembly Member Helen Karr Recipient: The Honorable Jerry Brown | | | | | |
| Henry J. Mello Award | John Mello Recipient: The Honorable John Vasconcellos | | | | | |
| Keynote Speaker | The Honorable Steve Westly, California State Controller | | | | | |
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TUESDAY, OCTOBER 18 (Continued)

Welcoming Remarks, ctd. The Honorable Rodger Niello, California Assembly The Honorable Arnold Schwarzeneggar, Governor (invited)

In Memoriam Senior Assembly Member Edward Woods

Special Recognition Senior Senator Jerry Smith Honoring California State Legislators who authored CSL Legislative Proposals

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COMMITTEE HEARINGS

| 1:15pm – 3:15pm | 1:15pm – 3:15pm <u>Senate</u> <u>Assemb</u> l | | |
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GENERAL MEETING

Room 4203 3:30pm – 5pm

Parliamentary Procedures Scott Michael Burns, Registered Parliamentarian

Going Forward Senior Assembly Member Helen Karr

OPENING SESSION BANQUET Hosted by MV Transportation Hyatt Regency – Sacramento, 12th & L Streets No Host Social 5:30pm Dinner and Awards 6:30pm – 9pm Senior Senator Jim Levy – Presiding Chair, Session Planning Committee Recognition of Senior Organizations Hank Lacaya & Gary Passmore -Congress of California Seniors Joan Lee - Gray Panthers Betty Perry - Older Women's League Tom Porter – AARP Bill Powers, CARA

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 19 State Capitol

Staff Room 125

RECONVENE JOINT RULES COMMITTEE

Room 127

8am – 8:30am

LEGISLATIVE FLOOR SESSIONS

9am – 12pm

| ASSEMBLY Chambers | Senior Assembly Member June Glasmeier, Vice Chair of Joint Rules Committee | |
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| Presiding over Assembly | The Honorable Lois Wolk, California Assembly | |
| Invocation | Senior Assembly Member Austin Lucero | |
| Pledge of Allegiance | Senior Assembly Member Heather Lee | |
| Legislative Floor Clerk | Paula Lee, Session Volunteer | |
| Sergeants at Arms | Michael LePeilbet, Session Volunteer William Golden, Session Volunteer | |
| SENATE Chambers | Senior Senator Mary Dennison, Vice Chair of Joint Rules Committee | |
| Presiding over the Senate | The Honorable Elaine Alquist, California Senate | |
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WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 19 (Continued)

COMMITTEE HEARINGS

1:15pm – 3:15pm

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GENERAL SESSION

Room 4203 3:30pm – 5pm Informational Seminar

ANNUAL INTERPROFESSIONAL BANQUET

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No Host Social 5:30pm

Dinner 6:30pm – 9pm

Senior Senator Joe Cox – Presiding Chair, Public Relations Committee

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 20 State Capitol

Staff Room 125 No Luggage Storage Available LEGISLATIVE FLOOR SESSIONS

ASSEMBLY Chambers

8:30am - 10:30am Senior Assembly Member June Glasmeier,

Presiding over Assembly TBA **Pledge of Allegiance** Senior Assembly Member Vince Agor Legislative Floor Clerk Paula Lee, Session Volunteer

SENATE Chambers

Vice Chair of Joint Rules Committee **Invocation** Senior Assembly Member Sharon Monck

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INTRODUCTION OF CANDIDATES AND ELECTION

10:30am - 11:30am

ASSEMBLY Chambers

Presiding over Assembly Senior Assembly Member June Glasmeier

SENATE Chambers

Presiding over Senate Senior Senator Mary Dennison

BALLOTING FOR CSL TOP PRIORITIES

Assembly Chambers and Senate Chambers

11:30am - 12:30pm

LUNCH Sponsored by Sunrise Senior Living CSL

State Capitol Cafeteria

Basement Cafe 12:30pm - 1:30pm

Yellow Lunch Ticket

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 20 (Continued)

JOINT LEGISLATIVE FLOOR SESSION

Assembly Chambers 1:45pm – 2:30pm

Senior Assembly Member Helen Karr — Presiding

Introduction of New JRC and Legislative Committee Members

Adjournment of 25th Annual Legislative Session of the CSL

NEW LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE MEETING

Room 126 2:45pm – 3:15pm Elect Officers

NEW JOINT RULES COMMITTEE MEETING

Room 126 3:15pm – 3:45pm

Elect Joint Rule Committee Officers Set Meeting Schedule

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 21 State Capitol

PRESS CONFERENCE

State Capitol Press Conference Room 1190 9:30am – 10am

Senior Assembly Member Helen Karr – Presiding Chair of Joint Rules Committee Senior Senator Jerry Smith – Co-Presiding Chair of Legislative Committee

Announcement of Legislative Proposals

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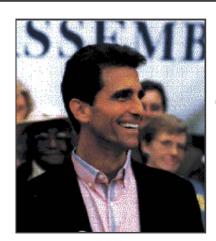
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Assemblyman Mark Leno



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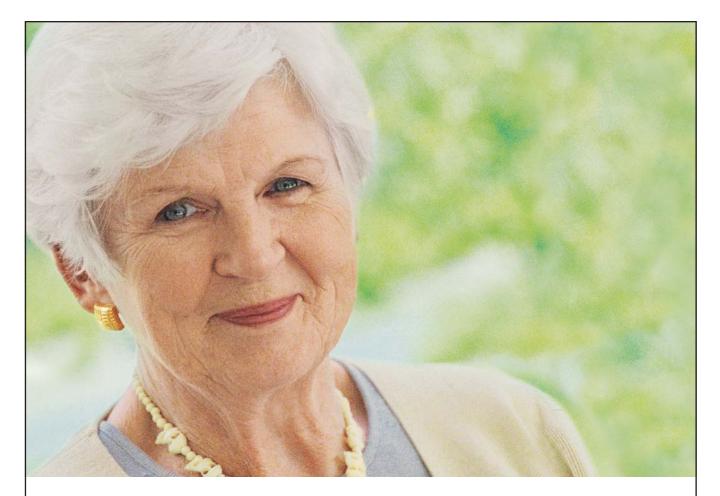


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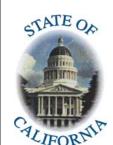
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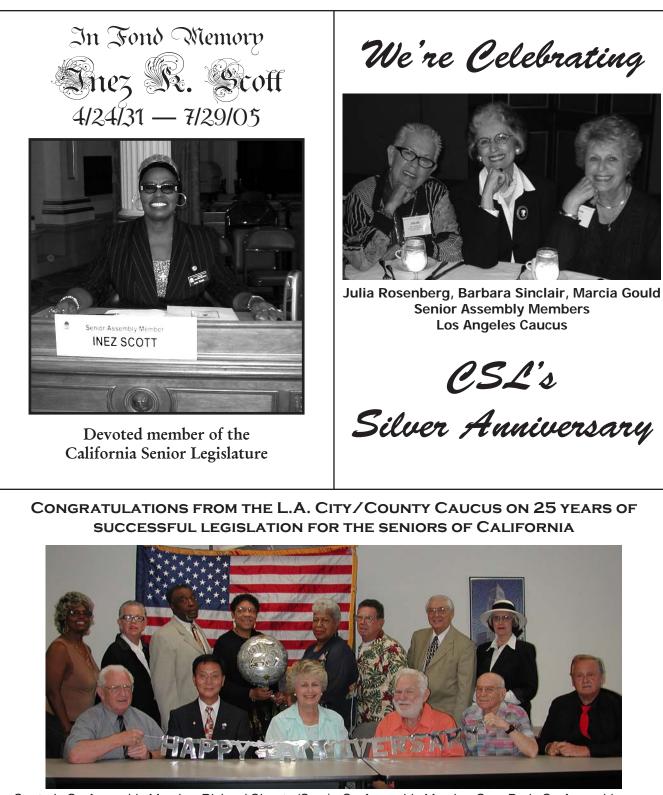
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Seated: Senior Senator Dee Erman

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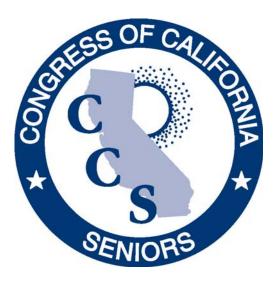
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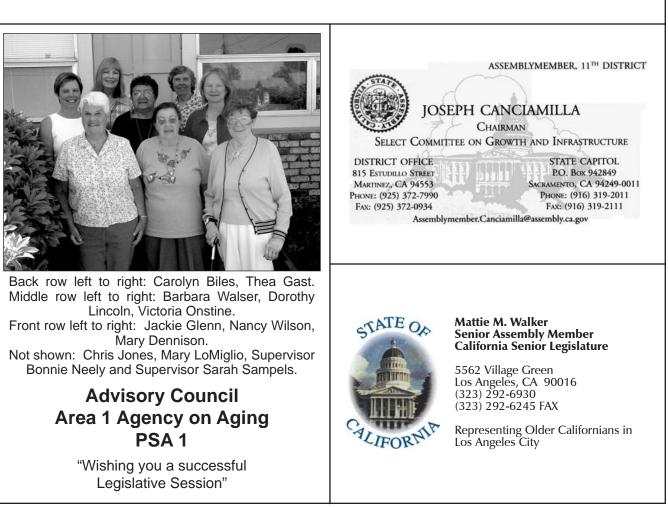
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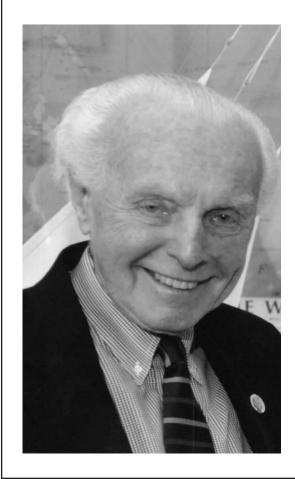
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I am proud and honored to be a member of this distinguished group of advocates on behalf of California's senior citizens, and I thank each and every CSL member for contributiing to the success of this session.

My special thanks and appreciation to the California Legislators who have authored our CSL proposals.

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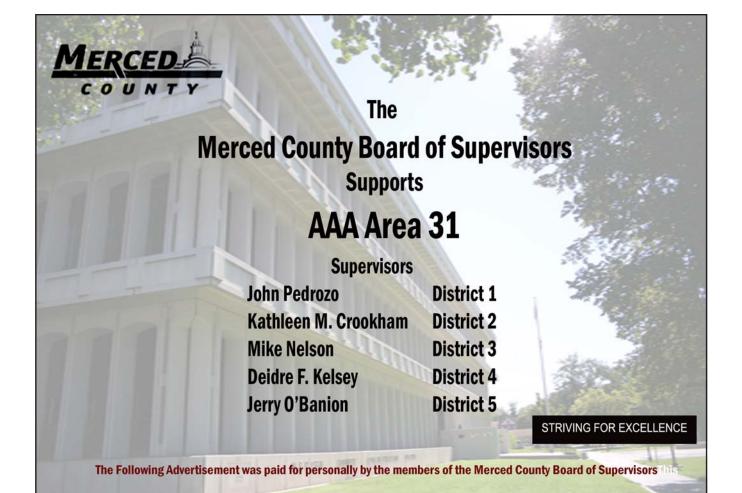
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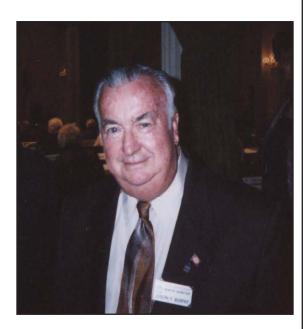
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I look forward to working with each and every one of you to achieve these goals with effective meaningful priorities.

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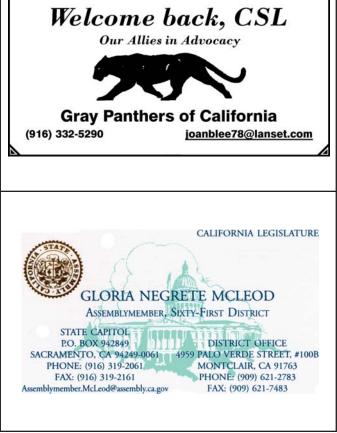
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The Joint Rules Committee wishes to express our sincere gratitude to the CSL membership for bestowing the privilege and honor on us to lead the organization into the momentous Silver Anniversary of the CSL. We thank you for your support and assistance throughout the year and wish you well to accomplish a highly successful 25th Annual Session.

