

**Report from 4/2/19 Meeting of
Small Business Association of Chambers of Commerce**

The SBACC heard presentations on the following measures and voted to take the following action:

1. Support the application of Southern California Gas Company to the PUC, supporting balanced energy solutions and maintaining local control of said solutions.
2. Join the coalition opposing SB 40, which would require that the sales of new motor vehicles and new light-duty trucks in the state have transitioned fully to zero-emission vehicles, as defined, by 2040.

The SBACC also reviewed pending legislation and voted to take the following positions on certain significant proposed measures:

1. Support AB 533, which provides a tax exemption until 2024 for gross income received as a rebate, voucher, or other financial incentive issued by a local water agency or supplier for participation in a turf removal water conservation program.
2. Oppose Measure EE, the proposed LAUSD Parcel Tax, which will be considered at the special Election on June 4, 2019. The measure would impose a property tax of 16- cent per square foot on unimproved property. This is more than double the existing tax.
3. Oppose AB 628, which would expand the definition of sexual harassment.
4. Oppose SB 210, which would create a smog check program with unlimited rights to assess fees. It would create a negative impact on the trucking industry.

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