

2016 Voter Guide

CHILDREN'S DEFENSE FUND - CALIFORNIA ENDORSED BALLOT MEASURES



STATEWIDE

Proposition 55: Children's Education and Health Care Protection Act – Maintains the current tax rates on the wealthiest Californians to prevent nearly \$4 billion in funding cuts to public education, and protects other vital services, like children's health care

YES

Proposition 56: California Healthcare, Research and Prevention Tobacco Tax Act – Increases California's cigarette tax by \$2 per pack to reduce youth smoking and provide funding to improve health care programs and prevent smoking

YES

Proposition 57: Public Safety and Rehabilitation Act – Requires judges rather than prosecutors to decide whether try minors as adults in court and increases parole and good behavior opportunities for people convicted of nonviolent crimes

YES

Proposition 58: Language Education, Acquisition and Readiness Now (LEARN) – Helps all students learn English as quickly as possible by allowing schools to use effective methods to teach English

YES



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