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21	25	10/22/1973	Letter	Letter from Charline Jagers (Orange County Registration Supervisor) to Stephen Bull informing him that absentee ballot applications have been sent for RN & PN and that two additional applications have been sent as well. 1pg.
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21	25	n.d.	Other Document	Envelope (empty) addressed to Stephen Bull from the Orange County Registrar of Voters' office. 1pg.
21	25	10/17/1973	Letter	Letter from Stephen Bull to the Orange County Registrar of Voters justifying need for absentee ballots for RN and PN. 1pg.
21	25	n.d.	Memo	Note from Orange County Registrar of Voters (recipient unk) stating that ballots must be received by Oct. 30. 1pg.
21	25	11/06/1973	Form	Orange County sample ballot for Special Statewide Election. 1pg.
21	25	n.d.	Form	Polling place card for RN. 1pg.
21	25	11/06/1973	Report	Pamphlet containing proposed Amendment to Constitution (CA). 1pg. (cover only scanned)
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21	25	n.d.	Other Document	Envelope addressed to PN containing sample ballot and polling place location from Orange County Registrar of Voters. 1pg.
21	25	n.d.	Memo	Note (author unk) to Steve (Bull) RE: the handling of the Nixon's absentee ballots.
21	25	11/05/1972	Memo	Memo from Stephen Bull to RN RE: California Ballot. 3pgs

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

October 26, 1973

MEMORANDUM FOR: MRS. NIXON
FROM: STEPHEN BULL *SB*
RE: California Absentee Ballot

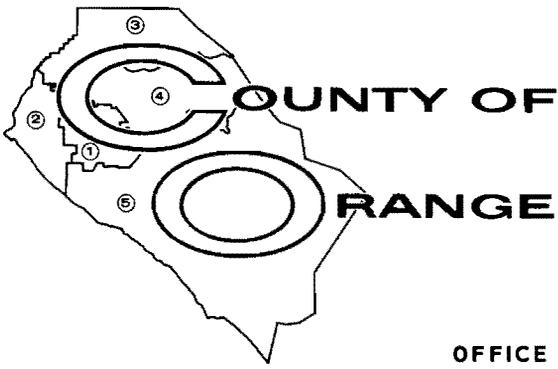
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Attached is your absentee ballot for the Special Statewide Election where there is one issue being presented to the voters -- a Constitutional Amendment entitled "Tax and Expenditure Limitations".

Bob Finch, privately, recommends a "no" vote even though he feels the initiative will be passed. Essentially this will place a ceiling on State expenditures, looks like a general decrease in expenditures and taxes, but throws a heavy financial burden on local government. He characterizes this as Governor Reagan's Presidential bid, an issue which he will use in the 1976 campaign.

Please make a cross (+) in the appropriate square on the green ballot (Tab A) and sign the white envelope where indicated at Tab B.

Thank you.



DAVID G. HITCHCOCK
REGISTRAR OF VOTERS

P. O. BOX 11298
SANTA ANA, CALIFORNIA 92711

TELEPHONE: 834-2244
AREA CODE 714

OFFICE OF THE REGISTRAR OF VOTERS

October 22, 1973

Stephen Bull
Special Assistant
to the President
The White House
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

On October 17 we mailed two applications for absentee ballots for the President and Mrs. Nixon.

Enclosed are two additional applications to be used in the event the above applications did not reach them.

The applications must be signed by each voter.

Very truly yours,

REGISTRAR OF VOTERS

By Charline Jagers
Registration Supervisor

Enc.

ABSENT VOTER APPLICATION for the Special Election to be held November 6, 1973

If you are unable to go to your polling place on election day, complete and sign this application for an absent voter ballot. The completed application must be received in the Registrar of Voters' office no later than October 30. The first day absent voter ballots will be available for this election is Oct. 8.

If you have moved prior to the last day to register you must reregister before you can obtain an absentee ballot. (A voter moving within this county over 30 days or to another county over 30 days and who has not registered prior to the registration closing date for this election is not eligible to vote.)

TO BE FILLED OUT BY APPLICANT

Name as registered Mr. Mrs. Richard M. Nixon
 Miss
Registered residence address 4100 Calle Isabella
City San Clemente Phone _____
Reason for requesting absentee ballot _____
Mail absentee ballot to _____
Signature _____ Date _____
(MUST BE SIGNATURE OF PERSON REQUESTING BALLOT)

IMPORTANT: If you have moved from the address at which you are registered, you must fill in the information below:

I moved to _____ on _____

Mail application to: Registrar of Voters, P. O. Box 11298, Santa Ana, California 92711
or deliver in person to 1119 E. Chestnut Avenue, Santa Ana, California.



FOR OFFICE USE ONLY

NR _____ WV _____
Party R
Precinct 48-146
Affidavit # A826102
Ballot # _____ Group _____
Date of mailing or delivery _____
Date returned _____

TYPE

- Regular War Voter + Affi.
- Air Mail Voted in Office
- War Voter Took Ballot

Special

November 6, 1973

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TO BE FILLED OUT BY APPLICANT

FOR OFFICE USE ONLY

Name as registered Mr. Mrs. Patricia R. Nixon
 Miss
Registered residence address 4100 Calle Isabella
City San Clemente Phone _____
Reason for requesting absentee ballot _____
Mail absentee ballot to _____
Signature _____ Date _____
(MUST BE SIGNATURE OF PERSON REQUESTING BALLOT)

NR _____ WV _____
Party R
Precinct 48-146
Affidavit # A826105
Ballot # _____ Group _____
Date of mailing or delivery _____
Date returned _____

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COUNTY OF ORANGE
REGISTRAR OF VOTERS
P.O. BOX 11298
SANTA ANA, CALIFORNIA 92711

FIRST CLASS
Permit No. 963
Santa Ana, Calif.

BUSINESS REPLY MAIL
NO POSTAGE STAMP NECESSARY IF MAILED IN THE UNITED STATES

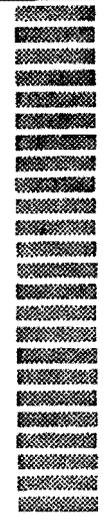
POSTAGE WILL BE PAID BY:

REGISTRAR OF VOTERS

P. O. BOX 11298

SANTA ANA, CALIF. 92711

C. Jagers



REGISTRAR OF VOTERS
P. O. BOX 11298
SANTA ANA, CALIFORNIA 92711

Mr. Stephen Bull
Special Assistant to the President
The White House
Washington, D. C.

October 17, 1973

Dear Sir:

On behalf, and as a Commissioned Agent of, President Richard M. Nixon and Mrs. Patricia R. Nixon, it is requested that absentee ballots be forwarded to me so that the aforementioned citizens of San Clemente, California, may participate in the Special Statewide Election on Tuesday, November 6, 1973. The reason for this request for absentee ballots is that they will be in Washington, D.C.

Thank you.

Yours truly,

Stephen Bull
Special Assistant
to the President

Registrar of Voters
P.O. Box 11298
Santa Ana, California 92711

SB/bk

Registrar of Voters (714) 834-2264
P.O. Box 11298
Santa Ana, Calif. 92711

Ballots have to be received by Oct. 30.

11/6/73

(This number shall be torn off by inspector and handed to the voter)

11/6/73

GROUP 101

SAMPLE BALLOT

Mark Crosses (+) on Ballot ONLY WITH RUBBER STAMP;

Never with Pen or Pencil.

(ABSENTEE BALLOTS MAY BE MARKED WITH PEN AND INK OR PENCIL.)

(Fold Ballot to this perforated line, leaving top margin exposed.)

GENERAL BALLOT

SPECIAL STATEWIDE ELECTION

Orange County

Tuesday, November 6, 1973

INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTERS:

To vote on any measure, stamp a cross (+) in the voting square after the word "Yes" or after the word "No." All marks, except the cross (+) are forbidden. All distinguishing marks or erasures are forbidden and make the ballot void.

If you wrongly stamp, tear or deface this ballot, return it to the inspector of the election and obtain another.

On absent voter ballots mark a cross (+) with pen or pencil.

MEASURE SUBMITTED TO VOTE OF VOTERS

TAX AND EXPENDITURE LIMITATIONS. Initiative Constitutional Amendment. Limits State expenditures; restricts use of defined surplus revenue to tax reductions, refunds, or emergencies. Constitutionally eliminates personal income tax for lower income persons, reduces others' 1973 tax up to 20% from surplus, and reduces subsequent year rates 7½%. Requires two-thirds legislative vote for new or changed State taxes. Limits local property tax rates except school districts'. Requires State funding of new programs mandated to local governments. Provides for tax and expenditure limit adjustments when functions transferred. Contains special indebtedness obligation provisions. Allows local tax rate and expenditure limit increases upon voter approval. Summary of legislative analyst financial impact estimate: \$170,000,000 annual reduction in State tax revenues and probable undeterminable future revenue reductions; reduction in projected State program expenditures of estimated \$620,000,000 in first year to \$1,366,000,000 in fourth year and increasing thereafter, with probable substantial offsetting cost and tax increases to local government. The initiative provision exempting certain low income persons from income taxes and granting a one-time 20% credit on 1973 income taxes for all taxpayers has been accomplished by legislation passed August 23, 1973, granting low income persons exemptions and granting others a 1973 tax credit ranging from 20 to 35%.

YES

NO

Group 101

**PRESENT THIS CARD AT YOUR POLLING PLACE
FOR PROMPT SERVICE**

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MR. RICHARD M NIXON
4100 CALLE ISABELLA
SAN CLEMENTE, CALIF. 92672

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POLLS OPEN
7AM TO 8P
NOV. 6, 1973
48-146
PRECINCT

LOOK FOR THE AMERICAN FLAG



CONCORDIA SCHOOL 3120 AVE DEL PRESIDENTE SC

FOR QUESTIONS REGARDING YOUR REGISTRATION OR POLLING PLACE CALL 834-2244

REGISTRAR OF VOTERS

PROPOSED
AMENDMENT TO
CONSTITUTION

INITIATIVE
CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT

Together With Arguments

*(Arguments in support or opposition of the proposed laws
are opinions of the authors)*

SPECIAL STATEWIDE ELECTION

Tuesday, November 6, 1973

Compiled by GEORGE H. MURPHY, Legislative Counsel
Distributed by EDMUND G. BROWN Jr., Secretary of State

COUNTY OF ORANGE
REGISTRAR OF VOTERS
1119 EAST CHESTNUT AVENUE
P. O. BOX 11298
SANTA ANA, CALIFORNIA 92711

BULK RATE
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SANTA ANA, CALIF.
PERMIT No. 77

RW

OCT 13 1973

NOTICE: THIS ENVELOPE CONTAINS YOUR
SAMPLE BALLOT AND POLLING PLACE LOCATION

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MRS. PATRICIA R NIXON
4100 CALLE ISABELLA
SAN CLEMENTE, CALIF. 92672

NOTICE: THIS ENVELOPE CONTAINS YOUR
SAMPLE BALLOT AND POLLING PLACE LOCATION

F0252-0015.B

Steve:

Brucke Kehrli dropped this off. Said that since you are handling the President's you probably should handle Mrs. Nixon's, too.

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

November 5, 1972

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM: STEPHEN B. BULL *AK*

SUBJECT: California Ballot

The 1972 California ballot contains twenty-two propositions. Bob Finch has researched all of the propositions, and at my request, provided his recommendations for your consideration and guidance. (Sample ballot attached)

1. FOR BONDS TO PROVIDE PUBLIC COMMUNITY COLLEGE FACILITIES
YES Not a Direct Tax.
2. FOR BONDS TO PROVIDE HEALTH SCIENCE FACILITIES AGAINST Locked Just to the University of California.
3. ENVIRONMENTAL POLLUTION BOND AUTHORIZATION
YES Help Business.
4. LEGISLATIVE REORGANIZATION
YES
5. SCHOOL DISTRICTS
YES Local autonomy for local schools.
6. MISCELLANEOUS CONSTITUTIONAL REVISIONS
YES Clean-up provision for State Constitution.
7. ELECTIONS AND PRESIDENTIAL PRIMARY
YES Based on 26th Amendment.

8. TAX EXEMPTION FOR ANTI-POLLUTION FACILITIES
 YES Helps Business.
9. BOND VOTE FOR STRUCTURALLY UNSAFE SCHOOL BUILDINGS
 YES Need following earthquake. Intended to correct damages caused by the earthquake.
10. BLIND VETERANS TAX EXEMPTION
 YES Affects only 800 Veterans.
11. RIGHT OF PRIVACY
 YES Controversial.
12. DISABLED VETERANS TAX EXEMPTION
 YES
13. WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION
 YES
14. TAXATION
 NO Controversial. This is the Watson Amendment and would obliterate the advantages of Revenue Sharing.
15. STATE EMPLOYEE SALARIES
 NO Provides no veto power for Governor - disrupts the system of checks and balances.
16. HIGHWAY PATROL SALARIES
 NO Same reason as #15
17. DEATH PENALTY
 YES
18. OBSCENITY
 NO Admirable purpose but poorly drawn law - nebulous. Will probably pass anyway.
19. MARIJUANA
 NO

20. COASTAL ZONE CONSERVATION

NO

Controversial. Admirable purpose but poorly drawn law - creates additional level of bureaucracy.

21. ASSIGNMENT OF STUDENTS TO SCHOOLS

YES

Busing. ("Yes" vote against busing)

22. AGRICULTURAL LABOR RELATIONS

YES

Chavez urging negative vote.

SCHOOL ISSUES

The local Republican organization recommends YES vote on all four items.