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Mayor Sam Liccardo
San Jose City Hall
200 East Santa Clara Street
San Jose, CA 95113

Subject: Support for Agenda Item 3.9

Dear Mayor Liccardo and City Council:

On behalf of the South Bay Labor Council, I want to express our support for AB 1400 (Kalra), the Guaranteed Health Care for All Act, and appreciation to Councilmember Carrasco for introducing this recommendation. This legislation would provide Californians with comprehensive universal single-payer health care coverage. Adopting a support position demonstrates our collective commitment to the health and well-being for San Jose's diverse communities.

The current profit-oriented health insurance system is unsustainable and becomes exponentially more costly, especially for local government and social safety net providers. Despite the gains made under the Affordable Care Act, nearly 3 million Californians have no health insurance, while millions more have insurance that they can't afford to use due to expensive copays and deductibles.

Rising health care costs are not sustainable and a new system is required to attain comprehensive, uniform, equitable coverage. AB 1400 will allow California to achieve affordable and accessible health care for all. For these reasons, we request that you support the Guaranteed Health Care for All Act and approve item 3.9 on the agenda.

Sincerely,

A black rectangular box redacting the signature of Jean Cohen.

Jean Cohen
Executive Officer

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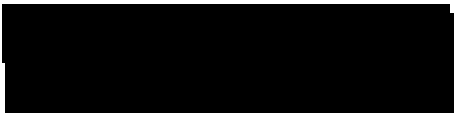
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Sincerely,

Salem Ajluni, Member
Santa Clara County Single Payer Health Care Coalition



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Meriam Ahmad
San Jose, District 5

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