

Spanish Heritage Persons Of Voting
Age In Principal Areas Of
California

Sacramento - Stockton - Napa

City	Total Pop.	Voting Age Population	Spanish Heritage	%	Spanish Heritage V.A.P	% V.A.P
Arden Arcade	82,492	56,930	3,835	4.6	2,428	4.3
Sacramento	254,413	173,162	32,944	12.5	18,731	10.8
Stockton	107,644	72,870	22,841	21.2	12,880	17.8
Napa	35,978	23,803	2,834	7.9	1,519	6.4
Vallejo	66,733	45,225	5,939	8.9	3,450	7.6

Modesto - Salinas - Monterey

Modesto	61,712	40,547	5,603	9.1	2,922	7.2
Monterey	26,302	18,748	2,185	8.3	1,594	8.5
Salinas	58,896	37,527	15,941	27.1	8,682	23.1

Fresno - Santa Rosa

Fresno	165,972	111,391	29,880	18.0	15,741	14.1
Santa Rosa	50,006	34,928	2,707	5.4	1,615	4.6

BAY AREA

San Francisco - Oakland

Alameda	70,968	51,117	6,972	9.8	4,506	8.8
Berkeley	116,716	93,022	6,429	5.5	4,528	4.9
Concord	85,164	51,015	6,034	7.1	3,041	6.0
Daly City	66,922	44,242	12,544	18.7	7,350	16.6
Fremont	99,665	56,659	16,282	16.3	8,816	15.6
Hayward	93,004	59,150	18,920	20.3	10,997	18.6
Oakland	361,561	262,638	35,372	9.8	22,711	8.6
Redwood City	55,686	40,045	7,130	12.8	4,480	11.2
Richmond	79,043	51,973	7,996	10.1	4,654	9.0
San Francisco	715,674	555,798	101,901	14.2	67,277	12.1
San Leandro	68,698	49,246	12,811	16.2	8,230	16.7
San Mateo	78,991	56,529	6,075	7.6	3,977	7.0

Los Angeles - Long Beach

Lakewood	82,973	51,766	7,787	9.4	4,267	8.2
Long Beach	358,633	270,753	26,073	7.3	16,685	6.2
Los Angeles	2,816,061	1,966,855	518,791	18.4	309,731	15.7
Norwalk	91,827	53,975	24,988	27.2	12,567	23.3
Pasadena	113,327	84,346	12,991	11.5	8,046	9.5

Los Angeles - Long Beach (con't)

City	Total Pop.	Voting Age Population	Spanish Heritage	%	Spanish Heritage V.A.P.	% V.A.P
Pico Rivera	54,170	32,043	33,295	61.6	17,260	53.9
Downey	88,445	62,318	9,297	10.5	5,717	9.2
E. Los Angeles	105,033	63,091	91,349	87.0	51,570	81.7
El Monte	69,837	44,768	21,937	31.4	11,301	24.6
Glendale	132,752	100,115	13,697	10.3	8,699	8.7
Hawthorne	53,304	36,511	6,825	12.8	4,094	11.2
Inglewood	89,985	68,140	11,059	12.3	7,502	11.0
Alhambra	62,125	47,564	11,721	18.9	7,253	15.2
Bellflower	51,454	36,205	4,803	9.3	3,002	8.3
Burbank	88,871	65,648	9,393	10.6	6,113	9.3
Carson	71,150	39,042	14,880	20.9	7,449	19.1
Compton	78,611	42,567	10,656	13.6	5,566	13.1
Pomona	87,384	55,406	14,286	16.3	7,515	13.6
Redondo Beach	56,075	36,534	7,685	13.7	4,225	11.6
Santa Monica	88,289	71,012	10,668	12.1	6,946	9.8
South Gate	56,909	41,988	9,839	17.3	5,854	13.9
Torrance	134,584	88,337	11,473	8.5	6,656	7.5
W. Covine	68,034	40,810	7,826	11.5	4,073	9.9
Whittier	72,863	51,577	9,620	13.2	5,407	10.5

Anaheim - Santa Ana - Garden Grove

Anaheim	166,701	108,350	17,389	10.4	9,665	8.9
Burena Park	63,646	37,131	8,332	13.1	4,407	11.9
Costa Mesa	72,660	47,558	5,117	7.1	2,922	6.1
Fullerton	85,826	56,502	8,386	9.8	4,581	8.1
Huntington Beach	115,960	69,204	10,135	8.7	5,440	7.9
Garden Grove	122,524	74,284	10,577	8.6	5,513	7.4
Orange	77,374	48,069	8,639	11.2	4,432	9.2
Santa Ana	156,601	97,659	40,421	25.8	20,283	20.7
Westminster	59,865	34,654	6,122	10.2	3,237	9.3

Oxnard - Ventura

Oxnard	71,225	42,402	24,325	34.1	12,805	30.1
Simi Valley	56,464	29,224	5,369	9.5	2,523	8.6
Ventura	55,797	36,909	6,986	12.5	3,882	10.5

San Bernardino - Riverside - Ontario

Ontario	64,118	40,106	11,396	17.8	5,888	14.7
Riverside	140,089	91,139	17,697	12.6	9,818	10.8
San Bernardino	104,251	69,089	22,449	21.5	12,275	17.8

San Jose

Mountainview	51,092	37,703	7,212	14.1	4,638	12.3
Palo Alto	55,768	39,955	3,178	5.7	2,061	5.2
San Jose	433,950	261,699	97,378	22.4	51,182	19.6
San Clara	87,717	56,740	15,900	18.1	9,504	16.8

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Chula Vista	67,901	43,883	10,806	15.9	5,856	13.3
El Cajon	52,273	34,356	3,924	7.5	2,134	6.2
San Diego	693,931	481,504	88,201	12.7	50,861	10.6

Santa Barbara - Bakersfield

Santa Barbara	70,215	52,670	14,926	21.3	9,115	17.3
Bakersfield	69,515	45,385	8,621	12.4	4,757	10.5



COALITION OF HISPANIC ORGANIZATIONS

P.O. BOX 160084

SACRAMENTO CA. 95816

¡EL PUEBLO UNIDO!

"Hispanics in this state have failed to exercise political power because of a lack of cohesion." (Mario Obledo, 2/11/78). The purpose of the Coalition of Hispanic Organizations is to unite existing hispanic organizations, to debate the issues, and to use existing organizations to present these issues to the public.

Coalition goals and objectives are as follows:

- Voter registration, education, Get out the vote, Identify communication needs, identify positions of elected/appointed officials and provide support to them if their positions coincide with our needs.
- Publish a newsletter,
- Develop an independent financial base, and

The Coalition will hold an annual convention on October 7 & 8, at the Sacramento Woodlake Quality Inn (916) 922-6251. Officers will be elected and structure of the organization will take form. Workshops on the following issues will also be held:

CATEGORY A

- Voter Registration/Education
- The Political Process, or How to Get Elected
- The Legislative Process
- Pres. Carter's Urban Policy
- How to Organize the Community

CATEGORY B

- Education
- Bilingual Education
- Employment
- Health
- Mental Health
- Criminal Justice System
- The Judiciary
- Migrant Services
- Immigration
- Economic Development
- Housing
- Youth
- Womens' Issues

If you would like to participate in the workshops, or if you want information about the convention, please mail the following. Because of costs, we are asking that all of those who want information, send a \$10 pre-registration fee. If you decide to attend the convention, such a fee will be applied to the registration fee. If you want to be sent position papers resulting from the committee/workshop process in Category B, but are unable to attend the convention, there will be a charge of \$15 for each workshop position paper.

MAIL TO: CALIFORNIA COALITION OF HISPANIC ORGANIZATIONS
P.O. BOX 160084, Sacramento, CA 95816

NAME _____ ORGANIZATION _____

ADDRESS _____

PH: BUS. _____ RES. _____

- _____ I can provide information for one of workshops. Name workshop: _____
- _____ I want to participate in a workshop. Name workshop: _____
- _____ I wish to pre-register and have information about convention sent to me. Enclosed please find a pre-registration fee of \$10.00
- _____ I cannot attend the convention, but would like a copy of position paper(s) for the following workshops: _____



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INTERIM STEERING COMMITTEE MEETING
JULY 15, 1978, SACRAMENTO

AGENDA

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| 1. Introduction | 5. Announcements |
| 2. 4/15/78 Minutes | 6. Discussion of Draft Bylaws |
| 3. Treasurer's Report | 7. Other Matters |
| 4. Convention Committee Report | |

STEERING COMMITTEE MEMBERS PRESENT

ORGANIZATIONS

La Raza Lawyers Assn.
Image
LULAC (observer)
MANA
Natl. Immigration Coalition
Hermandad Mexicana Nacional
Chicano Media Coalition

REPRESENTATIVE(S)

Rodrigo Mayorga
Marcela Flores, Lilia Molina
Philip Zuniga
Margaret Aragon
Bert Corona
Joe Luna
Carlos Penichet

COUNTIES

San Francisco
Alameda
Yolo
Sacramento

Jim Caudillo & Aida Monares
Antonio Wong
Rene Quintanilla
Lilia Molina

GUESTS

Mario Obledo Juana Barbarita Ester Lujan

The meeting was chaired by Rodrigo Mayorga. Introductions were made. The meeting opened with a discussion of the April 15 minutes. After discussion they were adopted. Discussion centered on the matter of helping the Brown campaign. Not included in the 4/15 meeting minutes was an offer to help the Republican candidates if they approached us. The Brown campaign people sought us out and we offered to transmit information and names of individuals who could be used as outreach coordinators. If the Republicans-- or any other party, for that matter-- were to approach us in the same manner, we would again transmit the requisite information.

Lilia Molina read the treasurer's report. There is currently a balance of \$500.81 as of July 13, 1978. See Attachment 1-A for details. The report was adopted.

The Convention Committee Report was given by Lilia Molina. We had to reduce the number of rooms reserved for the convention from 200 to 25. There were not enough responses from Coalition members to warrant a guarantee of 200 rooms. This means that all the convention workshop rooms will need to be rented. The Woodlake Inn would have provided us with free convention space had we been able to fill the 200 rooms. The workshops will include two categories:

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| <u>CATEGORY A</u> | <u>CATEGORY B</u> |
| Voter Registration/Education | Education |
| The Political Process, or How to get elected | Bilingual Education |
| The Legislative Process | Employment |
| Pres. Carter's Urban Policy | Health |
| How to Organize the Community | Mental Health |
| | Criminal Justice System |
| | The Judiciary |
| | Migrant Services |
| | Immigration |
| | Economic Development |
| | Housing |
| | Youth |
| | Womens' Issues |

The process for the Subject Matter workshops will be to have the different organizations writing the position paper to submit them to us by Sept. 1. They will be printed and distributed to all those participating in the workshops. At the workshops on October 7, all the different positions will be discussed and incorporated into one statement regarding that particular subject matter area. On October 8, resolutions will be adopted at the general session and the positions as well as the resolutions will then be distributed to the different groups interested in the positions and given to local and statewide politicians.

ANNOUNCEMENTS & MISCL. DISCUSSION

- 1) It was recommended that the Treasurer obtain a permit from the Post Office for bulk rate mail. Adopted.
- 2) It was recommended that a convention mailer be printed. Adopted. Lilia Molina would take care.
- 3) It was recommended that the Coalition take out an ad for \$25 in the MAPA Convention brochure. Adopted.
- 4) It was recommended that different organizations approach other organizations or governmental entities to request donations so that the Coalition could print an attractive convention brochure. Adopted. Rodrigo Mayorga and Rene Quintanilla are in charge of this.
- 5) It was suggested that we get in touch with Ed Sandoval of MAPA to see if MAPA will send the convention mailer to its members. (He was subsequently contacted and accepted if the Coalition paid for the postage.)
- 6) An announcement and copy of a telegram sent to the Hispanic Caucus of the House of Representatives was provided. See Attachment 1-B.
- 7) It was recommended that the Coalition provide convention space so that the Bureau of Census could have a workshop. This recommendation was adopted, however, Marcela Flores brought a letter written to the Bureau regarding their public relations/media treatment of the Hispanic. That letter is in Attachment 2. Therefore, the Coordinator took no action on this.
- 8) Jim Caudillo read a part of the July 7 Kiplinger Newsletter: Hispanica will be a political force in the 1980's, with an increasing impact at the state and local levels and in Washington.
- 9) Bert Corona suggested that the Coalition send names of primarily Hispanics to Joe Medina of the Centro de Inmigracion de Houston, so that these names could be given to the Dept. of Justice for participation in a newly formed committee for community relations. The following names were sent via night letter:

Bert Corona	Aida Monares	Antonia Lopez	Irene Ortiz
Marcela Flores	Lilia Molina	Elva Montes	Christina Vega
Margaret Aragon	Juanita Barbarita		
Teresa Trujeque	Irene Tovar	Geraldine Salas	
- 10) A report on the Prop. 13 Committee was given. The recommendations adopted at the July 25 meeting are included in Attachment 3. The last recommendation is to support a Voter Registration drive.
- 11) The Voter/ registration drive meeting was called for the following week: July 22. Such a meeting was called to develop strategy. A short report and recommendations adopted at that meeting is included in these minutes. Herman Sillas and Willie Velasquez and Bert Corona were at meeting.
- 12) The meeting dates of the Commission on Government Reform were announced. The July 19 meeting was to be held in Los Angeles. Bert Corona and Carlos Penlchet were to attend and report to the Committee. The July 25 meeting was to be held in Sacramento, Juanita Barbarita & the Sacramento chapter are to attend and report to the Committee. Other meetings will be held in the following locations. The place has not been selected. Call Lilia for further information: 443-6165 or 444-6666.

A copy of the Commission on Government Reform Committee is included in Attachment 4.

- 13) A discussion of Hispanic candidates concluded with a recommendation that the Coalition sponsor a mass mailer requesting that fundraisers be held for Hispanic candidates. The recommendation was adopted and \$50 collected for this purpose. DONATIONS FOR THIS PURPOSE ARE REQUESTED FROM THE REST OF THE COALITION MEMBERS.

At risk are the following candidates:

Al Garza, democratic candidate for Mayor in San Jose
Manuel Sanchez, a runoff candidate for Superior Court, Los Angeles
Mike Vega, candidate for Sheriff in Riverside
Rene Quintanilla, candidate for Davis City Council

- 14) Lilia Molina announced that Rene Quintanilla, a Coalition member, had received 5% of the vote in the primary race for 4th Assembly District. While Rene came in third, he nonetheless captured that percentage of the vote with only \$7000 spent, while the successful candidate spent over \$80,000. Rene is to be congratulated.
- 15) It was recommended that La Raza Lawyers develop strategy to preserve the few Hispanic judges we have, and to encourage Coalition members to support them. We lost two judges in the last election. Fred Lucero, San Jose, and Al Villa, Fresno, were defeated.
- 16) It was announced that the Coalition sent Steering Committee Members names to the University of New Mexico Federal Elections Project. They in turn, sent out questionnaires re. the bilingual provisions of the Federal Elections Act.

17) COMING EVENTS:

- August 5 MAPA endorsing convention to be held in Sacramento
For more information call Gaspar Oliviera: (916) 322-3760.
- August 11, 12 and 13 LA RAZA LAWYERS ASSOCIATION Annual Convention
in San Diego. For more information call Rodrigo Mayorga
(916) 391-7437.

REPORT BY MARIO OBLEDO

- 1) VOTER REGISTRATION. Mario has received a commitment from Willie Velasquez that the Southwest Voter Registration Project can fund 25 voter registration projects in California. More details on this in Report on 7/22 meeting, included with the minutes. Mario stated that the campaign should be developed independently by Hispanics only.
- 2) Mario called a meeting of all state employees in Sacramento on July 18. He will discuss issues that affect state employment.
- 3) Mario will again institute meetings of the Ad Hoc Committee. The practice of calling such quarterly meetings was discontinued, but will again be instituted. Ester Lujan, Mr. Obledo's Administrative Assistant has the information.
- 4) Mario will initiate a tour of Latin America. A group, consisting of 10 to 20 persons will visit different projects in Latin America. Such projects as health, employment, prisons, etc., will be visited and an exchange of information initiated. The purpose of such a tour is to explore the common ties and common backgrounds Hispanics in America have with the rest of the Spanish Speaking continent.
- The tour is tentatively scheduled to leave in mid August and return in early September. Those going on the tour must pay own expenses. For more information, please contact Ester Lujan (916) 445-1722.
- 5) Mario announced the new State Personnel Board statistics regarding Raza employment. Within one year there was an increase from 6.6% to 7.5%. Caveat: It should be 14-15% employment of Hispanics.

BYLAWS COMMITTEE REPORT.

The Committee consisted of Aida Monares, Margaret Aragon and Jim Caudillo. They produced a 27 page document that will be sent to committee members after August 15. THE COMMITTEE NEEDS ALL YOUR RESPONSES BEFORE THAT DATE. MAIL TO:

Aida Monares, Ph.D.,
Special Assistant to Mayor Moscone
City Hall, Room 205
San Francisco, CA 94102 (415) 448-3994

Details of the specific amendments for those of you who have draft copies, are provided in Attachment 5. The major recommendations are the following.

- 1) The Bylaws call for a non profit corporation. This would limit our involvement in political arena and cancel any thoughts on lobbying, unless a different organization, or corporation is established.

Some individuals have adverse comments on this. Please take note and contact Aida.

- 2) The voting membership is to be composed of general members & bd. of directors. The Bd. or directors is composed of organizations of state or national scope. The representatives of counties, however, are not all represented in the Bd. of directors. Instead, they have to further subdivide into regions and select regional representatives, since there will be 104 representatives (1 male and female), and this number would be too unwieldy. There are no provisions for regional representation. Options: By geography; By population

- 3) No provision has been made for participation of a strong local organization such as a union. The recommendation adopted was that at the earliest possible time after the bylaws are adopted, the Bd. of directors meet and draft provisions for participation of such organizations or groups. Option: Any organization with 1000 or more members will be treated as statewide organization.

OTHER MATTERS

The Bylaws committee was asked to draft the incorporation documents. Attachment 6 includes copy of HR 6638, a bill to establish Office of Spanish Speaking Affairs in the Executive Office of the President.

NEW MEMBERS

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National Immigration Coalition
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Sun Valley, CA 91352
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Carlos Penichet
Chicano Media Coalition
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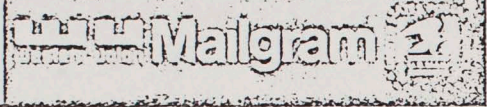
Joe Luna
Hermandad Mexicana Nacional
4037 Big Dalton
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Juana Barbarita
California Community Colleges
1238 S Street
Sacramento, CA 94814
(916) 445-7911, Res: 393-2233


NEW LULIAC PRESIDENT

Trino Roman
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MAILGRAM SERVICE CENTER
DORLETON, VA, 22645



ATTACHMENT 1 B

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TREASURER'S REPORT

THIS MAILGRAM IS A CONFIRMATION COPY OF THE FOLLOWING MESSAGE:

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REPRESENTATIVE BOB GARCIA PRESIDENT OF
HISPANIC CAUCUS
OFFICE OF REPRESENTATIVES
WASHINGTON DC 20515

FIND IT IMPERATIVE THAT AN HISPANO BE NAMED TO FILL VACANCY ON US
HOUSE COMMITTEE. WE NEED CAUCUS TO LOBBY FOR THE POSITION, IF YOU
NEED HELP ON THIS MATTER CONTACT US.

LIA MOLINA COORDINATOR
COALITION OF HISPANIC ORGANIZATION
P.O. BOX 160084
SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA 95816

1:30 EST
MCMCOMP MGM

BALANCE AS OF 4/17/78 \$627.21

RECEIPTS


Pre-registration for convention	40.00	
Prop. 13 Committee Donations	50.00	
Donation: R. Solorzano	90.00	
Interest on Acct.	8.09	
TOTAL CASH AVAILABLE		815.30

EXPENDITURES

Postage	161.05	
Stationery	34.56	
Printing of various mailers	118.88	
TOTAL EXPENDITURES:		314.49

NOTE: Cost of newsletter 142.71
 Cost of Prop. 13 mass mailer 97.28
 Partial Cost of Voter/registration letters 19.19

BALANCE AS OF JULY 13, 1978 500.81

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July 14, 1978

Manuel Plotkin
Census Bureau Director

Dear Mr. Plotkin:

It has come to the attention of the Hispanic community of Sacramento, California, that, once again, a program initially designed to more accurately reflect the demographic characteristics of our Hispanic population has been twisted and manipulated to further the scandal raising propensities of certain vested interest groups.

On Thursday, June 22, 1978, an article entitled "Census Takers to Flush Out Illegal Aliens for '80 Count" appeared in the Sacramento Bee, a newspaper (sic) of substantial distribution in the greater Sacramento area. (Copy attached.)

The article is a classic example of Res Ipsa Loquitur (the thing speaks for itself).

The overall demeanor of the article (sic) is very clear. Moreover, the choice phraseology leaves little doubt that either the declarant (yourself), the journalist (sic), or both, has very little respect for the legitimate Hispanic population and even less sympathy for the undocumented alien.

On Wednesday, June 21, 1978, just one (1) day prior to the publication of the article, a substantial number of Hispanic community and employment leaders met several times with members of your staff to discuss the overall intent and significance of your program. We met with Mr. C. Michael Long, Regional Director of the U. S. Dept. of Commerce and Ms. Eva Gay, a "street-wise" community services representative.

One of the aforementioned meetings was held during the noon-time lunch hour since a number of attendees were representatives of an Hispanic employee organization.

However, during, the course of our meetings and in direct response to floor comments and questions, we were assured that the sole purpose of this "community service representative" program was to attempt to more accurately assess the true number of our Hispanic population. We were specifically assured that the

Manuel Plotkin (cont.)

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July 14, 1978

"secrecy oaths" and other confidentiality restrictions imposed upon your staff would serve to prevent your program from becoming a "witch-hunt" for undocumented aliens.

Apparently, we were misled.

Our populace takes great offense at being characterized as solely available in "bars, poolhalls and slums". In addition, only a cockroach or a snake needs to be "ferret(ed)" or "flush(ed) out".

If your statements were misconstrued, taken out of context or merely fabricated, (as we sincerely hope), we would respectfully request that you take appropriate action, with all deliberate speed, to remedy the situation. Since the article (sic) appears under a "WASHINGTON (UPI)" heading, it would appear that this forum would be the most appropriate for corrective action.

However, if no corrective action is taken we can only interpret this omission as a deliberate act of forbearance and thereby we can only construe the article as accurate of your statements.

In conclusion, it is our sincerest hope that our letter has served to adequately convey our displeasure with the article and others of the similar persuasion.

Sincerely,

MARCELLA FLORES

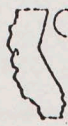
ALFREDO TERRAZAS

cc: C. Michael Long
Regional Director
U. S. Dept. of Commerce

Eva Gay
Community Services Representative

Leonel J. Castillo, Commissioner
U. S. Dept. of Justice

Editor in Chief
Sacramento Bee



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June 25, 1978

THE PROPOSITION 13 IMPACT COMMITTEE OF THE CALIFORNIA COALITION OF HISPANIC ORGANIZATIONS SUPPORTS THE FOLLOWING RESOLUTIONS:

1. No cutbacks or lay offs resulting from the passage of Proposition 13. We uphold maintenance of all essential services and state mandated programs, as well as maintenance of affirmative action policies.
2. We support a constitutional amendment to limit property tax relief to homeowners and small landlords.
3. We support tax reform measures to close tax loopholes and tax write-offs to corporations, and support new legislation that would allow imposition of new corporation taxes to help local units of government maintain essential services.
4. We demand that state surplus funds be distributed proportionately.
5. We support the California Legislature's effort in supporting the Federal Transfer Amendment which would transfer \$8 Billion from the military budget to programs for human services.
6. We support the creation of a statewide Raza task force to work solely on the impact of Proposition 13 on community organizations and human services. This task force should meet and work closely with the California Coalition of Hispanic Organizations.
7. We support the creation of a citizens task force at local levels throughout the state to review the tax structure and rates, and to review local budgets.
8. We support the maintenance and increase in local programs that deal with human services.
9. We support having the Coalition join with other groups affected by the impact of Proposition 13.
10. We support making the University of California accountable for use of funds currently spent on research designated for profit making enterprises. Further, we demand that these funds be redirected for human services.
11. We believe that all levels of government have a moral and legal obligation to cut down on waste and/or administrative fat, therefore, we propose a salary limit on all state and local positions.
12. We propose that salary and other savings resulting from the present freezes on hiring be made public, and that savings accrued be utilized for human services.
13. We propose that provisions be made to maintain bilingual/bicultural services at the state and local levels.
14. We endorse bilingual/bicultural education as a necessity that should not be cut from education budgets. Further, such bilingual/bicultural education programs are to be considered as essential and not as a luxury.
15. We believe that all people living in California have a right to essential services; therefore, we oppose the exclusion of undocumented individuals from these essential services provided to other residents of California.

16. We support the...

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AMENDMENTS TO DRAFT BYLAWS

<u>SECTION NO.</u>	<u>LINE NO.</u>	<u>AMENDMENT</u>
2.01	2	Sacramento, Sacramento
3.04 (c)		add new section see comment 3 in 7/15 bylaws, p. 4.
3.05		renumber sections, incorrectly done.
Article 4 & Article 8 are to be incorporated		
4.02	3	first weekend in July, instead of the recommended first weekend of October.
4.03	3	25% of the members
	7	5 days
4.05	2	30 days nor more than 60 days
4.06	2	25% of the members
5.06	5	30 days
	7	7 days
5.09	2	amended to read: "of 2/3 present of a duly constituted meeting of the corporation for cause,"
	7	25%
	9	30 days
5.09		There are 2 sections 5.09, last one to be changed to 5.10.
6.01(a)(1)	6	correct spelling of vacancy
6.01(b)	2	3 members
6.01(c)	3	3 members
6.01(d)	3	3 members
6.01(e)		Combine both (e)'s and make it read 3 members
6.01(f)		Add section (f) on media
5.07	3	7 days
7.03(b)	1	amended to read: "The power to hire and terminate all personnel with the approval of the Board of Directors, with the exception
Article 8, combine with 4, and renumber		
8.08	10	7 days
8.09	2	2 consecutive meetings

85th CONGRESS
1st Session

H. R. 6638

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

April 26, 1977

Mr. EORTAL (for himself and Mr. LEACH) introduced the following bill, which was referred to the Committee on Government Operations

A BILL

To establish an Office of Spanish-Speaking Affairs in the Executive Office of the President, and for other purposes.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,

That it is the purpose of this Act to (1) assure that Federal programs and resources are reaching all Mexican Americans, Puerto Rican Americans, Cuban Americans, and all other Spanish-speaking and Spanish-surnamed Americans and providing the assistance they need, (2) assure that the laws, policies, and practices of the Federal Government are providing equal opportunities for Spanish-speaking and Spanish-surnamed Americans in all areas, including employment, education, health, housing and community development,

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economic development, and grant and contract procurement and (3) seek out and develop new programs and resources that may be necessary to handle problems that are unique to such persons.

ESTABLISHMENT

SEC. 2. There is established in the Executive Office of the President the Office of Spanish-Speaking Affairs (hereinafter referred to as the "Office").

DIRECTOR, STAFF AND EXPERTS

SEC. 3. (a) The Office shall have a Director who shall be appointed by the President, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, and who shall be paid at the rate of basic pay in effect for level V of the Executive Schedule.

(b) The Director may appoint and fix the pay of such personnel as he deems desirable.

(c) The Director may procure temporary and intermittent services to the same extent as is authorized by section 3109 (b) of title 5 of the United States Code, but at rates for individuals not to exceed the daily equivalent of the annual rate of basic pay in effect for grade GS-18 of the General Schedule.

DUTIES

SEC. 4. (a) The Director shall—

(1) advise Federal departments and agencies regarding appropriate action to be taken to help assure

that Federal programs are providing the assistance needed by Spanish-speaking and Spanish-surnamed Americans;

(2) advise Federal departments and agencies on the development and implementation of comprehensive and coordinated policies, plans, and programs focusing on the special problems and needs of Spanish-speaking and Spanish-surnamed Americans, and on priorities thereunder;

(3) advise and assist Spanish-speaking and Spanish-surnamed groups and individuals in receiving assistance available by law;

(4) establish and maintain a Spanish-speaking Information Clearinghouse which shall collect, analyze, and disseminate information concerning the social and economic conditions encountered by Spanish-speaking individuals; and

(5) appraise the laws, policies, and performance of the Federal Government with respect to the achievement or denial of equal opportunities for Spanish-speaking individuals, and report such appraisal annually to Congress and the President in the report required under section 6 of this Act.

(b) In carrying out his duties, the Director may foster such surveys, studies, research, and demonstration

and technical assistance projects, establish such relationships with State and local governments and the private sector, and promote such participation of State and local governments and the private sector as may be appropriate to identify and assist in solving the special problems of Spanish-speaking and Spanish-surnamed Americans.

POWERS

SEC. 5. (a) The Director may prescribe such rules and regulations as he determines necessary to carry out the provisions of this Act.

(b) The Director shall consult with and coordinate the activities of the Office with appropriate Federal departments and agencies and shall utilize the facilities and resources of such departments and agencies to the maximum extent possible in carrying out his duties.

(c) The Director, in carrying out his duties, may enter into agreements with Federal departments and agencies as he deems appropriate.

(d) The Director shall operate such regional offices as may be necessary to efficiently carry out the provisions of this Act.

ADVISORY TASK FORCES

SEC. 6. (a) The Director may appoint one or more advisory task forces from among persons who are representative of and involved in the affairs of the Mexican

American, Puerto Rican American, Cuban American, and other elements of the Spanish-speaking and Spanish-surnamed American community. Any such task force shall—

(1) advise the Director with respect to his functions under the Act;

(2) be approved by either the House or Senate Government Operations Committees;

(3) be subject to the provisions of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (56 Stat. 770);

(4) transmit to Congress and the President a report of its activities on an annual basis or upon completion of work, whichever occurs first.

(c) Each task force member who is appointed from private life shall receive \$100 a day for each day during which he is engaged in the actual performance of his duties as a member of the task force. A member of the task force who is an officer or employee of the Federal Government shall serve without additional compensation. All members of the task force shall be reimbursed for travel, subsistence, and other necessary expenses incurred by them in the performance of such duties.

OBTAINING INFORMATION AND STAFF

SEC. 7. (a) The Director may secure directly from any Federal agency information necessary to enable him to carry out this Act. Upon request of the Director, the head of each

such agency shall furnish such information to the Office.

(b) Upon request of the Director, the head of any Federal agency is authorized to detail, on a reimbursable basis, any of the personnel of such agency to the Office to assist him in carrying out his duties under this Act.

(c) Upon request of the Director, the head of any Federal agency is authorized to furnish such services and facilities to the Office as is appropriate to carrying out the provisions of this Act.

ANNUAL REPORT

SEC. 8. The Director shall, within six months after the end of each fiscal year, submit a report to the President and the Congress of the activities of the Office for the preceding year, including in such report an appraisal of Federal performance as described in section 4 (a) (5) and any recommendations he deems appropriate to accomplish the purposes of this Act.

COORDINATING COUNCIL

SEC. 9. (a) There is established a Coordinating Council on Spanish-Speaking Affairs (hereinafter referred to as the "Council"). The Council shall be composed of the heads of each of the following agencies, or their representatives—

(1) the Secretary of Agriculture;

(2) the Secretary of Commerce;

(3) the Secretary of Labor;

- 1 (4) the Secretary of Health, Education, and Wel-
- 2 fare;
- 3 (5) the Secretary of Housing and Urban Devel-
- 4 opment;
- 5 (6) the Secretary of the Treasury;
- 6 (7) the Secretary of Defense;
- 7 (8) the Secretary of Transportation;
- 8 (9) the Attorney General;
- 9 (10) the Director of the Community Services Ad-
- 10 ministration;
- 11 (11) the Administrator of the Small Business Ad-
- 12 ministration;
- 13 (12) the Commissioner of the Equal Employment
- 14 Opportunity Commission most concerned with the Span-
- 15 ish-speaking and Spanish-surnamed Americans;
- 16 (13) the Chairman of the Civil Service Commis-
- 17 sion;
- 18 (14) the Administrator of Veterans Affairs; and
- 19 (15) the Director of the Office, who shall serve as
- 20 Chairman of the Council.

21 The Council shall have the responsibility for developing and
 22 implementing agreements, policies, and practices designed to
 23 maximize effort, and eliminate conflict and inconsistency,
 24 among the various Federal agencies responsible for carrying
 25 out and enforcing legislation, orders, and policies affecting

1 Spanish-speaking Americans. On or before July 1 of each
 2 year, the Council shall transmit to the President and to the
 3 Congress a report of its activities, together with such recom-
 4 mendations for legislative or administrative changes as it
 5 concludes are desirable to further promote equal opportunities
 6 for Spanish-speaking and Spanish-surnamed Americans.
 7 (b) The Council shall meet at least quarterly each year,
 8 and shall be presided over by the Director of the Office.

9 BAN ON PARTISAN POLITICAL ACTIVITIES

10 SEC. 10. No part of any funds authorized to carry out
 11 this Act shall be used to finance any activities designed to
 12 influence the outcome of any election to Federal office or
 13 any voter registration activity, or to pay the salary of the
 14 chairman or any employee of the committee after the date
 15 on which such persons engage in such activity, as deter-
 16 mined by the United States Civil Service Commission. For
 17 the purpose of this section, the term "election" shall have
 18 the same meaning as prescribed for such term by section
 19 301(a) of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 (86
 20 Stat. 3), and the term "Federal office" shall have the same
 21 meaning as prescribed for such term by section 301(c) of
 22 such Act.

23 AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS

24 SEC. 11. There are hereby authorized to be appropriated

1 for fiscal years 1977 and 1978 such sums as may be neces-
 2 sary to carry out the provisions of this Act.

3 EXPIRATION

4 SEC. 12. This Act shall expire five years after it be-
 5 comes effective.