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June 27, 2017

Honorable Mike McGuire Chair, Senate Governance and Finance Committee State Capitol Building, Room 408 Sacramento, CA 95814

Re: Assembly Bill 1250 (Jones-Sawyer). Counties: Contracts for personal services.

OPPOSE - As amended May 30, 2017

Dear Senator McGuire:

On behalf of the county of the County of Lassen, we are writing to you to respectfully request your formal opposition to AB 1250 (Jones-Sawyer).

AB1250 will add burdensome restrictions and new bureaucratic requirements on Lassen County and will interfere with and perhaps prohibit the County's ability to deliver essential public services.

With your invaluable and hands-on experience as a locally elected county official, we know you are very knowledgeable about how this bill will interfere with a county's capacity to contract with licensed experts, nonprofit community based organizations, microenterprises, and local firms.

For example, our county must contract with a number of service providers who provide specialized public health and social services for children, families, and adults because we do not have either the expertise or the economy of scale or resources to provide those services in the most effective manner to those clients in our rural county. AB1250 affected contracted services will not only interfere with providing those essential services from medical and social services providers but also will delay and interfere with our ability to deliver public safety and public works contracting for emergency and environmental work.

We respectfully request your formal opposition to AB1250.

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Sincerely,

Aaron Albaugh, Chairman Lassen County Board of Supervisors

cc: Honorable Members, Senate Governance and Finance Committee

Assemblyman Brian Dahle

Senator Ted Gaines

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