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Agenda Item(s):

C1. Taxpayers' Bill of Rights Hearing - Public hearing to allow taxpayers and stakeholders to comment on items in the Taxpayers' Rights Advocate Annual Report or issues related to the agency's administration of its tax programs

G1. Property Tax Rule 462.520 - Staff request for authorization to publish amendments to Property Tax Rule 462.520

G2. Property Tax Rule 462.540 - Staff request for authorization to publish amendments to Property Tax Rule 462.540

K1a. Organizational Update - Report on the status of pending and upcoming organizational issues

K1d. Proposition 19 Implementation Project - Report on the status of the agency's Proposition 19 Implementation Project

K2a. Operational Update - Update on activities of the Taxpayers' Rights Advocate Office including Proposition 19 education and outreach and other matters

M1. Proposition 19 Implementation

Comment:

Save family homes, farms and businesses... Reinststate 58 and 193! I can not believe how many people I encounter who have no idea Proposition 19 passed and what the harmful effects of Proposition 19 are. We are only starting to see the long term effects. More properties for sale not selling and long term working middle class leaving California is no coincidence. I really hope we are able to get the harmful effects overturned by the November 2024 ballot For Californians before it is too late and we lose too many of our Working Middle Class. Sadly our representatives in 2011 took away our rights to Citizens Initiatives and Vetoes through SB202 and the people have had to suffer with the loss of a family member through COVID times without consideration from our Representatives despite SB668 by Bates and AB9 by Kiley proposals. Having volunteered for the Repeal The Death Tax Initiative many people who couldn't attend the call have shared stories with me. These are artists, teachers, people who have given up careers to be caretakers for elderly parents, realtors, immigrants, minorities, senior citizens, disabled and low income. The people Proposition 19 was intended to help and people who have worked for the American Dream to have it stripped by an un-Constitutional policy that does not protect ownership rights afforded by both our Federal and State Constitutions. Thank you for allowing us a platform to be heard. Repeal The Death Tax! Anyone interested in joining us to educate the people visit ForCalifornians.com.

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