

## Rebuttal to Argument in Favor of Measure B

Measure B takes away the fairness and equity for nurses, correctional peace officers and prosecutors that Measure C would give them. Sound confusing? It is. Your County Supervisors want it that way.

A few questions you should ask about Measure B:

1. Why aren't the Supervisors telling you about the **millions of taxpayer dollars that will be wasted in additional election costs** if Measure B passes?
2. Why didn't the Supervisors tell you that **Measure C was placed on the ballot by 59,000 County voters, 1,200 Registered Nurses and over 750 Correctional Peace Officers?**
3. Why didn't the Supervisors tell you that the arbitration provision in Measure C is **used successfully in over 20 California jurisdictions including San Jose, Gilroy, and Palo Alto to prevent strikes and resolve contract disputes?**
4. Why didn't the Supervisors tell you that **contract disputes could drag out up to two years if Measure B passes?**
5. Why didn't the Supervisors tell you that Measure C's Arbitration provision **requires the arbitrator to consider the county's fiscal condition when making a decision?**

With politicians, what they don't say is often more important than what they do say.

**Measure B will cost the taxpayers millions and prolong labor disputes** with our most critical public health and safety employees. It only allows one side to appeal an arbitrator's decision, taking away the level playing field that arbitration provides both parties.

**Please join your nurses, correctional peace officers and prosecutors in VOTING NO ON MEASURE B.**

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The undersigned author(s) of the rebuttal to the argument in favor of against ballot measure B at the  
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Special election for the County of Santa Clara  
(title of election) (name of jurisdiction)  
to be held on November 2, 2004 hereby state that such argument is true and correct to the best  
(date of election)  
of their knowledge and belief.  
(his / her / their)

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PRESIDENT, SANTA CLARA COUNTY PEACE OFFICERS ASSOCIATION EVERETT FITZGERALD MALE  
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