



OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

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To the Members of the California State Assembly:

I am returning Assembly Bill 2211 without my signature.

This bill requires each county to develop and annually update a graph on its website that provides taxpayers with information about how general ad valorem property tax revenues are allocated countywide, to the county, cities, independent special districts, school districts and redevelopment successor agencies.

Providing information to taxpayers about how local property tax dollars are allocated and spent is important but this bill would impose a state mandate on county governments and could result in corresponding general fund costs. I encourage counties to put this information on their website and update it accordingly.

Sincerely,

  
Edmund G. Brown Jr.