

COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA LEGISLATIVE ANALYSIS FORM

This form is required for the Legislative Program Committee to consider taking an advocacy position on an issue or legislative item.

BILL NUMBER: AB 1825	AUTHOR: Gordon, Maienschein
INTRO/AMEND DATE: 2/8/16	AUTHOR'S POLITICAL PARTY: Dem, Repub
BILL STATUS: Pending referral	

1) BILL SUBJECT:

Revision of Sec. 30163 (a) of Div. 14 of the state's Food & Agriculture Code, to eliminate the requirement that "vicious dog" be automatically applied to "[a]ny dog seized under Section 599aa of the Penal Code and upon the sustaining of a conviction of the owner or keeper under subdivision (a) of Section 597.5 of the Penal Code."

2) FROM DEPARTMENT:

3) IS THIS ITEM SPECIFICALLY REFERENCED IN THE LEGISLATIVE PLATFORM?

No

4) WHICH POLICY-RELATED MATTER IS OF CONCERN WITH THIS BILL?

Animal control

5) HOW WOULD THIS BILL IMPACT THE COUNTY? (Current practices, responsibility, authority, pros/cons, affected programs and/or services, etc.)

It would permit the county to exert local control over the definition and management of dogs seized under sec. 599aa crimes where a conviction is obtained.

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| 6) IMPACT ON COUNTY PROGRAM: | <input type="checkbox"/> Major | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Minor | <input type="checkbox"/> None |
| SANTA BARBARA COUNTY IMPACT: | <input type="checkbox"/> Major | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Minor | <input type="checkbox"/> None |
| STATEWIDE IMPACT: | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Major | <input type="checkbox"/> Minor | <input type="checkbox"/> None |

Explanation of Impacts:

7) WOULD THIS BILL IMPACT:

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| a. Efficient service delivery and operations? | <input type="checkbox"/> YES | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO |
| b. Fiscal stability? | <input type="checkbox"/> YES | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO |
| c. Inter-agency cooperation? | <input type="checkbox"/> YES | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO |
| d. Local control? | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES | <input type="checkbox"/> NO |
| e. Protection of safety net services? | <input type="checkbox"/> YES | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO |
| f. Community sustainability/economic stability? | <input type="checkbox"/> YES | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO |

Additional Comments:



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8) FISCAL IMPACT ON THE COUNTY:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Revenue Increase | <input type="checkbox"/> Revenue Decrease | <input type="checkbox"/> Unfunded Mandate |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cost Increase | <input type="checkbox"/> Cost Decrease | <input type="checkbox"/> Undetermined |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> None | | |

Additional Comments:

9) OTHER AGENCIES THAT SHOULD REVIEW THIS BILL:

Please list other agencies below:

10) CSAC POSITION ON BILL:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Support | <input type="checkbox"/> Oppose | <input type="checkbox"/> Support if Amended |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Oppose unless Amended | <input type="checkbox"/> Watch | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No position taken |

11) OTHER LOCAL OR STATEWIDE ORGANIZATIONS THAT HAVE TAKEN A POSITION ON THIS BILL:

(Indicate support or opposition for each)

California Animal Control Directors Association (CACDA)-- support; Humane Society of US (HSUS) -- support; ASPCA -- support; Best Friends Animal Society -- support;

12) PROPOSED AMENDMENTS: (Attach separate sheet)

13) RECOMMENDATION:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Active Support* | <input type="checkbox"/> Passive Support | <input type="checkbox"/> Support if Amended* |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Active Opposition* | <input type="checkbox"/> Passive Opposition | <input type="checkbox"/> Oppose unless Amended* |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Watch | <input type="checkbox"/> Concerns (Why? Explain in #6) | <input type="checkbox"/> No Position (Why?) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> No Change since Last Position | | |

* Indicates that the department believes that the Board of Supervisors should take a formal position on this bill

Additional Comments:

14) LEGISLATIVE ANALYSIS FORM PREPARED BY:

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