

# Housing and Homelessness

## VOTE2024 Voter Guide

Compiled by Alameda County Health Care for the Homeless Consumer/Community Advisory Board (CCAB)

### California Statewide Propositions

<p><b>Proposition 5</b></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> YES                      <input type="checkbox"/> NO</p> <p>A “yes” on Prop 5 will change state law to allow a 55% majority of voters to pass affordable housing bond measures. This would change the current law which requires a 67% super-majority vote. A “yes” vote would make future affordable housing bonds easier to pass.</p>	<p><b>Proposition 33</b></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> YES                      <input type="checkbox"/> NO</p> <p>A “yes” vote on Prop 33 will allow local cities and governments to enact or strengthen rent control measures. A “yes” vote eliminates restrictions on enacting rent control measures put into place by the 1995 Costa-Hawkins Act.</p>	<p><b>Proposition 34</b></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> YES                      <input type="checkbox"/> NO</p> <p>A “no” vote on Prop 34 will allow the AIDS Healthcare Foundation (AHF) to use their private funds to support affordable housing policy efforts. It would overturn efforts of landlord organization California Apartment Association to specifically target AHF, a funder of pro-rent control Proposition 33.</p>
<p><b>Proposition 35</b></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> YES                      <input type="checkbox"/> NO</p> <p>A “no” vote will prevent a re-writing of the way that Medi-Cal funding is allocated. Under Prop 35, medical tax dollars will be “locked” into categories, not changeable through annual budgeting done by elected State lawmakers. This measure has been written by large hospital and health care interest as a form of “ballot box budgeting” and will exclude more vulnerable and less-monied types of patients and services, such as medically fragile children, disabled persons, and people with special needs.</p>	<p><b>Proposition 36</b></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> YES                      <input type="checkbox"/> NO</p> <p><i>(This is NOT the Prop 36 from 2000 that provided treatment for people facing drug charges).</i></p> <p>Proposition 36 will increase jail sentences for petty theft, shoplifting and drug charges, turning some misdemeanors into felonies, and requiring treatment for drug crimes. This proposition will increase the state prison population, court workloads, and increase criminal justice racial disparities. A “no” on this Proposition 36 will maintain current sentencing structures and systems.</p>	

### Message from the HCH CCAB

*Hello from the Consumer/Community Advisory Board of the ACHCH program. We are people with lived experience of homelessness. We urge people experiencing homelessness to use their power: Register & vote! If you’re not registered or don’t know, **you can still go to the polls and vote on Election Day!** Your vote makes a difference, it can make YOU and our communities stronger.*

Check our VOTE2024 webpage for more resources and information:

<https://acphd.org/voting-matters/resources-for-voters/peh/>



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