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## **HARE CAMPAIGNS AGGRESSIVELY ON KEY ISSUES – PROP 98**

37th Assembly District Candidate David Hare is aggressively campaigning to help protect homeowners from unfair eminent domain, and supporting mobile homeowners to receive fair and equitable treatment on conversions.

David Hare has come out of the gate at full tilt in his quest to unseat Republican Audra Strickland. David Hare opened his campaign on an aggressive note by quickly opposing proposition 98, which if passed would allow cities and counties to unfairly and without cause, take homeowners properties without legal justification.

David Hare said "People spend a lifetime building their homes and government doesn't have the right to take it from them simply for a higher tax base."

Proposition 98 is a deceptive measure that a group of wealthy landlords placed on California's June 3, 2008 ballot. These landlords want you to believe the measure is only about 'eminent domain', but Prop. 98 is full of hidden provisions that would hurt Californians. A broad coalition of groups including **AARP, California Chamber of Commerce, League of Women Voters of California, California Police Chiefs Association, Association of California Water Agencies, National Wildlife Federation**, and hundreds of other organizations who don't normally agree on the issues - all OPPOSE Prop. 98

Hare has been meeting with local elected officials, homeowners, and homeowner associations to get their input on defeating Prop 98.

David Hare said that "Proposition 98 could also stop future water projects, destroy local land-use planning, erode environmental protections and lead to higher taxpayer costs."

In addition, candidate David Hare also strongly supports **SB900** authored by Senator Ellen Corbett-D, a bill that protects Senior Citizens and residents on fixed incomes from unfair mobile home conversions by mega-investors, who aren't concerned about the residents of the park, but simply about land speculation.

Hare said "I believe that people living in mobile home parks that have invested their life savings into their home have the same rights as all homeowners. SB900 gives those mobile home owners a fair and reasonable way of controlling their own destiny."

The Hare campaign has created a lot of excitement as the candidate has knocked on hundreds of doors already, talking to voters, and has made numerous appearances at Democratic clubs and other community groups.

"I can't believe the amount of support I'm getting throughout the district. People are inspired by the fact that a Democratic candidate is knocking on their doors, running an aggressive campaign, and taking positions on important issues."

The Hare campaign has been getting numerous endorsements from key Democrats and community leaders throughout the district, and has been extremely successful in raising money to wage a winning campaign.

"With just a few weeks until the Primary, I will be spending all my time and energy meeting with the voters and letting them know where I stand on key issues. People in the 37AD want a Representative that will fight for their needs."