Agenda Item 5(a):

What Are the Key Components of the Initiative

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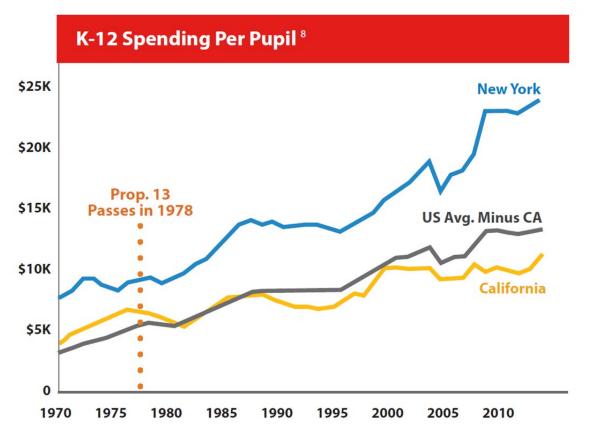
A NEW LEGACY FOR CALIFORNIA'S FUTURE



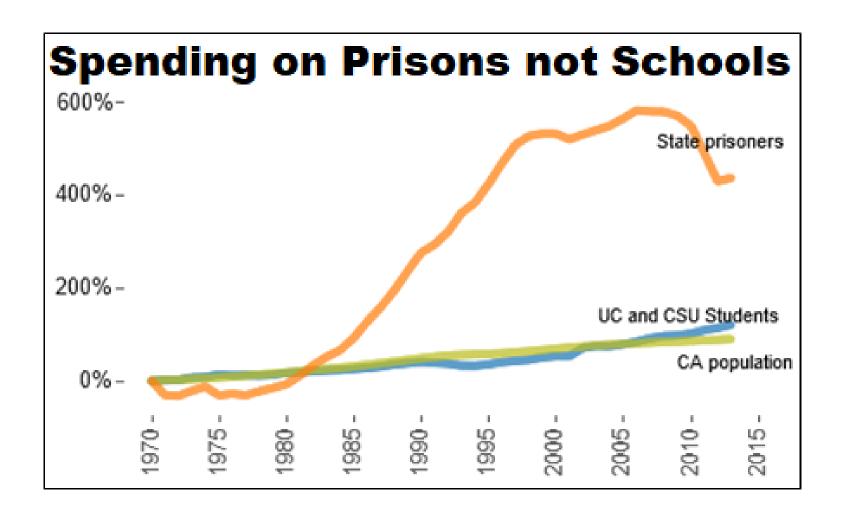
California's Contradiction

INCREDIBLE WEALTH





California has dropped from 7th in per pupil funding to 41st, behind Oklahoma and Texas.



How do we move from incremental to bold structural reform?



Our First Structural Reform Battle

Prop 13

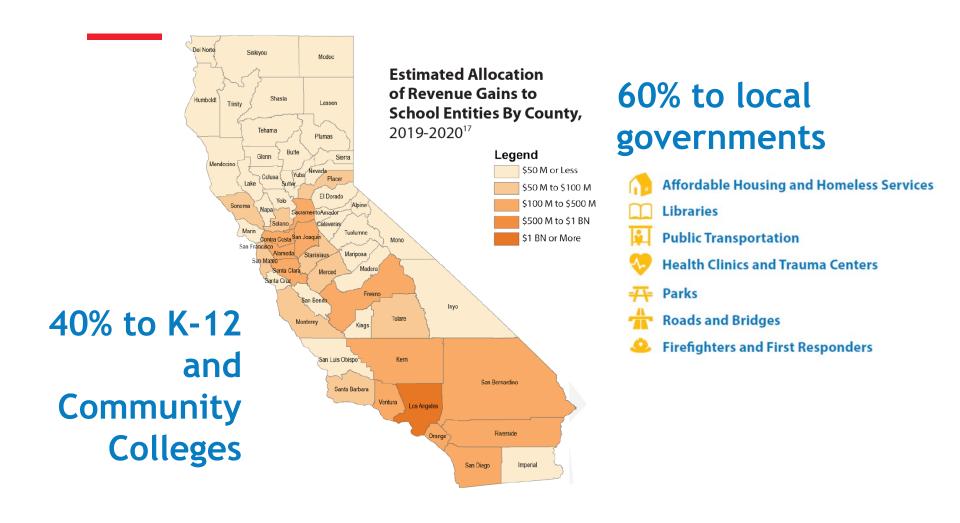




According to the Howard Jarvis Taxpayers
Association, California has lost \$585 Billion in revenue for schools & local communities since Prop 13 passed in 1978.

The California Schools and Local Communities Funding Act will:

- Reclaim \$11 billion annually for schools and local communities
- Assess commercial and industrial properties at fair market value while maintaining protections for homeowners, apartment buildings and agriculture
- Help small business owners that own property valued at \$3 million or less and eliminates the business personal property tax on equipment
- Mandates Transparency and Accountability



Currently Large Corporations Benefit Most



Chevron could pay \$100 Million more statewide and in Contra Costa County \$3.1 to \$3.5M every year (on land alone)

Playing Field Is Not Level For Business

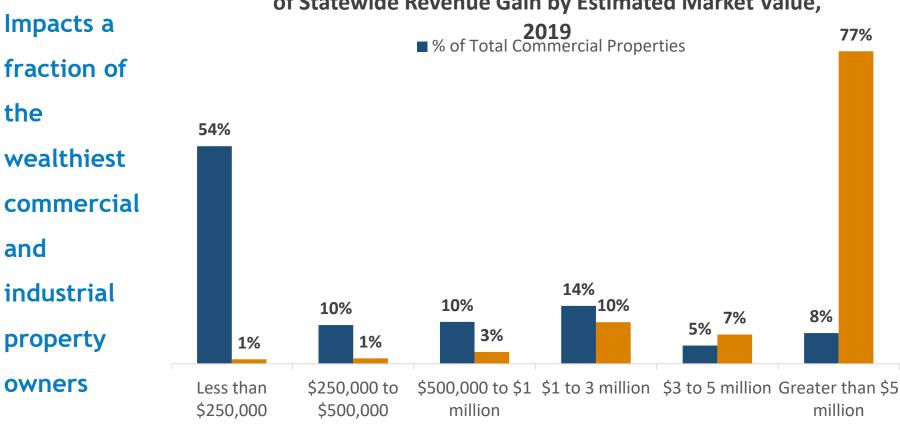


Grand Hyatt is assessed at \$1,562 per square foot.



The Handlery Hotel at \$161.

Share of Total Commercial / Industrial Properties and Share of Statewide Revenue Gain by Estimated Market Value,



Source: USC PERE analysis of disparity ratios of commercial and industrial properties based on

Education Funding



- Schools will see over \$4.5 billion in increased revenue yearly.
- This translates to an additional \$21,848 per classroom annually or \$860 per student annually when fully implemented.
- All revenue will be in addition to and on top of current revenue guaranteed by Prop 98
- Education Funding follows Local Control Funding Formula:
 - ✓ Low-income students
 - ✓ English Language Learners
 - ✓ Foster care children

Local Government Services

Funding for cities, counties, and special districts follows Prop 13 current allocations:

- O Cities, counties, and special districts will receive over \$6 billion in increased revenues.
- O Local jurisdictions in each county will receive the new revenue based on the share of the local property tax they currently receive.
- O County Assessors will be fully reimbursed from the new revenue for any increased costs of implementation.
- Like all property taxes, revenues will be spent at local government discretion, for parks, libraries, affordable housing, health clinics and social services, etc.

The Impact:

- Encourage Smart Land Use and Reduce Climate Impacts
- Funding for Infrastructure, Affordable Housing and Local Services
- Stable Sensible Tax System

This is the Fight for Future Generations

