

**STATE BOARD OF EQUALIZATION**



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Cate Freyer Item #       
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PUBLIC COMMENT

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Comment:

My name is Cate Freyer and I am a parent, homeowner, and essential health worker who resides and schools her children in Oakland, California. I support Proposition 15 for numerous reasons, including that it will provide much-needed funding for public education, including K-12 and community colleges, and for community necessities such as affordable housing to address our homelessness crisis. I have been active in OUSD schools for the past 8 years with my 3 kids, fundraising, events, room parenting, and various community issues. Improving education, equity, and housing in my community are top priorities for me. My children struggle to understand how a city as progressive, diverse, creative, and powerful as Oakland can fail to solve these issues. Please support prop 15 and steps toward meaningful change.  
Cate Freyer