

Did you see the <u>NY Times piece on Sunday</u>? More proof that women add value... as if we didn't know that already. CA women legislators have authored new laws in 2014 that provide mandatory paid sick leave, address sexual assault on college campuses, permit restraining orders on gun owners, expand campaign finance reporting and require greater disclosure of water use by oil producers. Here is our list of <u>legislative</u> <u>victories sponsored by CA's progressive women this</u> year.

Term limits will force many women to leave the legislature in 2014 and 2016. Like their work? Help us recruit progressive women to replace them.

We've got the plan, we've got the team and we're on it. **But we can't do this without you.** Join us at one of these upcoming events to learn what you can do to get more women elected to the CA Legislature:

Oct 30 "Who, Where and What to Watch for Next Tuesday" Peninsula Pre-Election Program - <u>Get your</u> <u>tickets!</u>

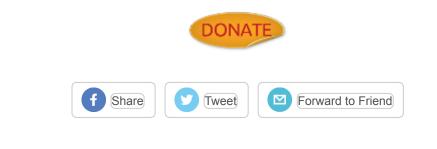
Nov 7 close the gap CA's Post-Election Webinar: How

Did Women & Progressives Fare? - RSVP

Nov 15 <u>CA Democratic Party eBoard Meeting</u> in San Diego: The Women's Caucus & close the gap CA Look at 2016 Recruiting Opportunities

Nov 17 Mid-Peninsula Candidate Search Party - TBA

Nov 20 LA Candidate Search Party - TBA



close the gap CA is a statewide campaign to find talented, progressive women to run for open seats in the California legislature in 2014 and 2016. With focus and a targeted strategy, we can 'close the gap' and not just the gender gap. When we elect progressive women, we take steps to close the school funding gap, the access gap to affordable health and reproductive care, and the growing gap between the wealthy and those in poverty.

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