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close the gap RECRUITING TALENTED WOMEN CA

A Better California



Thank you Speaker Tony Atkins!

September 9, 2015



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AB 358
Senator Hannah-Beth Jackson
(19th Senate District)
Strengthens and expands
the Equal Pay Act.
Status: Ready for the
Governor's signature.

AB 982 Assemblywoman Susan Eggman (13th Assembly District)

Provides additional protections and services for homeless children Status: Ready for the

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AB 1461

Assemblywoman Lorena Gonzalez (80th Assembly District)

This new "Motor Voter Act" intends to makes registering to vote easier

Status: Active in Senate

AB 329

Assemblywoman Shirley Weber

(79th Assembly District)

Updates and strengthens requirements for sexual health education

Status: Active in Senate

Electing progressive women gives voice to our values; legislation that **benefits all Californians.**

Women in the legislature are fighting for:

- Fair Pay
- Improved services for homeless children
- Easier registration and voting
- Accurate, useful sex education for students
- Smart climate change legislation

Imagine what California could accomplish if women were 50% of legislators, instead of 26%?

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Senator Fran Pavley
(27th Senate District)

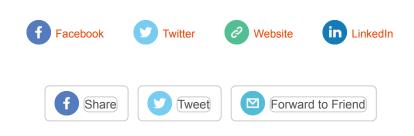
Extends the Climate Act
and reduces emissions

Status: Active in Assembly

SB 367 Senator Lois Wolk (3rd Senate District) Provides grants for climate-friendly agricultural practices Status: Active in Assembly

Considering a run for office some day?

Applications are now open for Emerge CA's 2016 class! The deadline is Oct. 9. Click <u>here</u> for more information and to apply.



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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