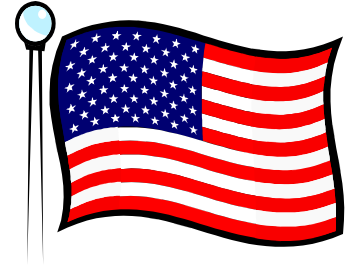


Contact Your Elected Officials

(letters, calls, faxes, emails)



Send as soon as possible and on-going.

State elected Officials Representing Alpine County:

Governor State of California,

Office of the Governor, The State Capitol
Sacramento, CA. 95814

Governor Arnold Schwarzenegger
(916) 445-2841; Fax (916) 445-4633
<http://gov.ca.gov> (web)

California State Senate

The State Capitol
Sacramento, CA. 95814

District 1 Senator Dave Cox
Room 2068 (916) 651-4001
Senator.cox@sen.ca.gov

California State Assembly

The State Capitol
Sacramento, CA. 95814

District 4 Assembly Member Ted Gaines
Room 4144 (916) 319-2004
assemblymember.gaines@assembly.ca.gov

If you have any questions or concerns please contact Choices for Children.

Your thoughts and opinions will be shared with your State Elected Officials and Parent Voices (a parent-led organization fighting to make quality child care affordable and accessible to all families)

<http://www.parentvoices.org/>

Email: hscfcslt@pacbell.net

You may also want to join the “**Campaign to Save Child Care**” as other advocates have done.

website: <http://www.rrnetwork.org>

email: Sarah@rrnetwork.org

Choices
for **Children**



100 Foothill Road, Suite D-6

Markleeville, CA 96120

Phone: (530) 694-2129

Fax: (530) 694-1889

Website: <http://www.choices4children.org>

CALL TO ACTION CHILD CARE THREATENED



The Governor's May Revision Proposed to eliminate \$1.4 billion in General Funds of support for child care services and \$1.1 billion elimination of Cal WORKS. As a result of this proposal, many advocates have joined the "**Campaign to Save Child Care**" and have been successful in convincing the Senate and Assembly to reject the total elimination of these proposals. We need your support in the next step by sharing your voice with the Assembly and Senate Budget committee beginning today and ongoing.



Please contact the members of the Joint Conference Committee and share the following:

- 1. Child Care Keeps California Working!**
- Cutting child care programs hurts our economy which hurts children, families and communities.
- Reduction in supports for child care shuts down economic recovery for California.
- Cutting child care programs forces parents out of employment and into welfare.
- Child care is a small business many of which are owned by women and employ women.
- 6. Cuts to these programs would negatively affect local child care centers and family child care homes in El Dorado County.**

As always, please contact your local Choices for Children Office for more information or clarification of the current status of these issues.

The budget conferees are:

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