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Measure: SB1542

I SUPPORT SB1542. We the people have too high a tax burden, particularly the people of lower means. I'd rather the CAT tax be eliminated, but until then, I support the raise in the threshold to protect small businesses and especially small profit margin businesses. The more exemptions and other special rules, the greater the government administrative burden, and the greater the burden to the remaining businesses, more likely to bankrupt them. You'll get more tax revenue (and a thriving community) in the long run if you encourage small businesses.

Is government here to serve us? Or are we just a source of income for you? What philosophy do you actually want to govern by? Is that how you're voting?