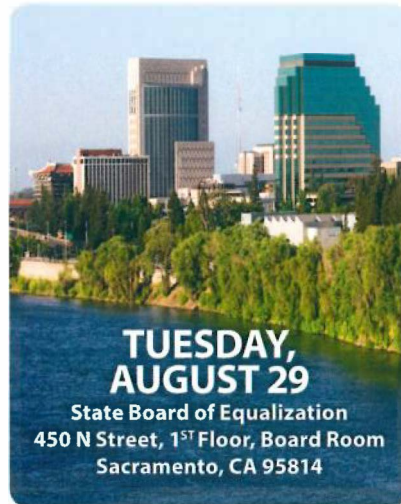
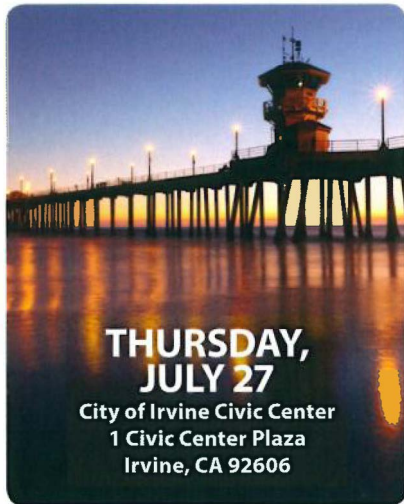


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2017 TAXPAYERS' BILL OF RIGHTS HEARINGS

PRESENT YOUR IDEAS AND CONCERNS AT THE
BUSINESS AND PROPERTY TAXES ANNUAL HEARINGS
The Bill of Rights Hearings will start at approximately 1:30 p.m.



FOR MORE INFORMATION OR COPIES OF THE ADVOCATE'S ANNUAL REPORT,
visit www.boe.ca.gov/tra or contact the
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RE: TAXPAYERS' BILL OF RIGHTS HEARINGS

I am pleased to invite you to attend the annual BOE Taxpayers' Bill of Rights public hearings before the Members of the California State Board of Equalization. The hearings will provide you, other local agency representatives and taxpayers with the opportunity to address the issues identified in the Taxpayers' Rights Advocate's Annual Report, to discuss means to correct problems described in the Report, and to comment on all Board-administered revenue programs or local property tax issues. Individuals can present their verbal or written proposals for changes to laws or to the Board's procedures, policies, or rules, including suggestions that may improve voluntary taxpayer compliance and the relationship between citizens and the state and local government employees who serve them.

The hearings will be held at the locations listed below starting at approximately 1:30 p.m., and may be viewed via a live-streamed or archived webcast.

Thursday
July 27, 2017

City of Irvine Civic Center
1 Civic Center Plaza
Irvine, CA 92606

Tuesday
August 29, 2017

State Board of Equalization
450 N Street, 1st Floor, Board Room
Sacramento, CA 95814

I have enclosed flyers and/or posters for this year's hearings (you may be receiving your materials in multiple envelopes). Please display the posters in public areas of your office(s) and make the flyers available to taxpayers and other interested parties. You may download a copy of our 2015-16 Annual Report from the Board's website at www.boe.ca.gov/tra.

If you have any questions regarding the hearings or would like to be scheduled as a speaker, please contact Mr. Mark Sutter at 916-324-2797 (Mark.Sutter@boe.ca.gov). Please let Mr. Sutter know if you would like additional copies of the flyer, poster, or Annual Report.

Sincerely,

Todd Gilman
Taxpayers' Rights Advocate