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## **Ventura County District Attorney Backs Runner for BOE**

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Ventura County District Attorney Greg Totten*

SACRAMENTO—Fresh on the heels of several successful months of campaigning up and down the state, Senator and Taxpayer Advocate George Runner has announced the endorsement of Ventura County District Attorney Greg Totten in his campaign for Board of Equalization.

"Senator George Runner has been a great protector of public safety," Totten said.

"I know he will serve as a strong advocate for all Californians on the Board of Equalization by ensuring our scarce tax dollars are reserved for the most important roles of government. That's why I support George Runner for BOE."

Board of Equalization District 2 encompasses all of Ventura County and is the largest of 4 districts that comprise California's statewide tax board.

"I am honored to have the endorsements of District Attorney Totten and so many other law enforcement officials from across the state. I look forward to campaigning in the weeks and months ahead with their help and support," said Runner.

George Runner currently represents a large southern portion of BOE District 2 in the State Senate. He is well known statewide for his work in implementing the successful Amber Alert system and passing Jessica's Law in 2006. He resides in Lancaster with his wife, former Assemblywoman Sharon Runner.

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