



MEDIA ADVISORY

For events occurring June 27, 2017

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***SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA PUBLIC HEALTH & SAFETY ADVOCATES
TO RALLY AGAINST PROPOSED 4 A.M. LAST CALL FOR
BARS, RESTAURANTS, AND CLUBS***

***OVER-CONCENTRATION, OVER-CONSUMPTION, AND PLAGUE OF ALCOHOL-
RELATED HARMS DO NOT A WORLD CLASS CITY MAKE***

LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA (June 25, 2017) – Alcohol Justice, the California Alcohol Policy Alliance, and the Los Angeles Drug and Alcohol Policy Alliance are hosting a press event to dispel any doubt that SB 384 - Wiener's 4 a.m. Bar Bill – is bad news for everyone except those selling booze.

What: Press Conference

When: Tuesday, June 27, 2017 9 a.m.

Where: Los Angeles City Hall - Steps Facing 1st Street, Los Angeles, CA 90012

Who: Invited Participants:

- AADAP
- Alcohol Justice
- American Indians in Film and Television
- California Alcohol Policy Alliance (CAPA)
- California College and University Police Chiefs Association
- Coalition to Prevent Alcohol-Related Harms in LA Metro (*CoPALM*)
- Dr. Jonathan Fielding
- Friday Night Los Angeles
- Los Angeles Drug and Alcohol Policy Alliance (L.A. DAPA)
- Los Angeles Police Department
- Los Angeles Department of Public Health
- MADD
- Poursafe
- Santee Solutions
- The Westside Coalition
- Women Against Gun Violence

Why:

- SB 384 can extend bar hours to 4 a.m., causing neighborhood noise and violence later into the night, filling emergency rooms and costing cities more in police and ambulance services
- California already suffers more annual alcohol-related harm than any other state:
 - 10,572 deaths
 - 17,700 hospitalizations
 - \$34 billion cost to public
 - \$13.7 billion cost to government

- SB 384 provides no extra funding to help local governments pay for increased costs of police, fire, EMS, and emergency department staff to clean up the extra harm that two more hours of alcohol consumption will cause
- There is no ABC capacity to regulate late night bars
- There is little or no mass transportation available in most CA cities at 4 a.m.
- SB 384 advocates misuse the term “Local Control” which is ineffectual in controlling alcohol consumption
- Passing SB 384 will lead to more vehicle crash injuries, emergency room admissions, and alcohol-related assault and injury
- SB 384 is bad public policy that will only benefit those who profit from the manufacture and sale of alcohol while increasing the personal tragedies and financial costs of alcohol-related harm



Organizations Statewide Opposed to SB 384 - Wiener's 4 a.m. Bar Bill
(Current as of June 6, 2017)

A Sobering Choice Coalition
 ADAAP, Inc.
 ADAPT Lamorinda
 ADAPT San Ramon Valley
 Alcohol Justice
 Alcohol Policy Panel – San Diego
 9th District PTA
 Circulate San Diego
 Discover Pacific Beach
 Episcopal Community Services
 Escondido Police Department
 Institute for Public Strategies
 New Life Church
 Pathfinders
 Rady Children's Hospital
 San Diego City College
 Scripps Mercy Hospital
 UCSD
 California Alcohol Policy Alliance
 Alcohol-Narcotic Education Foundation
 Bay Area Community Resources
 CA Council on Alcohol Problems
 Center for Open Recovery
 Eden Youth and Family Center
 Institute for Public Strategies
 FASD Network of Southern CA
 FreeMUNI – SF
 Friday Night Live Partnership
 L.A. County Friday Night Live
 Lutheran Office of Public Policy – California
 Mountain Communities Family Resource Center
 Paso por Paso, Inc.
 Project SAFER

Reach Out
 San Rafael Alcohol & Drug Coalition
 SF DogPAC
 SAY San Diego
 Saving Lives Drug & Alcohol Coalition
 South Orange County Coalition
 The Wall Las Memorias Project
 UCEPP Social Model Recovery Systems
 California College and University Police Chiefs' Association
 California Council on Alcohol Problems
 California Youth Council
 Coalition for Drug Free Escondido
 Coalition for San Francisco Neighborhoods:
 Barbary Coast Neighborhood Association (BCNA)
 Cathedral Hill Neighbors Association (CHNA)
 Cole Valley Improvement Association
 Cow Hollow Association
 Diamond Heights Community Association (DHCA)
 East Mission Improvement Association
 Excelsior District Improvement Association (EDIA)
 Forest Knolls Neighborhood Organization
 Francisco Heights Civic Association
 Golden Gate Heights Neighborhood Association (GGHNA)
 Greater West Portal Neighborhood Association (GWPNA)
 Haight Ashbury Improvement Association
 Jordan Park Improvement Association (JPJA)
 Laurel Heights Improvement Association (LHIA)
 Liberty Hill Neighborhood Assn (LHNA)
 Middle Polk Neighborhood Assn (MPNA)
 Midtown Terrace Homeowners Association (MTHA)
 Miraloma Park Improvement Club
 Oceanview/Merced Heights/Ingleside - Neighbors In Action (OMI-NIA)
 Pacific Heights Residents Association (PHRA)
 Parkmerced Action Coalition (PmAC)
 Potrero Boosters Neighborhood Association (PBNA)
 Richmond Community Association (RCA)
 Rincon Point Neighbors Association (RPNA)
 Russian Hill Improvement Association (RHIA)
 Sunset Heights Association of Responsible People / SHARP
 Sunset-Parkside Education & Action Committee / SPEAK
 Telegraph Hill Dwellers (THD)
 Twin Peaks Council & Open Space Conservancy, Inc. (TPCOSC)
 University Terrace Association (UTA)
 County Behavioral Health Directors Association of California
 FASD Network of Southern California
 Friday Night Live Partnership
 Golden Gateway Tenants Association
 Health Officers Association of California
 Los Angeles Drug and Policy Alliance
 Behavioral Health Services, Inc.
 Children's Hospital Los Angeles
 Koreatown Youth and Community Center
 Social Model Recovery Systems
 Women Against Gun Violence
 MADD Southern California

MFI Recovery Center
National Council on Alcoholism and Drug Dependence (NCADD) - Orange County
National Council on Alcoholism and Drug Dependence (NCADD) – San Fernando Valley
North Coastal Prevention Coalition
Partnership for Positive Pomona
Pueblo y Salud, Inc.
Rethinking Access to Drugs and Alcohol (RAD)
Day One
Jewish Family Services
Los Angeles Friday Night Live Partnership
NCADD – San Gabriel & Pomona Valleys
Pacific Clinics
San Diego County Police Chiefs' and Sheriffs' Association
San Francisco Prevention Coalition
Asian Youth Recovery Services
Boys and Girls Club
Filipino Community Center
Horizons Unlimited of San Francisco, Inc.
Japanese Community Youth Council
OMIE Beacon
Vietnamese Youth Development Center
San Marcos Prevention Coalition
Santee Collaborative
Santee Solutions Coalition
Saving Lives Camarillo
Sonoma County Board of Supervisors
Tarzana Treatment Centers, Inc.
The United Methodist Church
The Wall - Las Memorias Project
The West Hollywood Project
The Westside Impact Coalition
United Neighborhoods for Los Angeles
Youth Leadership Institute

For More Information go to: www.AlcoholJustice.org or www.alcoholpolicyalliance.org/

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