

Cuts Proposed to Local Programs May Affect You

How You Can Stop It

- Governor Schwarzenegger's state budget proposal includes a plan to take money from programs that fund local services.
 - \$550 million from Prop 10, California's First 5 programs
 - \$450 million from Prop 63, Mental Health Services Act (MHSA) programs
- His attempt to do this last year failed, as voters rejected Prop 1D (First 5) & 1E (MHSA). If his budget passes as proposed, the Propositions will be back on the ballot this year.
- These dollars currently fund many program and services to families in Fresno County, including many services provided by EPU.
- You, as a parent who has a child who has benefited from services here at EPU, can help keep funds in Fresno County by taking a few minutes to write to state representatives.
- You can write your own letter or we can give you a form to use. If you need help you with addressing and mailing the letters, just put them in the marked box and we will do the rest.

Thank you for your help and support!!!