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EL CENTRO

ALPHABETICAL LISTING
FOR EL CENTRO AREA

(Imperial and Riverside Counties)

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Williams, Helen M.	349 West Alexandria Calipatria, California 92233
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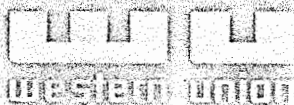
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Ref L. Adamson



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GOV REAGAN

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URGE THAT YOU DISAPPROVE THE CRLA BUDGET FOR NEXT YEAR, HAS
DEPARTED FROM ORIGINAL CONCEPT

PAUL AMES MEMBER STATE BOARD OF AGRIC
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GOVERNOR RONALD REAGAN

SACRAMENTO CALIF

PLEASE DISAPPROVE CRLA BUDGET FOR NEXT YEAR. WE FEEL SO MUCH
OF THE MONEY IS SPENT FOR DESTRUVE PURPOSES WHICH IS AGAINST
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LEE J ANDERSON SR

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427 "D" St
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Frank Augusta
1095 Strick Rd.
Brawley, Calif.

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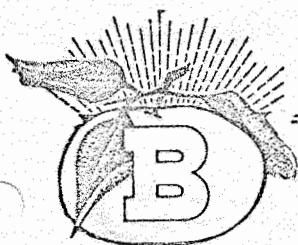
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Sincerely,

Edwin W. Baber



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December 21, 1970

Honorable Governor Ronald Reagan
Sacramento, Calif

Dear Governor:

As one who has been one of your strong supporters since your first candidacy I wish to ask you to please disapprove of the CRAA Budget for the coming year if not in its entirety then with limitation to prevent its misuse in supporting communists like Cesar Chavez & his followers & others who could be classed as "poor".

The idea was good but like many, including our present welfare plan, it has gone astray. Help us taxpayers by preventing another leak in the dike. You have tried to improve the situation in general but have you considered this one?

Sincerely yours
Bob & Mary Baier

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Chester J. Bailey
Brawley Calif.

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Barbara M. Batley
270 West 1st St
Seaside, Calif. 92138

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W A Bailey
270 West 1st St.
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Charles C Bowles
157 West Dote
Colton, Calif.

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*Imperial County Farm & Garden
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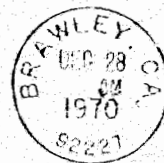
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Norman Zygmunt
489 Russell Rd
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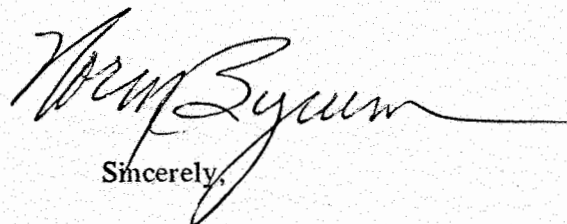
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Margaret Cannon
609 Gilmore
Brawley, California



Telegram

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STATE CAPITOL SACRAMENTO CALIF

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WE URGE YOU NOT TO ACCEPT FURTHER FUNERAL FUNDING OF THIS PROGRAM
R F CARTER GENERAL MANAGER IMPERIAL IRRIGATION DIST AND PRESIDENT
CALIF RECLAMATION ASSOCIATION.



Telegram

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GOVERNOR REAGAN SACRAMENTO CALIF

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THE CRLA PROGRAM WHICH IS FORTHCOMING

MR AND MRS GEORGE CASILLAS 480 WEST C ST BRAWLEY CALIF.

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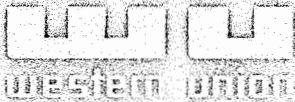
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DEAR GOVERNOR, WE STRONGLY URGE THAT YOU VETO CRLA PROGRAM

CITIZENS COMMITTEE FOR AGRICULTURE PO BOX 1668 EL CENTRO
CALIFORNIA 92243.

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Every misfit and malcontent, the uneducated alien, the revolutionist, and more, are encouraged and solicited by the C.R.L.A.

Sincerely,

George W. Clarke
577 Marilyn Ave
Brawley, Calif. 92227

P.S. Keep up the good work.

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376 J. St
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ROY B. COOPER
ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER

COURTHOUSE
939 MAIN STREET
EL CENTRO, CALIF. 92243
TELEPHONE 352-3610 • EXT. 285

December 28, 1970

The Honorable Ronald Reagan
Governor of the State of California
State Capitol
Sacramento, California 95814

Dear Governor Reagan:

I just want to take this opportunity to commend you for your action in vetoing the California Rural Legal Assistance program, as indicated in the 1971-72 Budget from the Office of Economic Opportunity.

The action you have taken, while perhaps unpopular in certain quarters, is certainly supported by the vast majority of persons who have had occasion to come in contact or have been affected by the activities of the CRLA as currently developed.

It is hoped the alternative program that is under consideration will have sufficient safeguards to insure that the provision of legal services for the poor in fact actually does benefit the poor and cannot be used for political purposes.

Respectfully yours,

Roy B. Cooper,
Administrative Officer.

RBC:jmv

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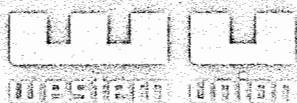
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DON CRUICKSHANCK EL CENTRO POULTRYMAN.

Telegram

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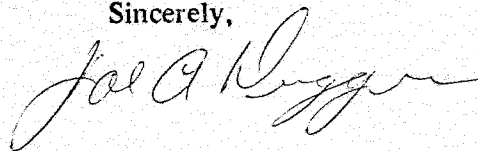
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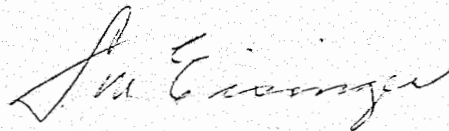
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Paul Elijah

*5210 Best Rd
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SACRAMENTO CALIF

PLEASE VETO THE APPROPRIATIONS FOR CRLA FUNDS

DR J A ELLIS 1226 AURORA DRIVE EL CENTRO CALIF.

John S. Felt, M.D., Inc.

131 MAIN STREET
BRAWLEY, CALIF. 92227

TELEPHONE 344-1626

December 19, 1970

The Honorable Ronald Reagan
Sacramento, California.

Dear Sir:

SUBJECT: DISAPPROVAL OF CRLA
BUDGET

California Rural Legal Assistance has been a detriment to our area since its inception.

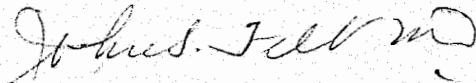
Among the many adverse and questionable activities it has participated in has been the Clinica Salubridad de Campesinos in Brawley. During a recent suit in Federal District Court brought by local people to enjoin the clinic, the CRLA donated the services of three attorneys to defend this group who had finagled a \$375,000 grant.

CRLA is known to be associated with a project to import aliens in spite of the fact that already 40% of this county's welfare budget is being spent on non-citizens. This is one of the major factors in the runaway cost of the State Welfare budget.

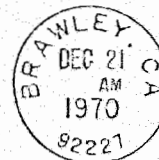
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A long tally of charges could further serve to point up the fact that this organization should be terminated without further delay.

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Melvin H. Ferguson
563 Wilbur
Brawley Calif 9222

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December 18, 1970

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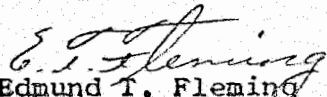
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We understand that you will take action on the CRLA
budget in the near future.

We feel that the original concept of legal aid to
the poor was valid; however, we do not agree that legal
actions filed by CRLA attorneys as "class actions"
against all echelons of government is in the best
interest of the general public. Many of those "class
action" suits have been, literally, ridiculous and have
been filed, in many instances, to harass and embarrass
government and individual respondents.

We, therefore, recommend that the CRLA budget be
disapproved.

Sincerely,


Edmund T. Fleming
Secretary-Treasurer

ETF:er

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Francis L. Taylor
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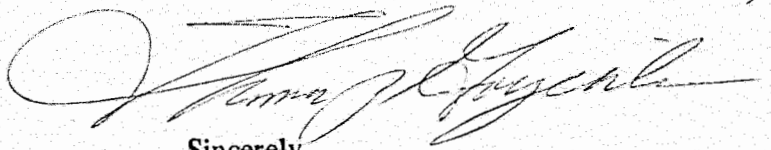
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521 WILLARD BRAWLEY

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Sincerely,

Cynthia A. Gray
c/o Mr. D. H.
Brawley, Calif.
92227



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Harold R Gray

OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL
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2676 St Brawley
Calif.

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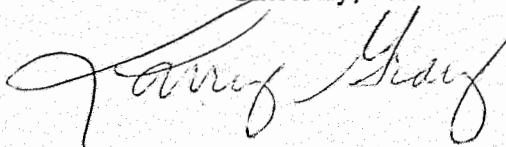
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GOVERNOR REAGAN

SACRAMENTO CALIF

WE STRONGLY URGE THAT YOU DISAPPROVE CRLA BUDGET REQUEST.
THE PAST MISUE OF TAX DOLLARS BY THIS ENTITY DOES NOT JUSTIFY
FURTHER EXPENDITURES SINCERELY
G&S FARMS INDIO CALIF
(918).

PERSONAL MAIL

December 9, 1970

Governor Reagan

Dear Sir:

I want to protest the using of our State and Federal Taxes for CRLA.

Recently you have been trying to do something about it and we appreciate your effort. The enclosed articles are just a few of the examples of how our CRLA attorneys are using the money.

Many attorneys in this program are minorities who have received a free education and then they are trying to destroy the system that made them what they are.

Some of these attorneys promote their own cases, such as the one at College of the Desert. They want to spread their political philosophy so they urge students to conduct all kinds of radical acts, with the promise that they will defend them free of charge.

We are all fed up with supporting such leeches. Mr. Edward Kennedy and Mr. Cranston do not like what you or Mr. Rumsfeld is doing.

Could you please have a man to man conference with Mr. Cranston and show him what a Democrat is unhappy with at our College of the Desert. That is only one of the many, many cases.

We do not want the poor to go with out legal aid but we do not want a Pork Barrel for the lazy crooked attorney who can not get an honest client.

We also hope you will support the firing of teachers who do not teach what they are hired to teach.

Thanks for Withholding Tax and the Fun License Plates. Next reduce my property tax and I might re register Republican.

J.J.G.

Palm Desert

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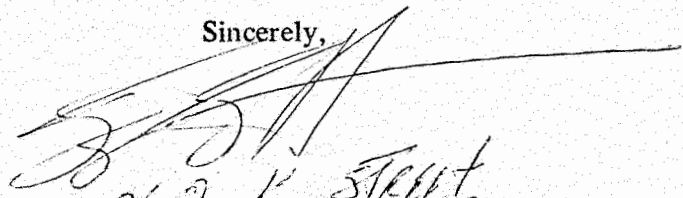
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260 K Street
Brawley, California
92327



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STATE CAPITOL SACRAMENTO CALIF

I FEEL THAT IT IS VITALLY IMPORTANT THAT CRLA FUNDS BE VETOED
AS THIS ORGANIZATION SERVES NO CONSTRUCTIVE PURPOSE FOR THIS
COMMUNITY

JIM HAMILTON 240 WEST J BRAWLEY CALIF.

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CITIZENS COMMITTEE FOR AGRICULTURE

P. O. Box 1668

El Centro, California 92243

Phone 352-3760

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Gov. Ronald Reagan

C/O State Capitol

Sacramento, California

Dear Gov. Reagan,

Our Citizens Committee For Agriculture in

Imperial Valley would like to go on record

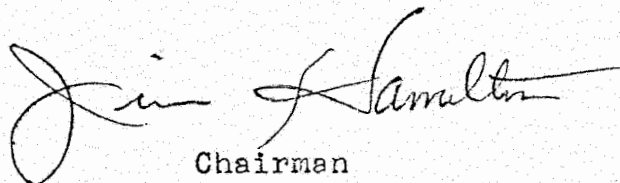
as urging a veto vote on the California Legal

Rural Assistance Program.

It is hurting the agriculture in our Valley

and is wasting taxpayers money.

Sincerely,


Chairman

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T.R. Russell

RT 1 Box 44

Brawley, Cal.

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STATE CAPITOL SACRAMENTO CALIF

DEAR GOVENOR REAGAN, WE STRONGLY URGE YOU TO VETO FUNDS FOR
THE CRLA PROGRAM WHICH IS FORTHCOMING

RAY HERNANDEZ 901 PAULIN AVE CALEXICO CALIF.

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Merlin R. Hooser Jr.
446 West A St.
Brawley, Calif. 92227

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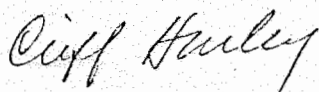
I am a Supervisor in Imperial County. I filled out the questionnaire from the Sacramento OEO Office on the CRLA and met with one of its staff members following up on the questionnaires.

In the past I have not been as dogmatically opposed to the CRLA as some other County people have. They do have some engaging young attorneys, however, I do recognize the CRLA as a supporting unit to the counter culture, and more specifically the "agrarian reformer" Cesar Chavez.

The participation of Bob Johnstone, CRLA attorney, at the December 10 MECHA sponsored Chicano "free Chavez" rally at our court house is a good example of their involvement. Dr. Radebough, the staff director of the migrant clinic (HEW), was purported to be there too. (CRLA did the staff set up work in organizing the clinic). A very significant point in CRLA involvement in the rally is that a "demand" to free Chavez is a request for an illegal act. I do not know what the San Francisco OEO office has proposed to do to defuse their own political activism. Resolve, with the present staff, is probably an "impossible dream".

Therefore, I ask for your veto of the CRLA funding. Do gooder support of revolutionary forces is bad enough. Taxpayer support of the counter culture is worse.

Respectfully yours,



Clifton D. Hurley
Supervisor, District #2
Imperial County Board of Supervisors
P. O. Box 1318
El Centro, Ca. 92243

cc: Dr. R. Leslie Smith, Regional Health Director, H.E.W., San Francisco
Lewis K. Uhler, Director, O.E.O., Sacramento

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Dear Gov. Reagan,

May I urge you not to
approve the budget for the
C.R.L.A. for the coming year.

It is a divisive element in
our county, stirring up
people to complain about
things that haven't really
bothered them. It seems to
me a good place to start
balancing the budget.

Sincerely

Carol B. Jack

345 E. St
Berkeley
Cal 94704

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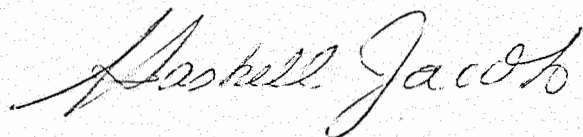
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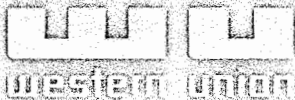
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SACRAMENTO CALIF

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HAVE ATTACHED

THE BRAWLEY SCHOOL BOARD, THE CITY OF IMPERIAL, THE IRRIGATION
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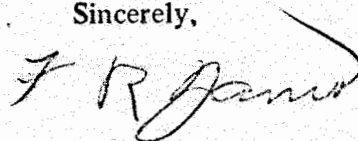
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