March 11, 2025

City of Palm Desert Council Chamber / City Hall 73510 Fred Waring Dr. Palm Desert, CA. Attention: Clerk of the Board

Re: Written letter to be entered in the Public record and made available for public Inspection for the March 13, 2025 (4:PM) regular scheduled Palm Desert City Council meeting - Agenda Item: 10.f (Ratify the already delivered February 28, 2025 letter opposing the proposed California's State University (CSU) Budget Cuts of \$375 million dollars)

Dear current Palm Desert City Council members,

Please review my written statements listed below prior to the consideration of agenda Item: 10.f request for ratification of an already constructed and delivered letter signed by the current rotating Mayor opposing California's State University (CSU) system proposed Budget Cuts of Three Hundred and Seventy Five Million dollars.

As stated in the Citys staff report in regards to this agenda Item (10.f) - The City of Palm Desert received a request from the California State University (CSU), San Bernardino, Office of Government, Tribal and Community Relations for a letter opposing the proposed (CSU) Budget Cuts.

The City of Palm Desert subcommittee on Legislative Affairs directed that a letter in opposition be issued, that letter was dated February 28, 2025.

It's nonsensical to approve (Ratify) a written correspondence (letter) that was constructed and delivered prior to it's official approval from the City of Palm Desert selected (elected) representatives (City Council).

It's reasonable to consider that (CSU) Palm Desert Campus is a economically benefit for the City and surrounding communities. But it's critical to consider the out-of-control spending from California State politicians and special Interests that have allowed for a financial future of uncertainty for the very students that (CSU) serve and the over burdened California taxpayer's that are forced to finance our States overspending.

It's very reasonable that the City of Palm Desert (Legislative subcommittee) have overstepped its authority. The current City Council should consider it's population of critical thinking individuals that desire to have a financial future for the next generation(s) free of crippling financial enslavement.

Recently the City of Palm Desert Council amended (newly created) policy that forevermore changed how "Street Vacations" are considered within the City. Also, the Council restricted

potential business Interests in the City right-of-ways with Banning artificial turf from being installed. It's worth noting that several (Artificial grass contractors operate from within the City's boundaries). Pleaae be advised that all business Interests are at risk from Budget Cuts - and City governments should consider all the importance of ne over another.

Sincerely,

Brad Anderson | Rancho Mirage, CA. |

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