# SMALL BUSINESSES **WILL BE DEVASTATED!**



SAY NO TO PROP 15 - THE \$11.5 BILLION-A-YEAR PROPERTY TAX HIKE

### WHAT DOES PROP 15'S **PROPERTY TAX HIKE MEAN FOR SMALL BUSINESSES?**



Most small businesses rent the property on which they operate and have what is called a "triple net lease" where they are responsible for paying property taxes, insurance, and maintenance costs. Prop 15 will mean skyrocketing rents at a time when the federal and state government is trying to provide small businesses with rent relief to keep their doors open.

#### WHAT SMALL BUSINESSES WILL PAY HIGHER RENTS?













**STORES** 

**SALONS** 

#### WHICH SMALL BUSINESSES WILL BE HURT THE MOST?

Numerous studies indicate that raising property taxes on small businesses will disproportionately hurt

female- and minority-owned businesses the most.

#### **HOW WILL SMALL BUSINESSES COPE WITH** THE LARGEST PROPERTY TAX HIKE IN STATE HISTORY?

#### HALF OF ALL CALIFORNIA EMPLOYEES **WORK FOR A SMALL BUSINESS**

The measure's property tax hike and higher rents will force many small businesses to:

- Raise consumer prices
- Lay off employees
- Move out of state
- Shut their doors



### **SMALL BUSINESSES ARE ALREADY STRUGGLING**

Prop 15 will make it even more difficult for them to reopen their doors or stay in business as a result of this economic crisis.

## **VOTE NO ON PROP 15 IN NOVEMBER**

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