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**DEMOCRATIC PARTY OF THE SAN FERNANDO VALLEY**

April 17, 2021

RE: DPSFV Supports Assembly Bill 960 [Compassionate Release and Medicaid Parole]

Representatives of the Honorable San Fernando Valley Delegation:

On behalf of the Democratic Party of the San Fernando Valley (DPSFV), we are pleased to report that our Executive Board voted to support AB 960 which seeks to expand compassionate release and medical parole policies.

We urge you to support this vital piece of legislation.

DPSFV was founded in 1978 and is chartered by the Los Angeles County Democratic Central Committee. Our organization is the coordinating body for a coalition of twenty-one Democratic Clubs located in the six Assembly Districts (38, 39, 43, 45, 46, and 50) which are wholly or partially in the San Fernando Valley.

The DPSFV Political Action Committee met last month to discuss AB 960 and voted to recommend that the DPSFV Executive Board support this important piece of legislation. The committee noted that this legislation will align CDCR's definition of medical vulnerabilities with the national standard set by the CDC. Furthermore, this legislation streamlines the process for applying medical parole, among other technical changes. For these reasons, we urge you to support AB 960.

Please note that DPSFV will be tracking this bill as it travels through the Legislature. Your voting record will be noted and may be considered should you ever seek our endorsement. Your office is always welcome to contact DPSFV if you have any questions.

Sincerely and respectfully,



Chair Sean M. Rivas  
Democratic Party of the San Fernando Valley

cc: Assembly Members Rivas, Friedman, Gabriel, Nazarian, Bloom and Bonta (Author)  
Senators Hertzberg, Portantino, Stern, and Allen

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