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The Honorable Dave Cortese
California State Senate
1021 O Street, Suite 7340
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Subject: Support for SB 1392 (Cortese/Grove) – Smog Check: Exemption for Collector Motor Vehicles

Dear Senator Cortese,

The Siskiyou County Board of Supervisors writes in support of SB 1392, which would provide a limited smog check exemption for qualifying collector vehicles that are at least 35 model years old and insured as collector vehicles.

SB 1392 recognizes the unique nature of collector vehicles by establishing an exemption for vehicles that are not used as primary transportation and are maintained for restoration, exhibition, and preservation purposes. The bill provides a reasonable distinction for these vehicles while preserving the broader framework of California's smog check program.

For these reasons, the Siskiyou County Board of Supervisors respectfully supports SB 1392.

Sincerely,

Signed by:

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