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The Honorable Jim Frazier
California State Assembly
State Capitol, Room 3091
Sacramento, CA 95814

Re: AB 377 (Fraizer): Child care subsidy plans: Counties of San Diego and Solano – SUPPORT

Dear Assemblymember Frazier,

On behalf of the Solano County Board of Supervisors, I write in support of your AB 377, which would authorize Solano County to develop and implement an individualized county child care subsidy plan to maximize and efficiently use child care subsidy funds to meet local conditions and provide children and families access to quality child care.

Currently California utilizes a uniform state family income eligibility cut-off that does not reflect high costs of living. Families in Solano County are stuck in a tough spot because they barely earn enough to meet the cost of living while also considered to have too high of an income to qualify for child care subsidies.

By allowing local control and more flexibility on eligibility, AB 377 will allow the County to use funds that have already been allocated to ensure quality learning programs are available for all of the families in Solano County.

For all of these reasons, the Solano County Board of Supervisors is pleased to support your AB 377 and would like to thank you for authoring this important measure.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "John M. Vasquez".

John M. Vasquez, Chair
Solano County Board of Supervisors

CC: Members and Consultants, Assembly Health and Human Services Committee
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