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RE: SB 270 – SUPPORT

Dear Assembly Members:

CRRA applauds Senators Padilla, de León, and Lara for authoring a bill that would phase out the use of single-use plastic grocery bags, and impose a price on single-use paper grocery bags.

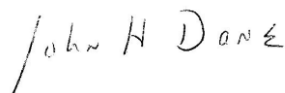
CRRA believes that the environmental and social benefits of reducing and eventually eliminating single-use plastic shopping bags are a settled matter, and that the arguments against SB 270 are short-sighted and narrowly defined.

CRRA enthusiastically supports SB 270 and urges you to vote AYE.

Sincerely,



Rob Hilton, President



John H. Dane, CAE, Executive Director

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Senator Kevin de León
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