



April 22, 2009

Honorable Jose Solorio, Member
California State Assembly
State Capitol, Room 2196
Sacramento, CA 95814

RE: AB 1439 – SUPPORT

Dear Assemblymember Solorio:

The Riverside Sheriffs' Association, which represents over 3,200 rank and file deputy sheriffs, sheriffs, deputy probation officers, law enforcement investigators and counselors, coroners and bailiffs – the entire law enforcement team in Riverside County - supports your bill, AB 1439.

AB 1439 requires the Director of the Office of Gang and Youth Violence Policy to consolidate and streamline gang and youth violence grant programs, giving priority to those programs that employ evidence based practices.

Very truly yours,

Pat McNamara
President

Timothy H. B. Varyan
Legislative Counsel and Advocate

cc: Assembly Committee on Public Safety
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