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**Painters and Allied Trades District Council #36
Endorses Assemblymember Betsy Butler for Re-election**

The Painters and Allied Trades District Council #36 today announced their endorsement of Assemblymember Betsy Butler and her re-election to the California State Assembly.

“Since we made our initial endorsement in the race, the field of candidates has broadened significantly,” said Robert Smith, Political Director for the Painters and Allied Trades District Council #36. “With the candidacy of Betsy Butler, who is the incumbent in the race, we know we have a leader who takes action, rather than just voting. Betsy Butler has been a champion for working families in the State Legislature, and we therefore have withdrawn our prior endorsement and enthusiastically support her re-election in the 50th District.”

The Painters and Allied Trades District Council #36 represents over 11,000 working men and women in Southern California. Their members work in the finishing trades and include painters, glaziers, floorlayers, drywall finishers, and tradeshow and signcraft workers.

“I am proud to receive the support of Painters and Allied Trades District Council #36,” said Butler. “We share a commitment to advocating for working Californians and promoting job creation here in California.”

Assemblymember Betsy Butler was elected to the California State Assembly in 2010 and is seeking re-election in the 50th Assembly District. Butler’s work has focused on fighting for consumers, advocating for working families and protecting the environment. In the State Assembly, she serves on the Assembly Budget Committee, the Budget Sub-Committee on Resources and Transportation, the Committees on Business and Professions; Education; Arts, Entertainment, Sports, Tourism and Internet Media; and Rules.

For a complete list of endorsements, visit www.betsybutler.com.