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Mrs. Daniel Tolmach
Oxnard, California

Dear Jane:

I am sorry that it appears that we do not see eye to eye on so many issues. You are a very important person to me and I truly desire to please you in my public stance. However, if I were to consider public opinion as a guide to my actions, I would have to oppose the following issues which I support:

- 1) State withholding tax;
- 2) Open housing;
- 3) Income tax as an equitable tax;
- 4) Candidates cross-filing;
- 5) Stringent gun control laws;
- 6) Parental identification with children's misconduct, and
- 7) Learn, earn and reimburse plan for higher education.

If I were to consider public opinion as a guide to my actions, I would have to support the following issues which I oppose:

- 1) Capital punishment;
- 2) Liberalized abortion;
- 3) Tougher laws as a solution to crime and delinquency;
- 4) Mandatory fluoridation;
- 5) Expansion of night horse-racing and gambling;
- 6) Budget cuts relating to social programs;
- 7) Our military involvement in Southeast Asia;
- 8) Repeal of the Rumford Act;
- 9) Partisanship in local public office;
- 10) University and college budget cuts; and
- 11) Imposition of tuition at colleges and universities.

As you can see, Jane, it is not an easy thing for me to fit my philosophy and public position on issues to fit with the majority of the public. Under the circumstances, I am either going to be extremely popular next year when I submit my name

to the electorate or a complete bust. You pick your choice. Seriously, I feel that I am giving sound and constructive energy to the problems that are under discussion and I am always open to consider your reasons for opposing any position I may take.

Please keep in touch with me on these and other matters.

Sincerely,

Ken Mac Donald
J. K. MAC DONALD

P.S. I am attaching my statement on the fluoridation issue.

PS
We killed
Senate Bills
1019 & 1020 on
The Senate side
there were bad
bills and I
opponents Don: letter
Ken