



## STATE OF CALIFORNIA

LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR CRUZ M. BUSTAMANTE

# Resolution

## Hepatitis C Task Force

California Counties HCV Task Force Delegation to the First Inter-County Statewide Hepatitis C Task Force Conference

**WHEREAS**, I am pleased to honor and recognize those who are gathered here today to promote awareness and timely education about Hepatitis C in the State of California; and

**WHEREAS**, in light of the increasing demand for Hepatitis C-related services and information in the public and private health care systems of California, I applaud those who continue to work hard to form county task forces to address Hepatitis C prevention, education, research and treatment issues for all Californians; and

**WHEREAS**, I am pleased that the leadership of the County Departments of Health, in partnership with local agencies and with the support of the American Liver Foundation, has created model HCV Task Forces that encourage cooperative efforts for California's communities in response to the health concerns of Hepatitis C; now, therefore be it

**RESOLVED**, that I, Cruz M. Bustamante, Lieutenant Governor of the State of California, do hereby honor and recognize those in attendance at this First Inter-County Conference for their distinguished efforts in increasing public awareness of Hepatitis C and facilitating vital research; and I encourage all Californians to join me in doing so.

I hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed on this 13<sup>th</sup> day of March, of the year Two Thousand and Two.



*Cruz M. Bustamante*

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Lieutenant Governor