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**Greetings, Esteemed Board of Ventura County Supervisors,**

I hope this message finds you well.

I am writing in support of the **Election Education Series** led by Mrs. Michelle Ascencion, Ventura County Clerk-Recorder. The Election Education Series which has been a beneficial tool for continued review, learning, and education for Ventura County residents. This learning session has been a transparent and inclusive method for the public to hear and learn about the Voters Choice Act making the information available, assessable, and useful for the voters of Ventura County.

**As a busy Ventura County resident (since 1965),** this learning series has provided me with a method to remain abreast of pertinent current information informing my voting decisions. I recently viewed the October 17, 2023, and November 7, 2023, videos from the comfort of my home while giving the information the focused attention it demands. It is important to note that Mrs. Ascencion delivers the information with clarity and shares multiple extended resources to delve deeper in the topic and learning, if one so chooses.

**As we reach our 2024 election season, it is critical to state that I wholeheartedly have confidence in the security of our Ventura County elections.** Mrs. Michelle Ascencion and her staff are diligent, focused, professionals who deliver the information and resources necessary to prepare Ventura County voters to make their informed voting decisions. Their continuous transparent work is strategically focused on serving the residents of Ventura County.

Please continue the Election Education Series on behalf of the residents of Ventura County!

***"Education does not transform the world. Education changes people. People change the world.***

**-Paulo**

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Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,  
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