



# *City of Encinitas* *City Council's Office*

September 20, 2021

The Honorable Gavin Newsom  
State Capital building 1st Floor  
Sacramento, California 95814

*Catherine S. Blakespear*  
Mayor

AB 66 (Boerner Horvath) – Support

Dear Governor Newsom,

*Tony Kranz*  
Deputy Mayor

On behalf of the City of Encinitas we are pleased to support AB 66 (Boerner Horvath), and we request that you sign this bill into law. This measure relates to coastal resources and research for early warning systems for landslides and erosion, including bluff collapses and is a very important topic for this and all coastal bluff communities.

*Joe Mosca*  
Council Member

AB 66 would allocate \$2.5 million to UC San Diego to conduct a research study to improve coastal monitoring capabilities and observation necessary for the state's development of a coastal bluff early warning system. The research would be conducted at Beacon's Beach in the City of Encinitas, and in the City of Del Mar.

*Kellie Shay Hinze*  
Council Member

With the passage of AB 66 and the development of an early warning system, it is our hope that erosions, landslides, and bluff collapses may be better anticipated. It is for this reason we are pleased to support AB 66, and we request that you sign this bill into law.

Sincerely,

*Joy Lyndes*  
Council Member

Catherine S. Blakespear  
Mayor

*Pamela Antil*  
City Manager