

COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

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July 1, 2025

The Honorable Adam Schiff Hart Senate Office Building #112 Washington, DC 20510

Dear Senator Schiff:

On behalf of the Humboldt County Board of Supervisors, I am writing to thank you for your opposition to HR 1 and specifically the provisions that dismantle the safety net for seniors and low-income individuals and families in our county.

The Humboldt County Board of Supervisors:

- Opposes legislation that reduces federal investment in Medicaid or restricts eligibility for Medicaid.
- Opposes legislation that reduces federal investment in Affordable Care Act marketplaces such as Covered California.
- Oppose budget cuts to health and human services programs.
- Supports legislation that improves access to health care services in rural places.
- Supports full funding for the Older Americans Act, expanded Medicare coverage, and federal investment in services and supports for older adults and caregivers.

HR 1 moves our county and the country in the wrong direction. The Board is deeply concerned about the impacts this legislation will have on the health and safety of our most vulnerable residents. We urge you to continue to do everything in your power to mitigate the damaging effects HR 1 will have on the California state budget, the safety net and those who rely on it.

Sincerely,

Michelle Bushnell

Chair, Humboldt County Board of Supervisors

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The Honorable Alex Padilla 331 Hart Senate Office Building Washington, D.C. 20510

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The Honorable Jared Huffman 1527 Longworth House Office Building Washington, DC 20515

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