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WEEKLY UPDATE FOR AUGUST 29, 2008

The CCSO office will be **Closed** on Labor Day
MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 1ST



Budget Update:

Senator Don Perata called, for a vote on a variation of the Governor's latest Budget proposal. The latest Budget proposal centers on the temporary three-year 1-cent sales tax increase. The spending plan will encompass a rainy day fund and midyear cut authority to address future downturns in revenues.

No one knows if this latest proposal has the necessary 2/3rds support to pass the Budget. What we do know, is that if California Legislators do not pass a Budget by September 1st, the 2008 impasse will officially be the longest in California history. The latest date, so far, that the Legislature passed a budget was on August 31, 2002. The then Governor Gray Davis signed that budget on September 5th. Let's see how long it takes for this year's Budget to pass. Don't hold your breath!!

Take Care and Be Safe