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Dear Governor Brown:

I am very pleased to see that you have earmarked significant additional funds to defend our recent immigrants. The US immigration system has created a large group of second class Californians. People without enough documentation are subject to arbitrary federal detention and deportation. While this has long been true these attacks appear to be increasing. This is very destructive to the lives of many Californians, uprooting them, their families, friends and coworkers. This will create an underclass, fearing access to police, courts, schools and many jobs. Your resistance is much appreciated.

Please assure me that you will sign the sanctuary bill SB 54.

I am very proud to be a fourth generation California resident and a large part of that pride derives from our vibrant immigrant community.

Sincerely,
Eric Babson