March 21, 2018

Assembly Member Bloom
State Capitol, Room 2003
Sacramento, California 95814

SUBJECT: SUPPORT FOR AB 2434 (BLOOM) – HEALTH IN ALL POLICIES PLANNING – in Assembly Health Committee – April 3rd

Dear Assembly Member Bloom:

APA California is pleased to support AB 2434. Your bill would permanently establish the Health in All Policies Program so that state departments can continue to integrate health and equity into programs and policies.

APA California has been working on our own initiatives intended to foster greater collaboration between planners and public health professionals. Those initiatives, Plan4Health and Planners4Health, focus on promoting greater coordination between planners and public health professionals at the state and local level so that they can help their communities support and implement healthy living choices. APA appreciates your efforts on this important issue.

If you have any questions, please contact Lauren De Valencia, Stefan/George Associates, APA California’s lobbyist, at 443-5301, lauren@stefangeorge.com.

Sincerely,

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cc: Members of the Assembly Health Committee, The Governor, OPR, Republican Caucus