# CITY OF ALBANY CITY COUNCIL AGENDA STAFF REPORT

Agenda Date: 1/18/2011

Reviewed by: BP

**SUBJECT:** Resolution #11-3, A Resolution of the Albany City Council Requesting

that the Alameda County District Attorney Pursue Alternatives to Death

Penalty Sentences in Alameda County.

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## SOCIAL AND ECONOMIC JUSTICE COMMISSION RECOMMENDATION

Approve Resolution #11-3 calling for the District Attorney in Alameda County to pursue alternatives other than the death sentence and to invest resources public safety programs.

#### **BACKGROUND**

This issue was brought before Council at the meeting of October 18, 2010. At that time, Council developed suggested revisions and requested input from the Social and Economic Justice Commission (SEJC). The SEJC reviewed the suggestions and subsequently revised the language of the resolution, as reflected in the new Resolution 11-3. The Council suggestions were all adopted.

#### SUSTAINABILITY IMPACT

N/A

### **FINANCIAL IMPACT**

None.

#### Attachments:

- 1. Resolution #2011-3
- 2. Prior Resolution #2010-53