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### Government Affairs Action for the week of March 22, 2020

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#### Help for REALTORS® in Federal COVID-19 Relief

Help for REALTORS® is part of the \$2 trillion Coronavirus Aid, Relief and Economic Security (CARES) Act which passed the House and Senate and was signed by the President Friday afternoon. Details [here](#).

Learn more about how the CARES Act will help REALTORS® during the Bay East "virtual" town hall on March 31. The event will include presentations by staff from NAR and C.A.R., Bay East Legal Counsel and staff. Register [here](#).

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#### Statewide Eviction Moratorium

On Friday, March 27, Governor Newsom enacted a statewide moratorium on evicting tenants who are unable to pay rent due to the COVID-19 crisis.

The C.A.R. legal team is in the process of determining if the statewide ban will supersede moratoriums such as those recently enacted in Alameda, Berkeley, Fremont, Hayward, Oakland and Union City.

More information [here](#).

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#### COVID-19 Guide for Bay East Members

The COVID-19 crisis is evolving quickly. Bay East is providing an updated guide with information about a variety of services [here](#).

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If you have any questions or any government-related real estate issues you want Bay East to research, please contact Bay East [staff](#).

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