

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE January 31, 2018

Contact: Roger Salazar (916) 284-1255

## Attorney General Xavier Becerra Raises \$4 Million for Campaign in 1st Year

SACRAMENTO -- Attorney General Xavier Becerra today announced that his campaign for Attorney General raised more than \$4 million in 2017 for his campaign for Attorney General in 2018.

"I am humbled to have earned the support of so many Californians as we fight on the frontline to keep our families safe and protect our rights and our values," Becerra said. "California's not turning back, so I'm ready to take every fight underway all the way to the finish line."

In the 4th quarter of 2017, the campaign raised \$1,554,796 in monetary contributions and \$57,315.21 in non-monetary contributions for a total of \$1,612,111.21.

To date, Attorney General Xavier Becerra's campaign has raised <u>\$4,032,549</u> and has **\$3,168,840.95** cash-on-hand. That total fundraising figure is more raised for Attorney General 2018 than all other declared candidates combined.

Xavier Becerra has been endorsed by: the California Professional Firefighters, the California Teachers Association, the California Statewide Law Enforcement Association, Equality California, SEIU California, Planned Parenthood Affiliates of California, Laborers International Union of North America, California State Building and Construction Trades Council, AFSCME California, and the California State Pipe Trades Council.

Xavier Becerra became California's 33rd Attorney General in January of 2017 when he was nominated by Governor Jerry Brown and confirmed by the California State Legislature. Becerra's work as California's chief law enforcement officer follows more than two decades of service representing the people of Los Angeles in the U.S. House of Representatives. Prior to that, he served as a state assemblyman and California deputy attorney general.

Becerra for Attorney General 2018 ~ FPPC# 1394091