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SUPPORT 99 CENTS ONLY STORES TRANSITION

Earlier this month, Number Holdings, Inc., the direct parent company of 99 Cents Only Stores LLC, announced that it had filed for Chapter 11 relief and would begin winding down its business at all 371 stores nationwide.

There are 143 stores in the Southern California region, of which 59 locations are within Los Angeles County leaving hundreds of employees without work – exacerbating issues of poverty and housing insecurity and impacting local economic growth. Recently, Pic ‘N’ Save Bargains, a company with origins in Los Angeles, has expressed interest in purchasing and operating the 446 **143** stores in Southern California.

The County is dedicated to supporting the dedicated employees, customers, partners, and communities impacted by 99 Cents Only Stores.

WE, THEREFORE, MOVE that the Board of Supervisors direct the Chief Executive Office to send a five-signature letter to the Governor’s Office of Business and Economic Development to support the sale and transaction of the 99 Cent Only Stores in Southern California.

WE, FURTHER, MOVE that the Board of Supervisors direct the Department of Economic Opportunity to continue to support and advocate for all impacted employees of 99 Cents Only Stores.

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