

# Contra Costa County



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### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

**GUS S. KRAMER, CONTRA COSTA COUNTY ASSESSOR  
ISSUES IMPORTANT MESSAGE TO TAXPAYERS**

## Contra Costa County Assessment Practices Survey January 2019

The "Assessment Practices Survey Program" is one of the State's major efforts to promote uniformity, fairness, equity, and integrity in the property tax assessment process. Under this program, the State Board of Equalization (BOE) periodically reviews (surveys) every county assessor's office in the State and publishes a report of their findings. These reports reflect the BOE's findings in the periodic surveys of the 58 county assessors' offices throughout the State.

**Contra Costa County Assessor's Office was rated the BEST of the seven Bay Area counties' most recent surveys, with only five recommendations by the BOE.**

<u>County</u>	<u>Recommendations</u>
Contra Costa	5
Alameda	7
Monterey	10
San Joaquin	9
Santa Clara	6
Santa Cruz	8
Solano	8

You may view the **Contra Costa County Assessment Practices Survey January 2019** in its entirety on the BOE's website at:

<http://www.boe.ca.gov/proptaxes/pdf/07apsr0119.pdf>