## **Rools of Change**

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## Raise the Barn! ROCk the State!

Help ROC BreakNew Ground Again!We've beenquiet, but busy this year building the good food movement. This email announces a <u>newfrontier</u> for the movement. But first a quick update!

ROC won athree-year effort to create and fund the **CaliforniaNutrition Incentives Act**! It improves the lives of low-income families andsmall farmers in your community. Our campaign to pass a state tax on sugarybeverages to fund vibrant local food sources continues. In November we'll issuethe nation's first state-focused food and farm legislative scorecard!



Andthere's more! This emailies a special request to accelerate the change. Please participate in our Barnraisercrowd funding campaign that begins today and will run until November 18th!

Thisis the first crowd funding campaign of food policy nonprofit working at thestate level. Let's prove it can work! It beganwhen four generous friends of ROC gave us donations totaling \$50,000 dollars with a challenge to raise more. They did this because we have momentum! ROC and allies are working strategically to light a fire under state government. Join us to

- Grow food enterprises and green jobs
- Protect our kids from too many sugary drinks and agrochemicals
- Improve school meals
- Empower farmers and ranchers to build healthysoil and recapture CO2
- Ensure all Californians can access and affordorganic, fresh food
- Preserve precious water, healthy soil and agricultural lands.

So please hit<u>thelink</u> and take a look at our rewards, make a donation, share with friendsand fund a brighter future. Together we'll rock the state and nation bytransforming food and farms.

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PS: ROC will be in dosetouch during the campaign to reveal the scope of our actions and the reasonswhy



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