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Red to Blue California Statement on Congressman Darrell Issa Announcing He Won't Seek Reelection

MODESTO, CA – Today, Monday, January 8th, **Red to Blue California** President Michael Eggman released the following statement regarding Republican Congressman Darrell Issa's decision to forego reelection and retire from Congress at the end of 2018.

"Congressman Darrell Issa, one of many Republican members of congress who've repeatedly ignored the values of constituents, is now the latest to forgo reelection. Issa's decision following Representative Ed Royce's earlier this week clearly shows what happens when we organize and resist. Our movement to hold these members accountable has proven to be more powerful than Donald Trump or any wealthy donor looking for a tax break. Red to Blue California's fight is not over - we will not let up until all seven Republican-held seats are put back into Democratic hands."

Launched in June of 2017, Red to Blue California is focused on defeating the seven incumbent California congress members currently representing districts carried by Hillary Clinton in 2016. Additionally, Red to Blue California is committed to electing local Democratic leaders to offices that sit in any of these seven red districts in order to build a bench of future Democratic Party leaders.

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