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PROPERTY TAX DEADLINE FAST APPROACHING! *Tax Collector extends deadline by 2 DAYS!*

San Diego, CA... San Diego County Treasurer - Tax Collector Dan McAllister today reminded San Diego County Taxpayers that the deadline to pay the first installment of their 2011-2012 property taxes is approaching. **Beginning tomorrow, taxpayers will have twelve days to pay before the extended deadline of MONDAY, December 12, 2011.**

“We are giving our taxpayers two extra days to pay their taxes due to the December 10th falling on a Saturday,” said McAllister. “We are encouraging our taxpayers to pay online, by phone or by mail to avoid the rush and the long lines if they pay in person. If people pay in person, then we would like to encourage them to pay at one of our convenient branch locations in Chula Vista, El Cajon, Kearny Mesa or San Marcos.”

In September, 978,629 property tax bills were mailed to San Diego County property owners. Records show that as of November 23, 2011, the Treasurer-Tax Collector’s office has received 40% of the 1st property tax installments.

“We are thrilled our taxpayers are paying early and avoiding the long lines and penalty fees; but, we still have more than 582,000 first installments to collect,” said McAllister. “As a reminder, all payments must be postmarked by the 12th to avoid late charges.”

Property tax bill payments are due in two equal installments. The first installment is due November 1st and delinquent if paid after December 12th. The second installment is due February 1st and delinquent if paid after April 10th. Late payments are automatically assessed a 10% penalty plus a \$10 cost on the second installment.

Payments can be made by **calling (855) 829-3773**, online at www.sdtreastax.com or in person at any of our offices located throughout the county at (1) **1600 Pacific Highway, room 162 in San Diego**; (2) **590 Third Avenue in Chula Vista**; (3) **200 South Magnolia in El Cajon**; (4) **9225 Clairemont Mesa Blvd. in Kearny Mesa**; and (5) **141 E. Carmel Street in San Marcos**. ###