Week 32: Do you support Proposition 33, and why?

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I am first and foremost beholden to the residents and voters of San Francisco and **whichever the outcome is I will support it**.

We are in dire need of housing at all levels and we need both state and local support on this. From my own research, I do know Prop. 33 won't fix the housing crisis or make it easier to build affordable homes. New construction would freeze. As a tenants rights activist and advocate, what we need for our community are both rent control expansion and streamlined construction, which this measure lacks. Prop. 33's unintended consequences would make the housing shortage worse by limiting future state involvement in rent controls. We need smart policy, smart legislation and smart ballot measures, not band-aid measures or legislation.