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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

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What governor missed

Editor -- The governor failed to address two critical issues (State of the State, Jan 10).

First, if our state's population is expected to increase by 30 percent during the next 20 years, how will we continue to provide adequate public services to millions of new Californians, as well as our current population? The answer is that we must build and revitalize our state's workforce -- our human infrastructure.

Second, how will our state obtain the revenue necessary to meet the needs of our citizens? How long can we continue to "borrow and spend" without putting an intolerable burden on our children and grandchildren? It's time to dismiss the right-wing paranoia about taxes and find solutions that will work for all Californians.

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