

RURAL HEALTH POLICY COUNCIL

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING

California Rural Health Policy Council

Thursday , November 19, 2009 – 3:00 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Sacramento Convention Center

1400 J Street, Sacramento, CA 95814

Authority: This public meeting is conducted pursuant to Section 1179.2, California Health and Safety Code.

Purpose of the public meeting: The purpose of California Rural Health Policy Council's public meetings are to provide public access to California's top rural health policymakers in a roundtable setting conducive to discussing rural health challenges and issues. This meeting adheres to the Bagley Keene Open Meeting Act.

Call to Order – Introductions - Opening Remarks

Department Updates

- Department of Alcohol and Drug Programs
- Department of Mental Health
- Department of Health Care Services
- Department of Public Health
- Emergency Medical Services Authority
- Managed Risk Medical Insurance Board
- Office of Statewide Health Planning and Development

Public Comment*

Closing Remarks

Adjourn

Note: Written testimony and questions can be submitted prior to **November 17, 2009** to the California Rural Health Policy Council Office at 400 R Street, Room 369, Sacramento, 95811, by Fax at **(916) 322-2455**, or by E-mail at rhpc@oshpd.state.ca.us.

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*Public Comment will close when there are no more people wishing to speak **or** at 4:30 p.m., whichever occurs first.