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San Joaquin “Valley Voice” **September 14-15, 2011**

Wednesday, September 14

- 8:00 a.m. Meet at the Hilton Garden for Briefing and travel to **1105 Longworth House Office Building (Ways of Means Committee Room)**
- 9:30 a.m. **Valley Voice Funding and Policy Priorities - Policy and Project Presentations**
Meeting with House staff – Nunes, Costa, Cardoza, Denham, McCarthy and McNerney
- **Damon Nelson**, Legislative Director, *Rep. Devin Nunes*
 - **Nick Choate**, Legislative Director, *Rep. Jim Costa*
 - **Robin Roberts**, Chief of Staff, *Rep. Dennis Cardoza*
 - **Bret Manley**, Legislative Director, *Rep. Jeff Denham*
 - **Kyle Lombardi**, Legislative Director, *Rep. Kevin McCarthy*
 - **Andrew Horowitz**, Legislative Director, *Rep. Jerry McNerney*
- 11:00 a.m. **Congressman Devin Nunes**
Contact: Allison Heers, 202-225-2523
- 12:00 p.m. Lunch – Longworth Cafeteria
- 1:00 p.m. **Congressman Dennis Cardoza**
Contact: Erica L. Woodward, 202-225-6131
- 2:00 p.m. **Congressman Jim Costa**
Contact: Juan Lopez, 202-225-3341
- 3:00 p.m. **Congressman Jeff Denham**
Contact: Carol Kreeese, 202-225-4540
- 4:00 p.m. **Congressman Jerry McNerney**
Contact: Theresa Frison 202-225-1947
- 5:00 p.m. **Congressman Kevin McCarthy**
Contact: Kristin Thomson, 202-225-0197

Thursday, September 15

- 8:30 a.m. Meet at the Hilton Garden for Briefing and travel to **Capitol Visitor Center Congressional Meeting Room South.**
- 9:30 a.m. **White House, Office of Intergovernmental Relations**
Review of Administration Priorities
Contact: Irene Hsu
- 10:30 a.m. **Office of Senator Barbara Boxer**
Meeting with Senator and/or staff for presentation of “Valley Voice” projects and priorities
Contact: Rachel S. Cohen, 202-224-8109
- 11:00 a.m. **Office of Senator Dianne Feinstein**
Meeting with Senator and/or staff for presentation of “Valley Voice” projects and priorities
Contact: Shaeda Ahmadi, 202-224-3841
- 12:30 p.m. Lunch

Federal Agency Priority Issues Meetings - Surface Transportation Reauthorization Proposals and Prospects

- 1:30 p.m. **House Transportation and Infrastructure Committee, Subcommittee on Highways and Transit**
Jennifer Hall, Counsel
Contact: 202-225-6715
- 1:30 p.m. **Senate Environment and Public Works Committee**
Tyler Rushforth, Counsel
Contact: 202-224-8832
- 3:00 p.m. **Office of the Secretary of Transportation**
Joanna Turner, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Governmental Affairs
Beth Osborne, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Transportation Policy
1200 New Jersey Avenue, SE
Contact: Linda Gilchrist, 202-366-4089

Federal Agency Priority Issues Meetings - Housing Community Development and Economic Development

- 2:30 p.m. **Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Economic Development**
John Fernandez, Assistant Secretary
Barrett Haga, Senior Legislative and Intergovernmental Affairs Specialist
Malinda Matson, Legislative Affairs for California
14th Street and Constitution Avenue, Northwest (15th Street entrance)
Contact: Have the Security Desk call 202-482-2900

- 3:30 p.m. **Office of Secretary of Housing and Urban Development**
Assistant Secretary for Community Planning and Development, Mercedes
Marquez (TBA)
Assistant Secretary for Housing
451 7th Street, SW
Contact: Erica Jacquez, 202-402-4807
- 5:00 p.m. **Reconnaissance and Review**
- 6:30 p.m. **Closing Dinner**