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TO COUNTY ASSESSORS:

ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STATE BOARD OF EQUALIZATION AND COUNTY ASSESSORS

July 31, 2015

The annual meeting of the Members of the State Board of Equalization and the 58 County Assessors will be held on August 11, 2015 at the PlumpJack Squaw Valley Inn, 1920 Squaw Valley Road, Olympic Valley, convening at 1:30 p.m. Individuals interested in the administration of property tax in California are also invited and encouraged to attend.

The meeting will include a panel discussion on *Low-Income Rental Housing and the Welfare Exemption* which will be moderated by Chairman Jerome E. Horton. The panel members for the topic are:

- Ms. Lisa Thompson, Property Tax Manager, State Board of Equalization
- Ms. Recinda Shafer, Assistant Executive Director, Riverside Charitable Corporation
- Mr. Darren Bobrowsky, Senior Vice President Director of Finance, USA Properties Fund, Inc.
- Mr. Mark Stivers, Executive Director, California Tax Credit Allocation Committee
- Mr. Bradley C. Sutton, Chief Counsel, Deputy Director, California Department of Housing and Community Development

Attendees will have an opportunity to comment on this topic and interact with the Board Members. The formal agenda and background paper for the panel discussion is posted on the Board's website at <u>www.boe.ca.gov/meetings/boardcomm.htm</u>.

The meeting will be broadcast live over the Internet for those who are unable to attend the meeting. Access to the broadcast will be available in the Board Meetings section of the Board of Equalization's home page at <u>www.boe.ca.gov</u>.

The Board Members and staff are looking forward to meeting with you on August 11, 2015.

Sincerely,

/s/ Dean R. Kinnee

Dean R. Kinnee Deputy Director Property Tax Department