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**STATE BOARD OF EQUALIZATION MEETING
Portola Plaza Hotel
Two Portola Plaza, Monterey
October 18, 2005
NOTICE AND AGENDA**

Tuesday, October 18, 2005

ANNUAL BOARD MEETING WITH COUNTY ASSESSORS (convenes at 1:30 p.m.)

- 1. Greetings and Introductory Remarks by Each Board Member**
- 2. Opening Remarks by California Assessors' Association**
R. Glenn Barnes, President, California Assessors' Association
Rick Auerbach, President Elect, California Assessors' Association
- 3. Legal Department Presentation**
Discussion of current property tax legal and administrative issues.
 - a. Reorganization of the Board of Equalization Legal Department Ms. Stanislaus
 - b. Proposed Board of Equalization Rules for California Administration and Appellate Review..... Ms. Chung
 - c. Domestic Partners Legislation and Court Cases Ms. Baxley
 - d. Possessory Interest – Indian Gaming / Residential Income Property on Government Land..... Mr. Lebeau
- 4. Property and Special Taxes Department Presentation**
Discussion of current and emerging property tax issues affecting county assessors and the Board of Equalization.
 - a. Budget Change Proposal for Biopharmaceutical and Hi-tech Industry Equipment and Fixtures Mr. Kinnee
 - ~~b. Initiating a Project to Establish Guidelines for the Assessment of Cable Television Mr. Kinnee~~
 - c. Revamping the Assessment Practices Survey Program..... Ms. Stuckey

5. **Taxpayers' Rights Advocate's Office****Mr. Gilman**
Perspective of the Taxpayers' Rights Advocate on property tax issues.

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