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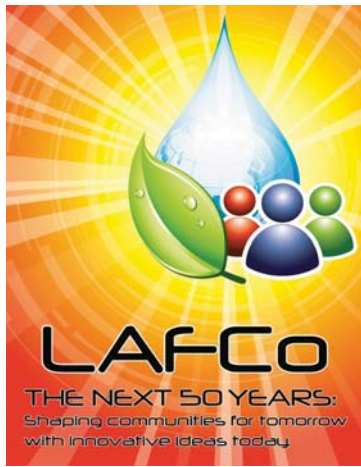
To: LAFCo Commissioners
From: Martha Poyatos, Executive Officer
Subject: CALAFCo Annual Conference Announcement
October 15-17, 2014, DoubleTree by Hilton, Ontario, CA

CALAFCO has announced that registration for the 2014 annual conference is now open. Attached is the conference announcement and mobile workshop brochure, which are also available on the CALAFCO website at www.calafco.org.

The program committee is just about ready to finalize the program and once done, the details will be placed on the website as well. The conference announcement lists the session topics scheduled for both general and breakout sessions.

Hotel room rates for conference attendees start at \$99 per night. Commissioners can make reservations either by phone or online. Reservations must be made by **September 23** (early bird deadline is **September 15** to take advantage of available discounts) but often fill up much sooner than that. More details are on the CALAFCO website.

The adopted LAFCo budget provides for attendance by one staff member and four Commissioners with the intent that each category of membership on the Commission (i.e., City, Special District, Public, County) can attend. It is requested that Commissioners who wish to attend inform me at your earliest convenience so that I can submit conference registration by the **September 15** early bird deadline. It is also requested that Commissioners make their own hotel reservations.



Announcing...

The 2014 CALAFCO Annual Conference

Hosted by San Bernardino LAFCo

October 15-17, 2014

At the DoubleTree by Hilton Hotel Ontario Airport, Ontario, CA



DoubleTree by Hilton, Ontario, CA

Make your reservations now at the DoubleTree by Hilton at the CALAFCO special rate of \$99. Find the link at www.calafco.org

Special Highlights

Mobile Workshop

Visit the Frontier Project and winery tour and tasting at the Joseph Filippi Winery, followed by lunch at the Magic Lamp Inn (landmark diner on historical Route 66)

Wednesday from 8:00 a.m. to 12:45 p.m.

LAFCo 101












An introduction to LAFCo and LAFCo law for commissioners, staff, and anyone interested in learning more about LAFCo

Wednesday from 10:30 a.m. to Noon

Luncheon Keynote

Featuring
Randall W. Lewis,
Exec. VP of
Lewis Group of Companies
Thursday Luncheon

Content Rich Sessions

-  Walking With Dinosaurs
-  Water Supply & Analysis: Policies and Practices
-  SOIs Aren't Really That Scary
-  LAFCos and Joint Power Authorities
-  Groundwater Basins: Governance Today and in the Future
-  Shared Services: Improving Service Delivery by Increasing Collaboration
-  Performance Evaluations: Do They Help or Hinder Performance?
-  LAFCos, MPOs and SB 375
-  Better Tools for Effectively Involving the Public in LAFCo Actions
-  Cyber Security: How Safe Is Your LAFCo?
-  Do We Need to Protect Our Mineral Resources?

Note: Sessions are tentative and subject to change

Invaluable Opportunities for Networking

-  Roundtable discussions on current issues for LAFCo Commissioners, staff, counsel, and Associate members
-  8th CALAFCO Beer & Wine Competition and Reception
-  Networking breakfasts
-  Receptions



Mark your calendar and plan to attend!

CALAFECO ANNUAL CONFERENCE 2014

Mobile Workshop

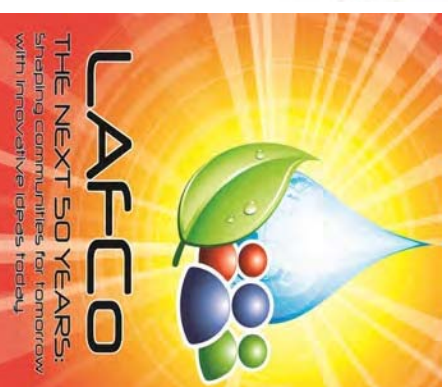
Wednesday, October 15, 2013, from 8:00 am -12:45 pm



The Frontier Project, developed by the Cucamonga Valley Water District, is a Leadership in Energy & Environmental Design (LEED) Platinum certified 14,000 square foot demonstration facility that serves as a civic and commercial education space for water, energy and site conservation methods and technologies. The Frontier Project is dedicated to educating the community in sustainable living and showcasing environmentally friendly products.

A TOUR OF THE FRONTIER PROJECT

FOLLOWED BY A WINERY TOUR & WINE TASTING EVENT AT THE FAMILY-OWNED J. FILIPPI WINERY, AND LUNCH AT THE MAGIC LAMP INN (A LANDMARK DINER ALONG OLD HISTORIC ROUTE 66)



PRE-REGISTER FOR THE MOBILE WORKSHOP (INCLUDES WINE TASTING & LUNCH) AT \$45 PER PERSON