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Public Meeting Notice and Agenda

Language Accessibility
Advisory Committee
(LAAC)

Friday, November 18, 2016
3:00 p.m.

<http://www.sos.ca.gov/elections/laac/>

Conference Call Number:

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Secretary of State Auditorium
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Los Angeles County Clerk/Recorder
12400 Imperial Highway, Suite 7001
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PolicyLink
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Oakland, CA 94612

Hartnell College Library
411 Central Ave, Building A-105
Salinas, CA 93901

Riverside County Registrar of Voters
2724 Gateway Dr., 1st Fl. Conf. Rm.
Riverside, CA 92507

Veterans Memorial Building
33209 Hawthorne Rd.
Ivanhoe, CA 93235

Agenda

1. Welcome, Call to Order, Roll Call, and Declaration of Quorum
2. Post-Election Debrief *(30 min)*

Discussion about General Election from working groups and the field.
3. 2017 Priority Areas for the LAAC *(60 min)*
 - a. SB 450 – Voter’s Choice Act

Discussion on roles and needs related to the Voter’s Choice Act.
 - b. New Language Determinations

Discussion on Voting Rights Act section 203 determinations and related programs.
 - c. Best Practices for Language Assistance

Discussion on development of Elections Code section 14201 analysis, surveys, glossaries, translated election materials, and building a local LAAC.
4. LAAC Operations *(30 min)*
 - a. Role of the LAAC and Norms for Committee

Discussion on the LAAC’s continuing role and committee norms.
 - b. Working Groups

Discussion on the development and use of LAAC working groups.
 - c. Schedule for 2017 Meetings

Discussion on scheduling 2017 committee meeting calendar.
5. Adjournment

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