

LEADERSHIP MENDOCINO

Government Day

Friday, Feb. 20, 2009

Today's Goal is: *To learn about the County legal system, leadership through public service, and the County budget*

- 8:00 – 8:40 a.m. Continental breakfast and project time
- 8:40 – 8:45 a.m. **Welcome and Introductions**
Suzanne Pletcher, Executive Director, Leadership Mendocino
- 8:45 – 9:00 a.m. **“Introduction to the Mendocino County Criminal Justice System”**
Tom Allman, Mendocino County Sheriff
- 9:00 – 9:30 a.m. **“Mock Bust Operation”**
Robert Moore, Special Agent, Major Crimes Task Force
- 9:30—9:45 a.m. *Break*
- 9:45—10:45 a.m. **“Realities of the Legal System in Mendocino County”**
Meredith Lintott, Mendocino County District Attorney
Tom Mason, Criminal Defense Attorney, Mason & Morrison
David Nelson, Superior Court Judge
Wesley Forman, Mendocino County Probation Department
- 10:45—11:45 a.m. **“Introduction to and Tour of the Mendocino County Jail”**
Capt. Tim Pearce and Lt. John Bednar
- 11:45 – 12:45 p.m. *Lunch Break with short presentation, “Leadership In Crises Situations”*
Bob Nishiyama, Commander, Major Crimes Task Force
- 12:45—1:30 pm. **Decision-Making in Teams, Leadership Skills Mini-Workshop**
- 1:30—1:45 p.m. *Walk from Sheriff's Training Center to Board of Supervisors' Chambers*
- 1:45—2:45 p.m. **“Open Discussion about Motivations, Responsibilities and Challenges of Being an Elected City, County, State and/or Federal Leader”**
Phil Baldwin, Mayor, City of Ukiah
Doug Hammerstrom, Mayor, City of Ft. Bragg
David Colfax, 5th District Mendocino County Supervisor
Ruth Valenzuela, Field Representative for State Assemblymember Wes Chesbro
Kathy Kelley, Field Representative for State Senator Patricia Wiggins
Heidi Dickerson, District Representative for Congressman Mike Thompson
- 2:45—3:00 p.m. *Break*
- 3:00 – 5:00 p.m. **“Balancing the Mendocino County Budget” Mock Budget Exercise that Mimics the Tough Decisions, Good Planning and Trade-offs that are Part of the Real Thing**
Led by Alison Glassey, asst. CEO, Mendocino County
Mentored by: David Colfax, 5th District Mendocino County Supervisor
And Department Directors