

California Legislature

THE ROLE OF NONPROFITS IN EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS

Impact Hub Santa Barbara
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Joint Informational Hearing
Assembly Committee on Governmental Organization
Assembly Select Committee on the Nonprofit Sector
Wednesday, October 23, 2019 10:00 AM – 12:00 PM

AGENDA

I. Opening Remarks

- Assemblymember Gray, Chair, Committee on Governmental Organization
- Assemblymember Limón, Chair, Select Committee on the Nonprofit Sector
- Members Present

II. Overview of the Partnership Between Nonprofits and the State

- Karen Baker, Senior Advisor for Disaster Volunteering and Preparedness, California Office of Emergency Services
- Abigail Browning, Chief, Office of Private Sector/NGO Coordination, California Office of Emergency Management
- Denise Everhart, Division Disaster Executive, Pacific Division of Red Cross
- Damon Taugher, VP of Program, Direct Relief

III. The Partnership in Action

- Mathew Pontes, Assistant County Executive Officer, County of Santa Barbara
- Pat McElroy, CEO, The Partnership for Resilient Communities
- Erik Talkin, CEO, Foodbank of Santa Barbara County
- Suzanne Grimesey, PIO/Chief Quality Care and Strategy Officer, County of Santa Barbara
- Eunice Jaramillo, Former HOPE 805 Crisis Counselor, Mental Health Wellness Center

IV. Public Comment

V. Closing Remarks

