County of Los Angeles Department of Public Health

Community Meeting: Potential Health Impacts of Neighborhood Oil Drilling
Tuesday, October 17, 2017 – 9:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.
LA84 Foundation Pavilion Room
2141 W. Adams Blvd, Los Angeles, CA 90018

Agenda

The goal of this meeting is to learn about:

- The experience of community members living in close proximity to oil drilling sites.
- The research on potential health impacts of oil and gas development on nearby communities.
- Possible policy solutions that can protect public health near oil and gas development sites and enlist your partnership to work together

1. Welcoming Remarks and Introductions
   Cynthia Harding, Chief Deputy Director, Los Angeles County Department of Public Health
   Manal J. Aboelata, Co-Chair of the Community Prevention and Population Health Task Force and Managing Director, Prevention Institute
   Michele Prichard, Director, Common Agenda, Liberty Hill Foundation

2. Community Presentations
   a. All Is Not Well: South LA Communities’ Journey to End Oil/Gas Extraction in Our Neighborhood
      Niki Wong, Lead Community Organizer; Redeemer Community Partnership
      Monic Uriarte, Community Health Promoter; Esperanza Community Housing
      Rev. Kelvin Sauls, Senior Pastor; Holman United Methodist Church
   b. Protecting Community Health: Decision Making for Public Health Action
      Martha Dina Argüello, Executive Director; Physicians for Social Responsibility LA

3. Public Health & Safety Risks of Oil and Gas Facilities in Los Angeles County
   Angelo Bellomo, Deputy Director for Health Protection, LA County Department of Public Health
   Katie Butler, Staff Analyst, Toxics Epidemiology Program, LA County Department of Public Health

4. Break

5. Possible Policy Solutions to Protect Public Health Near Oil and Gas Development Sites
   Gladys Limón, Executive Director of the California Environmental Justice Alliance

6. Next Steps and Closing Remarks
   Gayle Haberman, Director, Los Angeles County Department of Public Health Office of Planning