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Seventy-Fourth Meeting of the National Advisory Committee on Rural Health and Human Services

Holiday Inn Bozeman
Gallatin Ballroom
5 East Baxter Lane
Bozeman, MT 59715
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September 4-6, 2013

Wednesday – September 4, 2013

- 7:30 a.m. Breakfast on your own
- 9:00 a.m. Welcome and Introductions
The Honorable Ronnie Musgrove, Chair
- 9:15 a.m. Montana Orientation
John Russell
Executive Director
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Bozeman, MT
- Hank Hudson
Former Economic Security Services Branch Manager
Montana Department of Public Health and Human Services
Helena, MT
- Jeffrey K. Rupp
President/CEO
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- 9:45 a.m. HHS Update on Marketplace and ACA Implementation
Deepti Loharikar, J.D.
Public Health Analyst
Federal Office of Rural Health Policy, US DHHS
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Matt Heinz, M.D.
Director of Provider Outreach
Office of the Secretary, US DHHS
Washington, DC

Question and Answer

10:45 a.m. Break

11:00 a.m. Facilitated Discussion about Outreach and Enrollment
The Honorable Ronnie Musgrove, Chair

12:15 p.m. Lunch on your own

1:15 p.m. ACA Outreach and Enrollment Panel: Payers and Providers
Dick Brown
President
Montana Hospital Association
Helena, MT

John Doran
Director of Strategic Marketing Services
Blue Cross Blue Shield Montana
Helena, MT

Question and Answer

2:15 p.m. ACA Outreach and Enrollment Panel: Consumer Assistance
KaiEllen Bucher
Partner
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Kalispell, MT

Chris Hopkins
Vice President Strategy and Business Development
Montana Health Network
Miles City, MT

Doug Rauthe
Director
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Question and Answer

3:30 p.m. Break

3:45 p.m. Rural Poverty and Human Services Panel
Moderator: Jeannie Chaffin
Director
Office of Community Services
Administration for Children and Families, US DHHS
Washington, DC

Bob Buzzas
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HRDC Director's Association
Bozeman, MT

Jim Morton
Executive Director
Human Resource Council
Missoula, MT

Brian Steffen
Chief Executive Officer
Action for Eastern Montana
Glendive, MT

Question and Answer

4:45 p.m. Discussion

5:15 p.m. Day 1 Wrap-Up and Sub-Committee Assignments for Site Visits

5:30 p.m. Call for Public Comment and Close of Meeting

Thursday – September 5, 2013

7:30 a.m. Breakfast on your own

8:30 a.m. Human Services Subcommittee Departs for Site Visit

- Human Resource Development Council
 - Bozeman, Montana

8:30 a.m. Health Subcommittee Departs for Site Visits

- Wheatland Memorial Hospital
 - Harlowton, Montana

- 9:00 a.m. Health Subcommittee Departs for Site Visits
- Community Health Partners
 - Livingston, Montana
- 2:30 p.m. Subcommittees Depart for Return to Meeting Facility
- 4:00 p.m. Full Committee Reconvenes
- 5:00 p.m. Committee Business
- Topics for next virtual and field meetings
- 5:15 p.m. Call for Public Comment and Close of Meeting

Friday – September 6, 2013

- 7:30 a.m. Breakfast on your own
- 8:30 a.m. ORHP/HHS Update
Tom Morris, M.P.A.
Associate Administrator
Federal Office of Rural Health Policy, US DHHS
Rockville, MD
- 9:00 a.m. Subcommittee Discussions and Drafting Outline of White Papers
- 9:55 a.m. Waded Cruzado, PhD
President
Montana State University
Bozeman, MT
- 10:00 a.m. Call for Public Comment and Close of Meeting