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## Morongo Basin Forum to Focus on Public Safety

Joshua Tree, CA – The San Bernardino Associated Governments (SANBAG) is offering a regional forum on Public Safety in the Morongo Basin on October 3, 2013 from 11:00 am to 1:00 at the Bell Center located on the campus of Copper Mountain College. Featured speakers are San Bernardino Superior Court Presiding Judge Marsha Slough and San Bernardino County Sheriff John McMahon. A limited amount of tickets to this open-to-the-public event are available for \$15.00 each. Lunch will be provided.

The forum is part of a series of regional meetings being offered by SANBAG that highlight area-specific issues. Attendees will have an opportunity to engage in focused dialogue with the presenters on a variety of subjects. The previous forum was held last June in Rancho Cucamonga and featured representatives from the National Park Service discussing the merits of creating a national park area in the San Gabriel Mountains.

“In our role as a regional council of governments, it is important that we take on quality of life issues from all corners of our county,” SANBAG President Bill Jahn said. “The Morongo Basin Regional Forum is just one more opportunity to help the people we represent have a voice on the issues that matter the most.”

For more information on how to participate in this event, interested parties can contact Mr. Joe Meer, Morongo Valley Transportation Authority, at 760.366.2986.

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