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MCCC Justice Leadership Awards Luncheon Scheduled - Nominations Sought

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The Yolo County District Attorney's Multi-Cultural Community Council announces their Justice Leadership Awards Luncheon which will be held on Thursday, September 28, 2017, from 12:00 - 1:30 p.m. at the Yolo County Atrium located at 625 Court Street, Woodland, CA.

The mission of the Yolo County's Multi-Cultural Community Council is to enrich understanding of Yolo County's diverse population and to celebrate how cultural knowledge expands our ability to accept and appreciate differences. The Multi-Cultural Community Council is made up of individuals from throughout Yolo County. The MCCC is led by Yolo County District Attorney Jeff Reisig, along with MCCC Chairperson Carlos Matos. The MCCC acts as an advisory group to Reisig.

The awards luncheon is focused on recognizing individuals or organizations who Jeannie Johng-Nishikawa promote multi-cultural relationships, acceptance and peace; forge diverse coalitions to assure ongoing community dialogue related to cultural awareness, the Gloria Partida criminal justice system, and public safety; and ensure multi-cultural community participation in educational and informational programs related to accessing, Jonathan Raven understanding and providing input to the criminal justice system.

Gary Sandy The MCCC is requesting nominations to recognize individuals or organizations in the following categories: Administration of Justice; Faith Based Communities; **Tessa Smith** Public Schools; Human Services; and Community Engagement Volunteer. Nominations are due August 18, 2017. Jenny Tan

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