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4-Year Anniversary of “On the Record”!

Calaveras County Board of Supervisors and Planning Commission Videos Available on Community Action Project Website

VALLEY SPRINGS, CA--MyValleySprings.com (MVS) announces the 4-year anniversary of our county government meetings video project “On the Record” (OTR). OTR began with the taping of Calaveras County Planning Commission meetings in February 2009, and is an ongoing project to make county supervisor and planning meetings available to the public. Videos of Board of Supervisors meetings and Planning Commission meetings are available on the Community Action Project (CAP) website, www.calaverascap.com. Meetings are archived back to the Planning Commission in 2009 and the Board of Supervisors starting in 2011. Other agency and planning videos are posted on the MVS “On the Record” video page, www.myvalleysprings.com/video.

Each new meeting video is normally posted within a day of the meeting and a complete archive of meetings can be accessed on the site. Planning Commission meetings are also available at the public library. Preparation, posting, and archiving of the videos is made possible through a partnership between the non-profit community organizations CAP and MVS, which promote public participation in local land use planning. Videos are provided courtesy of Calaveras Public Access Television.

Citizens who are not able to attend Board or Planning Commission meetings are able to view the meetings in their entirety at their convenience. Making the videos easily accessible will help people hold their elected officials accountable and foster county decision-making that is open and transparent. The videos are an invaluable record of past discussions that inform the future.

Current and archived videos are easily located, by date, from the “Video” box at the top of the CAP website home page, www.calaverascap.com. Video postings are funded by donations and private foundation grants. Donations for the OTR video project can be made on www.myvalleysprings.com or mailed to P.O. Box 1501, Valley Springs 95252 and are tax-deductible. MVS and CAP welcome your financial support.