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Butte County to Hold Free Foreclosure Prevention Workshop on November 16, 2011

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Oroville, CA – Butte County officials announced that they will hold a free foreclosure prevention workshop on Wednesday, November 16, 2011 from 5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. The workshop will be held at the Southside Oroville Community Center, located at 2959 Lower Wyandotte Road. The public is invited to attend free of charge.

After an introduction by District 1 Supervisor, Bill Connelly, Dan Beveridge, Northern California's only HUD Certified Housing Consultant, will explain options for foreclosure prevention whether homeowners are current or behind with their mortgage payments. Dan Beveridge, who currently provides one-on-one housing consulting for Community Housing Improvement Program (CHIP), will also discuss modification programs, how to communicate with your bank and tips for completing a loan modification packet.

A break-out session will be provided after the presentation and information will be available from Butte County service providers including:

- Butte County Department of Social Services
- One-Stop Community Employment Centers
- Butte County Department of Behavioral Health
- Legal Services of Northern California
- PASSAGES Connection and Volunteer Services

"Fighting to keep their homes, many troubled borrowers within Butte County have seen their efforts to maintain home ownership stymied due to a complicated and time intensive process," said Jennifer Macarthy, Butte County Economic and Community Development Manager. "During the workshop, Butte County along with other community partners will provide information on some of the tools necessary to work toward a positive outcome."

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