

MEDIA RELEASE
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**Kern County launches Community Meeting Calendar for
Unincorporated Public Safety, Vital Services, and Local Control Measure**

Kern County officials will be hosting a series of in-person community education workshops throughout the County to discuss the Public Safety, Vital Services, and Local Control Measure, which will be considered by unincorporated residents on the November 8, 2022 ballot.

Administrative Officer **Ryan Alsop**, Chief Operations Officer **Jim Zervis**, Sheriff **Donny Youngblood**, District Attorney **Cynthia Zimmer**, and Fire Chief **Aaron Duncan** will be visiting unincorporated communities throughout Kern County to partake in a community conversation about this measure.

This series will kick off next week in the following areas:

- **Oildale:** Monday, August 1, 2022, beginning at 6 p.m. at North of the River Veterans Building, located at 400 West Norris Road, Bakersfield, CA 93308.
- **Olde Stockdale:** Thursday, August 4, 2022, beginning at 6 p.m. at Stockdale County Club, located at 7001 Stockdale Highway, Bakersfield, CA, 93309.

Please visit the County's Public Safety, Vital Services, and Local Control Measure website at **www.kerncounty.com/community/unincorporated-measure** to view all upcoming community meetings and to learn more about this Measure. If enacted, it would establish a one cent sales tax to address vital services in unincorporated Kern County.

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