

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC OPEN HOUSE**  
**Zoning Provisions & Map Overlay to Allow**  
**EMERGENCY SHELTERS**

The City of Bishop will hold a public Open House on a proposal to amend the zoning ordinance and zoning map to allow Emergency Shelters in the City. Staff will be present to explain the proposal with handouts and displays, and to answer your questions. The Open House will be casual. Refreshments will be served.

**Tuesday, February 8, 2011**  
**4:00 – 6:00 p.m.**  
**Executive Conference Room**  
**City Hall**  
**377 West Line Street**

**Purpose.** Government Code Section 65583, Chapter 633 (2008) was enacted to address the critical needs of the homeless population and persons with special needs throughout California. The purpose of this informational Open House is to introduce a proposed zoning ordinance amendment, making Emergency Shelters a permitted use by right, without conditions, and a proposed zoning map overlay zone in northeastern Bishop where Emergency Shelters would be permitted. The provision would bring the City into compliance with the new laws concerning Emergency Shelters and with the adopted City of Bishop 2009 Housing Element.

**Open House Goals.** Public participation is key to successfully planning and implementing this new law. Bishop residents are encouraged to attend, obtain information, and provide input at this Informational Open House.

For those who cannot attend, written comments are welcome and can be accepted through March 2011. Please submit your comments and questions to:

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The draft zoning documents and map amendment are available for review at the Bishop Planning Department and can also be viewed on the City's website at: <http://www.ca-bishop.us/PublicWorks/Planning/GeneralPlan/GeneralPlan.html>. If you have any questions about the Open House or the proposal, please feel free to call Gary Schley.