

Agenda

Socioeconomic Strategies Workshop

November 15th and 16th
2011

- 6:00 **Welcome, Introductions and Expectations**
- Brief introduction to the workshop and its purpose.
 - Explanation of where we are in the planning process and how this workshop will be part of that process.
- 6:20 **Overview of land use decisions to be made**
- Overview of land use decisions to be made in the Carlsbad FO RMP.
- 6:30 **Area Social and Economic Conditions and trends**
- What trends have you observed? What questions, issues, or concerns do you have about the county's economy? What's the relationship to public lands?
 - Proposals, initiatives, and trends that the audience foresees influencing land use decisions to be made.
- 7:00 **BLM Land Uses that Influence Local Economic Activity**
- Brief overview of current BLM management and dependency of local economy on those activities
- 7:20 **Break**
- 7:30 **Group Discussion**
- How are you (and the interests you represent) being affected now by activities that occur on BLM managed lands (either positively or negatively)?
 - What works well, or not so well, in terms of how these lands are currently being managed?
 - What are your hopes or concerns in looking forward in regards to future activities on BLM lands and/or the management of those lands?
 - What are your community's economic or community development aspirations for the future? How does the management of BLM lands relate to those aspirations?
- 8:25 **Information Request & Evaluation**
- Please help us identify and provide us with contact information for local leaders, stakeholders and industry representatives who we can contact to discuss topics applicable to this RMP.
 - Evaluation of the workshop
- 8:30 **Closure and Thanks**

BLM staff will be available after the workshop to answer questions