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HBA STAFF CHANGE

HBA President/CEO Bob Keenan announced that as of today **Elaine Castillo** is back in the HBA office and coordinating all the association's events. During the past 3 years she was the Assistant in Land Development for Reynen & Bardis Communities.

After two years of dedicated service to the HBA, Glenda Sutton has taken a position in bookkeeping with Self-Help Enterprises. We wish her success in her new position.

COUNTY ASSESSOR GREG HARDCASTLE TO ADDRESS HBA 11/13 LUNCHEON

Greg will discuss the lower property values and how the county plans to keep pace with the adjusting property values in this market. He will also discuss the economic impact of the reduced assessments have on land, homes, business and city and county governments.

This should prove to be a very interesting and informative program. The luncheon held 11:30 at the LampLITER Inn is \$20. per person. Be sure contact Elaine at the HBA office to make reservations by November 11.

Annual Dinner Meeting is 12/11/08 - - Mark Your Calendar

The HBA's 19th Annual Dinner is set for December 11th at the Visalia Country Club.

Invitations including additional information about the evening have been mailed. We're currently collecting donations for the raffle at \$100 minimum value per gift (this is typically the highlight of the evening - great gifts and lots of fun). Please contact our office regarding your donation.

The evening will include the election of the 2009 Board of Directors, which will serve during the year of the association's

20th Anniversary---1989-2009. The following names have been placed in nomination:

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| Paul Daley Daley Enterprises | Steve Doyel Bank of the Sierra | Brian Ennis Ennis Homes | Bill Evans Self Help Enterprises |
| Jan Banks Gonzales First American Title | Ronald Jones Kahn, Soares & Conway | Michael Knopf Quad Knopf Inc. | Donald Lobb Valley Business Bank |
| Steve Lott The Gas Company | Darlene Mata D.R. Mata Consulting | Randy Merrill M ^c Millin Homes | Jason Moyes Smee Builders Inc. |
| Dan Pickett Pickett Construction | Jim Rauber Chicago Title Company | Donald Sharp Sharp Insurance & Bonding | Jayne Willis Buyers Choice R.E. |
| Greg Woodard Woodard Homes | David Wind Sundowner Homes | John Zumwalt Zumwalt, Hansen & Associates | |

Officers

Chairman - Jason Moyes
Vice Chairman - Randy Merrill
Secretary/Treasurer - Steve Doyel
Immediate Past Chairman - Bill Evans

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