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WARDEN MESSAGE

American Citizen Town Hall

All U.S. citizens in Laos are cordially invited to a Town Hall Meeting:

Date: **Thursday, May 28, 2009**

Time: **5:00 to 6:30 pm**

Location: Consular Section, U.S. Embassy, Vientiane (near the That Dam)

PROGRAM

Welcome and introduction

Michael D. Sweeney, Consular Section Chief

Opening Remarks

Ambassador Ravic R. Huso

2009 H1N1 Influenza A

Dr. Andrew Corwin, CDC Infectious Disease Coordinator

Security Issues

Robert A. Eckert, Jr., Regional Security Officer

ACS Hours and Other Consular Services

Neal Turner, Consular Officer

July 4 Community Picnic

Peter M. Haymond, Deputy Chief of Mission

Questions & Answers

Refreshments will be served. Only street parking is available.

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