



Press Alert

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Mayor Anderson to Host Freedom Forum on Immigration Policy

Forum, “Toward a Rational Immigration Policy Promoting the Interests of US Residents, Employers, and Immigrants,” to include Sen. Curtis Bramble and Luz Robles as panelists

Event occurs Wednesday, April 12 from 7-9 PM at the City Library

What: Mayor Rocky Anderson will host a Freedom Forum this Wednesday on immigration policy. The forum, “Toward a Rational Immigration Policy Promoting the Interests of US Residents, Employers, and Immigrants,” will give thoughtful consideration to the economic, social, and human impacts of current US immigration policies, and will explore possible reforms to these policies.

Who: Mayor Anderson will give opening and closing remarks at the Forum. The event will include a panel discussion of experts with a wide range of perspectives on the immigration debate, with ample time for questions from the audience. KCPW reporter Julie Rose will moderate the discussion. The panelists are:

Mark Alvarez – Administrator for Minority and Community Affairs, Salt Lake City Mayor’s Office

Senator Curtis Bramble (R-Provo)

Sylvia Haro – Senior Vice-President of Community Outreach and President of the Multicultural Retail Region, Zions Bank

Thomas Maloney, Associate Professor, University of Utah Economics Department; co-author of recently published study, “The Economic Impact of the Mexico-Utah Relationship”

Luz Robles, Director of the Utah State Office of Ethnic Affairs

When: Wednesday, April 12, 2006
7-9 PM

Where: Main Library Auditorium
210 East 400 South
Salt Lake City, UT

Media: The event will be broadcast live on KCPW (1010 AM, 88.3 FM, 105.3 FM). The forum will also be taped for later broadcast on SLC-TV, Cable Channel 17. To see a complete list of programs and watch the station in streaming video format, visit www.slctv.com.

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