



Pennsylvania Budget Summit

Tuesday, March 9, 2010, 1–4:30 p.m.

Pennsylvania Budget and Policy Center

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Agenda

1 p.m.

Buffet Lunch

1–2 p.m.

Governor Rendell's Proposed Budget for 2010-11

· Sharon Ward, Director, Pennsylvania Budget and Policy Center

2–3:15 p.m.

Communications Strategies That Win

· Jon Shure, Deputy Director of State Fiscal Project
Center on Budget and Policy Priorities

· Shannon Spillane, Senior Communications Associate
Center on Budget and Policy Priorities

3:15–4:15 p.m.

Breakout Sessions

Stimulus Transition Reserve Fund: What Is It & Why Do We Need It?

· Michael Wood, Research Director
Pennsylvania Budget and Policy Center

Pennsylvania's Pension Challenges

· Brian Carl, Chief Financial Officer
Pennsylvania Public School Employees' Retirement System

· Steven Nickol, Assistant Director of Retirement Programs
Pennsylvania State Education Association

Protecting the Safety Net: Public Welfare Under Siege

· Julia Hinckley, Policy Director
Pennsylvania Department of Public Welfare

· Richard Weishaupt, Staff Attorney
Community Legal Services

4:15–4:30 p.m.

Wrap Up

· Sharon Ward, Pennsylvania Budget and Policy Center