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NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE: Thursday, March 31, 2022
TIME: 3:05 PM
PLACE: Conference Room 016 & Videoconference
TIMESLOT: GVO

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URGING THE COUNTIES TO RECOGNIZE 911 EMERGENCY SERVICES DISPATCHERS AS FIRST RESPONDERS IN THEIR RESPECTIVE JURISDICTIONS. GVO/PSM

Decision Making to follow, if time permits.

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Senator Clarence K. Nishihara
Chair

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