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## **EASTERN SIERRA TRI-COUNTY FAIR & FAIRGROUNDS SEEKS THE COMMUNITY'S OPINION**

**BISHOP** - The Eastern Sierra Tri-County Fair & Fairgrounds (18th District Agricultural Association) Board of Directors will hold a special meeting for the community to provide input and comments regarding the Fair, the fairgrounds and the organization as it relates to strengths, weaknesses, opportunities and threats pertaining to these three areas. The meeting will be held Monday, July 9th at 5:30pm in the Charles Brown Auditorium and will be facilitated by Doug Lofstrom, 18th DAA Special Projects Coordinator for the Board of Directors.

“This is a great opportunity for the community to share their feelings about the Fair, the fairgrounds and the organization. The Board of Directors believes this information and feedback will assist the new CEO as they guide the organization forward ,” said Board President Paul Dostie.

“We value the community and want to hear from them. The feedback and input from the meeting will assist the Board learning what is important to the community regarding the Fair and the many events held at the fairgrounds,” Dostie continued.

As part of the California Network Fairs, The Eastern Sierra Tri-County Fair & Fairgrounds, known as the 18th District Agricultural Association is governed by a 9-member volunteer Board of Directors from Inyo, Mono and Alpine counties. Board members are appointed by the Governor of California. The 18th District Agricultural Association, a state government agency, is under oversight of the California Department of Food and Agriculture/Fairs and Expositions Branch.