MEETING NOTICE

HEALTH CARE JUSTICE ACT PUBLIC HEARING ADEQUATE HEALTH CARE TASK FORCE 19th CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

The 19th Congressional District Public Hearing of the Adequate Health Care Task Force under the Health Care Justice Act will be held on Wednesday, February 8, 2006, at the Rolland W. Lewis Community Building (at Veterans Park), 800 South 27th Street, Mt. Vernon, Illinois, from 4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Individuals who wish to testify about access to quality, affordable health care may sign-up to do so at the hearing. Individuals will each be given three minutes to testify, and will testify in the order in which they sign-up.

Those who wish to submit written testimony may do so in one of three ways -

- 1. By mail Please mail your written testimony (typed, double-spaced, 8.5"x11" paper) to Tracy Morgan, Illinois Department of Public Health, Division of Health Policy, 525 West Jefferson, Springfield, IL 62761.
- 2. In-person Please bring <u>two</u> copies of your written testimony (typed, double-spaced, 8.5"x11" paper) to the public hearing and submit to staff signing up those who wish to testify.
- 3. Electronically Please email your written testimony (as an attachment) to Tracy Morgan, Illinois Department of Public Health, Division of Health Policy at tmorgan@idph.state.il.us.

Please contact Ashley Walter of the Illinois Department of Public Health, Division of Health Policy at (312) 814-4730 if you have any questions concerning this public hearing; or visit the Health Care Justice Act web site at http://www.idph.state.il.us/hcja/index.htm.

NOTICE: THESE MEETINGS WILL BE ACCESSIBLE TO PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES IN COMPLIANCE WITH PERTINENT STATE AND FEDERAL LAWS UPON NOTIFICATION OF ANTICIPATED ATTENDANCE. PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES SHOULD CONTACT ASHLEY WALTER AT (312) 814-4730 (TTY# 800-547-0466 FOR DEAF, HARD OF HEARING, OR SPEECH IMPAIRED USE ONLY) NO LATER THAN FRIDAY, JANUARY 27, 2006.