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## **NEWS RELEASE – JULY 13, 2009**

### **CENSUS MEETING AT CITY HALL ON THURSDAY, JULY 16**

The public is invited to a Census 2010 Complete Count Committee meeting on Thursday, July 16, at 4:30 p.m. at Twentynine Palms City Hall, 6136 Adobe Road.

Mayor Joel Klink will host the meeting, which will include presentations by delegates from the U.S. Census Bureau and a report from several of the committee members who attended a California Regional Convening in Rancho Cucamonga last week.

At its formation workshop in June, nearly a dozen volunteers stepped forward to serve on subcommittees representing local businesses, schools, faith-based and community-based organizations, and the military community.

“More volunteers are still needed,” said Complete Count Committee chairperson Vickie Waite, “and we welcome any residents who are willing to assist the committee and help us get the word out to ensure an accurate census count for Twentynine Palms.”

The goal of the committee is to prepare an awareness campaign for Census 2010, creating an outreach for the hard-to-count populations of the city and educating the public that the census is safe, easy, and important.

For more information about the committee or the meeting on July 16, contact Vickie Waite at City Hall, (760)367-6799.

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