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"It's Your Estate" 3rd session today from 1:30-3 p.m.

The third session of "It's Your Estate" occurs today, Friday Oct 2, from 1:30-3 p.m. at the Susi Q. There will be a discussion by Teresa Gorman, a specialist in Trusts and Estates, on Conservatorship, Durable Power of Attorney (DPA) and the Advance Health Care Directive (AHCD). The session covering the AHCD is probably the most important because it is about your health and who will make decisions for you when you cannot. It motivates you to think about hospice care, quality of life issues, death, pain, burial preferences and much, much more.

This is especially important today with California about to afford terminally ill patients the right to end their lives with a doctor's help. The big question is: will the governor sign? The session will focus on how you can stay in control no matter what the governor does! To RSVP, contact the Susi Q at: 497-2441.

"It's Your Estate" is offered for free and is sponsored solely by charitable organizations including the Laguna Canyon Foundation, Laguna Beach Seniors and the Laguna Beach Community Foundation. The series was developed by Laguna resident Peter Kote, and sponsorship is free to any Laguna Beach non-profit (contact Laguna Beach Community Foundation).

Kote said, "Charities represent good values and we encourage everyone to name a charity in their estate plan so that the family and others will know those values that are important to the personwho died." A recent Stanford study showed that those who give live longer and are happier! No charity will solicit any attendee for a donation at the program or afterwards, presenters do not receive attendee contact information, and there is no selling of any financial or insurance product.



Teresa Gorman is certified as a Specialist in the area of Trusts & Estates by the State Bar of California. The Law Offices of Teresa Gorman is a boutique law firm in Laguna Woods, providing focused representation in estate planning, trust litigation, trust administration and probate matters. Teresa Gorman is regularly appointed by the Probate Court to represent persons who need an attorney in complicated matters.