



MEDIA ALERT

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St. Paul's PACE Program Breaks Ground on New Center in El Cajon *****Seniors & elected officials gather to celebrate the future of senior medical support in East County, Friday, Sept. 1*****

WHO/WHAT: St. Paul's PACE (Program of All-inclusive Care for the Elderly) will celebrate the ground breaking of a new center to care for seniors in East County, this Friday, Sept. 1.

This is the third St. Paul's PACE program location (others are downtown and in Chula Vista). St. Paul's Senior Services is San Diego's leader in senior care since 1960; St. Paul's Senior Services opened the first PACE program in San Diego in 2008. The Managed Care Health Plan is exclusively for seniors, and it's free with Medi-Cal (medications are also free).

The City of El Cajon Councilmembers will be presenting a Proclamation.

HONORED GUESTS:

- Councilmember Steve Goble, City of El Cajon
- Councilmember Ben Kalasho, City of El Cajon
- Assemblymember Randy Voepel's office (Gail Ramer)
- Certificate to be presented on behalf of Supervisor Dianne Jacob

WHEN: **Friday, Sept. 1 from 11:30 a.m. to 12:30p.m.**

WHERE: St. Paul's PACE, El Cajon
1306 Broadway, El Cajon, CA 92021

Interviews available with:

- Elected officials
- Cheryl Wilson, President & CEO of St. Paul's Senior Services
- Carol Hubbard, Director of the St. Paul's PACE program
- St. Paul's Senior Services board members and employees will be present

Background: St. Paul's PACE supports seniors so they can continue to live independently at home by providing in-home care, transportation and personalized medical services. Seniors who are over 55 years of age, with chronic medical conditions that make it difficult to live at home, qualify.

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