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Environmental Coalition Gathering

Chico, California – Come join a *conversation* about *conservation* at the Annual Environmental Coalition Gathering. Local environmental groups will be hosting the event Friday, March 24 from 5:00pm to 8:00pm. The event will be held at the Chico Women’s Club after the final presentation of the “This Way to Sustainability Conference” at Chico State. The public is encouraged to attend. Participating organizations will provide free appetizers and adult beverages will be available for purchase.

This event is an opportunity to meet with representatives from over 30 local environmental groups; learn about the issues impacting Butte County’s land, air and water; and get involved. It is an excellent way to share concerns, problems, and solutions about local environmental issues. The Environmental Coalition Gathering is open to all!

The Environmental Coalition was formed as an effort to unite the various local environmental groups around issues impacting Chico and Butte County, including sustainable growth and development, climate change and threats to local water.

The coalition began meeting regularly in November 2012 to bring together approximately 30 non-profit groups as well as representation from both Butte College and Chico State.

Participating organizations include:

Butte Environmental Council, Chico Velo,, Chico Tree Advocates, California Native Plant Society, Sacramento River Preservation Trust, Campaign NonViolence, Yahli Group – Sierra Club, GRUB Education, ECOtopia, and more.

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The Butte Environmental Council is a non-profit environmental organization based in Chico, California. BEC’s mission is to protect and defend the land, air and water of Butte County and the surrounding region through action, advocacy and education. Since 1975, BEC has played a significant part in shaping the environment and policies of Butte County and surrounding areas.

For further information, visit <http://www.becnet.org/events/environmental-community-gathering-2017>

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