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## Impacts of the Great Recession: What about the children?

### A Community Forum

*Presented by*

*State Representative Jeannie Darneille  
State Senator Debbie Regala*

*State Representative Bruce Dammeier  
State Representative Tami Green  
State Representative Laurie Jinkins  
State Representative Connie Ladenburg  
State Representative Larry Seaquist  
State Representative Hans Zeiger  
State Senator Steve Conway*

**5:30 PM Tuesday Nov. 15, 2011**  
Jason Lee Middle School cafeteria  
**602 N. Sprague Ave., Tacoma WA 98403**

# Welcome!

Please help yourself to dinner, and take a seat at one of the round tables located throughout the cafeteria. There are sign-sheets and name tags at each table.

Please sign in if you are planning to speak. You may also record your remarks with one of the volunteers in Room 1216. To make sure that everyone has an opportunity to speak, please try to limit your comments to about three minutes.

Spanish, Vietnamese and Russian translators are available if you would prefer to speak in your native language.

Special thanks to: **Jason Lee Middle School and it's staff** for hosting this event, the **National Organization for Women, Tacoma, UFCW Local 141 Staff Nurses Union**, and **Neighborhood Bistro** for helping provide the dinner, **Tacoma Housing Authority, REACH, Tacoma Community House, Children's Home Society and Children's Alliance** for their involvement in the "Children of the Recession" video and **Tacoma Community House** for providing translators and translating the flyer

# AGENDA

**5:30** Spaghetti dinner

**6:15** Program begins

Introductions

"Children in the Recession" video

Kids Count Data

**6:35** Comments from children and families

**8:00** Adjourn

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