Health Care Council Meeting  
November 07, 2014  
10 – 11:30 a.m.

1. Welcome and Self Introductions

2. 2015 Priorities for the Assembly Committee on Health

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The Honorable Sebastian Ridley-Thomas, California State Assembly, District 54  
California State Assembly Committee on Health

Audience Q&A

3. Informational Items/Legislative Agenda

2015 Legislative Agenda Discussion

4. Closing Remarks and Upcoming Events

- **State of L.A. Infrastructure**, November 12, 2014  
  Los Angeles Times Building, Chandler Auditorium, 5th Floor
- **Southern California Visionaries Awards** - December 2, 2014  
  Belasco Theater, Los Angeles

Next Meeting  
January 22, 2015  (tentative)  
2:30-4:00 p.m.
Sebastian Ridley-Thomas
Assembly Committee on Health
California State Assembly

Sebastian Ridley-Thomas was elected in December 2013 to represent California's 54th Assembly District, which includes the Los Angeles County communities of Century City, Culver City, Westwood, Mar Vista, Palms, Baldwin Hills, Windsor Hills, Ladera Heights, View Park, Crenshaw, Leimert Park, Mid City, and West Los Angeles.

As a member of the state legislature, Ridley-Thomas serves on the Assembly’s Appropriations; Health; Labor and Employment; Public Employees, Retirement and Social Security; and Rules Committees. He previously served on the Assembly Committee on Public Safety and also chairs the Assembly Select Committee on Mental & Behavioral Health.

Prior to his election, Ridley-Thomas served as public policy director for State Senator Curren Price, advising him on economic development, transportation, housing, public safety, and local government issues. The Assemblymember also served as legislative consultant to the Senate Select Committee on Procurement, where he worked to ensure small business owners in underserved communities received their fair share of state contracts, and as the political director for the nine-member California Legislative Black Caucus.

His commitment to public service was inspired by his mother – Avis Ridley-Thomas, a pioneer in conflict resolution – and his father, Mark Ridley-Thomas, a member of the Los Angeles County Board of Supervisors and founder of the community empowerment movement that has become a model for communities nationwide. Ridley-Thomas earned his Bachelor of Arts degree in Sociology from Morehouse College; he trained in mediation and conflict resolution at UC Davis Extension and CSU Dominguez Hills.

His legislative priorities include a focus on job creation, access to high-quality and affordable education, and ensuring that all Californians get the healthcare and mental health services they need to fully participate in the promise of this great state.

A Los Angeles native, Ridley-Thomas lives in South Los Angeles.
STATE OF L.A. INFRASTRUCTURE
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Today, Los Angeles is competing in a 21st century global economy with a 19th century infrastructure. With measures, policies, and actions geared towards modernizing L.A.'s roads, transportation, utilities and water systems, we need a comprehensive infrastructure agenda that is informed by and responsive to the needs of both the region and the world.

Join the LA New Chamber and the executives, leaders and policy makers of Los Angeles' largest corporations and government agencies for an exclusive half-day summit on the status and future of infrastructure investment in the region. Lectures from the public and private sector will focus on how to update and expand the infrastructure needed to support L.A.'s economic competitiveness in a global economy.

7:30 a.m. | REGISTRATION & BREAKFAST
8:30 a.m. | WELCOME REMARKS & INTRODUCTION

8:45 a.m. | FRAMING PANELS

Ralph Inman
CEO, Los Angeles Department of Water and Power

Martin Schreier
President, Urban Land Institute

Richard L. Little
President, Urban Land Institute

9:30 a.m. | PRIVATE SECTOR ROUNDTABLE DISCUSSION
Business leaders from some of L.A.'s largest real estate, construction, and development companies will discuss the current infrastructure investments they are making and the challenges they are facing from a private sector perspective.

10:40 a.m. | PUBLIC SECTOR ROUNDTABLE DISCUSSION
Leaders of L.A.'s largest public utilities and transportation agencies will discuss the state of their aging infrastructure, the transformative projects they need to construct over the next decade, and the changes and investments they need to make to meet the needs of the region.

11:30 a.m. | CLOSING REMARKS

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