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To: KATHERINE AND JOSH

States have recently voiced serious concerns regarding the influx of unaccompanied alien children (UAC) entering the U.S. at the Southwestern border. In particular, press reports have noted expressed concerns about:

- the costs of housing these children,
- the health of the children upon arrival,
- the federal government's ultimate plan for the children,
- the failure of federal officials to notify mayors/governors when large groups of UACs are transported to their states, and
- the message the U.S. is sending to other countries with regard to an "open border" policy.

RGPPC will host a call this Friday to provide a forum for states to discuss this issue. We are requesting that attendees RSVP for the call and that they provide their name, title, and state. You may RSVP by emailing ccastigliola@rgppc.org and providing the aforementioned information. We will send the dial-in number Friday morning to all confirmed attendees.

Call time: **Friday, July 18 from 3:00 pm – 3:30 pm EDT**

*****Please, let us know if your state has any specific items to discuss on this topic.*****

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