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Governor Nikki Haley, State Leaders, To Host Ebola Preparedness Roundtable *Officials And Experts To Discuss Readiness, Management, And Response*

COLUMBIA, S.C. – Governor Nikki Haley, legislators, public health experts, and first responders will host an Ebola Preparedness Roundtable on Monday, October 20 at 2:00 PM.

The roundtable discussion will address the importance of coordination, training, preparedness measures, and public outreach between various groups and organizations involved in South Carolina's response to Ebola.

The following state leaders will be in attendance:

- Governor Nikki R. Haley
- Catherine Templeton – Director, Department of Health and Environmental Control
- Major General Bob Livingston – Adjutant General, South Carolina National Guard
- Tony Keck – Director, Department of Health & Human Services
- Mark Keel – Chief, South Carolina Law Enforcement Division
- Duane Parrish – Director, Department of Parks, Recreation and Tourism
- Kim Stenson – Director, South Carolina Emergency Management Division
- Senator Harvey Peeler – Chairman, Senate Medical Affairs Committee
- Representative Leon Howard – Chairman, House Medical, Military, Public and Municipal Affairs Committee
- Allen Amsler – Board Chairman, Department of Health and Environmental Control
- Dr. Linda Bell – State Epidemiologist, Department of Health and Environmental Control
- Dr. Patrick Cawley – CEO, Medical University of South Carolina Medical Center
- Chuck Beaman – CEO, Palmetto Health
- Paul Johnson – President, Greenville Memorial Medical Campus
- Thornton Kirby – President & CEO, South Carolina Hospital Association
- Dr. Rick Nolte – Director of Clinical Laboratories, Medical University of South Carolina
- Dr. Helmut Albrecht – Chief of Infectious Diseases, University of South Carolina School of Medicine
- Dr. Jim Chow – Medical Director, South Carolina National Guard

WHO: Gov. Nikki Haley, State Leaders

WHAT: Ebola Preparedness Roundtable

WHEN: Monday, October 20, 2014 at 2:00 PM

WHERE: Room 252, Edgar A. Brown Building, Statehouse grounds, Columbia, S.C.

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