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Dear Prospective Member:

The entire Board of the Los Angeles Chapter of the National Association for Business Economics would like to invite you to become a member of NABE. The local chapter holds monthly luncheon meetings with national, state and local speakers from the business, economic, and academia community. The luncheon meetings have been addressed by members of the Federal Reserve Board, including its chairman, chief economists from Fortune 500 companies, Nobel Laureates, senior government policy makers, as well as directors of national economic forecasting services.

There are exciting and insightful speakers in store starting in September and in the coming year. Our first event scheduled for **September 15, 2005** will be **"Big Buildup or Digging a Hole? The Outlook for Construction and the Economy in the U.S. & Los Angeles"** by **Mr. Kenneth D. Simonson, Chief Economist, Associated General Contractors of America**. This luncheon is accredited and will give you hours toward educational instruction. Additional hot-topic events will be established based on the current economic conditions at that time.

We encourage introductions and welcome your suggestions on specific types of programs that might be of interest to the chapter. Please contact our Public Relations Chair Sara Chaloen Sutachan at (213) 739-8224.

As a member, you will receive discount at NABE and other co-sponsorship organization luncheons, receive a bi-monthly copy of IdeaLink from national NABE, receive a copy of the local chapter Membership Directory, and networking opportunities with intelligent business-oriented partners. In addition, we encourage you to exploit the national NABE and its tremendous resources. The group offers value in the form of bi-annual conferences, access to economic articles and forecasts, industry specific teleconferences, job postings, NABE's quarterly journal "Business Economics", and Salary Survey to name a few. The national website is located at www.nabe.com and our chapter's site can be found under the affiliates section, or directly at <http://nabe.com/chapters/la>

On behalf of all the officers, welcome. We look forward to providing useful and informative events and continue the tradition of being the premier professional organization for economist and business leaders.

Sincerely,

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