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X-PPAC PR: Politics of UFOs/Disclosure  
Town Hall Meeting in Santa Clara

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Press Release

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Washington, DC - As announced Tuesday evening on Coast to Coast AM with Mike Siegel, The Extraterrestrial Phenomena Political Action Committee (X-PPAC), with the support of numerous cosponsors, will hold a town hall meeting confronting the politics of UFOs/disclosure at the Santa Clara Convention Center at Great America on October 13, 2000. Additional sub-themes such as secrecy reform and intelligence agencies abuse, will also be addressed.

This will be the first town hall meeting of its kind ever held during a presidential campaign, or perhaps at any time, in the United States. Between 600 and 1200 citizens will be able to address unscripted questions to a broad panel of experienced members of the UFO/ET research/activist movement, political professionals, and campaign 2000 presidential/senate candidates (should they agree to appear).

The Politics of UFOs/Disclosure Town Hall Meeting at Santa Clara will have some similarities to the many town hall meetings conducted by ABC Nightline on a range of issues over the past two decades. Additional information is available at the Town Hall Webpage [[www.x-ppac.org/TownHall.html](http://www.x-ppac.org/TownHall.html)].

Formal invitations to appear were sent to seven presidential and three California Senate campaigns on September 13. Seven possible dates were provided for consideration, and negotiations were begun immediately. As of this press release, three presidential campaigns (Democrat, Republican and Constitution) and two California Senate campaigns (Republican and Green) have declined the invitation. Negotiation with five other campaigns continues.

In addition to candidates there will other presenters and surprise guests. These include: Frances Barwood (via videotape), Stephen Bassett, Barry Bitzer, Elaine Douglas,

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Peter Gersten, Heather Harder, Richard Hoagland, Daniel Sheehan (via videotape), Ron Regehr, and Alfred Webre. Others are expected and will be announced at a later time.

The role of X-PPAC is to assist in driving political action, educate the political leadership, raise public awareness, and create a partnership between the American people and their government as regards the most important event in human history.

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