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NOTICE OF HEARING

June 22, 2016

10:30 A.M. 2360 Rayburn House Office Building

TO: Members, Subcommittee on Economic Growth, Tax and Capital Access

FROM: Tim Huelskamp, Chairman

DATE: Wednesday, June 22, 2016

The Subcommittee on Economic Growth, Tax and Capital Access will meet for a hearing titled, *Audits and Attitudes: Is the IRS Helping or Hurting Small Businesses?* The hearing is scheduled to begin at **10:30 A.M. on Wednesday, June 22, 2016 in Room 2360 of the Rayburn House Office Building.**

One of the most important relationships any taxpayer has is the one with the IRS. While most would prefer to have as limited of a relationship as possible with the agency, the fact is that we are all responsible for paying taxes, and we all have to communicate with the IRS in some manner. In some cases, more robust and frequent communication is desirable to head off larger problems later. The question here is, what is the IRS' relationship with the small business community? The Subcommittee will meet to examine the IRS' attitude toward small business, how small businesses are treated during the audit process, and whether the IRS is pursuing an agenda to maintain effective communication and relationships with small business taxpayers.

A staff briefing will be held at 2:00 P.M. on Monday, June 20, 2016 in Room 2360 of the Rayburn House Office Building.

If you or your staff have any questions, please contact Kimberly Pinter, Tax Counsel for the Committee, at 202-225-5821.