



**Joint Legislative Audit Committee,
Joint Legislative Committee on Emergency Management, and
Assembly Committee on Emergency Management**

Joint Legislative Oversight Hearing

**California Is Not Adequately Prepared to Protect Its Most
Vulnerable Residents From Natural Disasters (Report 2019-103)**

**March 5, 2025, Upon Adjournment of Organization Meeting
1021 O Street, Room 1100**

I. Welcome and Opening Remarks

Assemblymember Harabedian, Chair, Joint Legislative Audit Committee
Senator Laird, Vice Chair, Joint Legislative Audit Committee
Senator Stern, Chair, Joint Legislative Committee on Emergency Management
Assemblymember Ransom, Chair, Assembly Committee on Emergency Management

II. Overview of Audit Report by California State Auditor's Office

Grant Parks, California State Auditor
Bob Harris, Principal Auditor

III. Responses and Comments by the Governor's Office of Emergency Services

Lori Nezhura, Deputy Director of Planning, Preparedness and Prevention
Vance Taylor, Chief, Office of Access and Functional Needs

IV. Perspectives on Audit Report

David Lindeman, Chair, California Commission on Aging
Jim Frazier, Director of Public Policy, The Arc of California
Noé Páramo, Project Director, California Rural Legal Assistance Foundation

V. Public Comments

VI. Closing Remarks