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### **Special Council Session Set for Tomorrow**

The City of San Bernardino is struggling with a very difficult financial situation, as are many cities in the current economy. While many measures have been instituted over the last four years to balance the City's budget, economic factors have continued to decline. San Bernardino's Interim City Manager, Andrea Travis-Miller, and new Finance Director, Jason Simpson, report that San Bernardino has reached a critical point. They are in the process this week of presenting facts to the City Council and Mayor Morris and seeking specific direction as to what course of action San Bernardino will take. The goal will be to establish a realistic, balanced budget for the City of San Bernardino and to set it on a sound financial footing going forward.

A special open session of the San Bernardino Mayor and Common Council is scheduled for today from 5 to 7 p.m. at San Bernardino City Hall, 300 North "D" Street, during which the City's circumstances and options will be discussed.