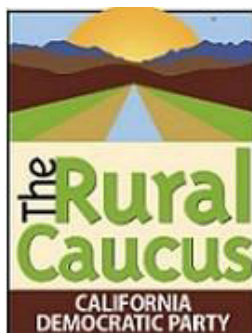


December 31, 2018



Happy New Year!

Dear Fellow Rural Caucus Members, Happy New Year! I am very excited about 2019 and all that we can accomplish. My goals include:

- Broadband equity
- Clean drinking water for all
- Healthcare
- Housing
- Fire resiliency
- Building for 2020

At first, I felt disheartened that many of these are carryovers from 2018, but, after speaking with some of you on the phone, I am encouraged that such big goals take time, commitment and persistence. Thanks to you and all your good work, we are in fact moving forward, step by step.

I also got some inspiration from a sign on the back of a truck that my mother and I saw driving ahead of us recently that said “Less blah, blah and more chop, chop”, which now has become my New Year’s resolution.



I really look forward to working with you. And personally wish you all the success and happiness in the world.

As always,

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