

Announcement

March 9, 2009



**Councilmember Midura to Attend
Tulane University Campus-Community Forum
On Wednesday March 11th**

What: Councilmember Shelley Midura, along with several community and student leaders, will attend the Tulane University Campus-Community Forum. Forum panelists will discuss ways to reduce alcohol-related incidents and problems in the university community. The forum is free and open to the public.

Who: Forum Panelists:

- District "A" Councilmember Shelley Midura
- Murphy Painter, Commissioner, Alcohol Control Board
- Major Bruce Little, Commander, NOPD - 2nd District
- Kristy Miller, Director, Louisiana Higher Education Coalition to Reduce Alcohol, Tobacco and Other Drugs (LaHEC)
- David Melius, Owner, Bruno's Tavern
- Tulane University student leaders

Moderator:

- Rob Nelson - Anchor, WWL-TV

When: Wednesday, March 11, 2009
4:30 p.m.

Where: Tulane University Rogers Chapel
1229 Broadway
Click [here](#) for map

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New Orleans City Council

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