Population Association of America

in cooperation with the office of Representative Mike Honda invites you to attend a briefing:

The War on Poverty – 50 Years Later and the Battle Continues

Monday, June 9 12:00 to 1:15 p.m. Rayburn Office Building, Room B-340

(Complimentary box lunches will be provided.)

It has been 50 years since President Johnson declared the War on Poverty. Nonetheless, according to the Census Bureau, 46.5 million Americans continue to live in poverty. At this briefing, national experts will explain how policy makers measure poverty, the material hardships experienced by families living in poverty and what we know about how well current federal assistance programs address poverty in our nation.

Featuring:

- » Dr. Kathleen Short, Census Bureau
- » Dr. John Iceland, Pennsylvania State University
- » Dr. Colleen Heflin, University of Missouri

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This will be a widely attended event.

Please RSVP to paaapc@popassoc.org or at 202.669.4834 by June 6.