



To guide refugees and immigrants in the journey toward self-determination and social equality

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Dear Community:

As you may know, many of CAPI's programs, including the Refugee Employment Services, Minnesota Family Investment Program, Supported Work, and Refugee Employment Services, rely mainly on funding from the State of Minnesota. In order to effectively navigate the potential shut-down of the State, CAPI will implement the following plan of action.

1. Phase I: CAPI will have a staff furlough from July 1-8. If the shut down ends by July 8th, staff will be back to work on July 11.
2. Phase II: If the government shut down continues into the second week of July, CAPI will remain closed from July 11-15. Staff returns back to work on July 18.
3. Phase III: If the situation is deemed that the government shutdown will be prolonged, CAPI will inform you accordingly, during the week of July 11, on the status of our operations.

On behalf of CAPI, I want you to know that our decision making process is driven by the best interests of our communities in the short-term and the long-term. We welcome your feedback, comments, and suggestions as we work together to help advance the self-determination and social equality of refugees and immigrants.

Sincerely,

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