



COMMITTEE FOR GREEN FOOTHILLS

Join CGF for an evening with Richard Jackson, M.D., M.P.H., Chair and Professor, Environmental Health Sciences, UCLA and co-author of *Urban Sprawl & Public Health: Designing, Building and Planning for Healthy Communities*.



Richard J. Jackson has done extensive work in the impact of the environment on health, particularly relating to children. Dr. Jackson chaired the American Academy of Pediatrics Committee on Environmental Health. He has done extensive work on pesticides in California, and has also focused on epidemiology, infectious diseases and toxicology. Over the past decade much of his work has focused on the 'built environment' including how architecture and urban planning affect health. He recently served on the Board of Directors of the American Institute of Architects and has written and spoken extensively in the above areas. Currently, Dr. Jackson is working on policy analyses of environmental impacts on health ranging from toxicology, chemical body burdens, terrorism, sustainability, climate change, urban design and architecture. In addition, he is

developing policy analyses in related areas, such as how farm, education, housing, and transportation policies affect health.

"Suburban sprawl is killing us. Increasingly, physicians, public health officials, planners, and designers recognize the relationships between our health and our built surroundings. *Urban Sprawl and Public Health* offers a cogent diagnosis of this health menace as well as timely prescriptions for healing our cities." (Frederick Steiner dean, School of Architecture, University of Texas at Austin)

When: March 5th, 2009
Wine and Cheese Social at
6:30pm
Author Talk at 7:00pm

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Where: Santa Clara University
Benson Memorial Center
California Mission Room
500 El Camino Real
Santa Clara, CA

Cost: \$10 for admission only
\$40 Book and Admission
\$5 Admission Only, Student ID