

MEMORANDUM
OFFICE OF THE
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
COUNTY OF PLACER

TO: Honorable Board of Supervisors

FROM: Robert Weygandt, Supervisor District 2

DATE: September 12, 2006

SUBJECT: COMMENDATION: Approve and present a Commendation for Charles "Charlie" Dill recognizing him for his implementation, dedication and commitment as the Manager of the Placer Mosquito Abatement District as requested by Supervisor Weygandt.

ACTION REQUESTED

Approve and present a Commendation for Charles "Charlie" Dill recognizing him for his implementation, dedication and commitment as the Manager of the Placer Mosquito Abatement District as requested by Supervisor Weygandt.

BACKGROUND

The objectives of the Mosquito Abatement program in Placer County are to control or eliminate existing mosquito breeding sources and to prevent new ones to protect public health and comfort. Charles Dill has had a significant impact on the implementation and coordination of this program in Placer County. Therefore, he is deserving of recognition for his influence and expertise needed to initiate and sustain the Mosquito Abatement program in Placer County.

FISCAL IMPACT

None

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COMMENDATION

In the Matter of a Commendation recognizing Charles "Charlie" Dill for his implementation, dedication and commitment as the Manager of the Placer Mosquito Abatement District and to congratulate him on his retirement.

The following Commendation was adopted by the Placer County Board of Supervisors this 12th day of September, 2006, all members present voting aye:

Bill Santucci, Supervisor District One; Robert M. Weygandt, Supervisor District Two; Jim Holmes, Supervisor District Three; Edward "Ted" M. Gaines, Supervisor District Four; and Bruce Kranz, Supervisor District Five

Whereas, Charles "Charlie" Dill has a Bachelor's Degree in Biology studying birds and mammals and a Master's Degree in Ecology and Systematics, and

Whereas, Charlie gained much of his expertise in the Mosquito Abatement industry after working for the Marin-Sonoma Mosquito and Vector Control District (MVCD) for over 20 years, and

Whereas, prior to working for MVCD, Charlie worked for 10 years as the Vector Ecologist with the San Mateo County Mosquito Abatement District, and

Whereas, Charlie came to the Placer Mosquito Abatement District in 2000 after retiring from the Marin-Sonoma Mosquito and Vector Control District as the Manager/Biologist, and

Whereas, Charlie was instrumental in developing and implementing a Mosquito Abatement program in Placer County at a time when Placer County desperately needed this program to get control over a potentially increasing problem, and

Whereas, through the Mosquito Abatement program, Placer County has successfully limited the number of cases of West Nile Virus reported in Placer County, a deadly disease spread through mosquito bites that has been on a rapid upswing nationwide; and

Whereas, The objectives of the Mosquito Abatement program are to control or eliminate existing mosquito breeding sources and to prevent new ones to protect the public health and comfort.

Now Therefore Let It Be Know That, on this 12th day of September, 2006 the Placer County Board of Supervisors congratulates Charles "Charlie" Dill on his retirement and takes great pleasure in commending Charlie for his dedication to the Mosquito Abatement program and both recognizes and appreciates the value of his hard work and commitment which will surely benefit the health, comfort and enjoyment of residents and visitors in Placer County for generations to come.



Bill Santucci,
Chairman

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