

MEMORANDUM
OFFICE OF THE
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
COUNTY OF PLACER

TO: Honorable Board of Supervisors

FROM: R.C. "Rocky" Rockholm, Supervisor, District 1, Jim Holmes, Supervisor, District 3 and Kirk Uhler, Supervisor, District 4

DATE: February 26, 2008

SUBJECT: REVENUE SHARING – Approve appropriation of \$1,000 in Revenue Sharing monies to the Acres of Hope "A Taste for Hope Event" as requested by Supervisor Rockholm (\$250), Supervisor Holmes (\$250) and Supervisor Uhler (\$500).

ACTION REQUESTED

Approve appropriation of \$1,000 in Revenue Sharing monies to the Acres of Hope "A Taste for Hope Event" as requested by Supervisor Rockholm (\$250), Supervisor Holmes (\$250) and Supervisor Uhler (\$500).

BACKGROUND/COMMUNITY BENEFITS: In approving the following contributions, the Placer County Board of Supervisors finds that each and every approved contribution serves a public purpose by promoting the general welfare of the County and its inhabitants therefore a benefit results to the County.

The Board of Supervisors is being asked to approve appropriations to help support the Acres of Hope "A Taste for Hope Event" being held March 8, 2008 at the Sunset Center in Rocklin. Acres of Hope is a long-term housing program for homeless women with children. The purpose of this unique program is to provide the support and resources needed to end the cycles of homelessness in their lives by allowing residents to live onsite for up to two years while providing encouragement, practical life-skills training, job skills, mentoring and spiritual direction. The funds designated towards this popular event will help defray the cost of the event.

FISCAL IMPACT

Funds are available in the Revenue Sharing budget.



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HOPE

a bridge to the future for women with children

January 2008

Dear Community Member,

Acres of Hope is soliciting businesses and individuals to participate a fundraising event for Acres of Hope, a center for homeless women with children. Our event is called "A Taste for Hope" and it will be held at the Sunset Center in Rocklin on March 8th, 2008. It would mean a lot to us and the women and children we serve if you could participate in any way.



Specifically, we are looking for participating restaurants and vendors, sponsorships, and silent auction donations.

Last year state assemblymen and county officials attended along with many business and church leaders. We are anticipating a similar participation this year with over 300 from the community in attendance.

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Acres of Hope is a non-profit 501C3 organization ID# - 47-0958489. Acres of Hope is funded by the generosity of individuals, churches, and organizations who share our commitment to giving these families hope and the opportunity to become thriving members of our community.

Sincerely,

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