

MEMORANDUM
OFFICE OF THE
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
COUNTY OF PLACER

TO: Honorable Board of Supervisors

FROM: Bruce Kranz, Supervisor, District 5
by: Mike Boyle, Assistant County Executive Officer

DATE: March 11, 2008

SUBJECT: REVENUE SHARING - Approve a total appropriation of \$7,500 in District 5 Revenue Sharing Funds (Benefit Grant Funds) to the attached list of nonprofit organizations and events recommended by the citizens District 5 Benefit Fund Committee. Foresthill Divide Chamber of Commerce (\$1,000), Friends of Kings Beach Library (\$1,000), North Tahoe Public Utility District (\$1,000), Snowfest (\$1,000), Creciendo Undos (\$1,000), Tahoe Truckee Community Scholarship Committee (\$1,000), Colfax Green Machine (\$1,000) and Friends of Foresthill Trails (\$500).

ACTION REQUESTED

Approve a total appropriation of \$7,500 in District 5 Revenue Sharing Funds (Benefit Grant Funds) to the attached list of nonprofit organizations and events recommended by the Citizens District 5 Benefit Fund Committee. Foresthill Divide Chamber of Commerce (\$1,000), Friends of Kings Beach Library (\$1,000), North Tahoe Public Utility District (\$1,000), Snowfest (\$1,000), Creciendo Undos (\$1,000), Tahoe Truckee Community Scholarship Committee (\$1,000), Colfax Green Machine (\$1,000) and Friends of Foresthill Trails (\$500).

BACKGROUND/COMMUNITY BENEFITS:

Supervisor Kranz directed that a citizens committee be established for the purpose of reviewing and making recommendations on the distribution of revenue sharing funds to various community organizations. The committee has undertaken its second evaluation and has come forward with a list of recommendations to your Board from applications received on behalf of various community groups and interests within District 5.

DISTRICT 5 BENEFIT COMMITTEE

Following notices and publicity informing the public of the process and seeking interested citizens, the District 5 Benefit Fund Committee was formed. In addition, to assist the committee in its task of review and evaluation, a list of committee procedures and categories of evaluation was developed. Currently, the District 5 Benefit Committee is comprised of four members: Russell Poulson, Stephanie Perry, Megan Chillemi and Wally Reemlin. Posting of the second meeting of the committee occurred at the Placer County Administrative Offices, 175 Fulweiler Avenue, Auburn and on the Supervisor Bruce Kranz Event Calendar on the County Website. A teleconference meeting was held on Monday, February 25, 2007 at 10:30 a.m. with members constituting a quorum and at that time, they voted to recommend the distribution of District 5 Revenue Sharing funds to ten different entities in a total amount of \$7,500.

In approving revenue sharing 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.

FISCAL IMPACT

Funds are available in the District 5 Revenue Sharing budget.

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PLEASE PRINT

Requested Funding Amount \$

500,000

(up to maximum amount - \$1,000)

Applicant Name: Barbara McMahan-Foresthill Beautification

Phone# (530) 367-2450

Address:

Fax# ()

Other# ()

Organization: Foresthill Divide Chamber of Commerce

Address: 24600 #A Main Street

P. O. Box 346

Foresthill, Ca. 95631

Is the organization a non-profit? Yes

Tax ID Number: 68-0105437

PLEASE ATTACH A DETAILED EXPLANATION OF THE REQUEST WRITTEN ON YOUR ORGANIZATION'S LETTERHEAD.

Please briefly describe the Community Benefit the Organization / Event / Program / Project provides:

The downtown area of Foresthill has been greatly enhanced by planters placed in the median and planted with flowers and shrubs. Also several thousand daffodil bulbs have been planted along the roadway.

Please briefly describe how funding will be utilized by listing what items will be purchased.

Funding will be used to maintain the flower beds and replace aging watering systems as needed.

Have you received Revenue Sharing Funds in the past? yes

If yes, specify year(s), event and amount: Received in 2004. Provided funds for initial construction of beds and plants and materials.

I swear under penalty of perjury that the information supplied herein is true and correct and I have read the BENEFIT FUND Establishment & Funding Guidelines.

APPLICANT'S SIGNATURE

DATE

BELOW TO BE FILLED OUT BY COMMITTEE CONTACT

Date Submitted: 1/8/08 BOS Mtg Date:

Amount Requested: 71000 Amount Received:

Committee Mtg: 2/25

Report and supporting documentation must be received within 3 months of the award of the grant

Date Received:

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FORESTHILL DIVIDE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

P. O. Box 346 • Foresthill, CA 95631 • (916) 367-2474

Bruce Kranz
Placer County Supervisor
District 5 Benefit Fund
Auburn, CA 95603

RE: Grant Application

Dear Supervisor Kranz:

The Foresthill Divide Chamber of Commerce would appreciate approval of our Grant Application for ~~\$500.00~~ ¹⁰⁰⁰ from the District 5 Benefit Fund.

It will enable the Beautification Committee to continue to maintain the flower beds and replace aging watering systems as needed.

Sincerely,

Claudia Raco

Secretary to the Board

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Requested Funding Amount: \$ \$1,000.⁰⁰

(up to maximum amount - \$1,000)

Applicant Name: FRIENDS OF KINGS BEACH LIBRARY Phone# (530) 546-2021
Address: PO BOX 246 Fax# (530) 546-2126
KINGS BEACH CA 96143 Other# ()
Organization: LIBRARY
Address: SAME

Is the organization a non-profit? YES Tax ID Number: C1594526

PLEASE ATTACH A DETAILED EXPLANATION OF THE REQUEST WRITTEN ON YOUR ORGANIZATION'S LETTERHEAD.

Please briefly describe the Community Benefit the Organization / Event / Program / Project provides:
BOOKS, DVD'S BOOKS ON TAPE

Please briefly describe how funding will be utilized by listing what items will be purchased:
PURCHASING BOOKS ON TAPE, IE TAHOE ANIMALS, WILDLIFE, WILDERNESS, HIKING, LIFESTYLE

Have you received Revenue Sharing Funds in the past? YES
if yes, specify year(s), event and amount. 3-4 TIMES BETWEEN 1990-2005 - 5,000.00

I swear under penalty of perjury that the information supplied herein is true and correct and I have read the BENEFIT FUND Establishment & Funding Guidelines.

Louise Jensen 10/10/07
APPLICANT'S SIGNATURE DATE

BELOW TO BE FILLED OUT BY COMMITTEE CONTACT

Date Submitted: 11/5/07 BOS Mtg. Date: _____
Amount Requested: 1000 Amount Received: 0/1000
Committee Mtg: _____

Report and supporting documentation must be received within 3 months of the award of the grant

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PLACER COUNTY LIBRARY

Applegate Library • Auburn Library • Beckwoldia • Colfax Library
Forsyth Library • Granite Bay Library • Kings Beach Library • Loomis Library
Meadow Vista Library • Penryn Library • Rockville Library • Tahoe City Library

** FRIENDS OF KINGS BEACH LIBRARY **

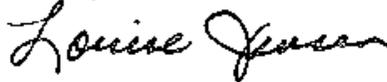
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GRANT APPLICATION FOR KINGS BEACH LIBRARY

The small public library in Kings Beach is in need of enhancement of its collection of Tahoe resources, i. e. books, DVD's and other materials pertaining to the Tahoe area. Tourists and locals alike are frequently asking and looking for information and photos of Lake Tahoe and the surrounding area.

We have an area in the library called the "Tahoe Bookshelf" designated for these Tahoe specific materials.

Thank you,



Louise Jensen
Kings Beach Librarian
10/29/07

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Mark R. Parker, Director of Library Services
System Headquarters • 360 Nevada St. • Auburn, CA 96803
Telephone (530) 884-4650 • Fax (530) 884-4533
Email: MParker@placer.ca.gov • Website: www.placer.ca.gov/library

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Requested Funding Amount: \$ 1000

(up to maximum amount - \$1,000)

Applicant Name: North Tahoe Public Utility District Phone# 530-546-4212

Address: PO Box 139 Fax# 530-546-2652

Tahoe Vista, CA 96148 Other# ()

Organization: _____

Address: _____

Is the organization a non-profit? Non-Profit/Government Tax ID Number: 94-114-3428

PLEASE ATTACH A DETAILED EXPLANATION OF THE REQUEST WRITTEN ON YOUR ORGANIZATION'S LETTERHEAD.

Please briefly describe the Community Benefit the Organization / Event / Program / Project provides:

SEE ATTACHED

Please briefly describe how funding will be utilized by listing what items will be purchased:

The funding will be to purchase new lights for our Community Holiday Tree

Have you received Revenue Sharing Funds in the past? No

If yes, specify year(s), event and amount: _____

I swear under penalty of perjury that the information supplied herein is true and correct and I have read the DISTRICT BENEFIT FUND Establishment & Funding Guidelines.

Dean C. Shing 12.28.07
APPLICANT'S SIGNATURE DATE

BELOW TO BE FILLED OUT BY COMMITTEE CONTACT

Date Submitted: 12/28/07 BOS Mtg. Date: _____

Amount Requested: 1000 Amount Received: 1000

Committee Mtg: 1/15

Report and supporting documentation must be received within 3 months of the award of the grant

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Detailed Explanation of the Request:

This request is for a partial contribution toward the purchase of new lights for the North Tahoe Community Tree. This is the tree that is used for the Community Tree Lighting that takes place in Kings Beach at the beginning of the Holiday Season each year. This event is a collaborative effort between the NTPUD, Boys and Girls Club and the North Tahoe Business Association. The event draws between 200 – 500 people each year. Santa Claus arrives via North Tahoe Fire Protection District fire truck and then pulls the light switch much to the delight of all the children. Then, everyone goes back inside for coffee, hot chocolate, and soup. The kids line up to sit on Santa’s lap for photos and to tell him what they want for Christmas. Two years ago, the NTBA added an additional element, the Holiday Fair, offering local businesses the opportunity to set up tables and sell holiday gifts and trinkets and also expose residents to their stores. In 2008, the Holiday Fair grew to 23 businesses and 4 non-profit groups and the NTBA used this event to kick off their “Buy Early, Shop Local” campaign.

The tree that has been used for the Tree Lighting in the past is a large pine tree in the center of the employee parking lot at the Conference Center in Kings Beach. While it’s a really nice tree, it has grown significantly since the lights were put on it many years ago. Currently the lights on that tree are barely visible because they are mostly inside the branches. The tree has grown so large that you can only see the top of it from very far away. We looked at just adding additional lights to the tree, but in addition to the difficulty in finding someone to hang new lights because of the height of the tree, there is simply not enough power at that location to add additional lights. Also, the location of the existing tree makes for a less than festive atmosphere with everyone standing around in the parking lot, next to the highway with no view of the Lake or the Beach.

Last year, after the event, the three organizations decided that in 2007 new lights and a new tree were the highest priority. The goal was to have a tree where all of it can be seen and have it be something the community can be proud of. The NTPUD had been pursuing a grant through Sierra Pacific Power Company, and thought that it was relatively secure, but that fell through at the last minute because they had no funding remaining. At this point we are looking to other funding opportunities to help pay for the lights.

The lights that were purchased are Commercial Grade LED lights that will allow us to continue to add strands in coming years because they use such low voltage. Our hope is that over the next few years we can continue to add lights into the public spaces of Kings Beach and make the town even more festive.

Briefly describe the Community Benefit the Organization/Event/Program/Project Provides:

This is an event that brings a wide variety of members of the community together, which is something that our community needs right now. It brings together those with children, people without children, and our business community.

The tree decorations themselves are also a community benefit because they provide an additional "festive" atmosphere to the community with the hopes of drawing more people in for shopping in the town and frequenting our restaurants instead of just driving through. Although these new lights aren't "streetside" they are in the view corridor between the Conference Center and the building that houses Jason's restaurant so they are backed by the Lake.

Before the lights went up, I never would have realized what a positive visual impact that this would have on our community. However, now that they are up and turned on, it really does provide a festive atmosphere. I've had positive comments from a number of community members.

Briefly describe how funding will be utilized by listing what items will be purchased:

We have purchased new holiday lights for the Community Tree and are hoping to receive partial reimbursement for the cost of the lights. The total cost of the lights was just under \$2200 and we are asking for \$1000 as part of this request.

The NTPUD Employee's Association has also donated \$250 toward the purchase of the lights.



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Requested Funding Amount: \$ 1,000.00
(up to maximum amount - \$1,000)

Applicant Name: Ruth Schnabel Phone# (530) 583-7167
Address: P.O. Box 4104 Fax# (530) 581-5101
Tahoe City, CA 96145 Other# ()
Organization: SnowFest
Address: same

Is the organization a non-profit? Yes Tax ID Number: 74-3108151

PLEASE ATTACH A DETAILED EXPLANATION OF THE REQUEST WRITTEN ON YOUR ORGANIZATION'S LETTERHEAD.

Please briefly describe the Community Benefit the Organization / Event / Program / Project provides:
This event attracts thousands of visitors to local communities enhancing tourism dollars and TOT funds. Last year over \$7000 was returned to local non-profits by SnowFest.

Please briefly describe how funding will be utilized by listing what items will be purchased:
Funding will be used to purchase event banners + street banners which will be displayed in Kings Beach and Tahoe City.

Have you received Revenue Sharing Funds in the past? No
If yes, specify year(s), event and amount: _____

I swear under penalty of perjury that the information supplied herein is true and correct and I have read the DISTRICT BENEFIT FUND Establishment & Funding Guidelines.

Ruth Schnabel 1/11/2008
APPLICANT'S SIGNATURE DATE

BELOW TO BE FILLED OUT BY COMMITTEE CONTACT

Date Submitted: 1/11/08 BOS Mtg. Date: _____
Amount Requested: 1000 Amount Received: 1000
Committee Mtg: 2/12/08

Report and supporting documentation must be received within 3 months of the award of the grant 253



January 11, 2008

District 5 Benefit Fund
Supervisor Bruce Kranz
175 Pulwiler Avenue
Auburn, CA 95603

District 5 Benefit Fund Committee:

Thank you for giving SnowFest! the opportunity to apply for a grant from the District 5 Benefit Fund.

We are requesting the funds to replace the banners and street banners that have been used for the past five years in Kings Beach and Tahoe City. During that period of time, because of issues with the previous SnowFest organization, it was necessary for us to use the name "Snow Festival." Since that name was abandoned and available to us, the decision was made to take advantage of the good reputation of the original "SnowFest," and to resume using the name. Now it's necessary for us to produce all new signage and banners.

The banners this year will be hung as soon as they are available. Beginning next year, the banners will be hung over the Christmas/New Years' season through SnowFest, the first week in March, to encourage holiday visitors to return to join our celebration of winter in the High Sierra.

I'm attaching a brief history of SnowFest along with our Grant Application. If further information is needed, please call 530-583-7167.

Ruth Schnabel, CFEE
Executive Director

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Requested Funding Amount: \$ \$1,000.00
(up to maximum amount - \$1,000)

Applicant Name: Emilio Vaca Phone# (530) 366-6253
Address: P.O. Box 1053, KB, CA 96143 Fax# (530) 546-2304
Other# ()
Organization: Creciendo Unidos & Creating Alternatives
Address: P.O. Box 230, Tahoe Vista, CA 96148

Is the organization a non-prt Yes affiliation of Arts for the Schools Tax ID Num# 380203873

PLEASE ATTACH A DETAILED EXPLANATION OF THE REQUEST WRITTEN ON YOUR ORGANIZATION'S LETTERHEAD.

Please briefly describe the Community Benefit the Organization / Event / Program / Project provides: Please see attachment

Please briefly describe how funding will be utilized by listing what items will be purchased Please see attachment

ATTACHED TO MAIN FILE

Have you received Revenue Sharing Funds in the No
If yes, specify year(s), event and amount: _____

I swear under penalty of perjury that the information supplied herein is true and correct and I have read the DISTRICT 5 BENEFIT FUND Establishment & Funding Guidelines.

APPLICANT'S SIGNATURE

8-20-07

DATE

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Date Submitted: 8/20

BOS Mtg. Date: _____

Amount Requested: 1000

Amount Received: 1000

Committee Mtg: 9/24

Report and supporting documentation must be received within 3 months of the award of the grant

Date Received: _____

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Aug. 20 2007 11:46AM P2

FAX NO. :

FROM :

Aug. 20 2007 11:46AM P3



**CRECIENDO UNIDOS-GROWING
TOGETHER/CREATING
ALTERNATIVES**
P.O. Box 230 Tahoe Vista, CA 96148
Phone- 530-386-6253

August 20, 2007

Dear Mr. Bruce Kranz-Placer County Supervisor for District 5:

As a grassroots organization made up youth and parents our mission is to create a healthy environment for our children to grow in. We feel that some of the elements that prevent that from becoming a reality are the pandemic growth of drug-abuse and gang involvement among our youth. We believe in creating and promoting healthy alternatives for our youth and community to engage in. All of our events are alcohol, drug and gang free.

We are requesting \$1,000.00 for our **2nd Annual Mexican Independence Day Brook Street Fair**. This is a family oriented event with great food, music and information from various local and regional non-profits. Last year there were roughly over 1,500 community members in attendance and over 30 vendors participating. This year our goal is to have 50 vendors. The community benefits on a social and economical level. Socially it creates a sense of community free of alcohol, drug and gangs. There is no admission fee for the community to attend. Economically every vendor pays a participation fee and in turn they are able to sell their goods and keep all the profits.

The \$1,000.00 will be used to pay for all the entertainment which includes a Disc Jockey, Trio, Mariachi folkloric and Aztec dancers. Funds will also go towards travel expenses such as gas and food. Please see attached itemized budget. If granted the funds we will include Bruce Kranz-Placer County Supervisor for District 5 and District 5 Benefit Funds in all of our publicity

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Please do not hesitate to contact us if you have any further questions. We thank you in advance for the consideration of this proposal.

With Respect,

Emilio Vaca on behalf of the Members of Creciendo Unidos/Growing Together and
Creating Alternatives



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Requested Funding Amount: \$ 1000
(up to maximum amount - \$1,000)

Applicant Name: John C. Hassenplug, Chairman Phone# 530 546-4580
Address: P. O. Box 432 Fax# 530 546-1035
Carmelian Bay, CA 96140 Other# 530 386-1755
Organization: Tahoe Truckee Community Scholarship Committee
Address: 11839 Donner Pass Road
Truckee, CA 96161

Is the organization a non-profit? Yes Tax ID Number: 94-2577907

PLEASE ATTACH A DETAILED EXPLANATION OF THE REQUEST WRITTEN ON YOUR ORGANIZATION'S LETTERHEAD.

Please briefly describe the Community Benefit the Organization / Event / Program / Project provides:
The Committee provides over \$40,000 in scholarship funds for college and vocational schools for graduates of the North Tahoe High School. Because of the scholarship program, more Placer County high school seniors attend college or vocational school.

Please briefly describe how funding will be utilized by listing what items will be purchased:
Scholarships are awarded based on a rigorous application procedure and an extremely objective selection process. No funds are awarded until complete enrollment information is provided by the student. Funds are paid directly to the college or vocational school.

Have you received Revenue Sharing Funds in the past? Yes
If yes, specify year(s), event and amount: Spring, 2007 in the amount of \$1000

I swear under penalty of perjury that the information supplied herein is true and correct and I have read the DISTRICT 5 BENEFIT FUND Establishment & Funding Guidelines.

9/21/07

APPLICANT'S SIGNATURE

DATE

BELOW TO BE FILLED OUT BY COMMITTEE CONTACT

Date Submitted: 9/21 BOS Mtg. Date: _____
Amount Requested: 1000 Amount Received: None
Committee Mtg: 11/25

Report and supporting documentation must be received within 3 months of the award of the grant

03 28.07 Grant Application Form Date Received: _____

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TAHOE TRUCKEE COMMUNITY SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE

September 21, 2007

District 5 Benefit Fund Committee
175 Fulweiler Avenue
Auburn, CA 95603

RE: Grant Application

Dear Committee,

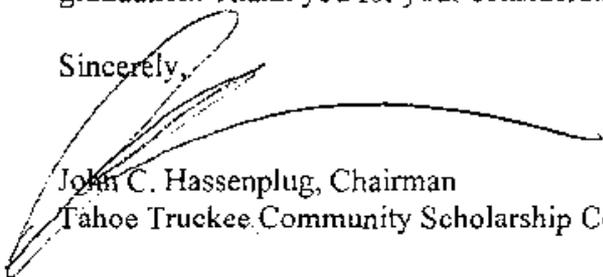
The Tahoe Truckee Community Scholarship Committee was established in 1970 to provide scholarships to high school graduates of the Tahoe Truckee Unified School District. In June of 1007, the Committee awarded over \$40,000 in scholarships to graduates of North Tahoe High School.

The award of scholarships relies totally on a very objective selection process that requires a very comprehensive application process. Upon award of the scholarship, the student is required to provide enrollment documentation. Payments are made to the educational institution. We consider the application process and the documentation process to be part of the learning process and are totally the responsibility of the student.

One of the most satisfying outcomes of the scholarship process is that many students are undecided about college or vocational school based on cost. In many cases these scholarships get graduates into their first year of school. Once they are in school they can avail themselves of all financial opportunities available on campus. This is particularly important for Hispanic students who are often the first in their families to go to school after high school.

There is no higher priority than getting our Placer County seniors into school after graduation. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,



John C. Hassenplug, Chairman
Tahoe Truckee Community Scholarship Committee



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Requested Funding Amount: \$ 1000
(up to maximum amount - \$1,000)

Applicant Name:	<u>Janine Sinkey</u>	Phone#	<u>(530) 305-5581</u>
Address:	<u>233 S. Auburn St. #235</u>	Fax#	<u>(530) 346-6400</u>
	<u>Colfax, CA 95713</u>	Other#	<u>(530) 878-9141</u>
Organization:	<u>Colfax Green Machine</u>		
Address:	<u>P.O. Box 1541</u>		
	<u>Colfax, CA 95713</u>		

Is the organization a non-profit? Yes Tax ID Number: 20-5829033

PLEASE ATTACH A DETAILED EXPLANATION OF THE REQUEST WRITTEN ON YOUR ORGANIZATION'S LETTERHEAD.

Please briefly describe the Community Benefit the Organization / Event / Program / Project provides:

See attached

Please briefly describe how funding will be utilized by listing what items will be purchased:

See attached

Have you received Revenue Sharing Funds in the past? No.

If yes, specify year(s), event and amount: _____

I swear under penalty of perjury that the information supplied herein is true and correct and I have read the DISTRICT BENEFIT FUND Establishment & Funding Guidelines.

Janine Sinkey 2/1/08
 APPLICANT'S SIGNATURE DATE

BELOW TO BE FILLED OUT BY COMMITTEE CONTACT

Date Submitted: 2/1/08 BOS Mtg. Date: _____
 Amount Requested: 1000 Amount Received: _____
 Committee Mtg: 2/25

Report and supporting documentation must be received within 3 months of the award of the grant

03.28.07 Grant Application Form Date Received: _____

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Colfax Wrestling

February 1, 2008

Placer County District 5 Benefit Fund
2970 Richardson Drive
Auburn, CA 95603

RE: Bruce Kranz Grants

Dear Fund Committee,

We would like to apply for the Bruce Kranz Grant to help our non profit Green Machine booster Club purchase a new wrestling Mat for our High school and youth program athletes. This season we are raising money to help cover the costs of a new wrestling mat and other equipment upgrades. Our current Mat is 20+ years old and along with the obvious wear has limited space as our program has grown to 40 wrestlers. As our athletes practice hard under the ceiling of missing tiles and eroded wall mats it is our vision to provide them with a quality Mat that they deserve to wrestle on. Not only do these needs meet the high school team but they benefit our youth freestyle program too. With the recent financial hardship of our education system, gifts such as yours are greatly appreciated.

Attached you will find a list of our expenses of program as well as "why wrestling" is so good for our community. Coach Jerry Sinkey is our fearless leader for these athletes and donates his time to the Freestyle program that will continue to feed the success of our high school team. His passion for this program is evident in that it gives the youth in our community a sense of how to achieve their goals as well as how to overcome obstacles and deal with them.

About Colfax High School Wrestling

The 2006 to 2007 season has been fantastic for the Colfax High School Wrestling team. The newspaper praised the wrestling season as the "best ever" seeing the team went on to share the Pioneer Valley League (PVL) title. The wrestlers became the first ever varsity team to win a league wrestling championship in Colfax High's 47-year history! The JV team also won the league championship! And to top it off, Colfax head coach Jerry Sinkey, was named the PVL "Coach of the Year!"

Colfax High School is a small school in a rural setting. The school enrollment is approximately 1,000 students with 39 wrestlers on the high school wrestling team last season. The program also includes a spring season freestyle wrestling team, which is a youth program for wrestlers age six through high school. This freestyle teams involves close to the same number of participants and also sent wrestlers on to higher-level tournaments last season.

The Colfax Green Machine, Inc.
a non-profit corporation

www.colfaxgreenmachine.org

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The Colfax High School wrestling team has established The Colfax Green Machine as a 501(c)(3) tax-exempt non-profit organization to help the wrestling team and other sports and enhancements programs at Colfax High School to fundraise.

With the generous support of organizations like yours, we plan to take more wrestlers to the sub-sections, sections, and state tournaments and make Colfax High School's wrestling team from one of the best wrestling schools! We know you will find your participation worthwhile because you are helping to fund an amazing team and dedicated group of individuals!

If you have any questions or require further information about sponsorship or other aspects of Colfax High School Wrestling, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely,

Janine Sinkey

Secretary

Colfax High School Wrestling

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Enclosures:

"Why Wrestling?"

"Coaches Wish List"

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GRANT APPLICATION

DISTRICT 5 BENEFIT FUND

Bruce Kranz, Placer County Supervisor for District 5 invites applications for grants from the District 5 BENEFIT FUND. This Fund consists of District 5's share of revenue sharing funds. Placer County allocates each fiscal year. In approving the revenue sharing 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.

PLEASE PRINT

Requested Funding Amount: \$ \$1,000.00
(up to maximum amount - \$1,000)

Applicant Name: John Gillmore- Director CTUC Phone#: (530)518-5484
 Address: 10271 Hillview Rd, Newcastle, CA 95658 Fax#: (916)774-3552
 Organization: CTUC-Friends of Foresthill OHV Trails - Other#: ()
 Address: 3550 Foothill Boulevard, Glendale, CA 91214

Is the organization a non-profit? YES Tax ID Number: #2028091 & #95-4690961

PLEASE ATTACH A DETAILED EXPLANATION OF THE REQUEST WRITTEN ON YOUR ORGANIZATION'S LETTERHEAD.

Please briefly describe the Community Benefit the Organization / Event / Program / Project provides:

CTUC-Friends of Foresthill OHV trails as a volunteer organization provides maintenance for the Foresthill OHV park which attracts 80,000 users a year to use a designated and sustainable OHV park. The town of Foresthill benefits greatly from this recreation in the district.

Please briefly describe how funding will be utilized by listing what items will be purchased:

FOFOT will utilize this funding to clean existing vault toilets at three OHV staging areas. These are currently funded through donations from the town of Foresthill via donations. The Forest Service does not have enough funding to clean these toilets and without FOFOT assistance they will be closed as will the OHV trails.

Have you received Revenue Sharing Funds in the past? No
 If yes, specify year(s), event and amount

I swear under penalty of perjury that the information supplied herein is true and correct and I have read the BENEFIT FUND Establishment & Funding Guidelines.

[Handwritten Signature] 2-22-05
 APPLICANT'S SIGNATURE DATE

BELOW TO BE FILLED OUT BY COMMITTEE CONTACT

Date Submitted: 2/22 BOS Mtg Date: _____
 Amount Requested: 1000 Amount Received: 500
 Committee Mtg: 2/24

Report and supporting documentation must be received within 3 months of the award of the grant.
 Date Received: _____

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