

MEMORANDUM
OFFICE OF THE
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
COUNTY OF PLACER

TO: Honorable Board of Supervisors

FROM: Jim Holmes, Supervisor, District 3

DATE: May 27, 2008

SUBJECT: REVENUE SHARING – Approve appropriation of \$1,000 in Revenue Sharing monies to the Auburn Rotary Club *Project Auburn Steering Committee* as requested by Supervisor Holmes (\$1,000).

ACTION REQUESTED

Approve appropriation of \$1,000 in Revenue Sharing monies to the Auburn Rotary Club *Project Auburn Steering Committee* as requested by Supervisor Holmes (\$1,000).

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 Auburn Rotary Club *Project Auburn Steering Committee*. In 2004, the City of Auburn and the Auburn Rotary Club united to plan Project Auburn, a committee of community volunteers who donate their time, talent and money towards the revitalization of old town Auburn. In 2008, the committee selected the Old State Theatre building and the surrounding block, and the Old Library Art Studio for improvement. On May 31, four hundred community volunteers will gather in hopes of completing the improvements to the Old State Theatre façade and restoring it to its original 1930 appearance in one day. The funds designated towards this committee will help defray the costs of the necessary supplies and assist them accomplishing this goal.

FISCAL IMPACT

Funds are available in the Revenue Sharing budget.

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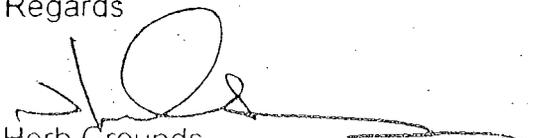
April 21, 2008

Mr. Jim Holmes
 Supervisor District 3
 County Administrative Office
 Auburn, Ca 95603

Dear Jim,

I am on this years Project Auburn Steering Committee and this years project is to enhance the State Theater (See Attach), in conjunction with helping the city improve the street scapes and the Old Library Art Studio (OLAS) on Almond St. The Corporate Sponsors we have depended upon in the past are presently unable to contribute. We are hoping you would be able to channel \$1000 from County Revenue Sharing Funds for this worthwhile project. Anything you could do to help support Project Auburn would be greatly appreciated. If you or your staff have any questions please call me at (530) 885-2977. Thanks for all you do.

Regards


 Herb Grounds

Please make check payable to: Auburn Rotary Club – Tax ID # 94-301-8556

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April 7, 2008

Dear Supervisor Jim Holmes,

Since 2004 the City of Auburn and the Auburn Rotary Club have come together to plan ***Project Auburn***. With donations from the Auburn business community we have painted the homes of senior citizens, revitalized our old town market place and painted, landscaped and rebuilt the shade structures at the Auburn Area Recreation Park.

In 2008 we have selected our old state theatre building and surrounding block to improve. The building is owned by a local charity, the Auburn Placer Performing Arts, and they have a vision of this theatre becoming the center of our Community. The ***Project Auburn*** Committee wants to help in this effort by improving the façade of this old historical building. We will paint, plaster, hang new windows and return the outside appearance to what it was like in the 1930's. The project will further work with the City of Auburn to landscape the block of Lincoln Way that surrounds the theatre.

As in past years we do this work with community volunteers who donate their time, talent and money. This year we expect to have 400 volunteers come downtown on May 31, 2008 and complete this project in one day. Our volunteers represent churches, service clubs, scout troops and ordinary citizens. Together we put our resources to work to make the City of Auburn a more beautiful and economically viable community to live and work.

We cannot make this happen without the support of individuals such as you. Your name will be boldly printed on all marketing materials and listed as a supporter of this project at the building.

Please let me know if I can answer any questions you have about our project.

Sincerely,

Steven Galyardt
Sponsorship Chairman
2008 Project Auburn

