

**MEMORANDUM
DEPARTMENT OF FACILITY SERVICES
COUNTY OF PLACER**

To: **BOARD OF SUPERVISORS**

Date: **OCTOBER 21, 2008**

From: *JD* **JAMES DURFEE / WILL DICKINSON** *W.D.*

Subject: **RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING PLACER RECYCLES DAY**

ACTION REQUESTED / RECOMMENDATION: Adopt the attached Resolution proclaiming November 15, 2008 as Placer Recycles Day.

BACKGROUND: America Recycles Day was established as a way to promote the social, environmental and economic benefits of recycling and join the movement toward creating a better natural environment. Celebrating its 11th year, America Recycles Day is the only nationally recognized day dedicated to encouraging Americans to recycle and to buy recycled products.

Placer County is working with staff from the cities and waste haulers in Placer County to organize Placer Recycles Day. The event will be held in conjunction with the national celebration of America Recycles Day and provides residents the opportunity to participate in a fun and educational event. Placer Recycles Day will be held at the Utility Exploration Center in Roseville, and will showcase local recycling options and programs. The event includes several hands-on activities where kids can create art from recycled items and residents can learn about composting. Residents will be entertained by a recycled trash fashion show and a trash can band.

ENVIRONMENTAL CLEARANCE: The recommended action is not considered a "Project" under the California Environmental Quality Act.

FISCAL IMPACT: Adopting this Resolution has no direct fiscal impact.

JD:WD:MJW:KMZ

ATTACHMENTS: PLACER RECYCLES DAY RESOLUTION

Before the Board of Supervisors County of Placer, State of California

In the matter of: Placer Recycles Day

Resolution _____

The following RESOLUTION was duly passed by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Placer at a regular meeting held _____, by the following vote on roll call:

Ayes:

Noes:

Absent:

Signed and approved by me after its passage.

Chairman, Board of Supervisors

Attest:

Clerk of said Board

WHEREAS, the County of Placer, California recognizes the nationwide participation in the annual American Recycles Day on November 15, 2008 as a way to increase awareness of the importance of recycling and waste reduction; and

WHEREAS, the County of Placer supports and promotes wise use of resources by providing recycling options, investing in recycling education and supporting community events that encourage waste reduction, reuse and recycling ; and

WHEREAS, the County of Placer, California acknowledges the importance of recycling, reuse and waste reduction by collaborating with the cities of Auburn, Colfax, Lincoln, Rocklin, Roseville, the Town of Loomis, Auburn Placer Disposal Service, Tahoe Truckee Sierra Disposal and the Western Placer Waste Management Authority, to co-sponsor Placer Recycles Day on Saturday, November 15, 2008 in Roseville, CA.; and

WHEREAS, the County of Placer hereby encourages its residents, businesses and institutions to celebrate Placer Recycles Day and commit to building a sustainable society.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED on behalf of the Board, do hereby proclaim November 15, 2008, Placer Recycles Day in Placer County and invite residents and businesses to attend the Placer Recycles Day celebration on November 15, 2008, from 10:00 a.m. until 3:00 p.m. at the Roseville Utility Exploration Center.

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