



MEMORANDUM
from the office of
PLACER COUNTY COUNSEL
Extension 4044

TO: Board of Supervisors
FROM: Gerald O. Carden, Chief Deputy County Counsel
DATE: January 27, 2009
RE: APPOINTMENTS TO LAW LIBRARY BOARD OF TRUSTEES

ACTION REQUESTED:

Appoint Anthony J. La Bouff, County Counsel, or a designated representative of his office, and Gregory Fayard, Placer County Bar Association President to the Law Library Board of Trustees.

BACKGROUND:

The Placer County Law Library has been established under state law, and is governed by an independent Board of Law Library Trustees. California Business & Professions Code Section 6301 sets out the constitution of the Board, which is a combination of members or appointments from the Superior Court and the Board of Supervisors. The Superior Courts are allowed up to five (5) appointments to the Board. The Board Chairman, or an appointee, and a second Board of Supervisors appointee fill out the seven (7) person Law Library Board of Trustees.

The Board of Supervisors has historically appointed the County Counsel to the seat allocated to the Chairman under the state statute. Also historically, the second appointment from your Board has been the President of the Placer County Bar Association. For this coming year, Gregory Fayard, has been elected President of the Placer County Bar Association.

FISCAL IMPACT:

There is no fiscal impact to these appointments.

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