



COUNTY OF PLACER

**OFFICE OF
COUNTY EXECUTIVE**
THOMAS M. MILLER, County Executive Officer

BOARD MEMBERS

F. C. "ROCKY" ROCKHOLM
District 1

JIM HOLMES
District 3

ROBERT M. WEYGANDT
District 2

KIRK UHLER
District 4

JENNIFER MONTGOMERY
District 5

175 FULWEILER AVENUE / AUBURN, CALIFORNIA 95603
TELEPHONE: 530/889-4030
FAX: 530/889-4023
www.placer.ca.gov

TO: The Honorable Board of Supervisors
FROM: Thomas M. Miller, County Executive Officer
By Mary Herdegen, Senior Management Analyst *MH*
DATE: February 10, 2009
SUBJECT: Authorize Supervisors Rockholm, Holmes, Montgomery and Weygandt to travel to Washington, DC March 2 - 5, 2009

Action Requested:

Authorize Supervisors Rockholm, Holmes, Montgomery and Weygandt to travel to Washington, DC March 2-5, 2009, to meet with elected or appointed officials from the United States to discuss legislative and regulatory issues affecting the county, and over which the federal officials have jurisdiction.

Background:

Annually, the Board of Supervisors approves a Legislative/Regulatory Platform that articulates the Board's proposals and priorities. During the March 2009 trip, Board members are expected to meet with federal officials to discuss the County's 2009 federal priorities including:

- Continued funding for the Regional Wastewater Treatment and Water Reclamation Facility;
- Additional funding for Public Safety Communications Network Needs;
- Transportation Funding;
- Continued Funding for Wildfire Protection and Biomass Utilization; and
- Funding for Placer Legacy and the Placer County Conservation Plan.

Fiscal Impact:

The estimated travel, lodging and related incidental costs are approximately \$1,550 per Supervisor. The total estimated cost of approximately \$6,200 for the Board members is included in the County's BOS approved FY 2008-09 Budget.

