

**MEMORANDUM**  
OFFICE OF THE  
**BOARD OF SUPERVISORS**  
COUNTY OF PLACER

TO: Honorable Board of Supervisors

FROM: Robert M. Weygandt, District 2 Supervisor, Jim Holmes, District 3 Supervisor, and Kirk Uhler, District 4 Supervisor

DATE: April 23, 2013

SUBJECT: REVENUE SHARING – Approve appropriation of \$1,250 in Revenue Sharing monies to the Sierra College Foundation's *A Taste of Excellence* event to support scholarships and programs that directly benefit the students and community, as requested by Supervisor Weygandt (\$250), Supervisor Holmes (\$500), and Supervisor Uhler (\$500).

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**ACTION REQUESTED**

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**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 help support the Sierra College Foundation *A Taste of Excellence* event being held on April 27<sup>th</sup>. *A Taste of Excellence* is the Foundation's largest fund-raising effort and those efforts enable the Foundation to award over \$300,000 in scholarships annually. Last year the event raised over \$170,000 providing funds for scholarships and other programs that directly benefit Sierra College. The need for assistance and scholarships happens to be at an all-time high with more students turning to their community college during this current economic downturn. The funds designated towards this popular event will assist the Foundation in providing the support to programs that will directly benefit our students and community, and help defray the cost of the event.

**FISCAL IMPACT**

Funds are available in the Revenue Sharing budget.



Please attach your letter of request to this application

# Revenue Sharing Funds Application for funding Districts

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The Placer County Board of Supervisors has actively promoted revenue sharing funding as a means to provide financial support for local events, fundraising, programs, supplies, improvements, and equipment needed to help non-profit and community based organizations. 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 complete, print and sign the application and include it with your letter of request.

Organization: Sierra College Foundation Telephone: 916-6607020  
 Address: 5000 Rocklin Road Fax: 916-6304547  
Rocklin, CA 95677 Email: foundation@sierracollege.edu  
 Website: sierracollege.edu/foundation

Briefly describe the community benefit the organization, event, program or project provides:  
The Sierra College Foundation (SCF) provides the avenues to invest in quality educational opportunities for everyone throughout Sierra College, which includes all Placer County districts. We raise funds to support Sierra College in its mission to educate a qualified workforce and train our civil public servants and future leaders. We provide scholarships for qualifying students and grants to fund programs.

Briefly describe how funding will be utilized by listing what items will be purchased:  
Funds would be used to support the "A Taste of Excellence" fundraising event. A portion of the funds generated from this event will be used to increase the number of internship opportunities for Sierra College students throughout the Placer and Nevada County districts. Current funds support only 25% of the students and businesses interested in participating in this internship program.

Has this organization received Revenue Sharing Funds in the past?  Yes  No  
 If yes, specify year(s), event and amount:  
2013 - Annual Campaign, \$1,000; 2012 - Taste of Excellence, \$1,500; 2011 - Taste of Excellence, \$1,500;  
2010 - Taste of Excellence, \$2,000

I swear under penalty of perjury that the information supplied herein is true and correct X

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 APPLICANT'S NAME APPLICANT'S SIGNATURE DATE

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Date Request rec'd 4/01/13 It recommended for approval; BOS mtg date: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date Application rec'd \_\_\_\_\_ Amount received \_\_\_\_\_  
 Amount Requested \_\_\_\_\_ Date funding check mailed \_\_\_\_\_  
 Previous contributions: \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_ 4/5/13