

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

**TO:** Honorable Board of Supervisors

**FROM:** Jim Holmes, Supervisor District 3

**DATE:** July 23, 2013

**SUBJECT: REVENUE SHARING** – Approve appropriation of \$500 in Revenue Sharing monies to the Cowpoke Foundation's *Annual Cowpoke Fall Gathering* fundraiser, as requested by Supervisor Holmes (\$500).

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**ACTION REQUESTED**

Approve appropriation of \$500 in Revenue Sharing monies to the Cowpoke Foundation's *Annual Cowpoke Fall Gathering* fundraiser, as requested by Supervisor Holmes (\$500).

**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 Cowpoke Foundation's *19<sup>th</sup> Annual Cowpoke Fall Gathering* fundraiser being held November 7<sup>th</sup> – November 10<sup>th</sup> at the Blue Goose Fruit Shed in Loomis.

The first Cowpoke Fall Gathering was held in 1995, as a unique form of art, to entertain and help bridge the communication gap between urban and rural society. The mission of the Cowpoke Foundation is to preserve and promote the American cowboy heritage. Educational programs in local schools and youth performances at the Fall Gathering ensure that this heritage continues through introducing young people to these verbal folk art traditions. The funds designated towards this organization will benefit the Ride to Walk (a therapeutic riding program providing equine therapy), the Breast Health Center at Sutter Roseville, the continuing Blue Goose Renovation Project in Loomis, and the Del Oro Aquatic Center to replace the aging pool.

**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 1 - 4

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: The Cowpoke Foundation Telephone: (916) 652-6290  
 Address: 3270 Taylor Road FAX: (916) 663-4428 N/A  
Loomis CA 95650 Email: carolsuebraun@yahoo.com  
 Website: www.thecowpokefallgathering.com

Briefly describe the community benefit the organization, event, program or project provides:

Our beneficiaries this year are Ride To Walk (a therapeutic riding program providing equine therapy); the Breast Health Center at Sutter Roseville; and the continuing Blue Goose Renovation project in Loomis.

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Briefly describe how funding will be utilized by listing what items will be purchased:

Funding from the sponsors allow us to continue offering educational programs in local schools and youth performances at the Gathering, ensuring that this heritage continues by exposing young people to oral folk art forms.

Has this organization received Revenue Sharing Funds in the past?  Yes  No

If yes, specify year(s), event and amount:

2010 - \$500, 2011 - \$600 - 2012 \$500

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

Carol Braun  
Brenda Newsom, Event Coord.  
APPLICANT'S NAME

Carol Braun  
APPLICANT'S SIGNATURE

5-19-13  
05/19/2013 CP  
DATE

Date Request rec'd 5/21/2013 ER

If recommended for approval, BOS mtg date: \_\_\_\_\_

Date Application rec'd \_\_\_\_\_

Amount received \_\_\_\_\_

Amount Requested \_\_\_\_\_

Date funding check mailed \_\_\_\_\_

Previous contributions: \_\_\_\_\_

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