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**TREASURER-TAX COLLECTOR**  
**mPOWER**  
County of Placer

TO: Board of Supervisors

DATE: November 8, 2016

FROM: Jenine Windeshausen, Treasurer-Tax Collector

SUBJECT: Commendation for John L. Sullivan and The Sullivan Auto Group

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## **ACTION REQUESTED**

Approve a commendation to John L Sullivan and The Sullivan Auto Group for their \$5.7 million commitment and investment in energy efficiency retrofits and solar installation financed through the mPOWER Program.

## **BACKGROUND**

John L Sullivan and The Sullivan Auto Group selected Placer County's mPOWER program as the financing mechanism for their energy efficiency and solar projects. Your Board previously approved an application for the John L Sullivan and The Sullivan Auto Group in the amount of \$5,734,409.75. Based on your approval, John L Sullivan and The Sullivan Auto Group recently completed the Sacramento region's largest PACE energy efficiency improvement project. On November 10, mPOWER, John L. Sullivan and The Sullivan Auto Group will celebrate the completion. The project represents a significant commitment to business leadership and the environment. The Roseville Toyota and Truck Center and John L Sullivan Chevrolet dealerships each received interior and exterior LED lighting improvements, heating and air conditioning improvements, cool roofs and solar power generation. The energy savings at these two dealerships will exceed 1.5 million kilowatt hours annually, and will reduce greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions by more than 1,900 metric tons. This GHG reduction is equivalent to removing 408 automobiles off the road annually. Additionally, several local contractors found employment on the project. The John L Sullivan and The Sullivan Auto Group project represents the achievements that can be made when business and government work together.

## **FISCAL IMPACT**

None

## **ATTACHMENTS**

Commendation

**IN THE MATTER OF A COMMENDATION RECOGNIZING JOHN L SULLIVAN AND THE SULLIVAN AUTO GROUP FOR THE COMMITMENT TO SAVING ENERGY, CREATING JOBS AND REDUCING GREENHOUSE GASES IN PLACER COUNTY,**

**WHEREAS,** Roseville Toyota and Truck Center, and John L. Sullivan Chevrolet dealerships undertook significant energy efficiency improvements; and

**WHEREAS,** John L. Sullivan and The Sullivan Auto Group invested \$5.7 million in interior and exterior lighting, improved heating and air conditioning, and will generate more than 950,000 kilowatt hours of solar power; and

**WHEREAS,** John L. Sullivan and The Sullivan Auto Group chose to partner with Placer County's mPOWER Program to finance the energy efficiency and solar improvements; and

**WHEREAS,** the energy efficiency improvements at the Roseville Toyota and Truck Center and John L Sullivan Chevrolet will save more than 1.5 million kilowatt hours annually; and

**WHEREAS,** the energy efficiency improvements at the Roseville Toyota and Truck Center and John L Sullivan Chevrolet will reduce greenhouse gas emissions by 1,932 metric tons, which is equal to removing 408 automobiles from the road annually; and

**WHEREAS,** John L. Sullivan has demonstrated a continued commitment to business leadership and economic growth in Placer County since 1977.

**NOW, THEREFORE, LET IT BE KNOWN,** that the above COMMENDATION was duly passed by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Placer on behalf of the citizens of Placer County at a regular meeting held, November 8, 2016, to honor John L. Sullivan and The Sullivan Auto Group for their commitment to business leadership and the environment in Placer County.

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