

MEMORANDUM
OFFICE OF THE
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
COUNTY OF PLACER

TO: Honorable Board of Supervisors

FROM: Jim Holmes, Supervisor District 3

DATE: August 24, 2010

SUBJECT: REVENUE SHARING – Approve appropriation of \$100 in Revenue Sharing monies to *The Auburn Funk Box Derby Event* to benefit Seniors First and the Auburn 20/30 Club, as requested by Supervisor Holmes (\$100).

ACTION REQUESTED

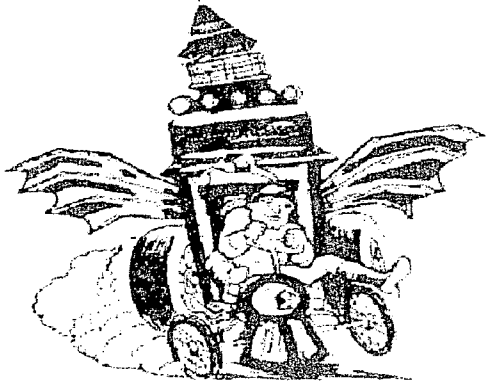
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BACKGROUND/COMMUNITY BENEFITS: In approving the following contributions, the Placer County Board of Supervisors finds that each and every approved contribution serves a public purpose by promoting the general welfare of the County and its inhabitants therefore a benefit results to the County.

The Board of Supervisors is being asked to approve appropriations to help support *the Auburn Funk Box Derby event* being held September 19. The spectacular Funk Box Derby event launched in 1982 consists of funky build cars that travel down Lincoln Way with a finish line by the Monkey Cat restaurant. The cars are built from anything lying around the house meeting the basic requirements of a steering wheel and brakes. The funds designated towards this event will help support two local non-profits that serve the Auburn community. The non-profits selected this year are Seniors First and the Auburn 20/30 Club. Both of these organizations help the community with support for our seniors and youth.

FISCAL IMPACT

Funds are available in the Revenue Sharing budget.

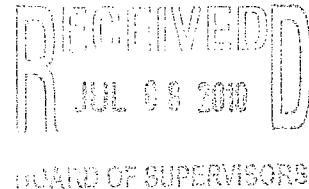


Auburn Funk Box Derby

Lincoln Way, Auburn Ca
September 19, 2010

July 7, 2010

Jim Holmes
Placer County Supervisor, District 3
175 Fulweiler Avenue
Auburn, Ca 95603



Dear Supervisor Holmes,

There was a tradition in the City of Auburn that was launched in 1982 known as the Funk Soap Box Derby. This derby was held for 10 years and it was focused on being a family fun event that all the residents could enjoy. This spectacular event is making a comeback on September 19, 2010 and will be called The Auburn Funk Box Derby.

The Auburn Funk Box Derby will consist of funky built cars that will zoom down Lincoln Way with a finish line by the Monkey Cat restaurant. The cars will be built from scrap wood, wheelchairs, toilets, umbrellas, basically anything you have lying around your house can be used. As seen in the past years there were firehouses, outhouses, TV sets, lady bugs, rocking horses and many other funky cars coming down the hill to delight the crowd. Anything will go as long as it has a steering wheel and brakes. This event will be family fun, lots of laughs and a whole bunch of funk!

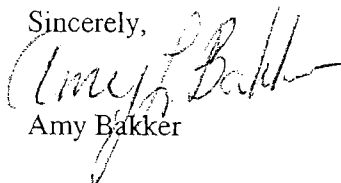
This is a truly remarkable event with such a rich history. The events proceeds will support two local non-profits that serve the Auburn Community. The non-profits selected this year are Seniors First and the Auburn 20/30 club. Both these organization help the community with support for our seniors and youth.

Thank you for your support in making the Auburn Funk Box Derby a community success. A sponsorship form has been enclosed with the benefits listed on the brochure. Your sponsorship will also be recognized during the event.

Please make checks payable to:

"Funk Box Derby"
P.O. Box 180
Newcastle, Ca 95658

Sincerely,


Amy Bakker