MEMORANDUM

OFFICE OF THE

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

COUNTY OF PLACER

TO:

Honorable Board of Supervisors

FROM:

Bill Santucci, Supervisor District 1, Robert Weygandt, Supervisor District

2. Jim Holmes, Supervisor District 3 and Ted Gaines, Supervisor District

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DATE:

November 7, 2006

SUBJECT:

REVENUE SHARING - Approve appropriation of \$400 in Revenue

Sharing monies to Placer County Ducks Unlimited for the 31st

Anniversary Banquet fund raising event, as requested by Supervisor

Santucci (\$100), Supervisor Weygandt (\$100), Supervisor Holmes (\$100)

and Supervisor Gaines (\$100).

ACTION REQUESTED

Approve appropriation of \$400 in Revenue Sharing monies to Placer County Ducks Unlimited for the 31st Anniversary Banquet fund raising event, as requested by Supervisor Santucci (\$100), Supervisor Weygandt (\$100), Supervisor Holmes (\$100) and Supervisor Gaines (\$100).

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.

As in years past, The Board of Supervisors is being asked to support the Placer County Ducks Unlimited Anniversary Banquet fund raising dinner. This year marks the 31st Anniversary for this popular event. Last year, Placer County Ducks Unlimited raised over \$44,000 in support during their annual dinner. The evening is fun, entertaining and has plenty of good food for participants to enjoy. The event will be held on November 11, 2006. This organization prides itself on being a leader in wetland conservation efforts and the funds generated from this dinner will help to purchase local wetland habitat areas.

FISCAL IMPACT

Funds are available in the Revenue Sharing budget.



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September 1, 2006

Robert Weygandt, Supervisor Placer County Board of Supervisors 175 Fulweiler Avenue Auburn, CA 95603

Dear Robert,

On behalf of the Placer County Chapter of Ducks Unlimited, I'd like to bring you up to date on last year's successes and ask you to reserve **November 11, 2006**, as the date for this year's fundraising dinner at McBean Park Pavilion in Lincoln, California.

2005 was a good year for Ducks Unlimited and its Placer County Chapter – the chapter netted over \$44,000 at last year's successful dinner. With these funds, in addition to monies raised at dinners across the United States, Ducks Unlimited now has purchased over **11 million** acres for wetland habitat.

We have committed to raising \$25,000 in underwriting for this year's dinner. It would be very much appreciated if you would help us in this effort (see Sponsorship Levels enclosed) with a donation of \$250.00 to \$5,000.00. During the dinner, we will recognize and promote the patronage of our donors in many ways. Their names will appear in the program, there will be signs by the underwritten items, and their support will be acknowledged during the raffle and auction.

\$25,000 is a lofty goal but, with your support, we can do it. And to start things off, our own committee members have pledged over \$2,000.00 towards this goal.

So, please reserve the evening of November 11, 2006, for our 31st Annual Banquet. We're planning a dinner that will be worthy of the Placer County Chapter's goal of raising its **second** million dollars for habitat conservation. And, as always, we'll have fun.

Best Regards

Tom Jones, Chairman

Placer County DU Committee

TJ:jmf

Thank you for your time and consideration - your support and participation are greatly appreciated!

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