

MEMORANDUM
OFFICE OF THE
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
COUNTY OF PLACER

TO: Honorable Board of Supervisors

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

DATE: January 10, 2012

SUBJECT: REVENUE SHARING – Approve appropriation of \$1000 in Revenue Sharing monies to the Lazarus Project 12th Annual St. Patrick's Day Dinner Celebration to benefit housing and support services to homeless men and women in Placer County, as requested by Supervisor Weygandt (\$250), Supervisor Holmes (\$250) and Supervisor Uhler (\$500).

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 Lazarus Project 12th Annual St. Patrick's Day Dinner Celebration. The Lazarus Project founded in 1998, is committed to fighting poverty by providing housing and comprehensive support services. Since its inception, The Lazarus Project has assisted over four hundred homeless men and women attain economic and social well-being. The Lazarus Project empowers homeless individuals to gain stability by providing housing, food, counseling and programs that promote self-sufficiency. The funds designated towards this annual fundraiser provides critical funding for housing and support services to homeless men and women each day and continued support essential to expand services to help the large number of homeless individuals in Placer County whose housing needs are not met.

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

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 Lazarus Project, Inc. Telephone: (916) 772-6833
 Address: P.O. Box 1241 FAX: (916) 772-6182
Roseville CA 95678 Email: dloya@lazarusprojectinc.org
 Website: www.lazarusprojectinc.org

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

The Lazarus Project is the only non-profit that provides no or low cost housing with support services to homeless men and women in Placer County. Typically a homeless person can cost the community \$40,000 per year. Our organization provides comprehensive services for \$9,100 per person per year.

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

Funding will be used to provide housing for 23 homeless men and women.

Has this organization received Revenue Sharing Funds in the past? Yes No
If yes, specify year(s), event and amount:

\$450.00 for our 11th Annual St. Patrick's Dinner Celebration in 2011

David Koye



APPLICANT'S SIGNATURE

12/07/2011
DATE

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Date Request rec'd _____ If recommended for approval; BOS mtg date: _____
 Date Application rec'd 12-07-2011 _____
 Amount Requested _____
 Previous contributions: _____