

MEMORANDUM
OFFICE OF THE
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
COUNTY OF PLACER

TO: Honorable Board of Supervisors

FROM: Robert M. Weygandt, Supervisor District 2

DATE: May 9, 2006

SUBJECT: REVENUE SHARING - Approve appropriation of \$500 in Revenue Sharing monies to the Lincoln Volunteer Center Tour de Lincoln fundraising event as requested by Supervisor Weygandt (\$500).

ACTION REQUESTED

Approve appropriation of \$500 in Revenue Sharing monies to the Lincoln Volunteer Center Tour de Lincoln fundraising event as requested by Supervisor Weygandt (\$500).

BACKGROUND/COMMUNITY BENEFITS

The Board is once again being asked to approve Revenue Sharing funds for the annual Tour de Lincoln fundraising event in Lincoln. This event raises funds for the Lincoln Volunteer Center who in turn uses those funds to benefit the community and residents throughout the year. The Lincoln Volunteer Center is a non-profit organization committed to deliver creative solutions to address community needs. The center enlists volunteers to assist with community projects such as trash pick-up, downtown beautification and painting street curbs and fire hydrants. The center also places volunteers in the schools as classroom assistants, tutors, reading listeners and homework helpers. The Tour de Lincoln fundraising event helps to fund these community-focused projects. The Revenue Sharing funds designated towards this event will help to pay for t-shirts and food for the participants.

FISCAL IMPACT

Funds are available in the Revenue Sharing budget.

Lincoln Volunteer Center

Shaping our future by serving our community

April 15, 2006

TO: Placer County Board of Supervisors
ATTN: Robert Weygandt
RE: 2006 Tour de Lincoln, May 13, 2006

Dear Mr. Weygandt,

The Lincoln Volunteer Center is excited to present the fifth annual "Tour de Lincoln." It is a recreational bicycle ride with four different routes geared toward all rider levels from beginner to avid. The Tour has brought cyclists and their families from all over the Sacramento Valley, the San Francisco Bay area, and northern Nevada. In four short years this has become one of South Placer County's foremost events and will no doubt continue to grow in size and rider participation.

The Lincoln Volunteer Center is a California 501(c)(3) non-profit organization created to mobilize people and resources to deliver creative solutions to address community needs. The Center enlists volunteers to assist with a variety of community projects including trash pick-up, graffiti paint-out, downtown beautification, painting fire hydrants and street curbs. Volunteers are also placed in local schools as classroom assistants, tutors, reading listeners, and homework helpers. The Center also provides volunteers for local charity golf tournaments, the Certified Farmers Market, and helps sponsor the Community Giving Tree at Christmas.

We would like to request that you consider a contribution to the Volunteer Center in support of this years Tour de Lincoln. Your contribution would help pay for the purchase and printing of the Tour t-shirts and also help defray the cost of the BBQ lunch provided to each of the riders. We anticipate a ridership this year of over 600.

Thank you for your time and consideration.

Sincerely,



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