

**MEMORANDUM**  
OFFICE OF THE  
**BOARD OF SUPERVISORS**  
COUNTY OF PLACER

TO: Honorable Board of Supervisors

FROM: Bill Santucci, Supervisor District 1, Robert M. Weygandt, Supervisor District 2 and Ted Gaines, Supervisor District 4

DATE: June 27, 2006

SUBJECT: REVENUE SHARING - Approve appropriation of \$300 in Revenue Sharing monies to the Placer Nature Center as requested by Supervisor Santucci (\$100), Supervisor Weygandt (\$100) and Supervisor Gaines (\$100).

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**ACTION REQUESTED**

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**BACKGROUND/COMMUNITY BENEFITS**

The Board is being asked to support, through Revenue Sharing funds, the cost to perform necessary repairs and maintenance on the Placer Nature Center trail due to an exceptionally hard season of rainy conditions. The Placer Nature Center is visited by 8000 school children each year for environmental education programs. The funds designated through Revenue Sharing will be used for the purchase of materials needed to preserve the trail and the labor to perform the maintenance will be completed by volunteers donating their time and energy to complete the work.

**FISCAL IMPACT**

Funds are available in the Revenue Sharing budget.

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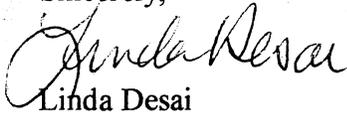
Dear Mr. Holmes,

The Placer Nature Center would like to request \$200 for trail maintenance. This year has been exceptionally hard on our trail system with all the rain. We need to make improvements that preserve our trail system and stop the erosion. The Placer Nature Center is visited by 8000 school children each year for environmental education programming. Each program relates the grade-level theme directly to the outdoor environment using our nature trail. Our trail is the focus and vehicle of building awareness of our outdoor world with school children as well as with families and other visitors throughout the year.

Could you provide \$200 to help us preserve our trail? The funds would be used only for the materials necessary because we have volunteers that will provide the labor.

Thank you for your consideration!

Sincerely,



Linda Desai  
Education Director

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