

MEMORANDUM
OFFICE OF THE
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
COUNTY OF PLACER

TO: Honorable Board of Supervisors

FROM: Jim Holmes, Supervisor, District 3

DATE: May ⁶~~13~~, 2008

SUBJECT: REVENUE SHARING – Approve appropriation of \$500 in Revenue Sharing monies to the Auburn Aviation Air Fair Committee *Thunder in the Sky 2008 Biannual Air Fair* as requested by Supervisor Holmes (\$500).

ACTION REQUESTED

Approve appropriation of \$500 in Revenue Sharing monies to the Auburn Aviation Air Fair Committee *Thunder in the Sky 2008 Biannual Air Fair* as requested by Supervisor Holmes (\$500).

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 once again to approve appropriations to help fund the Auburn Air Fair Committee *Thunder in the Sky 2008 Biannual Air Fair*. The City of Auburn and the Auburn Aviation Air Fair Committee are hosting this biannual air fair that offers food, fun and flying for the entire family. The event will feature war birds, vintage aircraft and autos, food and craft vendors, and a radio controlled aircraft demonstration. In previous years, this event has attracted 4000 spectators. In addition to highlighting the attributes of the Auburn Municipal Airport, this event is the major fundraiser for the Auburn Aviation Association. The funds designated towards this event will provide scholarships for aspiring high school students with an interest in aviation and other deserving local charities.

FISCAL IMPACT

Funds are available in the Revenue Sharing budget.

Thunder in the Sky 2008 – On the Wings of Eagles
Passing Aviation to the Next Generation
Saturday, August 2, 2008
Auburn Municipal Airport

Mr. Jim Holmes
Supervisor, District 3
County of Placer
175 Fulweiler Avenue
Auburn, CA 95603

Dear Jim:

After a one-year hiatus, the City of Auburn and the Auburn Aviation Air Fair Committee are busily planning events for what has become the biannual air fair. Food, fun and flying for the entire family. This popular event is a favorite of Northern California pilots because it is well organized and there are plenty of activities for everyone. The event will feature war birds, vintage aircraft and autos, food and craft vendors, and a radio controlled aircraft demonstration, always a crowd favorite. In past years the event has attracted 4000+ enthusiastic spectators.

We hope you will consider participating this year by your generous sponsorship of revenue sharing funds.. In addition to showcasing the attributes of the Auburn Municipal Airport, this event is the major fundraiser for the Auburn Aviation Association. After show expenses, proceeds will go to funding scholarships for aspiring high school students with an interest in aviation, and, if funds permit, to other deserving local charities.

The theme this year is “On the Wings of Eagles – Passing Aviation to the Next Generation”. Please consider giving this wonderful community event your financial support. Your contribution is tax deductible – Auburn Aviation is a 501©(3) organization. The enclosed benefit statement outlines Sponsor Benefits, and a form is included for your convenience. If I can answer any questions, please give me a call at 530-906-0863 (cell phone is always on), and my home phone is 530-878-9496. Thank you in advance for your consideration.

Sincerely,



Carol Uhouse
Sponsor Chair
Auburn Air Fair Committee
5224 Morningside Avenue
Auburn, CA 95602

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