

MEMORANDUM
OFFICE OF THE
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
COUNTY OF PLACER

TO: Honorable Board of Supervisors

FROM: Robert M. Weygandt, Supervisor District 2 and Jim Holmes, Supervisor District 3

DATE: March 8, 2011

SUBJECT: REVENUE SHARING – Approve appropriation of \$300 in Revenue Sharing monies to the Placer Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals (SPCA) *Funny Bones Comedy Awards Event* to benefit SPCA programs, as requested by Supervisor Weygandt (\$200) and Supervisor Holmes (\$100).

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 fund the Placer Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals (SPCA) *Funny Bones Comedy Awards Event* being held Friday, April 29 at the Timber Creek Ballroom in Roseville. The SPCA founded in 1973, provides many innovative programs such as kennel enrichment and socialization strategies, behavior modification counseling and training, foster care and mobile adoption that enhance animal well-being and improve adoptability. The SPCA also work closely with the community to provide adoption counseling, spay/neuter assistance and education, pet lost and found, pet classes and workshops, humane education, collaborative rescue efforts and volunteer opportunities. The funds designated towards this annual event will help defray the cost of the programs and assist them in their mission to enhance the lives of companion animals and support the human-animal bond.

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

Districts 1 - 4

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: Placer SPCA Telephone: (530) 885-7387 x. 105
 Address: 150 Colusa Road Yuba City FAX: (916) 762-8655
Revised 07/05/11 Email: ceo@placerspca.org
 Website: www.placerspca.org

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

Funny Bones, in its 10th year, raises money and awareness for the Placer SPCA, a private, non-profit organization, serving the people and pets of Placer County. We also provide local companion animal welfare services.

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

The funding will be used to enhance the lives of companion animals and support our human animal bond through adoption, education, reunification, affordable spay & neuter services, foster parenting, medical care and more.

Has this organization received Revenue Sharing Funds in the past? Yes No

If yes, specify year(s), event and amount:

2010 - Funny Bones \$100; 2009 Funny Bones \$550; Funny Bones 2008 \$100; 2009 B320 + Spca \$50; 2008 B320 + Spca \$50

I swear under penalty of perjury that the information supplied herein is true and correct

Kerstin Vickson
APPLICANT'S NAME

[Signature]
APPLICANT'S SIGNATURE

2/1/11
DATE



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February 3, 2011

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

Dear Supervisors,

The Placer SPCA is gearing up for our most anticipated event of the year – the **10th annual Funny Bones Comedy Awards Night**. This event was tremendously successful last year and so well received by the community. This year's event will be no exception, as we expect to host yet another sell-out crowd once again, **Friday, April 29th** at the Timber Creek Ballroom in Roseville, CA. The 10th annual Funny Bones Comedy Awards Night will be filled with great food, charitable hearts and laughs aloud – all the while raising funds for a great cause – helping the homeless companion animals of Placer County.

I hope you will contribute to the success of this event by contributing a sponsorship through the Revenue Sharing Funds Program. Your support of Funny Bones will help the Placer SPCA continue our work in enhancing the lives of companion animals and people throughout Placer County. We are your local companion animal welfare experts and provide many valuable resources with widespread benefit to the region such as spay/neuter assistance, humane education, Guardian Angel and Special PALS. These programs are vital to our community and help the Placer SPCA ensure that the thousands of animals that come to us each year will not only find care and comfort while here at our facility, but also in their new home. Today, our efforts and ability to provide these programs is of even greater importance as we strive to meet the ever increasing demand for services and assistance.

I hope we can count on your support. If you have any questions or would like more information on this event, please contact Susan Willson, Development Director, at (916) 782-7722, ext. 102 or (530) 885-7387 ext. 102 or via e-mail at susanw@placerspca.org.

From the animals and all of us at the Placer SPCA, thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Leilani Vierra
Chief Executive Officer

The Placer SPCA is a private, non-profit organization (Tax ID# 94-2607682), not affiliated with any other entity and does not receive funding from the ASPCA or HSUS.

