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**ADOPTED**

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS  
COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

May 12, 2009

The Honorable Board of Supervisors  
County of Los Angeles  
383 Kenneth Hahn Hall of Administration  
500 West Temple Street  
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*Sachi A. Hamai*  
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EXECUTIVE OFFICER

Dear Supervisors:

**FISH AND GAME PROPAGATION FUND GRANT AWARDS**  
**(ALL SUPERVISORIAL DISTRICTS)**  
**(3-VOTES)**

**SUBJECT**

Award of Grant funds for stocking catfish at various parks.

**IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT YOUR BOARD:** approve the following Fish and Game Propagation Fund Grant Requests in amount of \$5,000 for:

1. The stocking of catfish at Cerritos Regional Park for the May 30, 2009 "Cerritos Kids Fishing Derby" sponsored by the Los Angeles County Fourth Supervisorial District - \$2,500
2. The stocking of catfish at La Mirada Regional Park for the September 19, 2009, "Knabe Katch" Fishing Derby sponsored by the Los Angeles County Fourth Supervisorial District - \$2,500

**PURPOSE/JUSTIFICATION OF RECOMMENDED ACTION**

The Commission has determined that the grant request will promote education, conservation and the propagation of fish and game thus benefiting Los Angeles County and the State of California.

The Los Angeles County Fish and Game Commission, at its January 8, 2008 meeting recommended that your Honorable Board approve the grant from the Fish and Game Propagation Fund. Since 1952, the Commission has supported activities and projects overseeing the propagation and protection of fish and game. The Commission continues to promote the best methods for the propagation and protection of fish and game in the State of California and Los Angeles County.

**IMPLEMENTATION OF STRATEGIC PLAN GOALS**

Providing funding for this event is consistent with the County's Strategic Plan Goal No. 3 (Community and Municipal Services). In addition to enhancing the community's knowledge and understanding of conservation and the propagation of fish and game, the events will provide a safe and healthy environment increasing accessibility to County Cultural, recreational and lifelong learning facilities and programs.

**FISCAL IMPACT/FINANCING**

There is no impact on the General Fund. The approved expenditure will be charged to the Fish and Game Propagation Fund, which has sufficient funds to cover the cost.

The Los Angeles County Fish and Game Propagation Fund is financed from a percentage of penalty assessments collected relating to Fish and Game Code Violations in Los Angeles County.

**FACTS AND PROVISIONS/LEGAL REQUIREMENTS**

Section 13100 of the Fish and Game Code establishes guidelines for the expenditure of fines levied for fish and game code violations. It includes public education relating to the scientific principles of fish and wildlife conservation, consisting of supervised formal instruction carried out pursuant to a planned curriculum and aids in education such as literature, audio and video recordings, training models, and nature study facilities.

**IMPACT ON CURRENT SERVICES (OR PROJECTS)**

Enhances the education, conservation and the propagation of fish and game thus benefiting Los Angeles County and the State of California.

Very truly yours,



John H. Hybarger  
Chairman

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Attachments