



BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
AGENDA LETTER

Agenda Number:

Clerk of the Board of Supervisors
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Department Name: Probation
Department No.: 022
For Agenda Of: January 7, 2014
Placement: Administrative
Estimated Tme:
Continued Item: No
If Yes, date from:
Vote Required: 4/5

TO: Board of Supervisors

FROM: Department Beverly A. Taylor, Chief Probation Officer
Director(s)
Contact Info: Laurie Holbrook, Probation Manager, 692-1751

SUBJECT: Accept a donation of \$10,000 from the Bartlett Family Foundation for the exclusive use of the Los Prietos Boys Camp Scholarship Fund.

County Counsel Concurrence

As to form: Yes

Other Concurrence: N/A

As to form: N/A

Auditor-Controller Concurrence

As to form: Yes

Recommended Actions:

That the Board of Supervisors

- A. Authorize the Chief Probation Officer to accept the donation of \$10,000 from the Bartlett Family Foundation for the exclusive use of the Los Prietos Boys Camp Scholarship fund.
- B. Approve the attached budget revision recognizing the revenue and appropriating it into the Los Prietos Boys Camp Scholarship fund.

Summary Text: The Los Prietos Boys Camp received notice that it is the recipient of a \$10,000 donation from the Bartlett Family Foundation. The Foundation Requests this money be exclusively used by the Los Prietos Boys Camp Scholarship fund. The Probation Department is recommending the Board of Supervisors accept the donation in the amount of \$10,000, for the exclusive use of the Los Prietos Boys Camp Scholarship fund.

Background:

The Bartlett Family Foundation was founded in 1986, in memory of Pamela Keith Bartlett. The Foundation is organized exclusively to obtain and provide funds for charitable, religious, scientific, literary or education purposes.

The Los Prietos Scholarship Fund was created in 2006 in partnership with the Goleta Noontime Rotary and Santa Maria Breakfast Rotary Clubs. The scholarships support and finance Camp graduates and recently, female juvenile offenders, who choose to pursue a higher education at the college level or attend a trade school. To date, the program has afforded over 200 youth the opportunity to enroll in both community colleges and state universities. This calendar year, the program is supporting 25 youth who have enrolled in community college or state university. Over the last year, the scholarship fund has been expanded to include female juvenile offenders and is currently supporting one female recipient.

Upon completion of an application, a youth, who is in good standing in the community, will receive up to \$500 per term. The Camp has created a voucher system which directly pays the college for a youth's tuition, fees, books and supplies. These additional funds will assist the scholarship program in continuing to enrich the lives of the youth men and women served by the Probation Department and Los Prietos Boys Camp, and afford them an opportunity to enhance their futures by successfully obtaining a higher level of education.

Performance Measure:

Probation will notify all successful graduates of the Los Prietos Boys Camp Program of the availability of scholarship funds to support those youth with High School diplomas who pursue college or vocational education.

Probation will maintain accounting of funds expended and ensure that the funds are utilized appropriately.

Fiscal and Facilities Impacts:

Budgeted: No

Fiscal Analysis:

The funds will be deposited into the Los Prietos Scholarship Fund balance account. There will be no impact on the general fund as a result of accepting this donation.

Staffing Impacts: None

Special Instructions:

Please return two (2) Certified Minute Orders to Michael Cameron, Fiscal Manager, Probation Department, 117 E. Carrillo Street, Santa Barbara, CA 93101

Attachments:

Budget revision

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