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# NAPA COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS **Board Agenda Letter**

TO: Board of Supervisors

FROM: Britt Ferguson for Nancy Watt - County Executive Officer

County Executive Office

**REPORT BY:** Patricia Grisham, Administrative Secretary I, 253-4424

SUBJECT: Presentation of Proclamation Declaring November as Lung Cancer Awareness Month

(Supervisor Dillon)

### RECOMMENDATION

Presentation of a proclamation declaring November, 2005 as Lung Cancer Awareness Month. (Supervisor Dillon)

## **EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

The American Lung Association of California - Redwood Empire Branch and Lung Cancer Aware requested the Board of Supervisors issue a Proclamation acknowledging November as Lung Cancer Awareness Month and recognize "Shine a Little Light" a Lung Cancer rally to be held on November 4, 2005 in Santa Rosa.

## FISCAL IMPACT

Is there a Fiscal Impact? No

#### **ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT**

ENVIRONMENTAL DETERMINATION: The proposed action is not a project as defined by 14 California Code of Regulations 15378 (State CEQA Guidelines) and therefore CEQA is not applicable.

## **BACKGROUND AND DISCUSSION**

Lung Cancer Awareness Month is a national campaign of the Lung Cancer Alliance. The Alliance is a national patient advocacy group for lung cancer and the only organization in the United States soley dedicted to helping

build awareness of this disease. Lung Cancer Aware is a new local, grass-roots advocacy and awareness organization. Both organizations have requested the Board of Supervisors to acknowledge November as Lung Cancer Awareness Month and help raise awareness for more education and research into lung cancer in the County of Napa.

# **SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS**

A . Lung Cancer Awareness Proc

CEO Recommendation: Approve

Reviewed By: Britt Ferguson