



A Tradition of Stewardship  
A Commitment to Service

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## NAPA COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS Board Agenda Letter

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**TO:** Board of Supervisors  
**FROM:** Greg Clark for David Whitmer - Agricultural Commissioner  
Agricultural Commissioner  
**REPORT BY:** Jeffrey Erwin, Deputy Agricultural Commissioner - 253-4357  
**SUBJECT:** Presentation of a proclamation declaring May 2010 as Glassy-winged Sharpshooter Awareness Month

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### **RECOMMENDATION**

Presentation of a proclamation to Agricultural Commissioner Dave Whitmer identifying May 2010 as "Glassy-winged Sharpshooter Awareness Month".

### **EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

The Napa County Agricultural Commissioner is responsible for developing and implementing the County's Glassy-winged Sharpshooter (GWSS) Workplan. A major component of the Workplan is education and outreach. By proclaiming May 2010 as Glassy-winged Sharpshooter Awareness Month, the Board will help the Agricultural Commissioner increase the level of awareness of the threat that GWSS poses to the County's environment and agriculture based economy and what can be done to prevent the pest's introduction into Napa County.

### **PROCEDURAL REQUIREMENTS**

No Action Required

### **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**

Proclaiming May as Glassy-winged Sharpshooter Awareness Month reminds our citizens of the threat that GWSS poses to the County's environment and agriculture based economy, and helps outreach efforts to educate citizens on what can be done to prevent the pest's introduction into Napa County.

**SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS**

A . 2010 GWSS Awareness Month Proclamation

CEO Recommendation: Approve

Reviewed By: Helene Franchi