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NAPA COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS Board Agenda Letter

TO: Board of Supervisors
FROM: Shelli Brobst for Randolph F. Snowden - Director
Health & Human Services
REPORT BY: Shelli Brobst, Contracts Analyst, 253-4720
SUBJECT: Proclamation declaring September as Recovery Happens Month

RECOMMENDATION

Presentation of a proclamation declaring September, 2005 as "Recovery Happens Month" in Napa County.

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

The purpose of "Recovery Happens Month" is to demonstrate the County's continued support of and commitment to alcohol and drug prevention, treatment and recovery, and to participate in the Statewide effort to encourage individuals and communities to partake in these activities.

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

Recovery Happens is a collaborative effort of private citizens, organizations, Counties and the State Department of Alcohol and Drug Programs to promote the many successes of prevention, treatment and recovery programs and resources. For the past 11 years, September has been designated "Recovery Happens Month" by the U.S.

Department of Health and Human Services Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration. Recovery Happens Month activities have been instrumental in enhancing the public's knowledge of the problem use of alcohol and other drugs in California, in promoting the success of California's diverse prevention, intervention, treatment and recovery programs and providers, and in recognizing the extraordinary achievements of people in recovery.

SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS

A . Proclamation

CEO Recommendation: Approve

Reviewed By: Lorenzo Zialcita