

*Agenda Addendum*

**DEPARTMENT:** Board of Supervisors

**BY:** Bob Pickard  
**PHONE:** 966-3222

**RECOMMENDED ACTION AND JUSTIFICATION:**

Authorize the Chairman to sign a letter supporting the grant application of the American Indian Council of Mariposa County for funding from the Administration for Native Americans. Funds from the grant will be used for a federal recognition petition of the Southern Sierra Miwuk Nation that will be considered by the Federal Branch of Acknowledgment and Research.

**BACKGROUND AND HISTORY OF BOARD ACTIONS:**

The Board has authorized the Chairman to sign letters of support on matters and issues that they deem are beneficial to the citizens of Mariposa County.

**ALTERNATIVES AND CONSEQUENCES OF NEGATIVE ACTION:**

Do not authorize the Chairman to sign the letter of support. The American Indian Council of Mariposa County will not have a letter of support from the Mariposa County Board of Supervisors included with their grant application.

Financial Impact? ( ) Yes (X) No	Current FY Cost: \$	Annual Recurring Cost: \$
Budgeted In Current FY? ( ) Yes ( ) No ( ) Partially Funded		
Amount in Budget: \$ _____		List Attachments, number pages consecutively _____
Additional Funding Needed: \$ _____		Draft letter of support _____
Source:		_____
Internal Transfer _____		_____
Unanticipated Revenue _____ 4/5's vote		_____
Transfer Between Funds _____ 4/5's vote		_____
Contingency _____ 4/5's vote		_____
( ) General ( ) Other		_____

**CLERK'S USE ONLY:**

Res. No.: 03-18 Ord. No. \_\_\_\_\_  
Vote - Ayes: 5 Noes: \_\_\_\_\_  
Absent: \_\_\_\_\_  
*Approved*  
( ) Minute Order Attached ( ) No Action Necessary

**COUNTY ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER:**

\_\_\_\_\_ Requested Action Recommended  
\_\_\_\_\_ No Opinion  
Comments: \_\_\_\_\_  
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The foregoing instrument is a correct copy of the original on file in this office.  
Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
Attest: MARGIE WILLIAMS, Clerk of the Board  
County of Mariposa, State of California  
By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Deputy

CAO: *[Signature]*

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January 14, 2003

Geri Emberson  
Community Development Representative  
California Indian Assistance Program  
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Sacramento, California 95814

RE: Support for Administration for Native Americans Grant

Dear Geri:

The Mariposa County Board of Supervisors supports the grant application being submitted by the American Indian Council of Mariposa County (Council) for funding from the Administration for Native Americans. The funding will be used to supplement and amend the Council's federal recognition petition for the Southern Sierra Miwuk Nation.

The Mariposa County government has successfully worked with the Council on many community issues that have ultimately benefited the citizens of the County. The Council deserves the opportunity to perfect its federal recognition petition for consideration by the Federal Branch of Acknowledgment and Research and the Board of Supervisors supports their request for your assistance in this funding process.

Thank you for your time and consideration.

Sincerely,

BOB PICKARD  
Chairman

BP/mbh

cc: Board of Supervisors

bcc: Margie Williams, Clerk of the Board

