RECOMMENDED ACTION AND JUSTIFICATION:
Request and recommend that the Mariposa County Board of Supervisors authorize the Chairman of the Board to write a letter of support for the Mariposa County Chamber of Commerce to include with their application to CalTrans regarding the display of the holiday banners on the existing power poles along Highway 140. The banners will be displayed December 12, 2003 through January 2, 2004.

BACKGROUND AND HISTORY OF BOARD ACTIONS:
Historically the Board of Supervisors has supported the action and has written a letter of support for the Chamber of Commerce to send to CalTrans.

ALTERNATIVES AND CONSEQUENCES OF NEGATIVE ACTION: No holiday banners will be displayed this year.

Financial Impact?  ( ) Yes  [X] No  Current FY Cost: $  Annual Recurring Cost: $  List Attachments, number pages consecutively
Budgeted In Current FY?  ( ) Yes  ( ) No  ( ) Partially Funded  Encroachment permit for CalTrans
Amount in Budget:  $  Copy of last years letter of support
Additional Funding Needed:  $  Map of banner placement
Source:
Internal Transfer
Unanticipated Revenue  4/5's vote
Transfer Between Funds  4/5's vote
Contingency  4/5's vote
( ) General  ( ) Other

COUNTY ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER:
Requested Action Recommended
No Opinion
Comments:

CLERK'S USE ONLY:
Res. No. 2004-6  Ord. No. ______
Vote - Ayes: 5  Noes: ______
Absent: ______

( ) Minute Order Attached  ( ) No Action Necessary

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

Revised Dec. 2002
November 18, 2003

Ms. Lydia Gudgel  
Field Inspector  
Post Office Box 311  
Merced, California 95341

Dear Ms. Gudgel:

Although it is not a County sponsored event, Mariposa County lends its full support to the Mariposa County Chamber of Commerce displaying holiday banners on the existing power poles along Highway 140 in the town of Mariposa. The holiday banners will be displayed from December 12, 2003, through January 2, 2004.

Thank you for your assistance.

Sincerely,

[Signature]

BOB PICKARD  
Chairman

BP/mbh

cc: Board of Supervisors  
Mariposa County Chamber of Commerce

bcc: Margie Williams, Clerk of the Board