DEPARTMENT: Human Services

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RECOMMENDED ACTION AND JUSTIFICATION:
It is respectfully requested that your Board approve a resolution proclaiming October 22-31, 2003 as "RED RIBBON WEEK" to encourage all citizens to participate in alcohol and other drug prevention programs and activities and to make a visible commitment to creating healthy, drug-free communities.

BACKGROUND AND HISTORY OF BOARD ACTIONS:
"Red Ribbon Week" is an annual event sponsored by Californians for Drug-Free Youth, Inc. and the National Family Partnership and coordinated in this community by the Mariposa County Red Ribbon Week Committee.

ALTERNATIVES AND CONSEQUENCES OF NEGATIVE ACTION:

Financial Impact? ( ) Yes (X) No Current FY Cost: ____________________________
Budgeted In Current FY? ( ) Yes ( ) No ( ) Partially Funded
Amount in Budget: ____________________________
Additional Funding Needed: ____________________________
Source: State Funds
Internal Transfer
Unanticipated Revenue ______ 4/5's vote
Transfer Between Funds ______ 4/5's vote
Contingency ______ 4/5's vote
( ) General ( ) Other

"Red Ribbon Week" proclamation resolution

CLERK'S USE ONLY:
Res. No.: 23-35 Ord. No. ______
Vote – Ayes: 5 Noes: ______
Absent: ______
Approved
( ) 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

COUNTY ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER:

☑ Requested Action Recommended
☐ No Opinion
Comments: ____________________________________________

CAO: ____________________________
MARIPOSA COUNTY RESOLUTION 03-351
PROCLAIMING OCTOBER 22nd THROUGH 31st, 2003
AS “RED RIBBON WEEK”

WHEREAS, alcohol and other drug abuse is a danger to everyone in our community, causing untold human misery through injuries, deaths, broken homes and wasted lives, enslaving the user and putting the innocent at risk; and

WHEREAS, young people, parents, seniors, government, schools, religious and service organizations, businesses, law enforcement agencies, health professionals and institutions, the media and general public wish to demonstrate their opposition to the evils of substance abuse by wearing and displaying red ribbons during a week-long celebration; and

WHEREAS, Californians for Drug-Free Youth, Inc. and the National Family Partnership wishes to offer all citizens the opportunity to “Take a Minute; Make a Difference” in the life of their communities by sponsoring an annual RED RIBBON CELEBRATION as well as year-round prevention of alcohol and other drug abuse; and

WHEREAS, the County of Mariposa further commits resources to ensure the success of the RED RIBBON CELEBRATION and all activities that promote healthy, drug-free lifestyles throughout the year;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Supervisors of Mariposa County, a political subdivision of the State of California, does hereby designate October 22nd through October 31st, 2003 as “RED RIBBON WEEK,” and encourages all citizens to participate in alcohol and other drug prevention programs and activities, making a visible commitment to developing healthy, drug-free communities in which to raise a generation of drug-free youth.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of Supervisors of Mariposa County this 14th day of October, 2003, by unanimous vote.

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LEE STETSON, District I Supervisor  GARRY R. PARKER, District IV Supervisor

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DOUG BALMAIN, District II Supervisor  BOB PICKARD, District V Supervisor

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JANET BIBBY, District III Supervisor