MARIPOSA COUNTY RESOLUTION NO. 82-199

A RESOLUTION REQUESTING CONTINUED STATE AIR RESOURCES BOARD SUBVENTION TO LOCAL DISTRICTS

WHEREAS, local air pollution control districts are essential to the attainment and maintenance of State and National Ambient Air Quality Standards; and

WHEREAS, such attainment and maintenance of standards reduces costs to the citizens of California by protecting the public health and enhancing the production of agricultural commodities; and

WHEREAS, the citizens of California individually contribute approximately one half of the air pollution by the use of their private vehicles; and

WHEREAS, locally generated revenue from county contributions and fees accounts for more than 70% of all district revenue in California while subvention provides less than 20%; and

WHEREAS, excessive funding from fees is desireable to avoid District dependence on regulated industry and avoid the substantial adverse economic impact on industry; and

WHEREAS, the loss of local air quality control programs will result in substantial costs to the State to conduct such programs in the place of the local district; and

WHEREAS, the State Legislature has established within the Air Resources Board a subvention program to assure the continued effective operation of local air pollution control districts; and

WHEREAS, there is adequate funding available from the State Motor Vehicle Account and other revenue accounts to continue this program.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Mariposa County Board of Supervisors that the Governor, the State Legislature, the Air Resources Board, the State Department of Finance, and the Legislative Analyst are hereby
requested to continue to fund the Air Pollution Control Subvention Program
at least the same level as in previous years.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that such funding should be from the State
Motor Vehicle Account or other appropriate special fund accounts.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Mariposa County Board of Supervisors this
21st day of September, 1982 by the following vote:

AYES: Barrick, Taber, Erickson, Dalton, Moffitt
NOES: None
ABSENT: None
ABSTAINED: None

WILLIAM H. MOFFITT, Chairman
Mariposa County Board of Supervisors

ATTEST:

ELLEN BRONSON, County Clerk
Ex Officio Clerk of the Board

BY:

PATRICIA E. ALBERTA
Clerk of the Board

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND
LEGAL SUFFICIENCY:

RICHARD K. DENHALTER
County Counsel 9/27/82