RECOMMENDED ACTION AND JUSTIFICATION: (Policy Item: Yes___ No___)

El Portal and Bassett Memorial Library Summer Hours
The El Portal Library requests change of hours through the summer months as follows:
- Monday-5:00-8:30
- Tuesday-Split 10:00-12:30 and 1:30-3:00
- Thursday-9:00-12:00

Due to absence of staff during the summer, request volunteers to fill in occasionally.
Bassett Memorial Library Wawona: Accept money donated by the Friends of the Library-Wawona to provide 140 additional hours of library service at the cost of $1,220 for the Bassett Memorial Library. Hours would begin June 1 to September 6.
- Hours for Wawona: Monday-Closed, Tuesday 10-12 and 4:30-7:30, Wednesday-3:30-7:30
- Thursday-10-12 and 4:30-7:30, Friday-4:30-7:30 and Saturday-10:00-2:00.

The Mariposa County is adding an extra hour help support the Friends of the Library for all their additional hours they have paid for.

BACKGROUND AND HISTORY OF BOARD ACTIONS:
The Board has the authority for accepting donations and setting hours. The Board has approved other changes in library scheduling and accepting Friends of the Library payments for additional hours.

With these approved hours, the El Portal Library will be better able to service the community during the summer months. Due to the staff scheduling during the summer and their other commitments, some of these hours will need to be serviced by volunteers. Using volunteers occasionally for these hours will save the County money and keep the library open.

LIST ALTERNATIVES AND CONSEQUENCES OF NEGATIVE ACTION:
If the El Portal summer hours are not changed and volunteers not approved the library will have to remain closed when County employees are not available to operate it.
If the donation money from the Friends of the Library-Wawona is not accepted, there is no funding to provide for additional hours.

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ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER’S RECOMMENDATION:
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Comment:

A.O. Initials:

Date: May 18, 1999
AGENDA ITEM NO. 25-99
DEPARTMENT: LIBRARY
BY: Jacqueline Meriam PHONE: 966.2140
TO: JACQUE MERIAM, Librarian
FROM: MARGIE WILLIAMS, Clerk of the Board
SUBJECT: Addition of an Extra Hour to Help Support the Wawona Friends of the Library; Res. 99-177

THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF MARIPosa COUNTY, CALIFORNIA,

ADOPTED THIS Order on May 25, 1999

ACTION AND VOTE:

Jacqueline Meriam, Librarian;
Resolution Authorizing the Addition of an Extra Hour to Help Support the Wawona Friends of the Library for the Additional Hours they Have Paid for (Continued from 5/18/99)

BOARD ACTION: Discussion was held with Jacque Meriam, and she advised that this is a one-time issue with funds coming from the existing budget allocation. (M)Balmain, (S)Parker, Res. 99-177 adopted/Ayes: Balmain, Stewart, Parker, Pickard; Excused: Reilly.

cc: Ken Hawkins, Auditor
    Nancy Kyle, Personnel
    Jeff Green, County Counsel
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