

County of Butte
Indian Gaming Local Community Benefit Committee
Butte County Board of Supervisors Chambers
25 County Center Drive, Oroville, Ca.
April 21, 2011
2:00 p.m.

Agenda

1. Call to Order
2. Adoption of Minutes – adoption of Minutes
of March 22, 2011. Committee
3. Indian Gaming Special Distribution Fund FY 10-11
Grant Application Funding Determinations – consideration
of the funding allocations for sponsored grant applications:
 - a. Review of Grant Funding Available Staff
 - b. Review of Evaluation and Scoring Tools Staff
 - c. Approval of Grant Administrative Costs (2%) Committee
 - d. Review of Applications Selected for Sponsorship
by Mooretown Rancheria and Berry Creek Rancheria Committee
 - e. Funding Distribution for Grant Applications Committee
4. Public Comment
Comments to the Committee on issues and items not
listed on the agenda. Presentations will be limited to five
minutes. Please note that pursuant to California state law,
the Committee is prohibited from taking action on any item
not listed on the agenda.

**COUNTY OF BUTTE
INDIAN GAMING LOCAL COMMUNITY BENEFIT COMMITTEE
MEETING OF APRIL 21, 2011**

AGENDA ITEM NO. 2 – APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF MARCH 22, 2011.

ACTION REQUESTED – APPROVE MINUTES OF MARCH 22, 2011.

The Committee Clerk has prepared, and submits for your consideration and approval, the minutes from the meeting of March 22, 2011.

County of Butte
Indian Gaming Local Community Benefit Committee
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25 County Center Drive, Oroville, Ca.
March 22, 2011
10:00 a.m.

Minutes

Call to Order

The Indian Gaming Local Community Benefit Committee was called to order by David Pittman, Chair at 10 a.m.

Committee Members Present: Butte County Supervisor Bill Connelly, Butte County Supervisor Steve Lambert, Tribal Chairman Gary Archuleta from Mooretown Rancheria, Tribal Chairman Jim Edwards from Berry Creek Rancheria and Councilman David Pittman, City of Oroville Representative.

Administration Staff Present: Deputy Chief Administrative Officer Andy Pickett and Clerks Victoria Cowles and Traci Stumbaugh.

Adoption of Minutes of February 1, 2011 – Motion by Steve Lambert to adopt the February minutes with no changes. Second by Gary Archuleta. Motion carried 5-0.

Consideration of Fiscal Year 2010-2011 Special Distribution Fund Grant Cycle Applications – eligibility review and approval for received grant applications.

Information presented by Staff, Andy Pickett. Committee reviewed each application in turn and ask questions of the applicants. Motion by Bill Connelly to reject application from Lake Oroville Public Utility District. Second by Gary Archuleta. Motion carried 5-0. Directed staff to compile individual committee member worksheets and announce applications to be forwarded to the Tribes for sponsorship. Directed staff to amend application from City of Oroville Fire to revise the total requested and provide updated information for the Committee.

Public Comment – No public comments were made.

Next meeting date –Tuesday, April 21, 2011.

Meeting Adjourned at 11:25 a.m.

**COUNTY OF BUTTE
INDIAN GAMING LOCAL COMMUNITY BENEFIT COMMITTEE
MEETING OF APRIL 21, 2011**

AGENDA ITEM NO. 3 – GRANT APPLICATION FUNDING DETERMINATIONS.

**ACTION REQUESTED – FOR EACH GRANT APPROVED FOR FUNDING,
DETERMINE THE AMOUNT TO BE AWARDED.**

Following the grant application review made at its meeting of March 22, 2011, the Butte County Indian Gaming Local Community Benefit Committee (Committee) directed that all approved grant applications be submitted to the applicable Tribes for sponsorship decisions.

Pursuant to the Committee's direction, all approved grant applications were submitted to the Tribes for review and sponsorship consideration. All grant applications have now been returned with the Tribe's sponsorship determinations complete.

At the meeting of April 21, 2011, the Committee will consider funding applications that received sponsorship from one or both Tribes. Applications that did not receive sponsorship from a Tribe will not continue in the grant process.

To assist in the funding process, staff is recommending the Committee follow the same application scoring and selection procedure the Committee has followed in the past. That procedure is summarized below:

Each application will be considered in turn. For each application, the Committee will have the opportunity to ask any additional questions of the applicant, to openly discuss each grant, to make suggestions regarding possible modifications to the grant funding requests, and to accept modifications pertaining to grant funding requests and amounts.

The Committee members will then score each grant application using the score form provided. Application scores will be averaged, and the averaged scores will be made available to the Committee to assist in prioritizing grants for funding.

The Committee will make funding allocations for both Nexus and Non-nexus grant applications.

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AGENDA ITEM NO. 3(a) – REVIEW OF GRANT FUNDING AVAILABLE.

ACTION REQUESTED – ACCEPT FOR INFORMATION.

	<u>Individual Tribal Casino Account Funds – 12/01/11</u>	<u>Admin Fee</u>	<u>Funds Available for Grants</u>
Berry Creek Rancheria (Gold Country Casino)	\$ 460,924.00	\$ 9,218.48	\$ 451,705.52
Mooretown Rancheria (Feather Falls Casino)	<u>\$ 867,221.15</u>	<u>\$17,344.42</u>	<u>\$ 849,876.73</u>
TOTALS	\$1,328,145.15	\$26,562.90	<u>\$1,301,582.25*</u>

* Assumes a 2% Grant Administration
Fee pursuant to CGC Section 12715(b)(1)(C).

CATEGORY BREAKDOWN

		<u>Nexus Funds 60%</u>	<u>Non-Nexus Funds 40%</u>
Berry Creek Rancheria (Gold Country Casino)	\$ 451,705.52	\$271,023.31	\$180,682.20
Mooretown Rancheria	<u>\$ 849,876.73</u>	<u>\$509,926.03</u>	<u>\$339,950.69</u>
TOTALS	<u>\$1,301,582.25*</u>	\$780,949.34	\$520,632.89

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AGENDA ITEM NO. 3(b) – REVIEW OF EVALUATION AND SCORING TOOLS.

ACTION REQUESTED – FOR EACH GRANT APPROVED FOR FUNDING, SCORE EACH GRANT APPLICATION USING THE SCORE FORM.

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AGENDA ITEM NO. 3(c) – APPROVAL OF GRANT ADMINISTRATIVE COSTS AT 2% AS ALLOWED BY LAW.

ACTION REQUESTED – APPROVE GRANT ADMINISTRATION FEE AT 2%.

California Government Code Section 12715(b)(1)(C) provides that the Indian Gaming Local Community Benefit Committee shall determine the appropriate amount for reimbursement from the County's tribal account for costs incurred by the County in administering the grant program.

The grant administration allocation is capped at 2% per fiscal year by law. The Committee has historically approved the reimbursement at that level, as costs generally exceed that allocation. A 2% allocation for the current grant cycle will equal \$26,562.90.

The amount allocated for grant administration provides reimbursement for the following costs typically associated with administering the grant program: staff time, equipment use, paper, copies, postage, envelopes, labels and newspaper advertisements.

Certification of Tribal Sponsorship

Berry Creek Rancheria
Gold County Casino

Please determine (with ✓ mark) which Applicant you will affirmatively sponsor:

*Note: N/NN: N=NEXUS, NN=NON-NEXUS

	N/NN	Berry Creek Rancheria	#	Both Casinos
1	✓ NN	El Medio Fire Protection District	#01	Yes
2	✓ N	Butte County Fire Department	#02	NO - Feather Falls only
3	✓ N	Butte County Fire Department	#03	NO - Gold Country only
4	✓ N	Butte County District Attorney	#04	Yes
5	✓ N	Butte County Sheriff	#05	Yes
6	N/A NN	Lake Oroville Area Public Utility District - REJECTED	#06	N/A
7	✓ N	Oroville Police Department (Multi-Year)	#07	Yes
8	✓ NN	Oroville Police Department (Multi-Year)	#08	Yes
9	✓ N	City of Oroville Fire Department (Multi-Year)	#09	Yes
10	✓ NN	City of Oroville Fire Department (Multi-Year)	#10	Yes

Berry Creek Rancheria

3-29-11
Date

Jim Edwards, Tribal Chairman
Signature of Tribal Chairman

Note: Each sponsored grant application must also be signed at the bottom of page 2.

Certification of Tribal Sponsorship

Mooretown Rancheria
Feather Falls Casino

Please determine (with mark) which Applicant you will affirmatively sponsor:

*Note: N/NN: N=NEXUS, NN=NON-NEXUS

	N/NN	Mooretown Rancheria	#	Both Casinos
1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	El Medio Fire Protection District	#01	Yes
2	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Butte County Fire Department F	#02	NO - Feather Falls only
3	<input type="checkbox"/>	Butte County Fire Department FY	#03	NO - Gold Country only
4	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Butte County District Attorney	#04	Yes
5	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Butte County Sheriff	#05	Yes
6	N/A	Lake Oroville Area Public Utility District - REJECTED	#06	N/A
7	<input type="checkbox"/>	Oroville Police Department (Multi-Year)	#07	Yes
8	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Oroville Police Department (Multi-Year)	#08	Yes
9	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	City of Oroville Fire Department (Multi-Year)	#09	Yes
10	<input type="checkbox"/>	City of Oroville Fire Department (Multi-Year)	#10	Yes

Gary Archuleta, Tribal Chairman



Signature of Tribal Chairman

Mooretown Rancheria

Date

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COUNTY OF BUTTE INDIAN GAMING LOCAL COMMUNITY BENEFIT COMMITTEE INDIAN GAMING SPECIAL DISTRIBUTION FUND GRANT APPLICATION

#1

UPON COMPLETION RETURN TO: COUNTY OF BUTTE ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE 25 County Center Drive, Suite 200 Oroville, CA 95965 (530) 538-7631	Office Use Only <i>Date Stamp</i> FEB 23 2011
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APPLICANT INFORMATION

Applicants may be required to appear before the committee regarding this application. Advance written notice of the date and time of the meeting at which you shall appear will be forwarded to the contact person as outlined below.

NAME OF JURISDICTION: El Medio Fire Protection District		CONTACT PERSON: Chief Rusty Ohlhausen	
LEGAL ADDRESS OF JURISDICTION: 3515 Myers Street		CITY: Oroville	ZIP CODE: 95966
PHONE: (530) 533-4484	FAX: (530) 533-9606	E-MAIL: ohlhausen@elmediofire.com	FEDERAL TAX ID NUMBER: 94-6017653

Impacts for which funding is sought are associated with which casino(s)? Gold Country and Feather Falls

TYPE OF GRANT FOR WHICH YOU ARE APPLYING:

NEXUS GRANT: *Must meet at least two of the Nexus Criteria. These grants are available to Cities and Counties only.*

Circle all the letters that apply:

A. City or County borders the tribal land on all sides.
 B. City or County partially borders tribal land.
 C. City or County maintains a highway or road that is the predominant access route to a casino located within 4 miles.
 D. All or part of the City or County is located within 4 miles of the casino.

NON-NEXUS GRANT: *Must still address impact of Indian Gaming. These grants are available to Cities, Counties and Special Districts*

A. Local Government Jurisdiction impacted by tribal casinos paying into the Special Distribution Fund.

AMOUNT OF GRANT FUNDING REQUESTED THROUGH THIS APPLICATION: \$ 220,889.93

GRANT REQUEST IS:

Single Year Grant (Fiscal Year 2010-2011) _____
 Multi-Year Grant (Fiscal Year 2010-2011 and Beyond) X

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TRIBAL SPONSORSHIP: Yes No NAME OF TRIBE: Minuteman Band

SIGNATURE OF TRIBAL CHAIRMAN: _____

DATE: _____

APPROVED BY COMMITTEE: Yes No

AMOUNT APPROVED: \$ _____

SIGNATURE OF COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN: _____

DATE: _____

**INDIAN GAMING LOCAL COMMUNITY BENEFIT COMMITTEE
Special Distribution Fund Grant Application**

Attachment B – Indian Gaming Impacts

Provide a description of the impacts on your jurisdiction associated with the particular casino(s) from which account(s) the project would be funded. (Please include historical data, if available.)

The El Medio Fire Department (EMFD) is centrally located between both Feather Falls and Gold Country casinos. It is an advantage to both casinos to provide the funding for 3-0 staffing year round for EMFD. This will provide additional firefighters on incidents regarding emergency medical services, traffic collisions, fires, and a variety of other incidents; not only at the casinos themselves, but also at the tribal offices, Rancherias, and residences as well.

The impacts on the El Medio Fire Department jurisdiction are seen in the following ways:

Traffic Collisions: With the expansion of both Gold Country and Feather Falls casinos, there has been a remarkable increase in traffic. On average, 20-25 tour buses with passengers travel en-route to the casinos using roadways that go through the El Medio district. For any accident on one of these roadways: Ophir Rd., Lower Wyandotte Ave., Lincoln Blvd., Oroville Dam Blvd., and Olive Hwy., EMFD will be the first responder. (Meaning they would be the first emergency service to arrive on the scene of an incident.) Based on the Oroville Auto Aid Agreement, if any major accident occurs on Hwy 70, near Oroville, EMFD will respond. With any accident ranging from a multi-vehicle accident to a single-vehicle accident, an increase in personnel is important to provide optimum service.

Fires: There is a greater threat of fire with the expansion of both casinos and reservations. There has also been an increase in vegetation fires along all roadways leading to and from the casinos due to vehicle exhaust malfunctions, overheated breaks, vehicle fires, and arson.

Medical Emergencies: El Medio responded to emergency medical calls at Feather Falls casino 14 times in 2010 ; they also responded eight times to emergency medical calls at Gold Country casino in that same year.

Other incidents: Historically, EMFD has responded to vehicle fires, including a call about a tour bus with hot breaks on Ophir Rd. going to Feather Falls casino. The department has responded to people trapped in elevators, lockouts, alarm sounding calls, and commercial alarm calls.

Training: El Medio Fire Department has increased their training to include high-rise training due to the multi-story hotels and parking structures at both Feather Falls and Gold Country casinos. The department also provides fire prevention training to young people who live on the Rancherias and attend the schools located within the boundaries of the El Medio district.

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Attachment D – Proportional Funding Worksheet

If the project expenditures will require proportional funding (i.e. the expenditure mitigates an impact and also provides a benefit to the local jurisdiction), please describe the method used to determine the proportional funding, and include any historical data used to determine percentages.

The El Medio Fire Department has calculated the proportional funding in the following way:

Add up how many responses to the casinos we made; calculated by how many man hours were spent on scene; added up equipment use time on scene, plus any wages used to back fill the station while on extended incidents. Then subtracted that figure from the total wages budget and figured out the percentage of the budget that was used.

Figures used were from 2003 - 2010 to determine an average of incidents responded to - that were on, or a threat, to either or both casinos.

INDIAN GAMING LOCAL COMMUNITY BENEFIT COMMITTEE
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Attachment F – Acknowledgement of Terms of Grant

Grant recipients must adhere to the following requirements of the program:

1. If a local jurisdiction uses grant funds for any unrelated purpose, the grant shall terminate immediately and any moneys not yet spent will revert to the Indian Gaming Special Distribution Fund.
2. If a local jurisdiction approves an expenditure that mitigates an impact from a casino on a local jurisdiction and that also provides other benefits to the local jurisdiction, the grant funds shall be used to finance only the proportionate share of the expenditure that mitigates the impact from the casino.
3. A grant may not be made for any purpose that would support or fund, directly or indirectly, any effort related to the opposition or challenge to Indian gaming in the state, and, to the extent any awarded grant is utilized for any prohibited purpose by any local government, upon notice given to the county by any tribe from whose Individual Tribal Casino Account the awarded grant went toward that prohibited use, the grant shall terminate immediately and any moneys not yet used shall again be made available for qualified nexus grants.
4. A local government jurisdiction that is a recipient of a grant from an Individual County Tribal Casino Account or a County Tribal Casino Account shall provide notice to the public, either through signage, or other mechanism, stating that the local government project has received funding from the Indian Gaming Special Distribution Fund and further identifying the particular Individual Tribal Account from which the grant derives.
5. A local government jurisdiction that receives a grant from an Individual Tribal Casino Account shall deposit all funds received in an interest bearing account and use the interest from those funds only for the purpose of mitigating an impact from a casino. If any portion of the funds in the account are used for any other purpose, the remaining portion shall revert to the Indian Gaming Special Distribution Fund. As a condition of receiving further funds, a local government jurisdiction, upon request of the County, shall demonstrate to the County that all expenditures made from the account have been in compliance with the requirements of this section.
6. At the request of the County, I agree to submit an annual report that will include the following information: 1) the amount of grant funds received; 2) a description of the project funded; 3) a description of how the project mitigates the impact of tribal gaming; 4) the total expenditures for the project; 5) all administrative costs related to the project; 6) the funds remaining at the end of the fiscal year; 7) an explanation regarding how any remaining funds will be spent, including the estimated time for expenditure; and 8) a description of whether each project is funded once or on a continuing basis.

I agree to adhere to the grant program requirements:

Regina A. Munster
Signature

2-22-11
Date

County of Butte Indian Gaming Local Community Benefit Committee

Grant Application Scoring Guide

Application Identifier: #2

Applicant: Butte County Fire Dept.

Project Title: _____

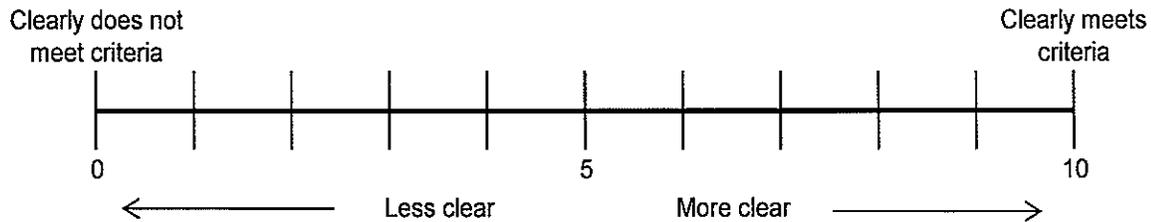
Amount Requested: \$91,587 – Feather Falls

Committee Member Name: _____

Total Score: _____

Scoring Guidelines

Rank each criteria point from 0 to 10, using the following scale as a guide:



SCORE

CRITERIA

_____ 1. Does the proposed project fit into a priority use category of Government Code 12715(g)?

Law Enforcement	Environmental Impacts	Waste Disposal
Fire Services	Emergency Medical Services	Water Supplies
Behavioral Health	Recreation & Youth Programs	Public Health
Child Care Programs	Planning & Adjacent Land Uses	Roads

_____ 2. Does the application address an impact that is the result of Indian gaming or tribal casinos?

_____ 3. Does the application include relevant facts and statistics to support the claim of an impact?

_____ 4. Will the proposed project mitigate the impact described?

_____ 5. Is the mitigation cost appropriate for the impact?

_____ 6. Does the proposed project only address impacts from a casino?

_____ 7. If the proposed project mitigates an impact AND also benefits the agency unrelated to gaming, does the proposal allocate the benefit to the agency and exclude the proportional cost from the request?

_____ 8. Does the grant application include documentation or reasonable estimates of the proposed project's cost?

_____ 9. Is the proposed project feasible?

_____ 10. Is the proposed project needed?

_____ Total Score

#2

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LEGAL ADDRESS OF JURISDICTION: 176 Nelson Ave.		CITY: Oroville	ZIP CODE: 95965
PHONE: 530-538-7111	FAX: 530-538-7401	E-MAIL: george.morris@fire.ca.gov	FEDERAL TAX ID NUMBER:

Impacts for which funding is sought are associated with which casino(s)? Feather Falls Casino

E OF GRANT FOR WHICH YOU ARE APPLYING:

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A. Local Government Jurisdiction impacted by tribal casinos paying into the Special Distribution Fund.

AMOUNT OF GRANT FUNDING REQUESTED THROUGH THIS APPLICATION: \$ 91,587 _____

GRANT REQUEST IS:

Single Year Grant (Fiscal Year 2010-2011) _____ X _____

Multi-Year Grant (Fiscal Year 2010-2011 and Beyond) _____

**INDIAN GAMING LOCAL COMMUNITY BENEFIT COMMITTEE
Special Distribution Fund Grant Application**

Attachment B – Indian Gaming Impacts

Provide a description of the impacts on your jurisdiction associated with the particular casino(s) from which account(s) the project would be funded. (Please include historical data, if available.)

The Feather Falls Casino is located in unincorporated Butte County, within the Butte County Fire Department Palermo Fire Station 72 first due response area (four minute response time from the fire station to the casino). Butte County Fire Department is the sole fire department responsible for emergency responses to the casino. Additional fire agencies may respond through automatic or mutual aid agreements with Butte County Fire Department.

The Feather Falls Casino facilities are high hazard occupancies in that they have a large number of people there 24 hours per day for gaming, special events and lodging. The facilities require enhanced training for handling large building fire emergencies, elevator emergencies, sprinkler systems, assemblies for large events such as concerts and special communications issues. Harder to quantify is the affect on traffic and a potential for an increased number of traffic collisions offsite on roadways leading to the casino. Dozens of tour buses travel to Feather Falls Casino every week using state highways and roads in Butte County.

The Butte County Fire Department Palermo Fire Station 72 total response numbers, averages and percentages based on the last 5 years are listed below:

Feather Falls Casino, 5 year average (2006-2010)

5-year total number of station responses – 4835

5-year total number of responses to casino facilities – 387

967 total responses per year (5 year average)

77 responses per year to casino facilities (5 year average)

7.96% of total Station 72 responses

While most calls to the Feather Falls Casino facilities are medical related, the potential for a large emergency is very real. The impacts are not only related to the fire engine responses but to all other aspects of the fire department including the Training and Safety Bureau, Fire Prevention Bureau and administration. Every response to a casino has an affect on surrounding communities when multiple engines are dispatched or in the case of additional emergencies when the Palermo Fire Station Engine 72 is already committed to an emergency at the casino facilities.

Since the construction of this casino, personnel at the Palermo Fire Station and surrounding stations have devoted hundreds of hours to training and pre-planning at the new facility to be familiar with it to help mitigate a fire or significant emergency should one occur.

The funding for this project will come from the NEXUS grant portion in this application.

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If the project expenditures will require proportional funding (i.e. the expenditure mitigates an impact and also provides a benefit to the local jurisdiction), please describe the method used to determine the proportional funding, and include any historical data used to determine percentages.

The proportion of funding is based on the percentage of responses for Station 72 to the Feather Falls Casino facilities.

In fiscal year 2010/2011 the cost of a Butte County Fire Station, including overhead, was \$1,150,590. The proportionate share equates to \$91,587 (7.96% * \$1,150,590)

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I agree to adhere to the grant program requirements:

Signature

Date

COUNTY OF BUTTE INDIAN GAMING LOCAL COMMUNITY BENEFIT COMMITTEE INDIAN GAMING SPECIAL DISTRIBUTION FUND GRANT APPLICATION

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A. Local Government Jurisdiction impacted by tribal casinos paying into the Special Distribution Fund.

AMOUNT OF GRANT FUNDING REQUESTED THROUGH THIS APPLICATION: \$ 100,101 _____

GRANT REQUEST IS:

Single Year Grant (Fiscal Year 2010-2011) _____ X _____

Multi-Year Grant (Fiscal Year 2010-2011 and Beyond) _____

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TRIBAL SPONSORSHIP: Yes No NAME OF TRIBE: Granddack Band of Ojibwa

[Signature] SIGNATURE OF TRIBAL CHAIRMAN 3-28-11 DATE

APPROVED BY COMMITTEE: Yes No AMOUNT APPROVED: \$ _____

SIGNATURE OF COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN _____ DATE

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The Butte County Fire Department Kelly Ridge Fire Station 64 total response numbers, averages and percentages based on the last 5 years are listed below:

Gold Country Casino, 5 year average (2006-2010)

5-year total number of station responses – 5399

5-year total number of responses to casino facilities – 471

1080 total responses per year (5 year average)

94 responses per year to casino facilities (5 year average)

8.7% of total Station 64 responses (94/1080)

While most calls to the Gold Country Casino facilities are medical related, the potential for a large emergency is very real. The impacts are not only related to the fire engine responses but to all other aspects of the fire department including the Training and Safety Bureau, Fire Prevention Bureau and administration. Every response to a casino has an affect on surrounding communities when multiple engines are dispatched or in the case of additional emergencies when Kelly Ridge Fire Station Engine 64 is already committed to an emergency at the casino facilities.

Since the construction of this casino, personnel at the Kelly Ridge Fire Station and surrounding stations have devoted hundreds of hours to training and pre-planning at the new facility to be familiar with it to help mitigate a fire or significant emergency should one occur.

The funding for this project will come from the NEXUS grant portion in this application.

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Special Distribution Fund Grant Application**

Attachment D – Proportional Funding Worksheet

If the project expenditures will require proportional funding (i.e. the expenditure mitigates an impact and also provides a benefit to the local jurisdiction), please describe the method used to determine the proportional funding, and include any historical data used to determine percentages.

The proportion of funding is based on the percentage of responses for Station 64 to the Gold Country Casino facilities.

In fiscal year 2010/2011 the cost of a Butte County Fire Station, including overhead, was \$1,150,590. The proportionate share equates to \$100,101 ($8.7\% * \$1,150,590$)

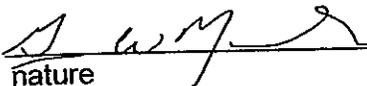
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Attachment F – Acknowledgement of Terms of Grant

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6. At the request of the County, I agree to submit an annual report that will include the following information: 1) the amount of grant funds received; 2) a description of the project funded; 3) a description of how the project mitigates the impact of tribal gaming; 4) the total expenditures for the project; 5) all administrative costs related to the project; 6) the funds remaining at the end of the fiscal year; 7) an explanation regarding how any remaining funds will be spent, including the estimated time for expenditure; and 8) a description of whether each project is funded once or on a continuing basis.

I agree to adhere to the grant program requirements:



Signature

2/19/11

Date

County of Butte Indian Gaming Local Community Benefit Committee

Grant Application Scoring Guide

Application Identifier: #4

Applicant: Butte County District Attorney

Project Title: _____

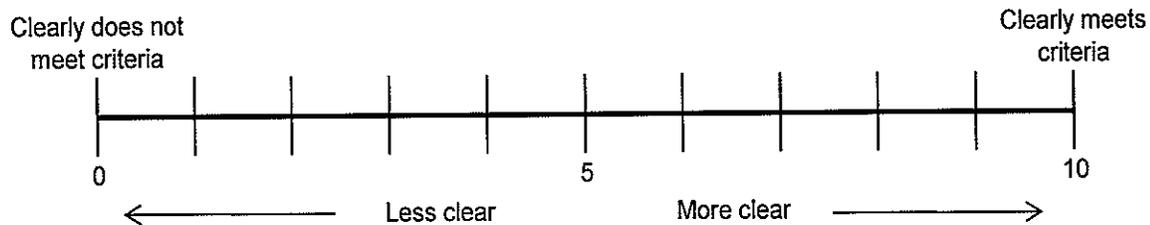
Amount Requested: \$128,216

Committee Member Name: _____

Total Score: _____

Scoring Guidelines

Rank each criteria point from 0 to 10, using the following scale as a guide:



SCORE

CRITERIA

- _____ 1. Does the proposed project fit into a priority use category of Government Code 12715(g)?
- | | | |
|---------------------|-------------------------------|----------------|
| Law Enforcement | Environmental Impacts | Waste Disposal |
| Fire Services | Emergency Medical Services | Water Supplies |
| Behavioral Health | Recreation & Youth Programs | Public Health |
| Child Care Programs | Planning & Adjacent Land Uses | Roads |
- _____ 2. Does the application address an impact that is the result of Indian gaming or tribal casinos?
- _____ 3. Does the application include relevant facts and statistics to support the claim of an impact?
- _____ 4. Will the proposed project mitigate the impact described?
- _____ 5. Is the mitigation cost appropriate for the impact?
- _____ 6. Does the proposed project only address impacts from a casino?
- _____ 7. If the proposed project mitigates an impact AND also benefits the agency unrelated to gaming, does the proposal allocate the benefit to the agency and exclude the proportional cost from the request?
- _____ 8. Does the grant application include documentation or reasonable estimates of the proposed project's cost?
- _____ 9. Is the proposed project feasible?
- _____ 10. Is the proposed project needed?
- _____ Total Score

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COUNTY OF BUTTE INDIAN GAMING LOCAL COMMUNITY BENEFIT COMMITTEE INDIAN GAMING SPECIAL DISTRIBUTION FUND GRANT APPLICATION

UPON COMPLETION RETURN TO: COUNTY OF BUTTE ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE 25 County Center Drive Oroville, CA 95965 (530) 538-7631	Office Use Only Date Stamp BUTTE COUNTY ADMINISTRATION MAR 01 2011 OROVILLE, CALIFORNIA
APPLICANT INFORMATION	

Applicants may be required to appear before the committee regarding this application. Advance written notice of the date and time of the meeting at which you shall appear will be forwarded to the contact person as outlined below.

NAME OF JURISDICTION: County of Butte Office of the District Attorney		CONTACT PERSON: Michael L. Ramsey District Attorney	
LEGAL ADDRESS OF JURISDICTION: 25 County Center Drive		CITY: Oroville	ZIP CODE: 95966
PHONE: 530-538-7411	FAX: 530-538-7071	E-MAIL: mramsey@buttecounty.net	FEDERAL TAX ID NUMBER: 94-6000506

Impacts for which funding is sought are associated with which casino(s)? **Funding is requested from both Gold Runny and Feather Falls Casinos**

TYPE OF GRANT FOR WHICH YOU ARE APPLYING:

NEXUS GRANT: *Must meet at least two of the Nexus Criteria. These grants are available to Cities and Counties only.*

Circle all the letters that apply: **ALL FOUR CRITERIA APPLY TO THIS APPLICATION**

A. Local Government Jurisdiction borders the tribal land on all sides.
B. Local Government Jurisdiction partially borders tribal land.
C. Local Government maintains a highway or road that is the predominant access route to a casino located within 4 miles.
D. All or part of the Local Government Jurisdiction is located within 4 miles of the casino.

NON-NEXUS GRANT: *Must still address impact of Indian Gaming. These grants are available to Cities, Counties and Special Districts*

A. Local Government Jurisdiction impacted by tribal casinos paying into the Special Distribution Fund.

AMOUNT OF GRANT FUNDING REQUESTED THROUGH THIS APPLICATION: \$ 128,216

GRANT REQUEST IS: FOR THE CURRENT APPLICATION PERIOD- ONE YEAR

Professionals Working Together



Tyme Maidu
BERRY CREEK RANCHERIA

Concow Maidu
MOORETOWN RANCHERIA

To Combat Economic Crimes

Attachment A - continued

Grant Application Funding Request and Project Budget

The total amount requested in this grant application is \$128,216 for 12 months funding.

Economic Crimes Investigator	
Wages and Benefits	\$118,216
Certified Forensic Accountant	
Contract Services	\$ 10,000
Total	\$128,216

County of Butte Indian Gaming Local Community Benefit Committee
Special Distribution Fund Grant Application

Attachment C – Mitigation Objectives

Provide an explanation of how the proposed project will mitigate impacts of the casino(s).

The project objectives are very straightforward:

- 1) to provide public and business awareness which will have the result of increasing reports of economic crimes and preventing economic crime by making the community aware of how not to be a victim; and
- 2) to prosecute economic crime to the fullest extent of the law.

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Attachment E – Public Notice Requirement

Provide an explanation of how you intend to meet the requirement that grant recipients must provide notice to the public, either through a slogan, signage or other mechanism, which states that the project has received funding from the Indian Gaming Special Distribution Fund and further identifies the particular Individual Tribal Casino Account from which the grant derives.

Economic Crime Public and Business Awareness Program

The District Attorney's Office has an extensive outreach component with the SPEC Project. The District Attorney and Economic Crime Investigator hold forums, conduct presentations and hand out brochures in the community to heighten awareness of economic crime affecting businesses and individuals. For the District Attorney's signage and slogan, crediting the funding and support from the Indian Gaming Special Distribution Fund and Individual Tribal Casino Accounts see the inside cover of this grant application, "Professionals Working Together to Combat Economic Crimes with an eagle, the badge for the Butte County District Attorney and the masthead for each tribe and Rancheria. Two brochures developed by the District Attorney's Office are also included in this application packet with the same logo. The District Attorney's internet website has a page dedicated to "Economic Crimes", showing the logo, providing up to date information on verified fraud scams and a calendar of community presentation. (All of these items are attached at the end of this document.) (<http://www.buttecounty.net/da/Eco.htm>)

Outreach Program

Close to 3000 people have been reached through the outreach program. The Economic Crime Investigator has presented Identity Theft, Telemarketing Fraud, Internet Fraud and Senior Fraud seminars all over the county and north state. In August of 2006 he traveled with Congressman Wally Herger to five north state cities to speak on elder fraud issues. At the start of all of these seminars the investigator indicates his ability to present these seminars is directly related to the funding received from the Casino Grant and its outreach component. Outreach is one of the most important components in the fight against fraud.

Identity Theft and Fraud Symposiums

Using funds from previous Indian Gaming grants, the District Attorney's Office help three (3) Identity Theft and Fraud Symposiums (2006, 2007 and 2008). The symposiums were held at the casinos. At each symposium there was a Law Enforcement session and a Public session. Numerous law enforcement personnel from all over California attended the two day training. The attendee's symposium training reviews were all very positive. All of the attendees gave the training facility high ratings. In the public session there were similar reviews. NBC Today, a popular nationwide news magazine show, found out about the 2006 symposium on the Internet and did news story on the training. They filmed the facility and attendees and interviewed the District Attorney, the Economic Crimes Investigator and a local fraud victim. The three years of the symposiums drew in 600 attendees; half sworn personnel and half members of the public.

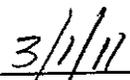
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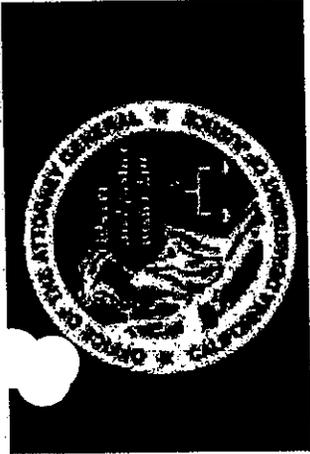
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I agree to adhere to the grant program requirements:


Signature


Date



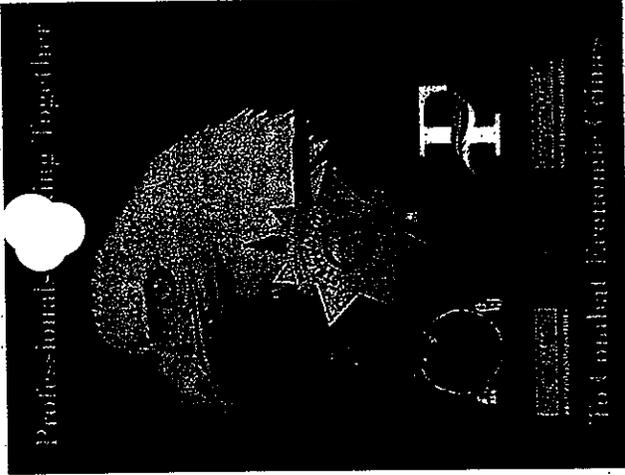
Identity theft is one of the fastest growing crimes in America. Victims come from all walks of life, from everyday people to celebrities like Tiger Woods and Rosie O'Donnell.

The Federal Trade Commission's identity theft hotline reports receiving more than 1,000 calls a week. In California, nearly 800 victims in Los Angeles County alone reported having someone using their identity while committing a crime or attempting to avoid prosecution.

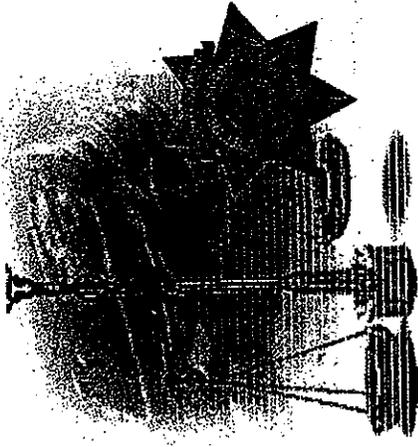
It is a felony in California to use the personal identifying information of another person without the authorization of that person for any unlawful purpose including to obtain credit, goods, services, or medical information.

The Attorney General's Office maintains an Identity Theft Registry to assist victims who are wrongfully identified as criminals. Through the ID Theft data base, law enforcement and anyone else designated by the victim to have access would be notified that the criminal history is not his or hers. To learn more, call toll-free: (888) 880-0240 or visit the ID Theft web page <http://caag.state.ca.us/idtheft/index.htm>

To help protect against identity theft, California enacted a new law requiring businesses and government agencies beginning July 1, 2003, to notify consumers if hackers gain entry to computers that contain unencrypted personal information such as credit card numbers, pass codes needed for use of personal accounts, Social Security numbers or driver's license numbers.



Identity Theft

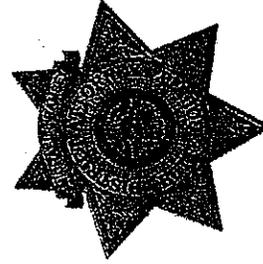


It could happen to you!



"Identity Theft is one of the fastest growing economic crimes. Protect yourself by using the information my office has provided in this brochure."

Michael L. Ramsey
Butte County District Attorney



Butte County District Attorney
25 County Center Drive
Oroville, California 95965
Phone (530) 538-7411
Fax (530) 538-7071

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(877) 322-8228

or on the internet at:

<http://www.buttecrimeinvestor.net>

Our office is now working together with the local Indian Gaming Casinos to combat these types of crimes. Funding received from these casinos has enabled us to dedicate an Economic Crime Investigator to investigate and conduct training to both Law Enforcement officials as well as the general public on these types of crimes.

For a schedule of upcoming events check our [calendar of events](#) page or to request a speaker on this topic for your organization or group email your request to ivanhout@buttecounty.net or call (530) 536-2046

Types of Economic Crimes and Consumer Frauds

[Bank Fraud](#)
[Bankruptcy Fraud](#)
[Credit Card Fraud](#)
[Computer Hacking or Cyber crime](#)
[Counterfeiting or Forgery](#)
[Embezzlement](#)
[Extortion & Bribery](#)
[Forgery](#)
[Health Care Fraud](#)
[Identity Theft](#)
[Insurance Fraud](#)

[Intellectual Property Theft](#)
[Internet Fraud](#)
[Money Laundering](#)
[Perjury](#)
[Ponzi Schemes](#)
[Pyramid Schemes](#)
[Racketeering \(RICO\)](#)
[Securities & Investment Fraud](#)
[Tax Evasion](#)
[Telemarketing Fraud](#)
[Wire Fraud](#)

Some of the most common frauds are listed below.

[Prize Promotions/Sweepstakes Offers](#)

[Investment Scams](#)

[Fake Charities](#)

[Telephone Billing Scams](#)

[Lotteries](#)

[Credit Repair/Debt Consolidation](#)

[Employment Scams](#)

[Travel Scams](#)



[Prize Promotions/Sweepstakes Offers](#). These scams represent the majority of all fraudulent telemarketing calls, accounting for over one half of all complaints. Usually, they are initiated with a brochure or postcard sent to the victim to inform them that they have been selected to win a fabulous prize, such as a car, jewelry, cash, or a vacation package. Victims are told to call an 800 or 900 number, possibly subjecting themselves to the long distance charges.

Victims who call the number are often told that in order to receive their prize, they must send the company a check to cover shipping, insurance, storage costs, etc. Some victims are told that they have won a merchandise certificate (which is worthless, if the victim receives it), and that for a fee, they will be entered into a tie-breaker contest for the grand prize. Victims do not ever receive anything of value from the company.

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[Investment Scams](#). Investment scams generally involve larger amounts of money compared to other scams. Seniors often sink their entire life savings into the investment offer, only to lose it all. Telemarketers may sell gemstones, rare coins, FCC licenses, oil wells, and stocks. The promise of high returns within a short period of time is used to entice the victims. Follow-up calls are made to investors in an attempt to get them to send more money. Once the consumer receives their purchase, if it is a tangible item, he discovers that it is either worthless, or worth far less than the cost of the purchase. Investors discover that it is difficult to determine the status of their investment. Those who do receive an accounting of their investment find it is impossible to decipher.

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[Fake Charities](#). Telemarketers running charity scams fall generally into one of two classes: those who do not work for a charity at all, and those who work for a charity but keep a high percentage of the money that they collect. Sometimes, as little as five percent of the money collected goes to the charity.

Victims may be contacted by phone by telemarketers asking for money, or they may receive a mailing falsely informing them that they have given to the charity previously, or have pledged a certain amount of money over the phone. Many assume that what is stated in the mailing is true and send money, even though they have never given to the charity.

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[Telephone Billing Scams](#). There are two primary variations of the telephone billing scam: cramming and slamming. Cramming involves billing customers for optional phone services that they did not order. Slamming is the switching of a consumer's telephone carrier phone service without the consumer's knowledge or consent.

The difficulty with these scams is that consumers may not pay enough attention to their phone bill to notice the fraud. Even if they do notice, this does not happen until they get a bill, meaning that an entire month of charges may have accrued.

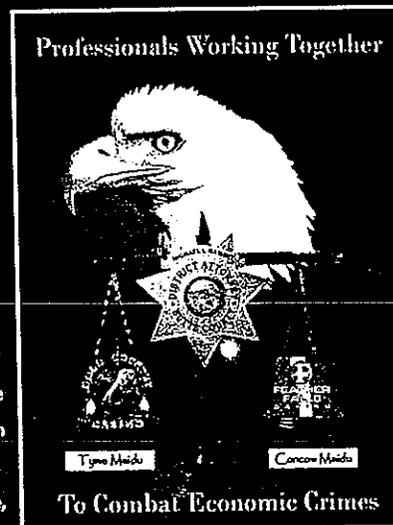
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[Lotteries](#). Lottery scams involve offering consumers the opportunity to participate in a lottery club and to purchase tickets in state and foreign lotteries. Upon sending money, victims are either told that they did not win the lottery, or that their winnings have been reinvested for them. Victims are occasionally given small amounts of money as winnings to induce them to continue sending money.

Lottery rooms that contact U.S. residents concerning the purchase of foreign lottery tickets violate federal law, and those who bring foreign lottery tickets into the U.S. for the purpose of selling them are committing a felony. It is also illegal to mail lottery tickets or letters or circulars offering prizes dependent on lotteries.

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[Credit Repair/Debt Consolidation](#). Varying types of scams exist that require victims to pay an up-front fee, usually to procure a loan or to receive credit repair assistance, or employment. The type of up-front fee varies with the scam, as follows:
 Credit Repair and Managing Debt Fraudulent credit repair companies guarantee to improve or fix a person's credit history, get a family out



Protect Yourself and Your Family from the Latest Scams!!

Attend the Butte County District Attorney's Office FREE Identity Theft & Fraud Symposium

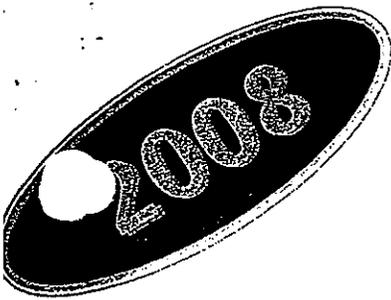
Topics

- Identity Theft
- Telemarketing Fraud
- Lottery Fraud
- Internet Fraud
- Internet Safety for Kids using Myspace.com, etc.

This FREE symposium is open to the general public, and is presented as a community service from the District Attorney's Office and the County of Butte Indian Gaming Local Community Benefit. **DUE TO THE POPULARITY OF THESE TOPICS - REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED!!**

Date:	May 18, 2008	2:00 PM to 4:00 PM
Location:	Gold Country Casino 4020 Olive Highway Greenville, CA 95985	800-398-0400
Presenter(s):	District Attorney Mike Ramsey & District Attorney Investigator Jos Van Hout	
Cost:	Free	

Please register on-line at <http://www.buttecounty.ca.gov/callcenter.htm> or call 800-398-0400 for additional details or questions. jos.vanhout@buttecounty.ca.gov



The Butte County District Attorney's Office Presents:



Identity Theft and Fraud Symposium

Education and Training = Awareness and Prevention

Check out our website for additional training information, special speakers and entertainment.
<http://www.buttecounty.net/da/ITF08.htm>

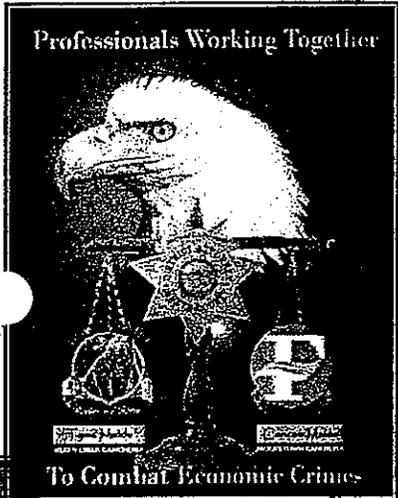
This is the third annual Fraud Symposium. With Identity Theft and Economic Fraud still increasing every day, this up to date law enforcement training is important for any agency investigating these types of cases. We will be offering a more in depth approach to investigating these types of crimes with separate workshops in Identity Theft Investigation, Internet Fraud and others. The fraud criminals are always looking for new ways to scam our victims and this training symposium is designed to introduce law enforcement to these new scams.

Training Objective

To train local law enforcement officers, including first responders, detectives, investigators and prosecutors about economic crime investigations and the necessary evidence required for prosecution.

Training Topics

- **Economic Fraud**—Identity Theft, Check Fraud, Credit Card Fraud, Computer & Internet Fraud, Computer Seizure and Forensics, Search Warrants, Case Preparation & Prosecution. - Jos Van Hout—Butte County DA
- **Elder Fraud**—Types of Financial Fraud Perpetrated on our Senior Citizens—Paul Greenwood—Head Deputy District Attorney With San Diego DA Elder Abuse Unit
- **Insurance Fraud**—Workers Compensation and Auto Fraud - Dept of Insurance
- **Mobile Forensics**-How cell phones play an integral role in today's cases-Lee Reiber—Mobile Forensics Inc.
- **Internet Resources**-How to use resources on the Internet-Investigative Journalist, Don Ray
- **Spyware & Malware**-Why are these important and what they are-Sgt Harold Jones-Riverside PD, Ohio
- **Postal Fraud**-How does this associate with other cases and what is the Postal service doing to stop it.- US Postal Service
- **Currency Fraud**-How do we detect and deal with this fraud - Secret Service
- **Anti Piracy Fraud**-How to identify and investigate counterfeit DVD movies and audio CD's-Roger Short-Clearcut Investigative Services for The Motion picture Association of America

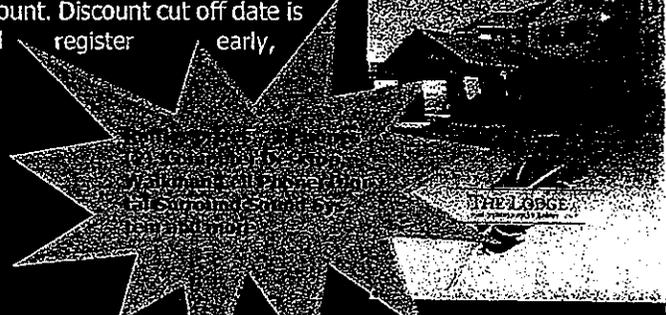


MAY 12-16, 2008

Feather Falls Casino
Alverda Drive #3
Oroville CA, 95966

Hotel reservations can be made at the Lodge at Feather Falls Casino (877) 652-4646 at a special rate of \$68.00 per night for government rate (with I.D.) \$79.00 per night for non-government rate. Mention this training and group code "DA" to receive the discount. Discount cut off date is May 1, 2008. Make reservations and register early, space is limited. (8 hours POST Certified)

\$150.00 per person — Includes registration, training materials (binder, symposium bag, USB drive and numerous handouts). Daily breakfast and lunch also included. (Inquire about multiple attendee discounts)
Please register on line at <http://www.buttecounty.net/da/Calendar.htm>
For additional information email Investigator Jos Van Hout at: jvanhout@buttecounty.net or call him at: (530) 538-2046



Public welcomed to fraud, theft symposium

BY PAULA M. FELIPE
Public Safety Reporter

The public is invited to register for the Butte County District Attorney's 2nd annual identity theft and fraud symposium that will take place at Gold Country Casino on Thursday.

This free two-hour session will take place Thursday from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m., and will educate the public about identity theft, fraud, and internet protection for children. Registration is available online at www.butte-county.net/da/Calendar.htm. Those interested in attending

can also send an e-mail to avahout@buttecounty.net or call (530) 538-2046 for more information.

This presentation for the general public is a free community service from the D.A.'s Office and County of Butte Indian Gaming Local Community Benefit Committee. The only requirement is to register, preferably online," said a press release from the District Attorney's Office.

The topics will include identity theft, telemarketing fraud, lottery fraud, Internet fraud, and Internet safety for kids who use myspace.com.

"Don't miss out on this opportunity to learn about these devastating crimes," said District Attorney Mike Ramsey.

Also, more than 100 peace officers from around California will attend the district attorney's training workshops on fraud and identity theft at Gold Country Casino today. Television personality and consumer advocate David Florowitz will be the keynote speaker.

See FRAUD page 8A

OPD and District Attorney warn about Internet scams

BY PAULA M. FELIPE
Public Safety Reporter

An e-mail that was widely distributed to customers of Chase bank has been determined to be a fraud and the Oroville Police and Chase bank are warning the public about it.

U. Frank Belser of the Oroville Police Department said "Cyber/Internet crimes of this magnitude are growing everyday. It is very important the public pays close attention to documents such as this one."

See sidebar for an example of an e-mail sent by a fraudster pretending to be from Chase Bank.

Belser said such e-mail scams will usually be written using poor English grammar and word association. These types of scams are typically from foreign country hackers. Also, this type of crime allows

the hackers to gain access to your bank accounts and personal information. Please do not fall prey to these, they can be costly," Belser added.

Even though there is not a Chase Bank in Oroville, Belser wants to warn the public about this scam because this is a typical crime using the Internet and is becoming increasingly widespread. "This will give the public some idea of what to watch out for. If you receive an e-mail from someone you don't know, delete it and do not open it. Just opening an e-mail from someone you don't know, places you at risk of someone getting access to your personal records on your computer," Belser said.

There are programs available, such as anti-virus, anti-SPAM, or firewall protection that function to keep "hackers"

See SCAM page 9A



County of Butte Indian Gaming Local Community Benefit Committee

Grant Application Scoring Guide

Application Identifier: #5

Applicant: Butte County Sheriff

Project Title: _____

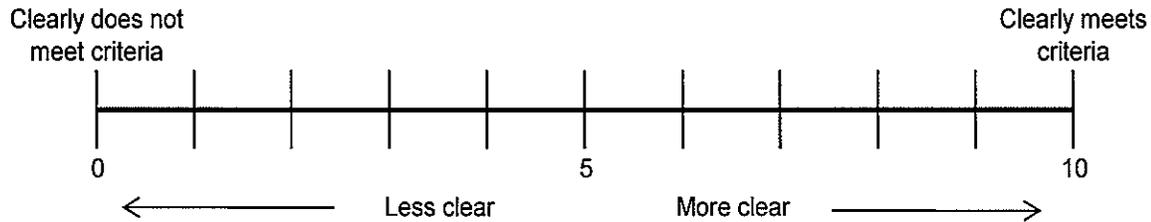
Amount Requested: \$372,475

Committee Member Name: _____

Total Score: _____

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Behavioral Health	Recreation & Youth Programs	Public Health
Child Care Programs	Planning & Adjacent Land Uses	Roads

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Attachment A – Project Description

Provide a complete description of the project --

The Butte County Sheriff's Office has benefitted greatly from past Special Distribution (SDF) grant funds distributed by the Indian Gaming Local Community Benefit Committee (IGLCBC). The construction of two casinos brought unanticipated and unfunded impacts to the Sheriff's Office as well as the surrounding community. The grant funding helped to mitigate these unfunded impacts by allowing the Sheriff's Office additional staff to better serve the tribal communities and help reduce the impact on the surrounding communities.

During fiscal year 2009-2010, funding was eliminated which caused the loss of a clerk position and the two Tribal Resource Deputies (TRD) positions were left unfunded. The Butte County Sheriff's Office recognized the value of the TRD Program and tried to continue serving the tribal community with the resource deputies after the funding was eliminated. Unfortunately the Sheriff's Office was only able to continue with this level of service until August 2009.

The Butte County Sheriff's Office has developed a good working relationship with the Tyme-Maidu Berry Creek Rancheria and the Concow-Maidu Mooretown Rancheria. With the additional staffing, the Butte County Sheriff's Office has had tremendous success in preventing and solving many crimes and civil problems in the tribal communities as well as reducing potential criminal activity within the casinos. After former TRD's were assigned to regular patrol teams, they became liaison officers for the Rancherias so the tribal governments, casino staff and casino administrators still had a familiar point of contact.

The Sheriff's Office is anxious to restore Special Distribution funds in order to off-set tribal and casino impacts and restore appropriate service levels to the casinos and Rancherias. We propose to partially fund an Administration Sergeant to act as the liaison for the two Rancherias. The sergeant will attend tribal meetings, manage law enforcement issues and concerns related to the Rancherias and casinos and schedule coverage for special events occurring at the casinos. We are estimating these additional tasks will consume 20% of the sergeant's time thus are requesting that proportion of his salary.

We propose to have Our Investigations Unit provide a detective, familiar with tribal needs, to conduct necessary investigation and follow-up on casino and Rancheria related investigations. This detective will be a familiar point of contact and familiar to tribal government, casino staff and administration. Each south county patrol team will have a deputy assigned point of contact to the Rancherias and casinos as calls for service come up. Occasionally this deputy may not be available, at which time a patrol deputy will be assigned the call to provide reasonable response time. One additional dispatcher will be needed to manage the call load more efficiently.

The requested Special Distribution funding will be used to increase services and off-set impacts in the following manner:

- Twenty-percent of the cost of the assigned Administration Sergeant.
- Funding for salary and benefits for a full time detective to conduct investigation and follow-up on casino and Rancheria related cases.
- Funding for an unmarked law enforcement detective vehicle.

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Attachment B – Indian Gaming Impacts

Provide a description of the impacts on your jurisdiction associated with the particular casino(s) from which account(s) the project would be funded. (Please include historical data, if available.)

For the past several years, the Butte County Sheriff's Office has experienced significant workload increases and operational impacts associated with the two gaming casinos, two hotels and RV Park opened on tribal lands. Over the last several years, each of the two casinos has placed significant demands upon the Sheriff's Office. Daily customer counts show the casinos serve thousands of patrons each weekday and the customer base swells some 50% more on weekends. Special events at the casinos draw large concentrated crowds, further challenging our roadways and our service systems. Impacts to the Sheriff's Office run the gamut from casino crimes-in-progress, trespassing enforcement, cold crimes, and on-site arrests, to the handling of spin-off activities such as traffic congestion, management of intoxicated patrons, and all manner of other social ills associated with gaming-related abuses.

The obvious demands placed on the Sheriff's Office include the following: theft-related crimes, including robbery, burglary, grand and petty theft, check crimes, and forgeries; violence-related crimes such as assault, sexual battery, and spousal abuse; alcohol and drug abuse related offenses; miscellaneous crimes such as trespassing, disorderly conduct, and prowling; and a range of non-criminal but time-consuming activities related to lost or found property, suspicious activity, and activities related to child neglect, and child welfare, that don't reach the criminal threshold. This list is not intended to be all-inclusive, but mere acknowledgment of the breadth of the issues faced.

In our first grant application, we reported that the Sheriff's Office responded to over 300 calls for service on casino and Rancheria property. During the following period of July 1, 2004 to March 24, 2005, calls doubled to 790 and statistics for 2008 show a total call count of 1,345. From January 1, 2010 to December 31, 2010 the Butte County Sheriff's Office was able to account for 2,804 calls for service in this impact area. This translates into many staff hours (Deputies, Dispatchers, Correctional Officers, Correctional technicians and Records Clerks) dealing with casino related issues. Possible reasons for this tremendous increase were varied, and potentially ranged from better statistical gathering to increased reporting of incidents due to our presence. This should not be construed as a negative reflection on the casinos, as studies have shown that, upon initial placement of law enforcement in an area not previously policed, incident reporting generally increases.

South county patrol teams respond to all calls for service that occur on casino and Rancheria property as well as the impact area around the casinos and Rancherias. South county patrol teams manage all necessary follow-up investigation on cases not assigned to a detective.

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Attachment D – Proportional Funding Worksheet

If the project expenditures will require proportional funding (i.e. the expenditure mitigates an impact and also provides a benefit to the local jurisdiction), please describe the method used to determine the proportional funding, and include any historical data used to determine percentages.

Not applicable.

County of Butte Indian Gaming Local Community Benefit Committee

Grant Application Scoring Guide

Application Identifier: #8

Applicant: Oroville Police Dept.

Project Title: _____

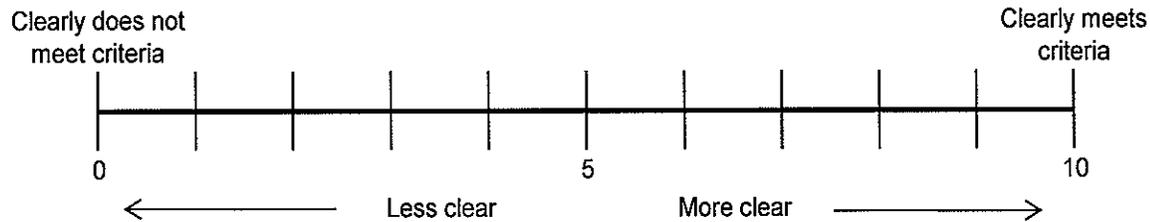
Amount Requested: \$135,000

Committee Member Name: _____

Total Score: _____

Scoring Guidelines

Rank each criteria point from 0 to 10, using the following scale as a guide:



SCORE

CRITERIA

- _____ 1. Does the proposed project fit into a priority use category of Government Code 12715(g)?
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| Law Enforcement | Environmental Impacts | Waste Disposal |
| Fire Services | Emergency Medical Services | Water Supplies |
| Behavioral Health | Recreation & Youth Programs | Public Health |
| Child Care Programs | Planning & Adjacent Land Uses | Roads |
- _____ 2. Does the application address an impact that is the result of Indian gaming or tribal casinos?
- _____ 3. Does the application include relevant facts and statistics to support the claim of an impact?
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COUNTY OF BUTTE INDIAN GAMING LOCAL COMMUNITY BENEFIT COMMITTEE INDIAN GAMING SPECIAL DISTRIBUTION FUND GRANT APPLICATION

UPON COMPLETION RETURN TO: COUNTY OF BUTTE
ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE 25 County Center Drive,
Suite 200 Oroville, CA 95965 (530) 538-7631

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BUTTE COUNTY
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APPLICANT INFORMATION

Applicants may be required to appear before the committee regarding this application. Advance written notice of the date and time of the meeting at which you shall appear will be forwarded to the contact person as outlined below.

NAME OF JURISDICTION: Oroville Police Department		CONTACT PERSON Bill LaGrone, Chief of Police	
LEGAL ADDRESS OF JURISDICTION: 2055 Lincoln Street	CITY: Oroville	ZIP CODE* 95966	
PHONE: (530) 538-2448	FAX: (530) 538-2409	E-MAIL: blagrone@oropd.org	FEDERAL TAX ID NUMBER: 94-6000387

Projects for which funding is sought are associated with which casino(s)? *GOLD COUNTRY + FEATHERS FALLS*

TYPE OF GRANT FOR WHICH YOU ARE APPLYING:

NEXUS GRANT: Must meet at least two of the Nexus Criteria. These grants are available to Cities and Counties only.

Circle all the letters that apply:

- A. City or County borders the tribal land on all sides.
- B. City or County partially borders tribal land.
- C. City or County maintains a highway or road that is the predominant access route to a casino located within 4 miles.
- D. All or part of the City or County is located within 4 miles of the casino.

NON-NEXUS GRANT: Must still address impact of Indian Gaming. These grants are available to Cities, Counties and Special Districts

- A. Local Government Jurisdiction impacted by tribal casinos paying into the Special Distribution Fund.

AMOUNT OF GRANT FUNDING REQUESTED THROUGH THIS APPLICATION: **\$135,000.00**

AMOUNT REQUEST IS:

Single Year Grant (Fiscal Year 2010-2011) **\$45,000.00**

Multi-Year Grant (Fiscal Year 2010-2011 and Beyond) **\$90,000.00**

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TRIBAL SPONSORSHIP: Yes No NAME OF TRIBE: *MooreTown Rancheria*

Gary W. Chubb
SIGNATURE OF TRIBAL CHAIRMAN

3-30-11
DATE

APPROVED BY COMMITTEE: Yes No AMOUNT APPROVED: \$

SIGNATURE OF COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN

DATE

as to what is occurring throughout the local community, and have immediate access to surrounding Law Enforcement and Fire Agencies for mutual aid.

The cost of breakdown for this proposal is as follows: \$45,000.00 per year will be expended for the salaries and benefits for three new dispatchers and for the cost of purchasing a new computer aided dispatching system that can be utilized by both Law Enforcement and Fire Services. The Oroville Police Department is requesting a three year funding cycle. The total cost associated with this proposal is \$135,000.00. These funds will be used as partial funding for this project, with the vast majority of this funding provided by the City of Oroville.

Oroville, which has contributed to the local economy and tax revenue. Negatively, traffic has increased and crime associated with the increase of visitors has also escalated.

The issue of increased traffic congestion, and resulting proportional increase in traffic collisions, is the impact we wish to focus on solving. When a traffic collision call for service comes into the Oroville Police Department, officers are dispatched to the scene. The same call for service is then transferred to Cal Fire to dispatch emergency fire and medical personnel. Police personnel are often on scene for up to five to ten minutes before fire and medical personnel arrive, resulting in a needless delay in delivery of essential medical assistance to injured vehicle occupants.

The proposed consolidation of dispatching service will not only deliver medical attention to the injured more rapidly, but will also allow collaborating law enforcement and fire agencies to be prepared for potential catastrophic events. As the tourism to casinos increases with charter bus tours, the potential for a catastrophic traffic collision increases. Local law enforcement and fire agencies are lacking the interoperability to effectively deal with a mass casualty incident. Preparing now for expected growth will allow fire and law enforcement to be ready when the unimaginable occurs.

The Oroville Police Dispatch center is currently working with the El Medio Fire District to take over dispatch services for the El Medio Fire Department. The purpose of providing dispatch to El Medio is essentially the same as it is to provide Dispatch services to the Oroville Fire Department. The El Medio Fire District borders on the City of Oroville, and there is a close working relationship between Oroville Fire and El Medio Fire. Consolidation will increase the efficiency and better serve the residents of the El Medio Fire District.

As the need for law enforcement and fire service grows on the Rancheria and at the casinos, the consolidated dispatch center will offer these same dispatching services to the tribes. The requested Special Distribution Fund monies will not only help offset the impacts of the casinos, they will benefit the residents of Oroville City, the residents of the El Medio Fire District, and the residents on the Rancheria should the tribes decide to utilize the consolidated Dispatching center at the Oroville Police Department for their tribal fire and law enforcement services.

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Attachment E – Public Notice Requirement

1. The Oroville Police Department will submit a Staff Report for inclusion on the Oroville City Council public agenda that reflects funding from the Indian Gaming distribution fund. The staff report will recognize the amount of money contributed from each Tribal Casino account. The report will be presented by the Chief of Police and Fire Chief in an open City Council session. These meetings are televised, often receive write ups in the local press, and are well advertised on the City of Oroville website.
2. Media releases will be sent to all local newspapers, radio and television news stations, giving recognition to the Tribal Casinos for the Special Distribution Fund contributions.
3. The City of Oroville will include recognition on the City's website. There will be a special webpage section to acknowledge the contributions of the Special Distribution Fund.

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COUNTY OF BUTTE INDIAN GAMING LOCAL COMMUNITY BENEFIT COMMITTEE INDIAN GAMING SPECIAL DISTRIBUTION FUND GRANT APPLICATION

UPON COMPLETION RETURN TO: COUNTY OF BUTTE ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE 25 County Center Drive, Suite 200 Oroville, CA 95965 (530) 538-7631	Office Use Only Date Stamp BUTTE COUNTY ADMINISTRATION MAR 02 2011 OROVILLE, CALIFORNIA
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APPLICANT INFORMATION

Applicants may be required to appear before the committee regarding this application. Advance written notice of the date and time of the meeting at which you shall appear will be forwarded to the contact person as outlined below.

NAME OF JURISDICTION: City of Oroville		CONTACT PERSON: Charles D. Hurley, Fire Chief	
LEGAL ADDRESS OF JURISDICTION: 2055 Lincoln Street		CITY: Oroville	ZIP CODE: 95966
PHONE: 530-570-8105	FAX: 530-538-2470	E-MAIL: hurleycd@cityoforoville.org	FEDERAL TAX ID NUMBER: 94-6000387

Impacts for which funding is sought are associated with which casino(s)? Gold Country & Feather Falls Casino's

TYPE OF GRANT FOR WHICH YOU ARE APPLYING:

NEXUS GRANT: *Must meet at least two of the Nexus Criteria. These grants are available to Cities and Counties only.*

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NON-NEXUS GRANT: *Must still address impact of Indian Gaming. These grants are available to Cities, Counties and Special Districts*

A. Local Government Jurisdiction impacted by tribal casinos paying into the Special Distribution Fund.

AMOUNT OF GRANT FUNDING REQUESTED THROUGH THIS APPLICATION: \$ 223,770 *Revised at 3/22/11*

GRANT REQUEST IS:
Single Year Grant (Fiscal Year 2010-2011)
Multi-Year Grant (Fiscal Year 2010-2011 and Beyond) 3 Year *(see attached)*

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TRIBAL SPONSORSHIP: Yes No

NAME OF TRIBE: *St. Regis Mohawk Tribe*

SIGNATURE OF TRIBAL CHAIRMAN: *[Signature]*

DATE: *[Date]*

APPROVED BY COMMITTEE: Yes No

AMOUNT APPROVED \$: _____

SIGNATURE OF COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN: _____

DATE: _____

Another one time cost out of this three year grant request is the equipment needed to elevate the level of response capability from an Urban Search & Rescue Type-3 Light to a US&R Type -2 Medium. The capability differences between these two levels is significant in that a Type-3 Light is designed for search and rescue in buildings constructed of basic and/or ordinary materials such as wood, brick and stucco. Where as the Type-2 medium has equipment that provides for the lifting, moving, breaching and breaking of reinforced concrete and steel structures such as are used in both of the tribal gaming resorts located in the Oroville response area. An additional component to this enhancement is that a Type-2 Medium US&R company has equipment that specifically provides for heavy extrication equipment needed for operations on mass transit vehicles such as busses, train and jet liners. In light of the fact that both casinos have a heavy volume of bus traffic as well as large recreational vehicles which also require specialized extrication equipment. T-121 is currently equipped with all of the equipment to be certified by the California Emergency Management Agency, Fire & Rescue Branch as a US&R Type-3 Light which is required to reach a Type-2 Medium. The cost of equipment to bridge this gap is \$60,000 and therefore is a onetime cost to the grant and the maintenance will be incurred by the City once the equipment is purchased.

Training is one of the most critical components of ladder truck company operations. In the California fire service training regimen the training for truck company operations is one week and then requires constant continuing education due to the fact that working structure fire account for only 1% of all emergency responses made by fire departments in Butte County. It is only through training that ladder truck company firefighters can maintain the operational skills. Accordingly, OFD is requesting \$10,000 per year of the three year grant to ensure that when there is an actual fire at one of the tribal gaming resorts the department is properly trained and ready to spring into action.

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Attachment C – Mitigation Objectives

Provide an explanation of how the proposed project will mitigate impacts of the casino(s).

The Oroville Fire Department operates the only Fire Ladder Truck Company in the Oroville sphere of influence area. The next closest ladder truck companies are in Gridley and Chico, with response times from either of these communities being 30 and 45 minutes respectively.

In as much as the entire Oroville area is in an earthquake zone structure collapse is an extremely high disaster potential for all structures. This was evidenced in the 1989 Loma Prieta earthquake that took a heavy toll on the cities of Santa Cruz, Watsonville, San Francisco and Oakland. Of the just over 90 people who died as a result of this earthquake over 70 died secondary from being trapped in a structure with the majority being trapped under the Nimitz Freeway collapse. Even if an individual survives and is trapped in avoid space, the longer it takes for rescue workers to reach them the more likely that person is to die from crush syndrome. This is what resulted in the fatalities in the Nimitz Freeway collapse. Two victims were trapped in their vehicles but died several days after being removed from multi-system organ failure or crush syndrome.

Although Butte County is an earthquake zone area because we are a predominantly rural county we lack the Urban Search & Rescue resources that the more populated bay area, Sacramento and other major population areas have. As such when an earthquake does impact our county we will not have these critical life saving response resources. The City of Chico does have a US&R Type-2 Medium resource as does Butte County/Cal Fire. However, in as much as the Oroville area will be impacted by the earthquake so too will the cities of Chico and Gridley and as such those resources will be committed to collapses in those jurisdictions and not available for response to Oroville. This grant will ensure that both Casino's have first access to the critical US&R response capability and as such can be there as an initial attack response resource which translates into rapid removal of victims. This example is substantiated by the rescue of the UPS truck driver who was trapped by the reinforced concrete and steel overpass in Chico in 2007. Had the Chico Fire Department not had a Type-2 US&R Company then the next closest response unit would have had to come from Roseville and the driver would have certainly succumbed to his injuries.

From an historical perspective the City of Las Vegas, Nevada experienced two very significant fires in casino gaming hotels both of which resulted in multiple fatalities. In the case of the MGM Grand Hotel, of the 87 persons who perished the overwhelming majority died from smoke inhalation in the towers several floors above and away from the casino where the fire started and flames inflicted the heaviest damage. Many of the victims died several minutes after the fire was extinguished. Smoke presents the greatest threat to guests at gaming resorts because of the fact of its toxicity, how it reduces and can even eliminate all together visibility resulting disorientation and how people become lost inside burning buildings. It is the function of the firefighters assigned to ladder truck companies using highly specialized equipment that takes several hours of training and several years to learn how to master. As such, typically firefighters who staff truck companies are the most experienced journeyman level firefighters.

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Attachment D – Proportional Funding Worksheet

If the project expenditures will require proportional funding (i.e. the expenditure mitigates an impact and also provides a benefit to the local jurisdiction), please describe the method used to determine the proportional funding, and include any historical data used to determine percentages.

Through use of General fund monies currently provided by the City to fund the Fire Department. The ladder truck fuel and maintenance will be absorbed by the city. The City also accepts workers comp and liability coverage for the personnel to be hired and will also take on the responsibility of replacement of any equipment purchased through the grant.

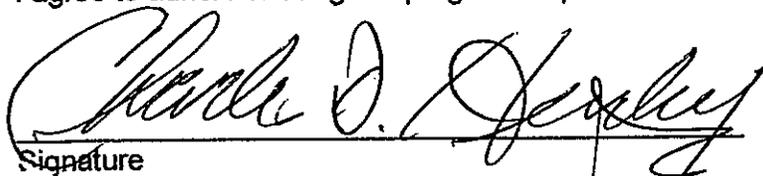
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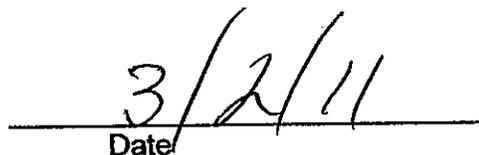
Attachment F – Acknowledgement of Terms of Grant

Grant recipients must adhere to the following requirements of the program:

1. If a local jurisdiction uses grant funds for any unrelated purpose, the grant shall terminate immediately and any moneys not yet spent will revert to the Indian Gaming Special Distribution Fund.
2. If a local jurisdiction approves an expenditure that mitigates an impact from a casino on a local jurisdiction and that also provides other benefits to the local jurisdiction, the grant funds shall be used to finance only the proportionate share of the expenditure that mitigates the impact from the casino.
3. A grant may not be made for any purpose that would support or fund, directly or indirectly, any effort related to the opposition or challenge to Indian gaming in the state, and, to the extent any awarded grant is utilized for any prohibited purpose by any local government, upon notice given to the county by any tribe from whose Individual Tribal Casino Account the awarded grant went toward that prohibited use, the grant shall terminate immediately and any moneys not yet used shall again be made available for qualified nexus grants.
4. A local government jurisdiction that is a recipient of a grant from an Individual County Tribal Casino Account or a County Tribal Casino Account shall provide notice to the public, either through signage, or other mechanism, stating that the local government project has received funding from the Indian Gaming Special Distribution Fund and further identifying the particular Individual Tribal Account from which the grant derives.
5. A local government jurisdiction that receives a grant from an Individual Tribal Casino Account shall deposit all funds received in an interest bearing account and use the interest from those funds only for the purpose of mitigating an impact from a casino. If any portion of the funds in the account are used for any other purpose, the remaining portion shall revert to the Indian Gaming Special Distribution Fund. As a condition of receiving further funds, a local government jurisdiction, upon request of the County, shall demonstrate to the County that all expenditures made from the account have been in compliance with the requirements of this section.
6. At the request of the County, I agree to submit an annual report that will include the following information: 1) the amount of grant funds received; 2) a description of the project funded; 3) a description of how the project mitigates the impact of tribal gaming; 4) the total expenditures for the project; 5) all administrative costs related to the project; 6) the funds remaining at the end of the fiscal year; 7) an explanation regarding how any remaining funds will be spent, including the estimated time for expenditure; and 8) a description of whether each project is funded once or on a continuing basis.

I agree to adhere to the grant program requirements:


Signature


Date