

THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF STANISLAUS
ACTION AGENDA SUMMARY

DEPT: Chief Executive Office

BOARD AGENDA # *B-6

Urgent Routine

AGENDA DATE October 2, 2012

CEO Concurs with Recommendation YES NO
(Information Attached)

4/5 Vote Required YES NO

SUBJECT:

Approval of 2012 Equal Rights Commendation for Christine C. Applegate, Community Services Agency Director

STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS:

Approve resolution commending Christine C. Applegate on being selected as the 2012 recipient of the Stanislaus County Dale Butler Annual Equal Rights Award.

FISCAL IMPACT:

There is no fiscal impact as a result of this item.

BOARD ACTION AS FOLLOWS:

No. 2012-508

On motion of Supervisor De Martini, Seconded by Supervisor Monteith
and approved by the following vote,

Ayes: Supervisors: Chiesa, Withrow, Monteith, De Martini and Chairman O'Brien

Noes: Supervisors: None

Excused or Absent: Supervisors: None

Abstaining: Supervisor: None

1) X Approved as recommended

2) _____ Denied

3) _____ Approved as amended

4) _____ Other:

MOTION:



ATTEST: CHRISTINE FERRARO TALLMAN, Clerk

File No.

DISCUSSION:

Each year the Stanislaus County Equal Rights Commission recognizes one or more County employees for their outstanding achievements in promoting equal rights with the annual Stanislaus County Dale Butler Equal Rights Award.

In September 2012, the Equal Rights Commission voted to accept the nomination for Christine C. Applegate, Community Services Agency Director.

Ms. Applegate will be recognized at a special awards ceremony on October 17, 2012. The Board of Supervisors is, therefore, requested to join the Stanislaus County Equal Rights Commission in commending Ms. Applegate for her contributions to equal rights by adopting the attached resolution.

POLICY ISSUE:

This commendation is based on the Board's policy to acknowledge and recognize individuals whose work has helped promote the Board's priorities of Effective Partnerships and Efficient Delivery of Public Services.

STAFFING IMPACT:

There is no staffing impact as a result of this action.

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THE FOLLOWING RESOLUTION WAS ADOPTED:

**IN RE: COMMENDING CHRISTINE C. APPLGATE,
DIRECTOR, COMMUNITY SERVICES AGENCY**

WHEREAS, each year the Stanislaus County Dale Butler Equal Rights Award is presented to one or more County employees in recognition of outstanding achievements in promoting equal rights; and,

WHEREAS, the Equal Rights Commission has voted to accept the nomination of Christine C. Applegate, Director of Community Services Agency, for the 2012 Annual Dale Butler Equal Rights Award; and,

WHEREAS, Christine has provided leadership and support to Stanislaus County Community Services Agency in administering social service programs for the local community; and,

WHEREAS, as the Director of Community Services Agency, Christine has consistently monitored and supported the Department's recruitment efforts to guarantee effective outreach efforts are used to reach out to qualified individuals who are bilingual, possess multi-cultural skills, and have knowledge of social services reflecting the population the department serves; and,

WHEREAS, Christine is intensely aware of the importance of assuring that all employees are treated in a non-discriminatory manner and works hard to assure that all individuals are treated fairly; and,

WHEREAS, Christine encourages involvement in equal rights, has a representative at County Equal Rights Commission meetings, and is supportive of staff time spent on County and Community Services Agency Equal Rights activities; and,

WHEREAS, Christine has also supported and celebrated the diversity of staff through a robust annual celebration of cultural awareness which was recognized last year when the department won the first Departmental EEO award for its service, support, and enhancement of the County's EEO Programs; and,

WHEREAS, Christine has also fostered open communication and collaboration with community leaders of diverse cultures specific to our community diversity; and,

WHEREAS, Christine's unique qualities, dedication and her determined commitment to do the right thing has allowed Community Services Agency to become an example of how to support and advance diversity in the workplace.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Stanislaus County Board of Supervisors does hereby congratulate and commend Christine C. Applegate, Director of Community Services Agency, for being selected by the Equal Rights Commission as the 2012 recipient of the Annual Dale Butler Equal Rights Award.

ATTEST: **CHRISTINE FERRARO TALLMAN, Clerk**
Stanislaus County Board of Supervisors,
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