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Stanislaus County Board of Supervisors and Stanislaus County Equal Rights Commission Recognize County Recipients October 9, 2015

MODESTO, CA - Each year the Stanislaus County Equal Rights Commission recognizes one or more Stanislaus County employees for their outstanding commitment or achievement in furthering the County's Equal Rights Program. The Commission is very pleased to announce the selection of Christine Ferraro Tallman, County ADA Title II and Civil Rights Coordinator with the Clerk of the Board; Ruben Imperial, Community Development and Empowerment Manager with the Chief Executive Office; and JoAnn Sarhad, Human Resources and Budget Manager with the Department of Child Support Services as recipients of the 2015 Dale Butler Equal Rights Award.

The Stanislaus County Equal Rights Commission will recognize Ms. Ferraro Tallman, Mr. Imperial and Ms. Sarhad for their outstanding achievements in promoting equal rights for the residents of Stanislaus County at a ceremony in the Board Chambers located at 1010 10th Street on Friday, October 9, 2015 at 3:30 p.m.

The County's Equal Rights Commission is a community-based body that is appointed by the Board of Supervisors. It serves as a resource to the Board of Supervisors and County staff for equal rights improvements in County service. The Commission holds public meetings the third Wednesday of every other month at 3:30 p.m. The next meeting will be held on December 16, 2015. The commission is currently comprised of Leslie Beggs, Judith Martinez, Leng Power, Jon Rodriguez, Sofia Schultz, and Jeremiah Williams.