



STANISLAUS COUNTY FISH AND WILDLIFE COMMITTEE

REVISED

3:13 pm, Oct 14, 2015

3800 CORNUCOPIA WAY, SUITE C, MODESTO, CALIFORNIA 95358



THURSDAY, October 22, 2015

Meeting Time: 4:00 P.M.

AGENDA

Call Meeting to Order & Introductions:

The Stanislaus County *Fish & Wildlife Committee (F&WC)* encourages public participation and welcomes the public's interest.

Members of the public may be heard on any item of the Fish and Wildlife Committee's agenda. A person addressing the Committee will be limited to five (5) minutes, unless the Chairperson of the Committee grants a longer period of time. The Committee will allow comments by members of the public on an agenda item only during consideration of the item.

Requests for Funds & Project Updates:

1. Approval of the request for funds in the amount NTE \$953.56 to purchase calendars for the Stanislaus River Salmon Festival—submitted by East Stanislaus Resource Conservation District.

Correspondence:

1. Fall Gala invitation received, *hosted by the Tuolumne River Trust, 8/14/2015*
2. Notice of proposal to adopt regulations regarding the take, possession or destruction of bird nests or eggs. *California Department of Fish and Wildlife, 8/21/2015*
3. Notice of regulatory action relative to transgenic definition, application and fee regulations. *Fish and Game Commission, 8/28/2015*
4. Notice of petition received from the Center for Biological Diversity to list tricolored blackbird as endangered via emergency regulation and listing process. *Fish and Game Commission, 9/16/2015*
5. Notice relating to US Fish and Wildlife Service findings and petition to list species in California and Nevada. *Pacific Southwest Region, 9/23/2015*

Agenda Items:

1. Public Comment(s)
2. Approval of July 23, 2015 Meeting Minutes FW Members
3. Approval of Meeting Calendar for 2016
4. Issue a certificate of appreciation to Tim Galas, Fish and Game Warden, for 25 years of contributions to fish and wildlife in Stanislaus County.
5. Wildlife Management Report Cristen Langner, DFG
6. Fishery Report Steve Tsao, DFG
7. Wildlife Enforcement Report Phil McKay, DFG
8. Wood Duck Report Ed Ayers
9. Old Business
10. Committee Comments

Adjourn: Next meeting – Thursday, January 28, 2016 at 4:00 p.m. (Please notify the Department of Parks and Recreation at 525-6770 in advance if you will be attending this meeting and/or require special accommodation for the meeting.)

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STANISLAUS COUNTY FISH AND WILDLIFE COMMITTEE



PARKS AND RECREATION

Jami Aggers, Director

Merry Mayhew, Asst. Director

Ed Ayers, Chair

3800 CORNUCOPIA WAY, SUITE C, MODESTO, CALIFORNIA 95358

MINUTES

JULY 23, 2015 AT 4:00 P.M.

3800 CORNUCOPIA WAY, 2ND FLOOR, CONFERENCE ROOM

(Agendas can be found online at <http://www.stancounty.com/parks/fish-wildlife-committee.shtm>)

COUNTY FISH & WILDLIFE MEMBERS PRESENT:

Ed Ayers, D2
Red Bartley, D1
Ken Meidl, D4
Jim Atherstone, D3
Bob Bashaw, D5
Anthony Maxwell, D2
Don Vanwey, ALT
Ed Channing, ALT

STATE FISH & WILDLIFE REPRESENTATIVE:

PARKS & RECREATION STAFF PRESENT:

Mae Song

EXCUSED/ABSENT:

Jason Guignard, D1
Dave Doubleddee, ALT
Cody Johnsen, ALT

GUESTS PRESENT:

Cathy Gomez

A. CALL TO ORDER & INTRODUCTIONS

Ed Ayers called the meeting to order and those in attendance introduced themselves.

B. REQUESTS FOR FUNDS/PROJECT UPDATES

1. Approval of request for mileage reimbursement of 160 miles in the amount NTE \$92 for students of the Wood Duck program at California State University of Stanislaus, Department of Biological Sciences, was **approved** upon motion and second.
2. Approval of request for funds in the amount NTE \$8,500 to purchase fish to plant at Woodward and Modesto Reservoir, Stanislaus County Parks and Recreation, was **declined** due to current drought conditions which could result in unsuccessful fish plants. The applicant may check back during better water levels (recommendation would be for after March). Applicant was advised to include an evaluation on fish sustainability, count, and type stats. Recommendations include some implementation of a monitoring or surveying program.

REPORTER & ACTIONS

*Bartley, Atherstone,
unanimous approval*

Denied request

C. CORRESPONDENCE

The Committee acknowledged the correspondences received, and suggested further action or comment be directed to the corresponding agency as listed on the agenda and correspondences.

ACTIONS

D. PUBLIC COMMENTS	ACTIONS/REPORTER
No comment was received.	
E. APPROVAL OF MINUTES	ACTIONS
Minutes for the April 23, 2015, meeting was approved upon motion and second with a correction to section E; strike out, "The Fish and Wildlife Committee has taken over 200 active boxes," and replace with, "California Waterfowl Association may take over the 200 active boxes"; additional corrections to section I, remove, "They do not have any group available to go out and check it."	<i>Atherstone, Bashaw, unanimous approval</i>
F. WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT REPORT	ACTIONS/REPORTER
No report.	
G. FISHERY REPORT	ACTIONS & REPORTER
The drought has been an issue to the survival rate of Salmon as it contributes to warming water temperatures and levels.	<i>Red Bartley</i>
H. WILDLIFE ENFORCEMENT REPORT	REPORTER
The fine monies reported pending pollution cases.	<i>Ed Ayers/Jim Atherstone</i>
I. WOOD DUCK REPORT	ACTIONS & REPORTER
Waterford Boys Scouts may be interested in the Wood Duck program. Members are currently looking at interested groups to manage the program. Options could involve the California Waterfowl Association, who has about 3,000 volunteers, State Fish and Wildlife, or the university.	
J. COMMITTEE COMMENTS	ACTIONS & REPORTER
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Approval to issue a certificate of appreciation to Tim Galas was approved upon motion and second. The certificate will be issued in the October meeting. 2. Bob Bashaw was appointed as a <i>regular</i> member by the chair with unanimous approval. Don Vanwey will continue as an <i>alternate</i> member. 3. Two vacancies currently exist under regular membership. 	<i>Bartley, Atherstone, unanimous approval</i>
K. ADJOURNMENT & NEXT MEETING	
There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned. The next regular meeting of the Fish and Wildlife Committee will be held on: Thursday, October 22, 2015 at 4:00 p.m. Conference Room, 2nd Floor 3800 Cornucopia Way, Modesto	<i>Bartley, Maxwell, unanimous approval</i>

Prepared By: *Mae Song, Fish and Wildlife Secretary*

209-525-6723

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September 29, 2015

Dear Stanislaus County Fish and Wildlife Committee,

The East Stanislaus Resource Conservation District is excited to announce the 6th annual Stanislaus River Salmon Festival, happening November 14, 2015. The purpose of this festival is to provide our community with an opportunity to get outdoors and learn more about the diverse resources of Stanislaus County as well as the importance of protecting them. The festival will host several activities for adults and children including: live music, food, face painting, fish print t-shirt designs, fly fishing demos, and historic tours. The event will also feature educational exhibits on: seasonal salmon runs, local agriculture, and the organizations working to promote clean water here in Stanislaus County.

Last year we had approximately 2,500 people attend the festival, and are expecting a similar turn out again this year. The ESRCD would like to request your continued support of this community festival through a donation of \$953.56 for printing our annual drawing contest calendars that involves several Stanislaus County elementary schools from Salida to Knights Ferry.

Thank you for your support of this year's Salmon Festival!

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Trina Walley", is written over a horizontal line.

Trina Walley
Programs Coordinator
East Stanislaus Resource
Conservation District



Fund Request Application

Stanislaus County Fish and Wildlife



STANISLAUS COUNTY
FISH AND WILDLIFE COMMITTEE

3800 CORNUCOPIA WAY, SUITE C, MODESTO, CALIFORNIA 95358

Applicant Name Trina Walley
Agency East Stanislaus Resource Conservation District
Mailing Address 3800 Cornucopia Way, Suite E
City, State, Zip Modesto, CA 95358
Phone 209-491-9320 ext 139 E-mail trina.walley@ca.nacdnet.net

Requesting Fund Amount \$ 953.56 Funds needed by December 31, 2015

Project Performance Period November 14, 2015 thru December 2016

Event Name (if applicable) Stanislaus River Salmon Festival

Purpose The purpose of this festival is to provide our community with an opportunity to get outdoors and learn more about the diverse resources of Stanislaus County as well as the importance of protecting them. Calendar motivates students to understand and communicate through art.

Fish and Wildlife Code(s) Met (CFG Code Section 13100-13104) 13103 (a)

Public Benefit Calendar featuring local elementary students artwork on the life cycle of Salmon is both an educational experience for the students that participate and a public education piece provided to attendees of the annual Stanislaus River Salmon Festival.

Detail Items to be Purchased (include cost per item, and/or attach quote(s). Additional sheets may be attached.)
15 month calendar with each month featuring a selected artwork and an educational fact about the life cycle of Chinook Salmon. Quote attached,

Vendor to be purchased from Dittos Copy Center Modesto

Will you accept partial funding? ☒ YES ☐ NO

This application may be fax to (209) 525-6773 or mailed to:

Stanislaus County Fish & Wildlife Committee
c/o Stanislaus County Parks and Recreation
Attn: Parks Administration
3800 Cornucopia Way, Suite C
Modesto, CA 95358

I have read and understand the Fund Request Procedures and agree to utilize the funds I am approved for to purchase items listed in this packet for said purposes and in accordance to California Fish and Wildlife Codes and Regulations. I understand I will follow-up with the Committee on the outcome of this fund request by attendance at a Fish and Wildlife Committee meeting within one year.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

OFFICE USE ONLY:

APPROVED FOR \$ _____ DATE: _____



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Phone: 209.491.9320 x139

ESTIMATE

No.

E#32201

reprint #3

Date 9/21/15

Customer P.O. No.



QUANTITY	DESCRIPTION	AMOUNT
400	Salmon Festival Art Contest Calendars - 11x17 100# Gloss Text Printed on both sides - Folded and stapled to 8.5x11 Calendars, 11 x 17 White 28# 28WX Hammermill Laserprint Smooth, 8 sheets, copied on 2 sides	886.00
Sales Rep: CHELSEA Account Type: Charge Account Ask about our mailing services.		SUB 886.00
		TAX 67.56
		SHIPPING
		TOTAL 953.56



DEPARTMENT OF PARKS & RECREATION

2016 PUBLIC MEETING CALENDAR

JANUARY						
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JANUARY
 1 New Year's Day
 14 Park Commission Meeting
 18 Martin Luther King, Jr. Day
 28 Fish and Wildlife Meeting

FEBRUARY						
Su	M	T	W	T	Fr	Sa
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FEBRUARY
 11 Park Commission Meeting
 15 President's Day

MARCH						
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MARCH
 10 Park Commission Meeting

APRIL						
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APRIL
 14 Park Commission Meeting
 28 Fish and Wildlife Meeting

MAY						
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MAY
 12 Park Commission Meeting
 30 Memorial Day

JUNE						
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JUNE
 9 Park Commission Meeting

JULY						
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JULY
 4 Independence Day
 14 Park Commission Meeting
 28 Fish and Wildlife Meeting

AUGUST						
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AUGUST
 11 Park Commission Meeting

SEPTEMBER						
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SEPTEMBER
 5 Labor Day
 8 Park Commission Meeting

OCTOBER						
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OCTOBER
 13 Park Commission Meeting
 27 Fish and Wildlife Meeting

NOVEMBER						
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NOVEMBER
 10 Park Commission Meeting
 11 Veterans Day
 24 Thanksgiving Day

DECEMBER						
Su	M	T	W	T	Fr	Sa
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DECEMBER
 25 Christmas Day

Observed Holidays

Fish & Wildlife

Park Commission

10/22/2015

FUND 1727 - FISH & WILDLIFE

Accts Payable Notes:

	ACCOUNT/Description	REVENUE	EXPENSE Actual exp in bold*	
Checks Custom Cages - Stan Wildlife	63770 - Fish & Wild Comm Program		\$ 4,920.81	
			\$ 10,588.54	\$ 32,286.21
JULY 2012 - JUN 2013				
	15200 -Other court fines	\$ 4,083.67		
	16000 -Forfeitures & Penalties			
	16071 -Env. Fraud (fines, forfe., penalties)			
	40400 -Misc. Revenue	\$ -		
		\$ 4,083.67		
Great Valley Museum of Natural History	63770 - Fish & Wild Comm Program		\$ 1,241.00	
Golden State Bait Inc.	63770 - Fish & Wild Comm Program		\$ 7,300.00	
East Stan. Resource Cons. Dist - River Cleanup	63770 - Fish & Wild Comm Program		\$ 330.56	
East Stan. Resource Cons. Dist - Salmon Fest	63770 - Fish & Wild Comm Program		\$ 1,535.89	
East Stan. Resource Cons. Dist - Ads	63770 - Fish & Wild Comm Program		\$ 777.46	
			\$ 11,184.91	\$ 25,184.97
JULY 2013 - JUN 2014				
	15200 -Other court fines	\$ 3,362.59		
	15200 - JAB Dairy Inc	\$ 2,500.00		
	15200 - William Bylsma	\$ 1,750.00		
	16000 -Forfeitures & Penalties			
	16071 -Env. Fraud (fines, forfe., penalties)			
	40400 -Misc. Revenue	\$ -		
		\$ 7,612.59		
Great Valley Museum of Natural History	63770 - Fish & Wild Comm Program			
Golden State Bait Inc.	63770 - Fish & Wild Comm Program		\$ 2,000.00	
Mileage Reimb. Field Studies	63770 - Fish & Wild Comm Program		\$ 516.13	
East Stan. Resource Cons. Dist - Salmon Fest	63770 - Fish & Wild Comm Program			
East Stan. Resource Cons. Dist - Ads	63770 - Fish & Wild Comm Program			
			\$ 2,516.13	\$ 30,281.43
JULY 2014 - JUN 2015				
	15200 -Other court fines	\$ 1,075.31		
	15200 - Raley's	\$ 5,000.00		a
	15200 - TJ Maxx	\$ 3,000.00		a
	15200 - Windenberg Farms	\$ 2,250.00		b
	15200 - 99 Only Stores	\$ 4,800.00		b
	16000 -Forfeitures & Penalties	\$ 4,937.50		
	16071 -Env. Fraud (fines, forfe., penalties)			
	40400 -Misc. Revenue	\$ -		
		\$ 21,062.81		
East Stan. Resource Cons. Dist - Salmon Fest	62630 - Outside Printing		\$ 953.56	
Great Valley Museum of Natural History	63770 - Fish & Wild Comm Program			
Golden State Bait Inc.	63770 - Fish & Wild Comm Program		\$ 2,300.00	
Mileage Reimb. Field Studies	63770 - Fish & Wild Comm Program		\$ 791.13	
East Stan. Resource Cons. Dist - Salmon Fest	63770 - Fish & Wild Comm Program			
Stanislaus Wildlife Care Center - Aviary	63770 - Fish & Wild Comm Program		\$ 1,500.00	
East Stan. Resource Cons. Dist - Ads	63770 - Fish & Wild Comm Program			
			\$ 5,544.69	\$ 45,799.55
Totals		\$ 220,143.11	\$ 174,343.56	\$ 45,799.55
FUND BALANCE as of JUNE 2015:		\$ 45,799.55		
JULY 2015 - JUN 2016				
	15200 -Other court fines	\$ 12,540.89		
	16000 -Forfeitures & Penalties			
	16071 -Env. Fraud (fines, forfe., penalties)			
	40400 -Misc. Revenue	\$ -		
		\$ 12,540.89		
East Stan. Resource Cons. Dist - Salmon Fest	62630 - Outside Printing			
Tuolumne River Cleanup	63280 - Contracts		\$ 2,255.76	

FUND 1727 - FISH & WILDLIFE

Accts Payable Notes:	ACCOUNT/Description	REVENUE	EXPENSE Actual exp in bold*	
Great Valley Museum of Natural History	63770 - Fish & Wild Comm Program			
Golden State Bait Inc.	63770 - Fish & Wild Comm Program			
Mileage Reimb. Field Studies	63770 - Fish & Wild Comm Program		\$ 92.00	
East Stan. Resource Cons. Dist - Salmon Fest	63770 - Fish & Wild Comm Program			
Stanislaus Wildlife Care Center - Aviary	63770 - Fish & Wild Comm Program			
East Stan. Resource Cons. Dist - Ads	63770 - Fish & Wild Comm Program			
			\$ 2,347.76	\$ 55,992.68

Totals	\$ 232,684.00	\$ 176,691.32	\$ 55,992.68
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FUND BALANCE as of AUGUST 2015:	\$ 55,992.68
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Cumulative Totals

Beginning Balance	6,089.13	
15200 -Other court fines	\$ 81,747.27	
16000 -Forfeitures & Penalties	\$ 41,285.40	
16071 -Env. Fraud (fines, forfe., penalties)	\$ 98,562.20	
40400 -Misc. Revenue	\$ 5,000.00	
		\$ 232,684.00
61600-maintenance-equipment	\$ 591.03	
61800 -Maintenance	\$ 1,450.00	
62400 -Misc expense	\$ 217.65	
62600-Office Supplies	\$ 39.50	
62630 - Outside Printing	\$ 953.56	
63280 -Contracts	\$ 3,980.76	
63770 - Fish & Wild Comm Program	\$ 157,630.90	
67200 - Utilities	\$ 18.30	
73511-Auditor's Charges	\$ 5.11	
73512-Purchasing Agent Charges	\$ 103.29	
73521-A87 Carry Forward	\$ 406.00	
73630 Govt fund - road services	\$ 4,663.32	
74000 - Other Charges (Postage/Mailing)	\$ 48.28	
74080 - Central Services Printing	\$ 958.53	
74100 & 74102- Postage	\$ 74.64	
74110 - Mail Room Services	\$ 5.45	
84940 - Boat	\$ 5,545.00	
		\$ 176,691.32