## SUBMITTAL TO THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS **COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE, STATE OF CALIFORNIA**



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SUBMITTAL DATE: March 8, 2011

SUBJECT: Adoption of Resolution 2011-044 Establishing a Riverside County Fish and Game

RECOMMENDED MOTION: That the Board approves and adopts Resolution No. 2011-044 establishing

a Riverside County Fish and Game Commission.

BACKGROUND: Riverside County is authorized to expend certain funds for the protection, conservation,

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2011-003S-BH	-		Scott Bangle, Parks	Director				
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FINANCIAL	Current F.Y. Net County Cost:	\$	Budget Adjustn	nent:				
DATA N/A	Annual Net County Cost:	\$	For Fiscal Year	:				
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and Game Commission

## **BACKGROUND:**

In years past, the function for overseeing the fish and game funds had previously been performed by the Parks Department and then the Regional Park and Open-Space District (District), but as this is an overall county role, it is recommended by Counsel that a Fish and Game Commission be established under the Board of Supervisors to serve under the Riverside County Parks Department. It is also recommended that the current members serving under the District Advisory Commission serve as initial members of the Fish and Game Commission. Pursuant to Res. No. 2011-044 attached hereto, Board Policy A-21 will serve as By-laws for the Fish and Game Commission.

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RESOLUTION No. 2011 044

## Establishing a Riverside County Fish and Game Commission

WHEREAS, Riverside County is authorized to expend certain funds for the protection, conservation, propagation, and preservation of fish and wildlife pursuant to Fish and Game Code sections 13100-13104.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Supervisors of Riverside County, State of California, in regular session assembled on

2011, that there is hereby created and established a Fish and Game Commission ("Commission") of the County of Riverside.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED AND ORDERED that the operation of the Commission shall be in compliance with the rules, regulations and procedures prescribed in Riverside County Board of Supervisors Policy A-21 ("Policy A-21") and with the specific provisions as stated herein.

- 1. PURPOSE: It shall be the purpose of the Commission to advise and make recommendations to the Board of Supervisors the most economical and efficient method for the expenditure of fish and game propagation funds and any matters related thereto in accordance with Fish and Game Code sections 13100-13104.
- 2. MEMBERS: The Commission shall consist of 11 members, each of whom shall be appointed and serve at the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors. All appointees shall be at least 18 years of age, shall reside within the Riverside County, and shall serve without compensation, except for mileage at approved Riverside County

reimbursement rates to attend scheduled meetings. The Board of Supervisors shall appoint two members to represent each of the five supervisorial districts, except the Supervisor who represents the Fourth District shall appoint three members, one of whom shall represent the Colorado River Valley portion of the County to include the area surrounding the City of Blythe. The initial members shall include:

William Hartford
Mark Balys
Daniel Hake
Raymond Smith
Darrell Connerton
Cois Byrd
Christopher Thomas
Robert Grady
Don Martin
Judy Nieburger
Jerry Cody

- 3. TERMS: The terms of the Commission members shall be for not less than two years and not more than four years from the last preceding July 1, shall expire on an alternating basis, and may be renewed for successive terms.
- 4. OFFICERS: At the first regular meeting on or after July 1 of each year, the Commission shall elect a Chair and Vice Chair as specified in Board Policy A-21, who shall perform the duties specified therein.
- 5. SECRETARY: The General Manager of the Riverside County Park Department, or his/her designee, shall serve as Secretary of the Commission and shall be responsible for performing the duties specified in Board Policy A-21.
- 6. MEETINGS: The Commission shall meet bi-monthly, with the primary meeting place to be the Regional Park and Open-Space District headquarters,

- 7. GOVERNANCE: The Commission shall be bound and governed by the provisions of the Ralph M. Brown Act, Board Policy A-21, and all other applicable Resolutions, laws, ordinances, rules, and County policies.
- 8. <u>BOARD POLICY NO. A-21</u>. The provisions of Riverside
  County Board of Supervisors Policy No. A-21 entitled "Adopting Uniform Rules and
  Procedures for Advisory Committees, Boards and Commissions of the County of
  Riverside" are incorporated herein to this resolution by reference, and are intended as
  guidance for the Commission in carrying out its duties.

Legal Authority: Board of Supervisors