

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

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FROM: Director of Mental Health

SUBMITTAL DATE:
November 17, 2003

SUBJECT: DRUNK AND DRUGGED DRIVING PREVENTION MONTH. DEPARTMENT OF MENTAL HEALTH, ALL DISTRICTS

RECOMMENDED MOTION: Move that the Board of Supervisors proclaim the month of December 2003 as Drunk and Drugged Driving Prevention Month.

BACKGROUND: The Department of Mental Health requests that December 2003 be designated as Drunk and Drugged Driving Prevention Month. Many drivers may be unaware that their driving abilities can be seriously impaired even though their blood alcohol levels are below California Driving Under the Influence (D.U.I.) Standards. The intent of this campaign is to increase public awareness of the effects of alcohol even at minimal consumption levels and to create safer highways by reducing drunk and drugged driving.

Dir/Departmental Concurrence

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John J. Ryan
Department of Mental Health

FINANCIAL DATA

Current F.Y. Total Cost:	\$ N/A	In Current Year Budget:	N/A
Current F.Y. Net County Cost:	\$ N/A	Budget Adjustment:	NO
Annual Net County Cost:	\$ N/A	For Fiscal Year:	2003/04

SOURCE OF FUNDS: N/A

Positions To Be Deleted Per A-30	<input type="checkbox"/>
Requires 4/5 Vote	<input type="checkbox"/>

C.E.O. RECOMMENDATION:

APPROVE

County Executive Office Signature

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- Dep't Recomm.: Consent Policy
- Per Exec. Ofc.: Consent Policy

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District:

Agenda Number:

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**THE MONTH OF DECEMBER 2003
NATIONAL DRUNK AND DRUGGED DRIVING
PREVENTION MONTH**

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, Driving under the influence result in staggering economics costs to society, nationally millions of dollars are spent annually. The cost includes treatment and court costs, as well as indirect costs, such as absenteeism and loss of jobs productivity; AND

WHEREAS, Driving under the influence has caused deaths on the highways and streets of our communities; AND

WHEREAS, Families are left victimized with loss of a family member, friends or neighbor; AND

WHEREAS, The mission is to nationally recognize and formulate measures for awareness and prevention through legislation, media, groups to combat driving under the influence and the tragedy that it may bring.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that we proclaim December 2003, "National Drunk And Drugged Driving Prevention Month.