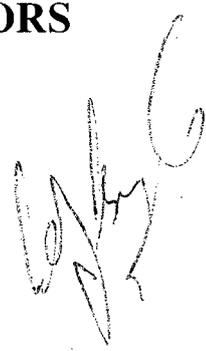


**MEMORANDUM**  
OFFICE OF THE  
**BOARD OF SUPERVISORS**  
COUNTY OF PLACER

TO: Honorable Board of Supervisors  
FROM: Michael J. Boyle, Assistant County Executive  
DATE: May 26, 2009



SUBJECT: Presentation from the California Highway Patrol: Receive an overview of the statewide responsibilities and operations of the CHP along with specific information related to the activities of the local Auburn Area office from Captain Rick Ward, Commander of the Auburn Area office of the California Highway Patrol.

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**ACTION REQUESTED**

Receive a presentation from Captain Rick Ward, Commander of the Auburn Area office of the California Highway Patrol (CHP).

**BACKGROUND**

Today, Captain Ward will present an overview of the statewide responsibilities and operations of the CHP along with specific information related the activities of the local Auburn Area office.

As your Board is well aware, the CHP, through is various local offices and resources serves the people of California and provides assistance to allied agencies. The CHP is charged with multiple missions: Prevent Loss of Life, Injuries, and Property Damage; Maximize Service to the Public and Assistance to Allied Agencies; Manage Traffic and Emergency Incidents; Protect Public and State Assets; and, Improve Departmental Efficiency .

**FISCAL IMPACT**

None.

