



**County Administrative  
Office  
COUNTY OF TULARE  
AGENDA ITEM**

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**AGENDA DATE:** June 7, 2011

Public Hearing Required	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Scheduled Public Hearing w/Clerk	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Published Notice Required	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Advertised Published Notice	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Meet & Confer Required	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Electronic file(s) has been sent	Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A	<input type="checkbox"/>
Budget Transfer (Aud 308) attached	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Personnel Resolution attached	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Resolution, Ordinance or Agreements are attached and signature line for Chairman is marked with tab(s)/flag(s) Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> N/A <input type="checkbox"/>						
CONTACT PERSON: Debbie Vaughn PHONE: 636-5005						

**SUBJECT:** Letter of support for full funding and reauthorization of the State Criminal Alien Assistance Program.

**REQUEST(S):**  
That the Board of Supervisors:

1. Approve sending a letter of support for full funding and reauthorization of the State Criminal Alien Assistance Program to the Senate and House of Representatives Commerce, Justice, Science, and Related Agencies Appropriation subcommittees and the County of Tulare Federal Delegation.

**SUMMARY:**  
The State Criminal Alien Assistance Program (SCAAP) provides federal payments to state and local jurisdictions for costs incurred to incarcerate undocumented criminal aliens. The State of California is heavily impacted by the presence of undocumented aliens and the Tulare County Sheriff Department expenditures to house incarcerated undocumented aliens have been \$3,141,000 over the past two years.

In FY 2010, SCAAP funding was reduced by 17.5% from \$400 million to \$330 million. SCAAP reductions for fiscal year 2011 are currently unknown. The President's recommended fiscal year 2012 budget reduces SCCAP by 59% to \$136 million which will have a devastating impact on local public safety services as they struggle to meet the law enforcement needs of our local communities.

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The existing authorization for SCAAP expires in at the end of FY 2011 and, therefore, the recommendation is to support reauthorization of the SCAAP program, to reauthorize the program at its current level of \$950 million, and to provide full funding for the program in FY 2012.

**FISCAL IMPACT/FINANCING:**

N/A

**LINKAGE TO THE COUNTY OF TULARE STRATEGIC BUSINESS PLAN:**

Support of SCAAP links to the County's initiative of providing for the safety and security of the public.

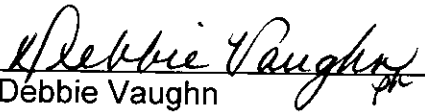
**ALTERNATIVES:**

N/A

**INVOLVEMENT OF OTHER DEPARTMENTS OR AGENCIES:**

N/A

**ADMINISTRATIVE SIGN-OFF:**

  
Debbie Vaughn  
Administrative Analyst

Cc: Auditor/Controller  
County Counsel  
County Administrative Office (2)

Attachment(s) – Letter of Support

**BEFORE THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS  
COUNTY OF TULARE, STATE OF CALIFORNIA**

IN THE MATTER OF LETTER OF )  
SUPPORT FOR FULL FUNDING AND )  
REAUTHORIZATION OF THE STATE )  
CRIMINAL ALIEN ASSISTANCE )  
PROGRAM )

RESOLUTION NO. \_\_\_\_\_  
AGREEMENT NO. \_\_\_\_\_

UPON MOTION OF SUPERVISOR \_\_\_\_\_, SECONDED BY  
SUPERVISOR \_\_\_\_\_, THE FOLLOWING WAS ADOPTED BY THE  
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS, AT AN OFFICIAL MEETING HELD \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

AYES:  
NOES:  
ABSTAIN:  
ABSENT:

ATTEST: JEAN M. ROUSSEAU  
COUNTY ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER/  
CLERK, BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

BY: \_\_\_\_\_  
Deputy Clerk

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Approved sending a letter of support for full funding and reauthorization of the State Criminal Alien Assistance Program to the Senate and House of Representatives Commerce, Justice, Science, and Related Agencies Appropriation subcommittees and the County of Tulare Federal Delegation.