

COUNTY OF  
**Placer**  
Board of Supervisors

---

**PROCLAMATION**

---



**In the matter of a Proclamation  
Recognizing April 22 - 29, 2006  
as "Creek Week" in Placer County.**

**Placer County Board of Supervisors:  
Bill Santucci, District One; Robert M. Weygandt, District Two, Jim  
Holmes, District Three; Edward "Ted" M. Gaines, District Four and Bruce  
Kranz, District Five**

This Proclamation was adopted by the Placer County Board of Supervisors on March 7, 2006 all members present voting aye.

**WHEREAS**, Placer County is blessed with extensive and diverse natural resources, such as woodlands, forests, grasslands, riparian areas, lakes, rivers, creeks and an assortment of open spaces; and

**WHEREAS**, The aquatic and riparian habitat in Placer County has been identified as an important conservation target of the Placer Legacy Program; and


**WHEREAS**, The Creek Week program was initiated thirteen years ago and was designed to encourage the protection, restoration and maintenance of natural streams, with a goal of creating local stewardship and educating the general public on the aesthetic, recreational and ecological values of natural streams, and

**WHEREAS**, Placer County encompasses miles of creeks, many contain litter, which must be removed to better ensure their preservation; and

**WHEREAS**, Clean creeks and adjacent vegetation are vital to a safe storm water drainage system, contribute to a safe drinking water supply, provide productive wildlife habitat and add value to property; and

**WHEREAS**, Creeks are natural recreation areas where children can learn to value living things, they also provide attractive green spaces in neighborhoods and offer quiet retreats away from noise and traffic; and

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** that the Placer County Board of Supervisors does hereby declare April 22 - 29, 2006 as "CREEK WEEK" to emphasize our commitment to protecting the rich resource our creeks provide and encourage all citizens to participate in Creek Week activities planned throughout Placer County.

  
Bill Santucci  
Chairman

