



LASSEN COUNTY FAIR
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Date: April 9, 2026

To: Lassen County Board of Supervisors

From: Bill Payer, Manager *BP*

Re: Resolution Recognizing Volunteer Workers

Discussion:

Attached for your review and consideration is the proposed resolution recognizing volunteer workers at the Lassen County Fairgrounds as employees for the purpose of workers' compensation insurance coverage through the California Fair Services Authority.

Desired Action:

Adopt Resolution

Fiscal Impact:

None.

RESOLUTION NO. _____

RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS, COUNTY OF LASSEN, STATE OF CALIFORNIA, ADOPT VOLUNTEER WORKERS OF THE LASSEN COUNTY FAIR AS COUNTY EMPLOYEES FOR THE PURPOSE OF COVERAGE UNDER THE FAIR'S WORKERS' COMPENSATION PROGRAM.

WHEREAS, the Board of Supervisors of the County of Lassen adopted Resolution 93-082 on July 20, 1993, which recognized volunteer workers of the County of Lassen as County employees only for the purposes of Workers' Compensation Insurance coverage as provided by California Labor Code section 336.5; and

WHEREAS, the Lassen County Fair is a division of the county, but has its own Workers' Compensation Insurance policy through the California Fair Services Authority that is separate and distinct from that of the County of Lassen through Trindel Insurance Fund and PRISM; and

WHEREAS, the Lassen County Fair, at certain times does have workers volunteering their services to the Fair; and

WHEREAS, such volunteer services are at times necessary to the operation and function of the Lassen County Fair; and

WHEREAS, said volunteer services are without remuneration, however, such persons volunteering their time and energies must be considered employees for the purposes of Workers' Compensation Insurance coverages as provided in California Labor Code section 336.5; and,

WHEREAS, the intent of this Resolution is to ensure the provision of Workers' Compensation Insurance coverage to volunteer workers of the Lassen County Fair for loss on account of bodily injury by the accident or occupational disease sustained by such volunteer workers in the performance of their duties for or on behalf of the Lassen County Fair while acting within the scope of their duties; and,

WHEREAS, the adoption of this resolution is intended to clarify the Workers' Compensation Insurance coverage of volunteer workers performing services to the Lassen County Fair and is intended to supplement and not supplant the provisions of Resolution 93-082.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Supervisors of the County of Lassen does hereby declare volunteer workers on behalf of the Lassen County Fair to be employees of said County for the purposes of Workers' Compensation Law and the Fair's Workers' Compensation Insurance policy through the California Fair Service Authority; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this resolution is adopted as a supplement to Resolution 93-082 which also remains in full force and effect.

The foregoing resolution was adopted at a regular meeting of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Lassen, California, held on the 17th day of March, 2026 by the following vote:

AYES: _____

NOES: _____

ABSTAIN: _____

ABSENT: _____

**Chairman of the Board of Supervisors
County of Lassen, State of California**

ATTEST:
JULIE BUSTAMANTE
Clerk of the Board

BY: _____
Michele Yderraga, Deputy Clerk of the Board