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Application Cover Sheet

RFA PROCESS

FY 2009-10 RECOVERY ACT - VOCA STIMULUS

Submitted by:

El Dorado County District Attorney's Office

Victim Witness Program

550 Main Street, Suite H

Placerville, CA 95667

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I hereby certify upon my own personal knowledge that budgeted funds are available for the period and purposes of this expenditure stated above.

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CalEMA Director (or designee)

Date

CalEMA Fiscal Officer

PROJECT CONTACT INFORMATION

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CERTIFICATION OF ASSURANCE OF COMPLIANCE Victims of Crime Act (VOCA) Fund

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	Please provid	le the followi	ng information:						
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II. Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1990 – (Recipient Handbook, Section 2152)

The State of California requires that every person or organization awarded a grant or contract shall certify it will provide a drug-free workplace.

III. California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) - (Recipient Handbook, Section 2153)

The California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) (*Public Resources Code, Section 21000 et seq.*) requires all CalEMA funded projects to certify compliance with CEQA. Projects receiving funding must coordinate with their city or county planning agency to ensure that the project is compliance with CEAQ requirements.

IV. Lobbying – (Recipient Handbook Section 2154)

CalEMA grant funds, grant property, or grant funded positions shall not be used for any lobbying activities, including, but not limited to, being paid by or on behalf of the undersigned, to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with the making of any federal grant, the entering into of any cooperative agreement, and the extension, continuation, renewal, amendment, or modification of any federal grant or cooperative agreement.

V. Debarment and Suspension – (Recipient Handbook Section 2155) (This applies to federally funded grants only.)

CalEMA-funded projects must certify that it and its principals are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, sentenced to a denial of federal benefits by a state or federal court, or voluntarily excluded from covered transactions by any federal department of agency.

VI. Proof of Authority from City Council/Governing Board

The above-named organization (applicant) accepts responsibility for and will comply with the requirement to obtain written authorization from the city council/governing board in support of this program. The applicant agrees to provide all matching funds required for said project (including any amendment thereof) under the Program and the funding terms and conditions of CalEMA, and that any cash match will be appropriated as required. It is agreed that any liability arising out of the performance of this Grant Award Agreement, including civil court actions for damages, shall be the responsibility of the grant recipient and the authorizing agency. The State of California and CalEMA disclaim responsibility of any such liability. Furthermore, it is also agreed that grant funds received from CalEMA shall not be used to supplant expenditures controlled by the city council/governing board.

The applicant is required to obtain written authorization from the city council/governing board that the official executing this agreement is, in fact, authorized to do so. The applicant is also required to maintain said written authorization on file and readily available upon demand.

VII. Special Condition for Grant Awards with Victims of Crime Act (VOCA) Fund

The grant recipient agrees to administer the grant in accordance with the VOCA, the VOCA Program Guidelines, and the Office of Justice Programs Financial Guide.

All appropriate documentation must be maintained on file by the project and available for CalEMA or public scrutiny upon request. Failure to comply with these requirements may result in suspension of payments under the grant or termination of the grant or both and the Recipient may be ineligible for award of any future grants if the CalEMA determines that any of the following has occurred: (1) the Recipient has made false certification, or (2) violates the certification by failing to carry out the requirements as noted above.

CERTIFICATION					
I, the official named below, am the same individual authorized to sign the Grant Award Agreement [Section 12 on Grant Award Face Sheet], and hereby swear that I am duly authorized legally to bind the contractor or grant recipient to the above described certification. I am fully aware that this certification, executed on the date and in the county below, is made under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California. Authorized Official's Signature: Vern R. Pierson Authorized Official's Title: District Attorney					
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Date Executed:					
Federal Employer ID #: 946000511 Federal DUNS # 087834029					
Current Central Contractor Registration Yes No No					
Executed in the City/County of: County of El Dorado					
AUTHORIZED BY: (not applicable to State agencies)					
City Financial Officer City Manager County Financial Officer County Manager Governing Board Chair					
Signature:					
Typed Name: Ron Briggs					
Title: Chair, Board of Supervisors					

SIGNATURE AUTHORIZATION

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Project Narrative

Problem Statement:

The El Dorado County Victim Witness Program has been in service since 1980. The program started with two half time positions (1.0 FTE), and after 26 years the program only has a staff size of 2.35 (FTE) positions. Due to stagnant funding, staff size continues to decline. Throughout the years, program staff has become proficient at maximizing and prioritizing the services to crime victims. However, the program has become a familiar resource to the community, and the demands have substantially increased. Additionally, new legislation, such as Marcy's Law, and procedural changes on how restitution cases are handled in our office has added to the workload of existing staff.

In 2007, El Dorado County's population was estimated at 175,689, and is expected to increase to 218,811 by 2015. This growth combined with an increase in specific crimes, will make it difficult for staff to handle the influx of victims. Currently, staff provides services to approximately 40% of the victims in our community. Priority is given to violent offenses, and property crime victims are assisted when referred to our office or by follow-up on restitution issues. Local schools in both the Tahoe area and the Placerville area have increased their referrals to our program, and report a significant increase in juvenile violent offenses. Additionally, staff has seen an increase in Hispanic victims seeking assistance. Currently, the program does not have a Spanish version of our Victim Witness Brochure. In addition to the above issues, the Deputy District Attorney's have increased their request for services to victims, such as Court Support. Unfortunately, this type of service is very time demanding, and decreases staff time for services to other victims.

Volunteers, although required, have been almost impossible to recruit and retain. In most cases, applicants want to intern for a semester. Given the background check, and the required training, there is usually very little time left in a semester for actual volunteer hours. Additionally, as staff time is already stretched to capacity, the additional time of training and supervision is difficult to provide. Volunteers continue to be an issue with this program.

Plan and Implementation:

The El Dorado County Victim Witness Program has two locations. The primary office is located at 550 Main Street, Suite H, Placerville, 95667. The phone number is (530) 642-4760. The Lake Tahoe Office is located at 1360 Johnson Blvd. Suite 105, South Lake Tahoe, 96150. The phone number (530) 573-3100. Due to the mountain driving, inclement weather, and the distance between the two cities, all government services have an office in both locations to better serve the public. The Program Coordinator and contact person for the program is Susan Meyer. The confidential phone number is (530) 416-1233. Currently the program has a (.8 FTE) advocate in the Placerville Office and a (.6 FTE) advocate in the Lake Tahoe Office. The Stimulus Funding would allow the program to add a part-time extra help position (approximately .5 FTE)

As the program is located in the District Attorney's Office, the access to crime reports, criminal files, and case information allows staff to inform victims of their case status in a timely manner. and increases the communication between the victim and the District Attorney. Advocates are available to the Deputy District Attorneys for in-house training, victim interviews, and court assistance. Currently the District Attorney's Office utilizes the Damion computer program. The Victim Witness Program has a module within the computer program that allows staff to track their own cases, criminal cases, and document contacts and services.

All staff has been trained and received certification from the California Victim Services Training Institute. Additionally, staff is encouraged to seek out local training opportunities that will enhance the services provided by our office.

Although the Victim Witness Program is short staffed, every effort is made to ensure that no victim will be turned away. The program has the ability through the use of the District Attorney's computer program, to print out all incoming law enforcement reports. This allows staff to expedite contacts and provide outreach to victims. Staff is currently handling violent offenses first, and property crimes secondary, as time allows. However, if a property crime victim contacts our office, services are provided. Upon receipt of a referral, the advocate will contact the victim via phone or in person, and offer services. The services offered would include all of the mandatory services, and optional services, as determined necessary for the well being of the victim. Referrals from the Deputy District Attorneys for court support are given priority as an immediate need to the victim.

In addition to the Victim Witness Grant, the program has a Joint Powers Agreement with the California Victim Compensation Program. Advocates refer all questions regarding claims to the Claims Specialists. Additionally, the Victim Witness Program currently has a full time Elder Abuse Advocate, and two split funded advocates, who provide services to elder abuse victims. Funding is through the Elder Abuse Advocacy and Outreach Grant.

Referrals are made from other agencies, such as; Probation, Child Protective Services, Adult Protective Services, Women's Center, Courts, and Hospitals. An outside agency referral is handled the same way as an in-house referral. The advocate will review the report, evaluate the victim's needs, and make contact with the victim. If a referral is not related to the type of

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services that Victim Witness provides, the advocate will follow-up with the agency or caller and provide a referral to the appropriate agency.

The Victim Witness Program will conduct field visits as required by the victim. A vehicle is always available for the advocate's use. The program has a TTY phone system set up in each of the offices for the hearing impaired, and a list of local sign interpreters is maintained in the office. Staff must rely on volunteers and other agencies for translation services for non-English speaking clients. The special needs of a victim are typically evaluated prior to the initial contact. If a law enforcement report indicates the victim is disabled, non-English speaking, hearing impaired or elderly, staff will take appropriate measures to ensure that there is no interruption of services, or communication issues with the victim. A wheelchair is provided to clients who have difficulty walking to Court, and interviews. In most cases, if it is determined that a victim has a special need; staff will conduct a field visit, rather than asking the victim to come into the office. As previously noted, Every effort is made to ensure that the victim with special needs receives the same quality of service as all victims.

Brochures, business cards, and posters are provided to local agencies, local hospitals, and law enforcement. Presentations and training is provided to various agencies, public and private. Law enforcement is asked to carry the Victim Witness brochures in their patrol cars, and provide the brochures to victims of crime at the time of the report. Additionally, victims are now provided with a copy of Marcy's Law and a list of the local resources.

A three year Operational Agreement was signed by local agencies for the 2007/2008 fiscal year. The Operational Agreement will cover the grant years of 2007-2010. The agreement details the expectations of each agency, including training needs, networking, and regular meetings. Both the El Dorado Women's Center and the South Lake Tahoe Women's Center provide services to domestic violence victims, sexual assault victims, and both sexual assault and physical abuse of children

A current organizational chart and a listing of the multiple field offices are included in the grant appendix.

The program will continue to recruit and retain volunteers. As previously stated in the problem statement, there have been some issues with the recruitment and retention of volunteers in our program. The average background check takes about a month to process, and includes a fairly extensive and invasive questionnaire; this tends to discourage many applicants. Secondly, there is no funding available to send volunteers to the (40) hour entry-level training. This limits the exposure of the volunteers to certain types of victims, and certain types of services. Currently in-house training is provided to volunteers by the coordinator, and seasoned advocates. Supervision and volunteer job assignment is the responsibility of the coordinator. Volunteers will be used to provide out-reach services to new victims, and other services as training and supervision allows. In an effort to increase the recruitment of volunteers, the District Attorney's Office and the Victim Witness Program will be working with California State University Sacramento, and Folsom Community College to recruit interns All volunteers maintain a time sheet for documentation purposes.

The 2009/10 Recovery Act – VOCA Stimulus Funding will allow the program to hire a part time extra help advocate. This advocate would work in conjunction with the existing Victim Witness staff in providing direct services to victims. We anticipate this will increase our grant objectives from 1100 new victims to 1400 new victims. Interns will meet the match requirement.

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Budget Narrative

The funding awarded by the 2009/10 Recovery Act – VOCA Stimulus, will assist the Victim Witness Program's staff with meeting the increased demands for services offered through the program. The budget reflects funding for a part-time extra help advocate. The advocate will work in the office a total of 1,188.42 hours over the fiscal year. As this is an extra help position, there are no benefits or other costs associated with this position. The total cost for this position is \$18,159. The match requirement of \$4,560, will be met through volunteer hours.

The extra help advocate will provide direct services to victims of all types of crime, and should increase the number of new victims served from (1100) new victims, as projected in our Victim Witness Grant to (1400) new victims. The extra help advocate will provide notification to victims, as required by Marcy's Law, assist with new victim contacts, and follow up with victims on restitution issues. This position will work in conjunction with existing Victim Witness advocates. Currently, the Victim Witness Program has one (.8 FTE) advocate in Placerville, and one (.6 FTE) advocate in the Tahoe Office. All supervision of the advocates, including the extra help position, is provided by the Coordinator.

The extra help advocate will be required to have the appropriate education and the necessary experience that is required by this county for all advocates. Training will be provided by the Coordinator, and local training will be encouraged. Time sheets will be maintained on this position.

There will be no mid-year salary adjustments for this position, or administrative cost associated with this position. There is no equipment or operating costs budgeted in this RFA.

BUDGET CATEGORY AND LINE ITEM DETAIL

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APPLICATION APPENDIX

Operational Agreement
Organizational Chart
Project Summary
Federal Grant Fund Log
Other Funding Sources
Prior, Current, and Proposed CalEMA Funding
Project Service Area
Multiple Field Office

FORMS NOT INCLUDED, AS NOT APPLICABLE

Noncompetitive Bid Request Checklist

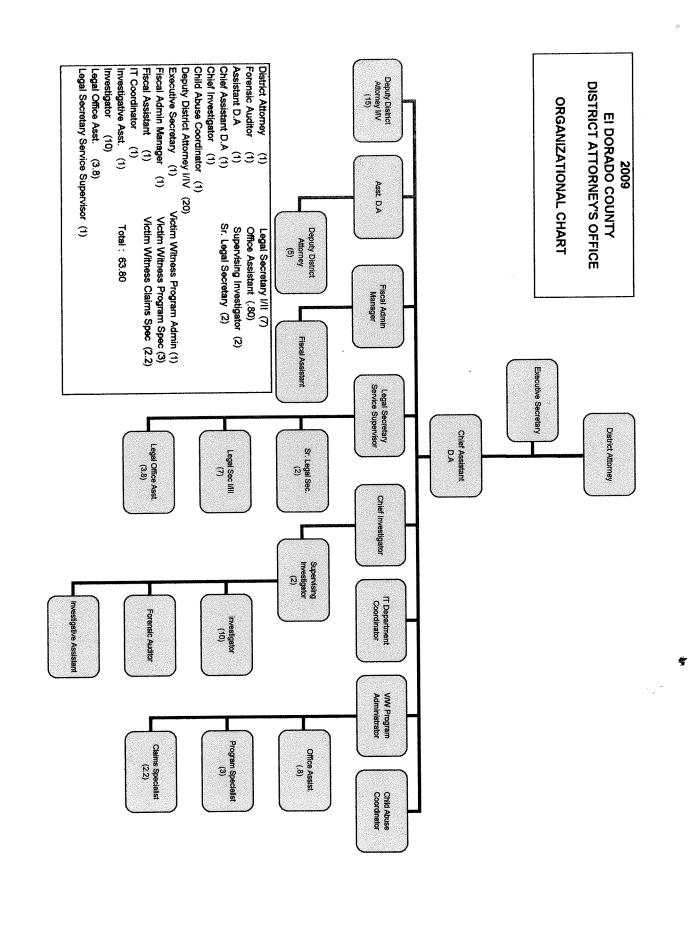
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Emergency Fund Procedures

Computer & Automated Systems Purchase Justification Guidelines

Operational Agreements (OA) Summary Form

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2.	Placerville Police Department	06/13/2007	7/1/2007	to	6/30/2010
3.	El Dorado County Sheriff's Department	06/12/2007	7/1/2007	to	6/30/2010
4.	South Lake Tahoe Women's Center	06/19/2007	7/1/2007	to	6/30/2010
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7. PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

The U.S. Census Bureau estimates the population at 175,689 as of 2007, with an annual growth rate at approximately 1.5% to 2%. The main Victim Witness office is located in Placerville at 550 Main Street, Suite H, Placerville, CA 95667. The branch office is located at 1360 Johnson Blvd. #105, South Lake Tahoe, CA 95667. Approximately 75% of the population resides in the rural areas of the county. The South Lake Tahoe area has a population of approximately 25,000. Given the distance between the two cities, and the inclement weather, government agencies are duplicated in each city.

8. PROBLEM STATEMENT

As funding sources have either remained stagnant or declined over the years, the advocate's hours have decreased. This has forced staff to prioritize victim services. Violent crimes are given immediate attention, while property crimes are handled on a referral basis. With the passage of Marcy's Law, the program has had to accommodate the new guidelines, including the immediate contact for in-custody arraignments everyday. Restitution demands have increased, as well as court advocacy. Without any additional funding sources, maintaining service levels will be difficult. Volunteers are difficult to retain for any length of time, as the majority of people who wish to volunteer are doing so for intern hours, which is typically a semester. So by the time the background check is complete, and training completed, there is only a couple of months left of actual volunteer time.

9. OBJECTIVES

The current grant objectives for the Victim Witness program is 1100 new victims and 50 witnesses. All mandatory services will be provided to victims of all types of crime. With the Stimulus funding, the program will hire an extra help advocate. Although this position will be part time, the advocate will assist with victim notification as required by Marcy's Law, follow-up on restitution cases, and provide outreach services to new and continuing victims. With the help of the part time advocate, the number of new victims should increase by approximately 300. As required by VOCA, The program will continue to recruit and maintain volunteers, who will be used to provide outreach services to new victims.

10. ACTIVITIES

Each day a log is generated which shows all new law enforcement reports referred to the District Attorney's office for filing. Advocates use this log to provide outreach to new victims. The victims are contacted via phone and/or mail. At that time, each case is evaluated to insure that the appropriate services are provided to the victims. Brochures explaining services offered by our program are provided to all victims. Victims of violent offenses are provided with the Victim Compensation Application. Restitution claim forms are sent out to all victims at the time of the criminal filing. The advocates or volunteers follow up with victims who have not returned their forms. This has increased the number of restitution orders at the time of sentencing, verses restitution to be determined orders. The offices utilizes the Damion computer system, which allows staff to monitor criminal cases, create new victim cases, maintain statistical data and generate reports. The extra help advocate will assist with the above activities.

11. EVALUATION (if applicable)

CalEMA provides monitoring and site visits to insure compliance. The program coordinator oversees the daily operation of the program, prepares all statistical reports, plans and implements all necessary changes for grant operations. The program coordinator reports to the District Attorney.

12. NUMBER OF CLIENTS

(if applicable)

300 New Victims, in addition to the 1100 new victims and 50 witnesses on the VW09280090

13. PROJECT BUDGET				
(these are the same amounts as on Budget Pages)	Personal Services	Operating Expenses	Equipment	TOTAL
	\$22,719	\$0	\$0	\$22,719
				\$0
				\$0
				\$0
				\$0
				\$0
Totals:	\$22,719	\$0	\$0	\$22,719

FEDERAL GRANTS FUNDING LOG

List all federal grant funds awarded to the applicant during the current year.	Include the fiscal
year of operation, funding agency and the amount of funding.	

If your agency receives no federal grant funds check this box:

FISCAL YEAR	FUNDING AGENCY	GRANT AMOUNT
2008/2009	Elder Abuse Advocacy- VOCA funding	\$76,500
2008/2009	Victim Witness Assistance- VOCA funding	\$70,679
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	Federal Grant Total:	\$147,179

OTHER FUNDING SOURCES

Complete this form to report the total funds available to support the activities related to accomplishing the goals and objectives of the Grant Award Agreement. In the "Grant Funds" column, report the CalEMA funds requested by category. In the "Other Funds" column, report all other funds available to support the project by category and then calculate the totals by category in the "Program Total" column. Total each column to arrive at the total program funds available.

OTHER FUNDING SOURCES (Enter numbers without \$ o		decimal points.)	
BUDGET CATEGORY	GRANT FUNDS (Use only the grant funds identified in the preceding budget pages.)	OTHER FUNDS	PROGRAM TOTAL
Personal Services	22,719	156,167	\$178,886
Operating Expenses	0	19,698	\$19,698
Equipment	0	0	\$0
TOTAL	\$22,719	\$175,865	\$198,584

This form does not become part of the grant award.

FISCAL YEAR	GRANT NUMBER	GRANT AMOUNT	PERSONNEL BY TITLE	% OF OES FUNDING
2004/2005	VB04020090	62,368.00		
2004/2005	DC04150090	238,158.00		000/
2004/2005	VW04230090	172,086.00	Advocate, SLT	60% 95%
			Coordinator	80%
			Advocate, PVL	80%
2004/2005	EA04060090	107,407.00	Advocate, SLT	40%
200712VVV			Coordinator	1%
000510000	VW0524090	172,086.00	Advocate, SLT	60%
2005/2006	VVVU324090	172,000.00	Coordinator	95%
			Advocate, PVL	60%
		407 407 00	Advocate, SLT	40%
2005/2006	EA05080090	107,407.00	Coordinator	1%
			Advocate, PVL	40%
		***	Advocate, FVL	1070
2005/2006	VB05030090	62,368.00		
2005/2006	DC05160090	211,194.00		
2000/2000	D			200/
2006/2007	VW062540090	175,865.00	Advocate, SLT	60%
			Coordinator	95% 80%
			Advocate, PVL	80%
2006/2007	EA06090090	112,500.00	Advocate, SLT	40%
2000/2001			Coordinator	1%
			Advocate, PVL	100%
2006/2007	VB06040090	146,981.00	Deputy District Attorney	100%
2000/2007	V D000-0000		Investigator	51%
		470.000.00	A Lucata CIT	60%
2007/2008	VW07260090	172,086.00	Advocate, SLT Coordinator	95%
			Advocate, PVL	60%
2007/2008	EA07100090	90,000.00	Advocate, SLT	40%
			Coordinator	1%
			Advocate, PVL	70%
			Advocate, PVL	20%
2007/2000	VB07050090	146,981.00	Deputy District Attorney	100%
2007/2008	AP01020090	140,001.00	Investigator	51%
				600
2008/2009	VW08270090	159,613.00		60%
			Coordinator Advocate, PVL	80%
			Advocate, FVL	
	V/D00000000	107,037.00	Deputy District Attorney	25%
2008/2009	VB08060090	101,031.00	Investigator	57%
			(base salary funding only)	
				40%
2008/2009	EA08110090	76,500.00	Advocate, SLT Coordinator	19
			Advocate, PVL	48%
			Advocate, PVL Advocate, PVL	20%

PROJECT SERVICE AREA INFORMATION

1.	COUNTY OR COUNTIES SERVED: Enter the name(s) of the county or counties served by the project. Put an asterisk where the project's principal office is located.
	*County of El Dorado. The principle office is located in Placerville.
2.	U.S. CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT(S): Enter the number(s) of the U.S. Congressional District(s) which the project serves. Put an asterisk for the district where the project's principal office is located.
	* 4th Congressional District
3.	STATE ASSEMBLY DISTRICT(S): Enter the number(s) of the State Assembly District(s) which the project serves. Put an asterisk for the district where the project's principal office is located. *4th State Assembly District
	 STATE SENATE DISTRICT(S): Enter the number(s) of the State Senate District(s) that the project serves. Put an asterisk for the district where the project's principal office is located. 1st State Senate District
	 POPULATION OF SERVICE AREA: Enter the total population of the area served by the project. Per the U.S. Census Bureau the estimated population as of 2007 was 175,689.

OFFICE OF EMERGENCY SERVICES

VICTIM WITNESS PROGRAM

MULTIPLE FIELD OFFICES

Office Locations:

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smeyer@co.el-dorado.ca.us

After Hours Emergency Number: (530) 416-1233

Branch Office:

1360 Johnson Blvd. Suite #105 South Lake Tahoe, CA 96150 (530) 573-3100

Supervisor: Susan Meyer smeyer@co.el-dorado.ca.us

After Hours Emergency Number: (530) 416-1233

Positions:

(1 FTE) Coordinator (Placerville and Tahoe)

One (.8 FTE) Victim Witness Advocate / (.20 FTE) Elder Abuse Advocate (Placerville)

One (.8 FTE) Elder Abuse Advocate / (.2 FTE) Elder Abuse - DA Funded (Placerville)

One (.6 FTE) Victim Witness Advocate / (.4 FTE) Elder Abuse Advocate (Tahoe)

Two (.8 FTE) Claim Specialists (Placerville)

One (.8 FTE) Office Assistant (Claims Unit) (Placerville)

- The coordinator's time is split between both offices.
- The Tahoe advocate's time is split between Victim Witness and Elder Abuse
- The (.8) advocate in Placerville, also has (.20) in Elder Abuse
- The Elder Abuse Advocate in Placerville is (8 FTE grant funded) and (.2 FTE) from the District Attorney's criminal budget. The (.2 FTE) is used towards our match requirement