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Supervisor Gorell:

Thank you for ensuring that Agenda Item 73 - Funding for the Conejo Community Outreach Diaper Bank- is covered at the upcoming meeting of the Board of Supervisors. Conejo Community Outreach (CCO) is a non-profit, wholly volunteer-run, organization. It is truly an asset of, and to, our community. It is essential that funding for its Diaper Bank be continued. CCO funds support resources for families throughout the County along with providing diapers to approximately 350 children each month. In the last 3 years, COO has provided more than 1 Million diapers to the smallest, youngest and most vulnerable in our community.

It is critical that our community have organizations like CCO and that such organizations are funded and have the needed resources to serve the most vulnerable in our community. CCO has supported many in need in our County, working with groups including Safe Passage Youth Foundation, Amigo Baby, Casa, Interface, First Five, family referrals from County school districts, Friends of Fieldworkers and more.

This is an opportunity for the County to show its humanity for the smallest, youngest and most vulnerable.

Thank you for having Item 73 - Funding for Conejo Community Outreach Diaper Bank-on the agenda for the Board's discussion.

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