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STATE CONTROLLER KATHLEEN CONNELL ISSUES \$18.5 MILLION TO LOCAL LAW ENFORCEMENT

SACRAMENTO, December 5, 2002 — State Controller Kathleen Connell issued payments today to 37 small and rural counties under the Local Assistance for Rural and Small County Law Enforcement Program.

The program, which is now in its second year, distributes \$18.5 million annually in grants of \$500,000 paid to the designated sheriffs' departments.

"California's smaller counties can use these funds at their discretion to enhance services," said Connell. "These grants allow each county to spend the money in a manner that best meets the needs of the local community."

The counties receiving the funds are:

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| (1) Alpine County | (20) Modoc County |
| (2) Amador County | (21) Mono County |
| (3) Butte County | (22) Napa County |
| (4) Calaveras County | (23) Nevada County |
| (5) Colusa County | (24) Placer County |
| (6) Del Norte County | (25) Plumas County |
| (7) El Dorado County | (26) San Benito County |
| (8) Glenn County | (27) San Luis Obispo County |
| (9) Humboldt County | (28) Santa Cruz County |
| (10) Imperial County | (29) Shasta County |
| (11) Inyo County | (30) Sierra County |
| (12) Kings County | (31) Siskiyou County |
| (13) Lake County | (32) Sutter County |
| (14) Lassen County | (33) Tehama County |
| (15) Madera County | (34) Trinity County |
| (16) Marin County | (35) Tuolumne County |
| (17) Mariposa County | (36) Yolo County |
| (18) Mendocino County | (37) Yuba County |
| (19) Merced County | |

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