

# NEWS

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## **Biane Secures Funds to Buy Thanksgiving Turkeys for Nonprofits**

**SAN BERNARDINO** – On Tuesday, the Board of Supervisors approved Second District Supervisor Paul Biane’s request for \$5,000 to purchase turkeys for nonprofit groups that will provide free meals to needy residents on Thanksgiving.

“A lot of families are hurting financially because of the recession and may not have the means to afford a big Thanksgiving meal this year, but they do have the option of attending one of the many community Thanksgiving dinners that are hosted by churches and other nonprofit groups,” Biane said.

Biane requested \$5,000 from the Board of Supervisors’ priority policy needs budget to purchase turkeys for Second District nonprofit and faith-based groups that will be providing free Thanksgiving dinners this year.

Second District groups that will receive turkeys include the Old Timers Foundation, the San Bernardino County Food Bank (serving at the Dorothy Grant Community Center in Fontana), the Crestline Family Services Agency, Ephesians New Testament Church in Fontana, Our Lady of Mount Carmel Church in Rancho Cucamonga, and Pacific Lifeline in Upland. Other groups may be added depending on costs.

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