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Date: 10/3/11

To: Board of Supervisors

From: Darlene J. Bloom, Clerk of the Board

SUBJECT: County Lobbyist Reporting Now Available

Effective today, two methods of reviewing County Lobbyist Registration information is available to the public on the Clerk of the Board's website at: http://bos.ocgov.com/lobby r/.

Quarterly Reports

On the first work day following the end of the quarter, a report will be posted to the webpage. It provides an alphabetical listing of all registered Orange County lobbyists followed by copies of their individual lobbyist registration statements as of the end of the quarter. The most current report will be available for viewing from the webpage and the Clerk of the Board will archive old reports.

Lobbyist Search

Also provided on the website is a table that can be searched by lobbyist name. Attached to each lobbyist listing is a link to open a pdf of their current lobbyist registration statement. This table provides real-time information so it can be used to obtain updated information between quarterly reports. The table is also sortable by any of the data elements (name, address, city or zip code). As an example, you could sort by city and see how many registered lobbyists are from each city.

A link to the Lobbyist Registration Portal has been added to the County's main webpage (www.ocgov.com) to make it easy for lobbyists to register and for the public to locate the Quarterly Lobbyist Report and searchable table. If you have any questions please contact Susan Novak or Jamie Ross at 834-2206.

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