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Supervisor Rubio Hosts Groundbreakings for Lamont and Arvin Pools

Kern County Supervisor Michael Rubio is excited to announce that he will hold official groundbreakings for two public pools in Lamont and Arvin slated for construction this summer.

Since taking office in January 2005, Supervisor Rubio has worked closely with residents in both Lamont and Arvin, as well as various government and private entities, to identify and secure funding for these pools. In cooperation with the Bear Mountain Recreation and Park District and the City of Arvin, the Supervisor accumulated over \$2,000,000 in funds to pay for the top-to-bottom reconstruction of these pools.

Both pools will be 40' by 75' in size and the projects will also include much needed pool house renovations. Construction is expected to last through the majority of the summer and, if all remains on schedule, the pools should open toward the latter end of the summer. The contracts to build the pools have been awarded to JTS Construction and California Commercial Pools.

“In talking to residents in both Lamont and Arvin, I have consistently promised my constituents that I will work hard to bring them safe and enjoyable water recreation for their children,” Rubio said. “These two pool groundbreakings signify my keeping this promise. Any alternative to keeping kids off the streets and away from gangs is money very well spent!”

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WHAT: Arvin Pool Groundbreaking
WHEN: Thursday, June 28, 2007 at 10 AM
WHERE: DiGiorgio Park (corner of S. Hill Street and Haven Drive)

WHAT: Lamont Pool Groundbreaking
WHEN: Thursday, June 28, 2007 at 11 AM
WHERE: Lamont Park (corner of Myrtle Avenue and Palm Avenue)