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**PRESS RELEASE**

**For Immediate Release**

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Re: Victims' Rights Week Event

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Modesto, California - Stanislaus County District Attorney Birgit Fladager announced today that on Saturday, April 16<sup>st</sup> from 10:00 am to 12:00 pm, the District Attorney's Office Victim Services Program and the Stanislaus Family Justice Center will be hosting a celebration of National Crime Victims' Rights Week in recognition of all victims of crime. The event will begin at 10:00 am with a march from the Courthouse lawn located at 1100 I Street to the Stanislaus Family Justice Center at 1625 I Street. Those wishing to participate in the march will assemble at 9:45 am on the courthouse lawn. The event will feature guest speaker Sandy Ranzo-Howell whose brother and sister-in-law were murdered in 1979 during a home invasion robbery. A complimentary hot dog lunch will be served after the march. Informational tables hosted by several county agencies and community groups will provide handouts and information on services available to our community. The Beyer High Marching Band will participate in the march. The public is welcome to attend. Please join us!