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PRESS RELEASE

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Re: Victims' Rights Rally and
Family Safety Fair

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Stanislaus County District Attorney's Office Victim Services Unit and Stanislaus Family Justice Center Commemorate National Crime Victims' Rights Week, April 8-14, 2018

Modesto, California - In commemoration of National Crime Victims' Rights Week (NCVRW), the Stanislaus County District Attorney's Office Victim Services Unit and the Stanislaus Family Justice Center (SFJC), are hosting a Victims' Rights Rally & Family Safety Fair on Saturday, April 14, 2018 from 11 A.M. to 1:30 P.M. on the Courthouse Lawn in Downtown Modesto (1101 I Street). The event will raise awareness about crime victims' issues and rights and introduce the community to the important resources and services available. Brief presentations will be made by District Attorney Birgit Fladager, SFJC Executive Director Carol Shipley, Victim Services Program Coordinator Cheryl Titus and Roberta Fitzpatrick, family member of homicide victim Alycia Mesiti. Special music will be provided by Ruthanne Castro, followed by a Balloon Release Ceremony. Lunch will be provided to all who attend.

Victim rights awareness, crime prevention education and family safety will be the focus of the event, with a wide variety of local resources and fun activities available for families in the community. Everyone is welcome and encouraged to attend.

For more information, contact the Victim Services Program at 209-525-5541.

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