

The 14th annual “All for the Love of Kids,” hosted by Supervisor Michael D. Antonovich (Fifth District) and the Los Angeles County Department of Children and Family Services (DCFS), was held at the Los Angeles County Arboretum and Botanical Garden on August 6, 2009. The event benefited the Family and Children’s Services Trust Fund (Trust Fund), which is committed to providing financial assistance, in cases where government and community funding sources are not available, to supply goods and services for abused and neglected children. The Trust Fund is supported solely by private donations.

ABC Channel 7 reporter, Lisa Hernandez, was the entertaining mistress of ceremonies. Among the festivities were moving speeches and amazing musical performances by foster parents and children, a stunning performance by a gospel acappella group, and even a magician stage show. In addition, Supervisor Antonovich and DCFS presented Los Angeles County scrolls to individuals who have made contributions to improving the lives of the children and families of Los Angeles County. The guests were served a delicious buffet while silent and live auctions were conducted throughout the evening.