

# Board of Supervisors fails to help battered women and children!

## County supervisors deny help to struggling women's shelter

At today's board of supervisor's meeting, Orange County's sole shelter for battered women - the Women's Transitional Living Center - told supervisors they were days away from closing their doors.

The answer?

Come back in two weeks and we'll see.

Rocio Watson, executive director for the shelter, told supervisors the shelter's woes began with the delay in approving the state budget and that the shelter had already lost more than \$300,000 in funding cuts.

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A visibly frustrated County Supervisor Chris Norby said he tried to get the shelter on the agenda Tuesday but was denied by Supervisors' Chairman John Moorlach.

— *The facts, from The Register's political blog . . . (September 23, 2008)*

## OCEA members step up to the plate with Senator Lou Correa for a FUNDRAISER!

The Women's Transitional Living Center is the only shelter in Orange County for battered women. [The shelter is in desperate need of short-term financial help!](#)

Join us at a fundraiser for the shelter! Donate cash or bring a check made out to "Women's Transitional Living Center" (any amount you can afford is appreciated). When you donate at OCEA's Hot Dog Day this coming Monday, you'll receive a hot dog, chips, and a soft drink. It's WIN-WIN all the way! Help women in need, and have fun doing it!

Bring your donations (cash or check made out to "Women's Transitional Living Center") to our Hot Dog Day:



**Where: OCEA (830 N. Ross St., Santa Ana)**  
**Date: Monday, Sept. 29, 2008**  
**Time: 11:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.**

Join us at a fundraiser for the shelter! Donate cash, or bring a check made out to "Women's Transitional Living Center."

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