



2024 San Joaquin Area Flood Control Agency Travel To Washington D.C.

Item 5.4 –City Council Regular Meeting February 12, 2024

Background

- Each year, representatives of the San Joaquin Area Flood Control Agency (SJAFCOA) Board of Directors travel to Washington, D.C., to meet with federal representatives and policymakers in Congress to discuss SJAFCOA's priority projects.
- Lathrop has participated in these advocacy trips since joining SJAFCOA as a voting member in 2018.
- This travel promotes regional projects and the City of Lathrop's future development, specifically as it relates to the Mossdale Tract.

Background (cont.)

- Travel is scheduled from April 9– April 11, 2024.
- City policy requires Council approval for all out of state travel
- Depending on the option selected a budget amendment may be required to cover the costs of the travel.
- Current Members to the SJAFCA Board of Directors: Akinjo (Delegate), Lazard (Alternate 1), and Torres-O'Callaghan (Alternate 2)

Council to Select & Approve Preferred Option

OPTIONS		TOTAL COST	BUDGET AMENDMENT
1.	Send 2 Council Members & City Manager	Approx. \$13,800	Approx. \$9,200
2.	Send 1 Council Member & City Manager	Approx. \$9,200	Approx. \$4,600
3.	Send 1 Council Member only	Approx. \$4,600	Approx. \$4,600
4.	Send City Manager only	Approx. \$4,600	None
5.	Do not send representatives	None	None

In order to prevent a quorum from doing City business during the trip, it is recommended that attendees be limited to two members of the Council, one of whom may include the Mayor.