

STAFF REPORT

SUBJECT: SJCOG Board Appointment to San Joaquin Valley
Regional Policy Council

RECOMMENDED ACTION: Motion to Appoint Board Member Singh as the
Alternate to the San Joaquin Regional Policy
Council from San Joaquin County

DISCUSSION:

The San Joaquin Regional Policy Council consists of two members from each of the eight regional councils of governments in the San Joaquin Valley. The purpose of the council is to coordinate issues of joint concern between the eight regional agencies in the Valley. Presently, Supervisor Winn and Vice Mayor Wright represent SJCOG. The alternate position has been vacant since former Mayor DeBrum of Manteca left the SJCOG Board. Board member Singh of Manteca has agreed to serve as the alternate.

The Policy Council meets three to four times a year and the highlight of their efforts is the Valley Voice trip to Washington DC in September. But in addition, this year we will be appointing a Valley council with three members from each county to sit on a board to allocate new housing dollars made available as a result of SB 101, the housing trailer bill. The regional agencies are looking to combine as much as possible the membership of the Policy Council to carry out this new function. This is a factor in moving to fill the alternate position.