



STAFF REPORT

MEETING DATE: February 8, 2023

PRESENTER: John Jansons, City Manager

SUBJECT: Presentation of Government Finance Officers Association: Distinguished Budget Presentation Award (JAJ)

RECOMMENDATION: Council receive a presentation of the Government Finance Officers Association, Distinguished Budget Presentation Award as bestowed to the City of Kerman Finance Department in December 2022.

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY: Each year, the Government Finance Officers Association (GFOA) considers cities, counties and provinces for recognition in their annual awards program. For 2022, the City of Kerman Finance Department has been awarded the GFOA “Distinguished Budget Presentation Award.

The GFOA is a professional organization that advances excellence in government finance by providing best practices, professional development, resource and practical research for more than 22,500 members and the communities they serve.

DISCUSSION: The City of Kerman Finance Department has participated and received awards in this program for several years. This year, there were over 1700 participants in the GFOA Budget Awards program, and Kerman was one of 60 cities among California’s 482 cities to receive this prestigious award.

The Kerman Finance Department is led by Josefina Alvarez and the annual budget document reflects the hard work and dedication of every member of the Finance Department as well and Kerman Department Directors who provide inputs and insight into the annual budget process and budget development.

Kerman employs a community-based budget approach which puts the needs of the community first and allocates available resources to provide the highest quality service to maintain Kerman’s security, health and high quality of life.

FISCAL IMPACT:

None.

ATTACHMENTS:

A. GFOA Award Announcement/Certificate