

STAFF REPORT

Board Meeting of February 19, 2025

AGENDA ITEM: 5-D

PREPARED BY: Sandy Ebersole, Administrative Analyst

SUBJECT:

2025 San Joaquin Valley Regional Policy Conference

Enclosure: No

Action: Information and Discussion Only

SUMMARY:

Save the date for the annual <u>San Joaquin Valley Regional Policy Conference</u>. This year's conference is being held in Merced April 9, 2025 – April 11, 2025. This event will open in the heart of Merced's downtown district at the newly renovated El Capitan hotel with a lively networking reception. The conference center at UC Merced will host the conference and Blueprint Awards on the second day and feature tours of local housing developments, a few transportation infrastructure projects, and the UC Merced campus. Attendees will gather at the historic Merced Theatre on the closing day where dynamic sessions will engage them on the latest policy and political updates regarding transportation planning at the regional, state, and federal level.

FISCAL IMPACT:

No fiscal impact to the approved 2024-25 Overall Work Program and Budget.