CITY COUNCIL AGENDA ITEM & RECOMMENDATION SUMMARY

MEETING DATE: November 12, 2024

PRESENTED BY: Anna Carrillo, City Secretary

AGENDA ITEM: Approval of Resolution # _____ Establishing the City's Legislative Priorities for 2025 – Carrillo

NATURE OF REQUEST:

Identify and secure sustainable water sources in collaboration with state and local agencies to safeguard long-term water access.

Seek funding for water infrastructure ensuring that it meets current and future needs of the community.

Preserve local water rights, advocating for policies that prevent external acquisition and ensure that water rights remain under local jurisdiction.

Seek funding for transportation infrastructure to support regional connectivity.

Support legislative action to move the City of Mission municipal elections from May to November, as supported by the voters through a referendum, to lessen the cost to taxpayers, enhance voter convenience by decreasing the frequency of elections, reducing potential voter fatigue, and encouraging broader public input in local government; the consolidation of election dates can increase voter turnout by aligning local elections with higher-profile state and federal elections held in November, thereby fostering greater civic engagement. The reduction of costs

Support legislation that mandates right-of-way permitting for fiber installation projects, thus allowing the city to coordinate and manage infrastructure in a way that protects both public resources and residents' interests.

Support property tax relief for homeowners and businesses.

STAFF RECOMMENDATION:

Approval

Departmental Approval: N/A

Advisory Board Recommendation: N/A

City Manager's Recommendation: Approval *MRP*

RECORD OF VOTE:

APPROVED: _____

DISAPPROVED: _____

TABLED: _____

_____ AYES

_____ NAYS

_____ DISSENTING_____