

CITY OF ORLAND STAFF REPORT MEETING DATE: December 3, 2024

TO: Honorable Mayor and City Councilmembers

FROM: Pete Carr, City Manager

SUBJECT: Letter of Interest in Co-funding an Assessment Study to Determine the

Feasibility of the City Joining Pioneer JPA (Action)

BACKGROUND:

Background and analysis was provided in the November 19, 2024 agenda packet and discussed at the meeting – please refer to the agenda and minutes for that meeting.

ANALYSIS:

The City is being offered an opportunity to co-fund -- with Pioneer, Willows and Glenn County – a feasibility study to determine the benefits of Orland moving forward to join the Pioneer community Energy CCA. The cost is \$5000. A letter of interest for this purpose is prepared to express intent to the Pioneer Board. Time is of the essence to get this to the Pioneer Board for consideration at its December meeting.

Attachments (2):

- 1. Draft Letter of Interest to Pioneer Community Energy CCA
- 2. Slide deck from the November 19 presentation

RECOMMENDATION:

Approve Orland moving forward with a Letter of Interest to co-fund a feasibility study for the prospect of Orland becoming a member of Pioneer Energy CCA, and authorize the City Manager to execute the letter.

FISCAL IMPACT OF RECOMMENDATION:

\$5,000 General Fund.