



# City of Jurupa Valley

## Staff Report

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DATE: FEBRUARY 5, 2026  
TO: HONORABLE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL  
FROM: ROD BUTLER, CITY MANAGER  
BY: MARIA MORRIS, CITY CLERK  
SUBJECT: AGENDA ITEM NO. F

**APPOINTMENT OF CITY DELEGATE FOR THE 2026 SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA ASSOCIATION OF GOVERNMENTS (SCAG) ANNUAL REGIONAL CONFERENCE AND GENERAL ASSEMBLY**

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### RECOMMENDATION

That the City Council select a Delegate and Alternate for the SCAG General Assembly meeting on Thursday, May 7 - Friday, May 8, 2026 at the JW Marriott Desert Springs Resort in Palm Desert, California.

### BACKGROUND

The Southern California Association of Governments, founded in 1965, is a Joint Powers Authority under California state law, established as an association of local governments and agencies that voluntarily convene as a forum to address regional issues. Under federal law, SCAG is designated as a Metropolitan Planning Organization and under state law as a Regional Transportation Planning Agency and a Council of Governments. SCAG develops long-range regional transportation plans as well as housing needs allocations and a portion of the South Coast Air Quality management plans.

SCAG is governed by delegates from every member city, county, and County Transportation Commission (CTC) through the General Assembly, which annually brings together the official representatives of SCAG's membership and helps set the agency's course for the coming year.

### ANALYSIS

In their capacity as an Assembly Delegate, the appointee will have the opportunity to consider and vote on policy matters presented at the General Assembly in the form of a Resolution and proposed revisions to the SCAG Bylaws. Both the Delegate and Alternate can attend, but only the Delegate can vote. If the delegate is not present, the Alternate may vote in the Delegate's absence.

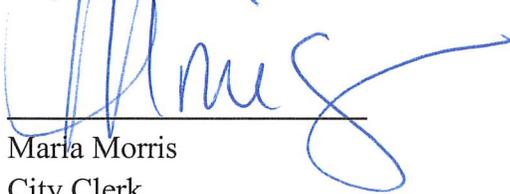
FINANCIAL IMPACT

SCAG pays for one hotel night and registration for the Assembly Delegate representing the City. While SCAG only provides the hotel for the Delegate, SCAG waives the registration fee for Councilmembers and the City Manager.

ALTERNATIVES

Not select a Delegate or Alternate to attend the 2026 SCAG General Assembly.

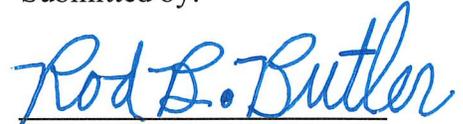
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Maria Morris  
City Clerk

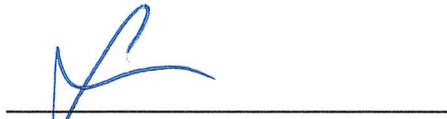
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Rod B. Butler  
City Manager

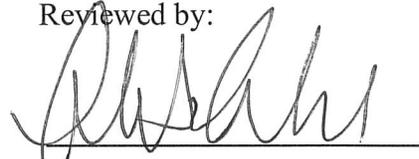
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Susan Paragas  
Director of Finance

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Assistant City Manager

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Peter M. Thorson  
City Attorney

ATTACHMENT

1. Email from Jonna Hart, Southern California Association of Governments



## Maria Morris

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**From:** Jonna Hart <hart@scag.ca.gov>  
**Sent:** Thursday, January 8, 2026 4:20 PM  
**To:** Maria Morris  
**Subject:** SCAG: Request for Delegate/Alternate Information for the Annual General Assembly on May 7, 2026

Dear City, County and Commission Clerks,

**PLEASE DISREGARD IF YOU HAVE ALREADY SUBMITTED YOUR DELEGATE/ALTERNATE REPRESENTATIVE.**

In anticipation of the Annual Regional Conference & General Assembly on May 7, 2026, the Southern California Association of Governments (SCAG) is working to confirm the Delegate and Alternate Representatives from your city/county/commission in the SCAG region, as well as to determine if there are any policy proposals for review.

### **SCAG's 2026 Regional Conference & General Assembly**

**Date:** Thursday, May 7, 2026 – Friday, May 8, 2026

**Time:** TBD

**Location:** JW Marriott Desert Springs Resort & Spa, 74-885 County Club Drive, Palm Desert, CA 92260

If your city council, county, or commission has already appointed Delegate and Alternative Representatives to SCAG's General Assembly, please reply to [hart@scag.ca.gov](mailto:hart@scag.ca.gov) with their names as soon as possible. As a reminder, if there is a member from your city council, county, or commission serving as the Regional Councilmember for SCAG, that person will be the Delegate Representative.

If your city council, county, or commission has not yet made these appointments, please do so as soon as possible. Upon city council, county or commission action, please email a copy of your minutes or action regarding the appointment of the Delegate and Alternate Representatives to [hart@scag.ca.gov](mailto:hart@scag.ca.gov).

**Please do not submit Form 700's at this time. We will contact your Delegate/Alternate after the adjournment of the General Assembly regarding their filing requirements.**

Also, each city, county, or commission delegate to SCAG's General Assembly will also have an opportunity to bring any policy matter, in the form of a proposed resolution or proposed SCAG bylaw revision, before the General Assembly for determination. **The deadline to submit proposed resolutions and/or SCAG bylaw revisions is 5:00 p.m., Friday, February 6, 2026.** All proposed resolutions and/or bylaw revisions will be reviewed by SCAG's Bylaws and Resolutions Committee and the Regional Council before being considered at the General Assembly business meeting.

Thank you for your attention and cooperation!

Best,



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