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Board Supports Local Businesses in Fight Against Retail Theft

CHAIRMAN MIGUEL VILLAPUDUA, DISTRICT ONE

The San Joaquin County Board of Supervisors recently partnered with the Greater Stockton Chamber of Commerce to help local businesses fight against retail theft rings, by giving our residents and shoppers an additional tool to report crimes when they happen.

You can learn more about the STAART App and download it to your phone (Apple or Android) at the website below. We know that it takes a community approach to stop a community problem, and we appreciate your effort to help support our local businesses by reporting crime when you see it! The Board has also approved grants for small businesses to assist in the purchase of security equipment.

Learn more at: www.fastSTAART.com



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News of Note

- [Board Proclaims "Sikh American Awareness and Appreciation Month" in San Joaquin County](#)
- [Board Proclaims "Breast Cancer Awareness Month"](#)
- [Board of Supervisors Recognizes Local Veterans](#)
- [Stockton Metropolitan Airport to Add New Weekly Flights to Denver](#)
- [Statement on San Joaquin County's Intentions for the Purchase of the Oakmoore Golf Course](#)

ShopSJ App

Save money while you support local businesses as you shop this holiday season. The ShopSJ app allows residents to earn up to \$200, which can be spent locally at participating businesses.

The Board of Supervisors is proud to support EEDD's creative initiatives that strengthen small businesses in our community. Small businesses are the backbone of our community and represent the entrepreneurial spirit of the Valley. Economic development is one of the Board's strategic priorities and we look forward to the positive impact Shop San Joaquin will have on small businesses and residents alike.

Read more here: [Shop San Joaquin App](#)

Diversity Lunch

Thanks to the men and women of San Joaquin County, who work hard on behalf of our residents every day. We took a moment last month to recognize the diversity of our workforce. We know that having a variety of backgrounds, races, ethnicities and languages makes us stronger and better able to assist our residents.





Annual Report

The San Joaquin County Administrator's Office has issued the 2023-2024 Annual Report. This report reflects the collective efforts of our dedicated public servants, community partners, and residents who work to ensure San Joaquin County continues to prosper. We have made significant progress implementing the Board's six strategic priorities.

As you review the 2023-2024 highlights, you will see the tangible impact of our strategic initiatives on the lives of residents who call San Joaquin County home. We are proud of the collaborative spirit that has defined our work and look forward to building on these successes. Thank you for your continued trust and partnership as we strive to make San Joaquin County an even better place to live, work, and play.





Honoring our Veterans

At its meeting on Tuesday, November 12, 2024, the Board of Supervisors took time to recognize veterans from across the County, including one veteran chosen from each district for Board recognition.

Those veterans include:

District 1: Edwin Rainey, Sergeant First Class, U.S. Army

District 2: Jose Vivcarra, Master Sergeant, US Marine Corps

District 3: Joe Contreras, Karl Ross Sgt-At-Arms/2nd Vice Commander

District 4: Jose Jauregue, Specialist 1st Class, United States Army

District 5: Darrell Voortman of Escalon, Specialist 4, U.S. Army

The County’s Veterans Services Office gave an informative presentation on the history and order of precedence of various military awards and presented information on how their office can assist veterans and their families in learning more about the medals and awards that they earned during their service.

The freedoms that we enjoy every day are not free. They were paid for by the men and women who have served in our nation’s armed services throughout history. We owe them a debt of gratitude and in the words of President Lincoln, “that we here highly resolve...that this nation, under God, shall have a new birth of freedom—and that government of the people, by the people, for the people, shall not perish from the earth.”



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