GOVERNMENT FINANCE OFFICERS ASSOCIATION

Distinguished Budget Presentation Award

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County of San Luis Obispo

California

For the Fiscal Year Beginning

July 1, 2014

Executive Director

The Government Finance Officers Association of the United States and Canada (GFOA) presented a Distinguished Budget Presentation Award to the County of San Luis Obispo, California for its annual budget for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2014. In order to receive this award, a governmental unit must publish a budget document that meets program criteria as a policy document, as an operations guide, as a financial plan, and as a communications device.

This award is valid for a period of one year only. We believe our current budget continues to conform to program requirements, and we are submitting it to GFOA to determine its eligibility for another award.

County Officers

Board of Supervisors

First District.....Frank Mecham
Second District .....Bruce Gibson
Third District .....Adam Hill
Fourth District .....Lynn Compton
Fifth District.....Debbie Arnold

County Administrative Officer- Dan Buckshi

Department Heads

Agricultural Commissioner/Sealer of Weights & Measures.....Marty Settevendemie
Airports Director.....Kevin Bumen
Auditor-Controller/Treasurer/Tax Collector/Public Administrator .....James P. Erb
Chief Probation Officer .....Jim Salio
Child Support Services Director.....Julie Paik
Clerk-Recorder .....Tommy Gong
County Assessor .....Tom Bordonaro
County Counsel .....Rita L. Neal
County Fire Chief.....Robert Lewin
District Attorney .....Dan Dow
Farm Advisor .....Mary Bianchi
General Services Director .....Vacant
Health Agency Director.....Jeff Hamm
Human Resources Director .....Tami Douglas-Schatz
Information Technology Director.....Daniel Milei
Library Director .....Chris Barnickel
Parks and Recreation Director.....Nick Franco
Planning and Building Director .....James Bergman
Public Works Director .....Wade Horton
Sheriff-Coroner .....Ian Parkinson
Social Services Director.....Lee Collins
Veterans Service Officer.....Vacant

Vision Statement and Communitywide Results

A Safe Community – The County will strive to create a community where all people – adults and children alike – have a sense of security and well being, crime is controlled, fire and rescue response is timely and roads are safe.

A Healthy Community – The County will strive to ensure all people in our community enjoy healthy, successful and productive lives, and have access to the basic necessities.

A Livable Community – The County will strive to keep our community a good place to live by carefully managing growth, protecting our natural resources, promoting life long learning, and creating an environment that encourages respect for all people.

A Prosperous Community – The County will strive to keep our economy strong and viable and assure that all share in this economic prosperity.

A Well Governed Community – The County will provide high quality "results oriented" services that are responsive to community desires.

County Organizational Values

The employees and elected officials of San Luis Obispo County are guided by our organizational values. Our decisions and actions demonstrate these values. Putting our values into practice creates long-term benefits for stakeholders, customers, employees, communities and the public we serve.

Integrity

We are dedicated to high ethical and moral standards and uncompromising honesty in our dealings with the public and each other.

We behave in a consistent manner with open, truthful communication, respecting commitments and being true to our word.

Collaboration

We celebrate teamwork by relying on the participation and initiative of every employee.

We work cooperatively within and between departments and the public to address issues and achieve results.

Professionalism

We are each personally accountable for the performance of our jobs in a manner which bestows credibility upon ourselves and our community.

We consistently treat customers, each other, the County, and the resources entrusted to us with respect and honesty.

Accountability

We assume personal responsibility for our conduct and actions and follow through on our commitments.

We are responsible managers of available fiscal and natural resources.

Responsiveness

We provide timely, accurate and complete information to each other and those we serve.

We solicit feedback from customers on improving programs and services as part of a continuous improvement process.