

# District 3 News

Covering Lathrop, Manteca, Stockton,  
French Camp, and More



**SAN JOAQUIN**  
COUNTY

Vice-Chair Sonny Dhaliwal

As your District 3 Supervisor, it's an honor to share updates on the work we've been doing to serve our community. From infrastructure and public safety to supporting our veterans and advancing economic opportunity, I remain committed to delivering results for the people of San Joaquin County.

Thank you for the opportunity to serve. I'm excited about what we're accomplishing together and look forward to continuing to fight for the future of District 3 and all of San Joaquin County.

## Countywide Updates

### Passing a Balanced, Responsible County Budget

I'm proud to have voted in favor of a balanced county budget that reflects the priorities and voices of our communities. Over the past seven months, I've met with departments across the county and listened to our constituents. This budget responds to those conversations—providing increased support for our unhoused neighbors through a low-barrier shelter, enhancing Community Development to reduce permit delays, and expanding District Attorney services in South County. And we've done all this while maintaining fiscal responsibility and preparing for potential State or Federal funding shifts. A budget reflects our values, and this one makes it clear: we are investing in people, safety, and long-term sustainability.

### Investing in Mental Health – The BeWell Campus

Among the most meaningful investments in this year's budget is the BeWell Campus—an initiative to expand access to mental health and addiction treatment services across our county. This project will reduce the strain on local hospitals while ensuring residents receive the compassionate care they deserve. I look forward to keeping you updated as we move this critical resource forward.



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# Around Town: Community Events and More



Sup. Dhaliwal with CAO Regalo, Sheriff Withrow, and County Superintendent Brown



Sup. Dhaliwal speaking at the Manteca GRC meeting, with City and Community Leaders



Sup. Dhaliwal with Stockton Fire Department at Nelson Park for National Night Out



Sup. Dhaliwal presenting Marissa Carcamo with a recognition for a wonderful act of kindness

At the Delta Protection Commission, Sup. Dhaliwal speaks out against the dangerous Tunnel Program



Sup. Dhaliwal attending the County 175<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration in Manteca





# Community Updates

## Honoring Our Veterans:

### American Legion Hall 249 Grand Opening

It was a true honor to attend the grand reopening of the newly renovated American Legion Hall 249. Our veterans have given so much in service to this nation, and it is only right that we ensure they have a safe, welcoming, and ADA-accessible space to gather and support one another. When I took office, I was immediately made aware of funding issues that had recently arisen. Thanks to strong collaboration and swift action, we were able to deliver funding that honored their service and met their needs.



## Waste Collection Disruption:

### Holding Republic Accountable

Like many of you, I was frustrated by the recent waste collection disruptions caused by the Republic Services strike. While I respect and commend Teamsters Local 439 for standing up for fair wages and treatment, I am concerned about the lack of communication from Republic to the County and its customers. I'm actively working with Public Works to ensure Republic reimburses the County for the voucher program and provides compensation—either directly or in the form of a bill credit—to impacted residents.

On a positive note, for those in Refuge Area C—including French Camp and much of Eastern San Joaquin County—we have secured a new waste services contract that will begin January 1, 2026, with projected savings of up to 45%.



## Infrastructure Spotlight:

### Roth Road Connector Project

Improving regional infrastructure remains a top priority. Connecting I-5 and Highway 99 via Roth Road will reduce truck traffic in the Lathrop and Manteca areas, enhance roadway safety, and support economic growth throughout our region. I was excited to help kick off the first phase of studies for this critical project at the recent San Joaquin Council of Governments (COG) meeting. This is the first step toward delivering a long-overdue connection that will serve both our residents and businesses.

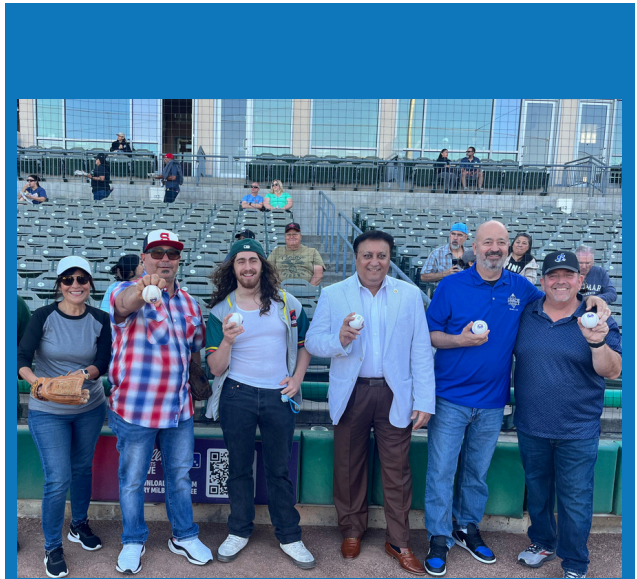
## Economic Development:

### Building a Brighter Future

When I first moved to Lathrop, there was very little development on either side of I-5. Today, it's the fastest growing city in California and ranks among the top ten fiscally stable cities in the state. That growth was possible because of a bold, forward-thinking approach to economic development and community planning. I'm bringing that same vision to San Joaquin County. We've already begun key conversations with regional stakeholders, and I look forward to sharing more soon about the initiatives we're advancing to grow jobs, attract investment, and create opportunity for all.

## Community Outreach - Here to Serve

My office remains open and accessible to all constituents. If you have questions, concerns, or need assistance, please don't hesitate to contact us. We're always happy to meet with you in our office—or come to you. Public service is about being present, listening, and taking action. I'm proud to be your voice on the Board of Supervisors.



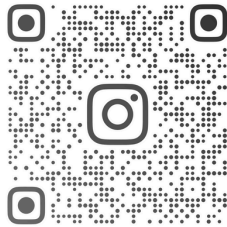
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## MENTAL HEALTH RESOURCES

**24/7 Crisis Phone Line**  
209-468-8686

**24/7 Consumer Warmline**  
209-468-3585

**Suicide Hotline**  
1-800-SUICIDE(784-2433)

**Friendship Line (Elderly)**  
1-800-971-0016

**Veterans' Crisis Line**  
1-800-273-8255



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Homeless Response Team  
[sjcared@sjgov.org](mailto:sjcared@sjgov.org)



**MySanJoaquin App**

Report Illegal Dumping  
and more to Public Works