

## Report on Action and Advocacy Committee January 2025

Sally reported on the wastewater plant. She is gathering information from a variety of sources. The city needs to do repairs but where is the appropriation for them? Sally is getting additional info from the city on the proposed 8M price tag for the repairs. On Paul's suggestion, she will call the SF Water Advisory Board to see if they have anything to share.

Paul still wants to investigate a plan for return flow for wastewater to create blackwater reuse.

We discussed the use of the matrix to set priorities for the year 2025-26. Carol will send the chart on how we set positions from the website to all members and also asked members to bring suggestions for the matrix to the March meeting. Jody described the difference between action and advocacy.

We agreed we need a person from our committee to alert membership of upcoming issues and votes. Kelly has offered to do this.

Jody is following an announced presentation of the City's General Plan Kickoff. She noted the following other city actions:

There has been a name change for the position of director of community affairs to reflect the deletion of fire and police oversight from his mandate. We will follow the change to make sure the director of Public Safety picks up this additional piece.

Regarding the Las Estrellas project, recently it was discovered that title to the land had been done incorrectly so it has held up the development process and requires changing covenants.

Marcy reported on her information gathering at SF Community College.

At present, 87 certificate programs and 19 AA degrees in applied science etc. are offered, some leading to 4-year degree completion elsewhere.