



# Memorandum

**TO:** City Council

**FROM:** Mayor Sam Liccardo

**SUBJECT:** REQUEST TO TRAVEL

**DATE:** March 20, 2019

**APPROVED:**

**DATE:** 3/20/2019

**RECOMMENDATION:** Approve travel for Mayor Sam Liccardo to Washington, D.C. from April 1 – April 2, 2019, designate him as the City representative to attend the Silicon Valley Leadership Group’s Annual Spring Advocacy Trip, and approve use of the Mayor/Council Travel Budget.

Authorization for: Mayor Sam Liccardo

Location: Washington, D.C.

Meeting Date: April 1 - 2, 2019

Source of Funds: Mayor/Council Travel Budget

Purpose: Mayor Liccardo, along with Councilmember Diep, will join Silicon Valley Leadership Group on the 2019 Washington, D.C. Advocacy Trip. The group will meet with congressional leaders on issues important to the Bay Area and the City of San José, including immigration reform, EV tax credit, global climate change, cybersecurity/data privacy, autonomous vehicle technology, and scientific research and development funding.