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City of Eastvale Leaders Return to Washington, D.C. to Continue Push for Independent ZIP Code

EASTVALE, CALIF. – In March, the City of Eastvale returned to Washington, D.C., alongside leaders from communities across the nation, to once again urge Congress to address longstanding ZIP code boundary issues. Local officials are seeking federal support to prompt the United States Postal Service to update outdated ZIP code boundaries that contribute to delayed mail delivery, confusion in first responder dispatching, higher insurance premiums, and the loss of internet sales tax revenue.

Building on momentum from a similar advocacy trip last November, Mayor Pro Tem Clint Lorimore, Councilmember Mike McMinn, and city staff met with Senators, Members of Congress, and Congressional staff to highlight the ongoing impacts of these outdated boundaries on Eastvale residents and businesses. In total, coalition members held seventeen bipartisan meetings with offices from seven states, as well as Senate committee staff, to demonstrate support for legislation currently before the Senate Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

The City of Eastvale co-chairs a national coalition of dozens of cities across the nation working together to demonstrate to Congress that ZIP code corrections remain an unresolved issue that the United States Postal Service has not addressed independently, despite repeated requests from affected communities. It has been nearly two decades since Congress last directed the Postal Service to take action.

Mayor Jocelyn Yow emphasized the importance of continuing the effort, stating, “Eastvale residents and businesses deserve a ZIP code that reflects the community where they actually live and work. We are committed to continuing this effort in Washington, D.C. until a solution is achieved.”

The City of Eastvale and its coalition partners remain committed to working with leadership in the 119th Congress to enact legislation addressing these boundary issues before the conclusion of the current session.

Information regarding the coalition can be found on the City’s [website](#). Specific inquiries regarding Eastvale’s ZIP code challenges can be directed to Alexander Fung at afung@eastvaleca.gov

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About the City of Eastvale

The City of Eastvale was founded on October 1, 2010, as an independent local government agency, governed by a five-member, elected City Council. The City of Eastvale serves over 69,514 residents and encompasses 13.1 square-miles in western Riverside County. Eastvale is a young and dynamic community filled with economic opportunity, tremendous growth, and strong values.

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