

MEMORANDUM

February 24, 2026

TO: Johnny Ford, City Manager

CC: Christine Tien, Deputy City Manager

FROM: Dale Applewhite, Program Manager III
Grant Kirkpatrick, Environmental & Sustainability Officer

SUBJECT: **Request for authorization to submit a formal request to City Council for approval of grant agreement**

The City of Stockton was awarded grant funds from Caltrans Clean California Community Cleanup and Employment Pathway (CCEP) Program in the amount of \$126,997.00

This grant will be used to support implementation of the Stockton Youth Environmental Stewardship (SYES) Program, an initiative that combines environmental, education, workforce development, and community beautification to engage Stockton's youth and improve neighborhood conditions citywide.

We are requesting authorization from the City Manager to submit a formal request to the City Council for approval of this grant agreement. Upon your authorization, preparations will be made to bring this before the City Council at the March 31, 2026, Council Meeting.

Upon City Council approval, the attached Restricted Grant Agreement package requires signature from the City Manager.


GRANT KIRKPATRICK
Environmental and Sustainability Officer

Concur:


CHRISTINE TIEN
Deputy City Manager


JOHNNY FORD
City Manager

Attachments
CCEP Checklist
CCEP Restricted Grant Agreement
CCEP Grant Application.