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Jay Baksa Selected as ICMA Range Rider

Retiring Gilroy City Administrator Jay Baksa has been selected to represent the Monterey Bay Division of the prestigious Range Rider Program of the International City/County Managers Association. Range Riders are key members of the ICMA Member Relationship Team. Baksa will join 88 other Range Riders in 24 states. Baksa, who retires January 2 after 24 ½ years as City Administrator for the City of Gilroy, and has 35 years in the profession, will bring a wealth of knowledge and experience to the program. The primary purpose of the program is for respected, experienced city management professionals to give back experience and knowledge to local government management professionals. Baksa stated that “I hope to give back to this wonderful profession in the manner that my predecessors did for me and my peers.”

Range Riders are unpaid volunteers, though certain expenses related to the program are reimbursed. The Monterey Bay Division includes Monterey, San Benito and Santa Cruz Counties.

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