

City of Exeter seeks Measure R member

■ Citizens Oversight Committee coordinates transportation tax money

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The City of Exeter is seeking a Measure R Citizens Oversight Committee member. Committee member Sepp Baker has served his two year term. Applicants must be at least 18 years of age, a citizen of Exeter and cannot be a government employee or elected official.

Passed in 2006 by Tulare County residents, Measure R is a one-half cent sales tax that in the next 30 years will bring more than \$652 million into Tulare County to address major transportation needs. The Tulare County Association of Governments, serving as the Tulare County Transportation Authority, coordinates all aspects of Measure R.

The Tulare County Transportation Authority is made up of 13 voting members of TCAG - eight members representing each city in the county, along with all five

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members of the Tulare County Board of Supervisors and TCAG staff. All Measure R Citizens' Oversight Committee meetings are open to the public and take place every month.

Once the city has compiled a list of applicants, the city council will conduct interviews and choose an applicant. For more information or to apply call the City of Exeter at 592-9244.