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Menifee reported as second fastest growing City in Riverside County

MENIFEE—Recent population statistics from the State of California Department of Finance (DOF) reported the City of Menifee's 2018 population at 93,452 residents, a 2.9 % rise in population since last year. This makes Menifee the fastest growing City in Southwest Riverside County, second fastest growing City in Riverside County, and seventh fastest growing in all of California.

Although California is experiencing the slowest growth rate in the State's history, as stated by the DOF, at 0.47%, Menifee continues to grow at top ranking pace. Menifee trails Beaumont for fastest-growing City in Riverside County, but tops neighboring Cities by over double.

"We are proud to be the second fastest growing City in Riverside County and there is a reason that Menifee is booming," said Mayor Bill Zimmerman. "Menifee is safe community, with brand new beautiful shopping centers, lush parks and many new housing options and because of that people are flocking to the City."

"Menifee is growing very fast and has quickly become recognized as a premier City," said Menifee City Manager, Armando Villa. "With the start of the City's own municipal police department, investment in infrastructure and amenities, Menifee is catching the attention of residents and businesses who are looking at Menifee for opportunities to expand and increase their quality of life."

For more information about Menifee's booming demographics, please contact the Economic Development Department at (951) 723-3712 or email EconDev@cityofmenifee.us. To view the report published by the California Department of Finance, please use the following link: http://www.dof.ca.gov/Forecasting/Demographics/Estimates/E-1/documents/E-1_2019PressRelease.pdf.

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ABOUT MENIFEE: Situated in the heart of southern Riverside County along Interstate 215, Menifee is a vibrant, new city of more than 90,000 residents who enjoy a pleasant year-round climate, abundant recreational offerings, reasonably priced housing and convenient proximity to some of Southern California's premiere attractions and employment centers. Within its 50 square miles, Menifee's business, retail and entertainment outlets are starting to shape the community's character and this growing economic base is also contributing favorably to the city's strong financial position. Menifee's growing family-oriented population values the city's ongoing commitment to



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public safety, community events and smart growth for the future. All of these elements are working together to support the city's strategic vision to make Menifee one of the state's most promising new