



SOLANO COUNTY

FY2025/26 Recommended Budget



ON THE COVER: Pictured on the cover, from top to bottom:

- **Vineyards in Solano County**

Vineyards in Solano County, California, thrive in a unique blend of warm climate and diverse soils, producing high-quality grapes for both local and neighboring wine regions. Anchored by the Suisun Valley AVA—recognized for robust varietals like Cabernet Sauvignon and Petite Sirah—the county also includes the cooler Green Valley, ideal for Pinot Noir and Chardonnay, as well as the newer Winters Highlands and parts of Wild Horse Valley. These distinct microclimates and growing conditions make Solano County a rising star in the California wine scene, offering a more laid-back alternative to nearby Napa while maintaining a strong tradition of viticulture.

- **Rolling Hills of Solano County**

The rolling hills of Solano County, California, create a picturesque landscape that blends natural beauty with agricultural richness. These gently sloping terrains are part of the county's diverse topography, offering sweeping views, fertile soils, and a mild Mediterranean climate. The hills not only support thriving vineyards and farms but also serve as scenic backdrops for outdoor recreation, including hiking, biking, and wildlife observation. Their proximity to both the San Francisco Bay Area and Sacramento adds to their appeal, making the rolling hills of Solano County a serene and accessible retreat with both ecological and economic significance.

- **Beauty of the Delta**

The Delta in Solano County, California, is a stunning mosaic of winding waterways, lush wetlands, and open skies that captures the serene beauty of Northern California's natural landscape. This dynamic region, where the Sacramento and San Joaquin Rivers meet the San Francisco Bay, offers a tranquil escape with its reflective waters, abundant birdlife, and vibrant marshes. The Delta's beauty lies not only in its peaceful scenery but also in its seasonal changes—from golden sunsets over the sloughs to misty mornings where boats drift through the reeds. It's a haven for fishing, kayaking, and exploration, offering a peaceful contrast to the bustle of nearby urban centers.

- **Solano County Administration Center**

The Solano County Administration Center, located at 675 Texas Street in downtown Fairfield, California, serves as the central hub for County government operations. This six-story facility consolidates County departments, houses more than 800 employees and serves as a public gathering space, hosting exhibits, press conferences, and community events. Open to the public Monday through Friday from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., the center is easily accessible and offers two hours of free parking in the adjacent garage.