



STATEMENT OF PROCEEDINGS FOR THE
SPECIAL MEETING OF THE
GOVERNANCE REFORM TASK FORCE
KENNETH HAHN HALL OF ADMINISTRATION
500 WEST TEMPLE STREET
ROOM 374-A
LOS ANGELES, CA 90012



MONDAY, AUGUST 21, 2026, 12:00 P.M.

I. ADMINISTRATIVE MATTERS

1. Call to Order, Roll Call, and Land Acknowledgment.

Chair Yap called the meeting to order at 12:55 PM. Andre Harmandjian, administrative staff, conducted roll.

A quorum was established with 7 members present of 13 seats. After the initial roll call, Member Gironas, Member Phelps arrived, and Member Steele joined the meeting remotely pursuant to Government Code section 54953.8.3(c)(6) due to a physical or family medical emergency that prevents a member from attending in person.

Present: John Fasana, David Green, Derek Hsieh, Marcel Rodarte, Brian Calderón Tabatabai, Sara Sadhwani, and Nancy Yap

Absent: Gabriela Gironas, Vivian Gray, Julia Mockeridge, David Phelps, Rosa Soto, and Derek Steele

Also Present: Norayr Zurabyan, Assistant County Counsel, and Attorney Gary Winuk of Kaufman Legal Group

Member Green read the Los Angeles County Land Acknowledgement.

II. DISCUSSIONS

2. Presentation, Discussion, and Potential Action: Continued Development of Elected County Executive Recommendations

The Ad Hoc Subcommittee on the elected County Executive will present draft recommendations regarding the elected County Executive, County Legislative Analyst, and Director of Budget and Management, informed by input received to date, for the GRTF's review and discussion. The discussion will also include a presentation regarding the County Legislative Analyst and input from stakeholder groups.

Attachments: **Presentations**
[Stakeholder Presentations](#)
[Civitas Public Affairs Group Presentation](#)
[County Legislative Analyst Presentation](#)

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No members of the public addressed the Governance Reform Task Force on this item.

III. ADJOURNMENT

3. Adjournment of the August 21, 2026, Governance Reform Task Force special meeting.

Chair Yap adjourned the meeting at 4:17 PM.