

ECONOMY AND EFFICIENCY COMMISSION MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING June 5, 2025

ROOM 525, KENNETH HAHN HALL OF ADMINISTRATION 500 West Temple St., Los Angeles, CA 90012

Editorial Note: Agenda sections may be taken out of order at the discretion of the Chair. Any reordering of sections is reflected in the presentation of these minutes.

1. CALL TO ORDER

With the presence of a quorum of commissioners, Commissioner McKeon called the Commission meeting to order at 10:30 a.m.

2. APPROVAL OF COMMISSIONER'S ABSENCES

The following was the attendance for the meeting:

COMMISSIONERS PRESENT

Aaron Greenberg
Jordan Greer
Cathy Hood
Steven Lei
Thomas Liu
Katherine McKeon
Stephen Pritchard
John Anthony Schmitz
Connie Sullivan
Craig Taubman
Jennifer Williams

COMMISSIONERS REQUESTING TO BE EXCUSED

Benjamin Everard
Teresa Dreyfuss
Jacob Haik
Peter Lyons
Dora Sandoval
Irene Shandell-Taylor
Cesar Zaldivar-Motts
Jennifer Williams
Vince Wong

3. APPROVAL OF February 6, 2025, April 3, 2025 MINUTES

Commissioner McKeon asked if there were any objections or changes to the February 6, 2025, and April 3, 2025, Commission meeting minutes. Hearing no changes, the motion was Moved, Seconded, and Adopted. The minutes of the February 6, 2025, and April 3, 2025, Commission meetings were approved.

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4. PUBLIC COMMENT

There was no public comment.

REPORTS

i. CCJCC Nothing to report.

ii. E&E COMMISSION PROJECTS

Administrative Assistant Pittmon will send out a date and time for upcoming task force meetings with each task force. Administrative Assistant Pittmon stated that the task force meetings would be on MS Teams. She also noted that each task force will rotate in-person meetings after the Commission meetings.

Al Task Force: Cathy Hood (3rd), John Schmitz (2nd), Steven Lei (3rd), Jennifer Williams (2nd), Ben Everard (5th), Connie Sullivan (4th), (2nd) Aaron Greenberg

Commissioner Hood stated that the previous Executive Director, Ed Eng, had met with the Executive Office team, and they believe this project would benefit all the Commissions, as there are over 200 Commissions in the county. She stated that if the task force can focus on just the application of Al within putting agendas together, action items, and minutes, then we can standardize that across all the commissions. She also stated that this project could help the board office track action items more efficiently, rather than waiting for each commission to prepare minutes and an agenda the week before. She stated that the next task force meeting will be held after the Commission meeting.

Rental Assistance Task Force: Jennifer Williams (2nd), Craig Taubman (1st), Cathy Hood (3rd), John Schmitz (1st), Vince Wong (3rd), Dora Sandoval (4th), Katie McKeon (2nd), Aaron Greenberg (2nd).

There was nothing new to report.

Hiring & Onboarding Task Force: Katie Mckeon (2nd), Connie Sullivan (4th), Dora Sandoval (3rd), Cathy Hood (3rd), Jorsan Greer ()

Commissioner McKeon stated that the task force is working with the Department of Mental Health (and others) to identify and accelerate Los Angeles County's hiring for the Department's critical positions. She stated that the goal is to identify weaknesses and develop recommendations for improvement.

Commissioner McKeon stated that the task force will be meeting with DHR on Tuesday, July 1, 2025 to get more updates that the department has been working.



Commissioner McKeon also stated that the task force will have its next in person meeting on October 2, 2025.

Return to Work Task Force: Connie Sullivan (4th), Peter Lyons (5th)

Commissioner Sullivan reported that the task force is looking to compare the County of Los Angeles' Return-to-Work program regarding light-duty assignments with benchmarks and best practices to identify gaps, strengths, and opportunities for improvement. Commissioner Sullivan stated that she and Commissioner Lyons are ready to move forward and meet with Maggie Martinez from DHR in the next couple of weeks.

5. PRESENTATION

There was no presentation.

6. COMMISSIONERS' ANNOUNCEMENT

There were no Commissioner announcements.

7. STAFF ANNOUNCEMENTS

Administrative Pittmon announced the birthdays of Vice-Chair Everard and Commissioner Schmitz. She also stated that the E&E Commission needs an additional liaison for the CCJCC meetings move forward.

8. ADJOURNMENT

Vice-Chair Everard adjourned the meeting at 11:50 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

Executive Assistant, Aisha Pittmon

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