



CONTRA COSTA COUNTY

Committee Meeting Minutes - Draft

Advisory Council on Aging

Monday, October 13, 2025

1:00 PM

**500 Ellinwood Way, Pleasant Hill, CA
Corner Conference Room**

Health and Elder Abuse Prevention Committee
<https://cccouny-us.zoom.us/j/83870526995>

PUBLIC ACCESS AND PUBLIC COMMENT INSTRUCTIONS:

The public may attend this meeting in person at the above location. The public may also attend this meeting remotely via webinar. Login information is provided above. ACOA members will also be participating from the following locations: 130 Linhares Lane, Alamo CA 94507 | 400 El Cerro Danville, CA | 849 Bridgeway Circle El Sobrante CA | 116 Raven Road, Orinda, CA 94563 | 2950 Buskirk Avenue, Suite 330 Walnut Creek, CA 94597

Call to Order | Roll Call | Introductions – Michael Wener

Present	Alan Goldhammer, Thomas Lang, Brian O'Toole, and Michael Wener
Absent	Nikki Lopez, Carol Schaefer, Terri Tobey, and Dennis Yee
Non-voting	Steven Freshman

Staff: Cristina Ugaitafa | Dixie Peralta

Guests: Steve Freshman, New ACOA member (testing out committees) | Jennifer Quallick – Chief of Staff, District 2 | Andrea Hodgson – Staff attorney, Contra Costa Senior Legal Services | Liz – Student doing a school project

Adopt Today's Agenda

- It was clarified that agendas do not need formal approval, but minutes do.

Approved September 2025 Minutes

Motion:	Goldhammer
Second:	Lang
Aye:	Goldhammer, Lang, O'Toole, and Wener
Absent:	Lopez, Schaefer, Tobey, and Yee
Result:	Passed

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Attachments: [Health 09-08-25 DRAFT Minutes](#)

- 1:10 Member Reports:
- Nutrition: No report
 - County Wellness: No report
 - Medi-Cal: Brian O'Toole, No update different from last month
- 1:30 Annual Committee Report: Report is being compiled by Terri
- 2:00 Break
- 2:05 Committee Name
- Mike stated that there will be a proposal to change the committee name from Health and Elder Abuse Prevention to Health and Elder Abuse Awareness to be more in line with the work of the committee.
 - Proposed change will go to the Exec Committee.
- 2:10 Committee chairs
- A chair for the committee is needed for next year. Those that are interested should reach out to current chairs.
- 2:15 Discussion: None
- 2:20 Community Presentations and Tracking
- Reminder to the committee members to keep track of the presentation that they provide in the community so they can be counted in the year-end report.
- 2:25 Public Comment
- None
- 2:30 Adjourn:
- Meeting adjourned at 2:00pm

Next Health & Elder Abuse Awareness Committee Meeting:

- Monday, December 8, 2025, 1:00pm – 2:30pm

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