



# CONTRA COSTA COUNTY

## Committee Meeting Minutes - **Draft**

### Public Protection Committee

Supervisor Ken Carlson, Chair  
Supervisor Candace Andersen, Vice Chair

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**Monday, December 15, 2025**

**1:30 PM 309 Diablo Road, Danville, CA 94526 | 2255  
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Agenda Items: Items may be taken out of order based on the business of the day and preference of the Committee.

1. Introductions

***Chair Andersen called the meeting to order at 1:30 p.m.***

**Present:** District II Supervisor Candace Andersen and District IV Supervisor Ken Carlson

2. Public comment on any item under the jurisdiction of the Committee and not on this agenda (speakers may be limited to two (2) minutes).

***No one requested to speak during public comment.***

3. PRESENTATION on the Stay Safe Community Listening Campaign that support victims of gun violence. (Diana Becton, District Attorney; Saleh Elizzani, DA Victim Advocate; Susun Kim, Family Justice Center Executive Director; Natalie Oleas, Family Justice Center Regional Director of Administration) [25-5368](#)

**Attachments:** [Speech.UnsolvedShootings.2025](#)

***An overview of the Underserved Survivors Support and Safety Program was presented by Diana Becton, District Attorney, Saleh Elizzani, DA Victim Advocate, and Natalie Oleas, Family Justice Center Regional Director of Administration. The presentation provided an overview of the program, which provides support to victims and survivors of gun violence and unsolved shootings. Funding opportunities, service statistics, as well as testimonials on how the program has provided support to those who have been victims of***

*gun violence was also shared during the presentation.*

*The Committee thanked the presenters and were appreciative of the department's ability to secure grant funding for this project. DA Becton mentioned interest in establishing a community committee to advance the collaborative work and may be discussing it with the Family Justice Center to structure it under this community resource framework.*

4. CONSIDER accepting the Record of Action for the November 17, 2025 meeting of the Public Protection Committee (PPC). (Enid Mendoza, PPC Staff) [25-5369](#)

**Attachments:** [DRAFT PPC 11-17-25 ROA](#)

*Approved as presented.*

**Aye:** Vice Chair Candace Andersen and Chair Ken Carlson

**Result:** Passed

5. CONSIDER accepting a report from the Office of the Sheriff on the status of the West County Reentry, Treatment and Housing (WRTH) facility, as recommended by Chair Andersen. (Captain Douglas Muse, Office of the Sheriff West County Detention) [25-5370](#)

**Attachments:** [Sheriff's WRTH Presentation](#)

*Captain Douglas Muse, from the Office of the Sheriff West County Detention presented the report to provide an update on the WRTH (West County Reentry, Treatment and Housing) facility. The update covered a funding summary and data on the total bed capacity at WRTH, including the number of beds being relocated from the Martinez Detention Facility (MDF) to a West County detention facility. Captain Muse also covered an update on the treatment and services that will be offered at WRTH, including a housing plan and the staffing changes that will be necessary to accommodate and run operations once the facility once is occupied. The plan is to have the facility opened in early 2026, with gradual occupancy, expected to continue through June/July of 2026.*

**This Consent Item was accepted the report.**

6. REVIEW the Committee's work during 2025 to determine the year-end status of its referrals and the topics to be referred to the 2026 Public Protection Committee. (Enid Mendoza, PPC Staff) [25-5371](#)

**Attachments:** [PPC 2025 Activities Report](#)  
[DRAFT 2025 PPC Year-End Report to BOS](#)

*Enid Mendoza, Senior Deputy County Administrator, included a summary of Public Protection Committee topics that were discussed and presented in 2025, and referrals and topics that will be referred to the 2026 PPC. There were no questions from Chair Andersen nor Vice Chair Carlson, and they expressed their gratitude for all the work that's been done in current year.*

## 7. Adjourn

*The meeting was adjourned at 2:14 p.m.*

The next meeting will occur in 2026. The exact date is to be determined.

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### HOW TO PROVIDE PUBLIC COMMENT:

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Public comments generally will be limited to two (2) minutes per speaker. In the interest of facilitating the business of the Board Committee, the total amount of time that a member of the public may use in addressing the Board Committee on all agenda items is 10 minutes. Your patience is appreciated.

Public comments may also be submitted to Committee staff before the meeting by email or by voicemail. Comments submitted by email or voicemail will be included in the record of the meeting but will not be read or played aloud during the meeting.

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