



CONTRA COSTA COUNTY

Committee Meeting Minutes - Draft

Economic Opportunity Council

Friday, March 6, 2026

10:00 AM

1470 Civic Court, Suite 200, Room 207,

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Executive Committee Meeting

Agenda Items: Items may be taken out of order based on the business of the day and preference of the Committee

Present

Desire Medlen, and Victor Tiglao

Excused

Karanbir Bal, Patricia Campbell, Jessica Cisneros, Karen Coleman, Christian Dean, Ajit Kaushal, Buffie Lafayette, Janelle Lafrades, Monisha Merchant, Tu'Liisa Miller, LaTonia Peoples-Stokes, Devlyn Sewell, Kanwar Singh, and Renee Zeimer

Absent

Nikki Lopez

1. Call to Order and Welcome

Chair Medlen called the meeting to order at 10:09 AM.

Quorum Established

Staff present: Melissa Molina, Roshunda Ward, and Christina Castle-Barber

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

No public present.

3. APPROVE the EOC Executive Committee Meeting Minutes of 2-4-26.

[26-715](#)

Attachments:

[EOC Executive Committee Meeting Minutes of 2-4-26](#)

A motion was made by Tiglao, seconded by Medlen, to approve the Executive Committee Meeting Minutes of 2/4/26. The motion carried by the following vote:

Motion: Tiglao

Second: Medlen

Aye: Medlen, and Tiglao

Absent: Lopez

Result: Passed

4. APPROVE the EOC Business Meeting Minutes of 2-12-26. [26-716](#)

Attachments: [EOC Busines Meeting Minutes of 2-12-26 DRAFT](#)

A motion was made by Tiglao, seconded by Medlen, to approve the EOC Business Meeting Minutes of 2/12/26. The motion carried by the following vote:

Motion: Tiglao

Second: Medlen

Aye: Medlen, and Tiglao

Absent: Lopez

Result: Passed

5. APPROVE the agenda for the 3/12/2026 EOC Business Meeting. [26-717](#)

Attachments: [Proposed Agenda Items for 3-12-2026 EOC Meeting](#)

Tiglao asked about the Legislative Plaform for Advocacy Day and Castle-Barber responded that the County State Platform and the bill tracker will be included in the packet for the Business Meeting along with staff recommendations.

A motion was made by Tiglao, seconded by Medlen, to approve the Agenda for the EOC Business Meeting on 3-12-26. The motion carried by the following vote:

Motion: Tiglao

Second: Medlen

Aye: Medlen, and Tiglao

Absent: Lopez

Result: Passed

6. Next Steps and Meeting Evaluation

The next meeting is currently scheduled for April 3, 2026 at 10 AM.

Next step: Tiglao will prepare the talking points for Advocacy Day at the April Business Meeting.

7. Adjourn

Chair Medlen adjourned the meeting at 10:10 AM.

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