



Meeting Minutes - Final

CONTRA COSTA COUNTY Merit Board

MERIT BOARD

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Eizo Kobayashi

Charles Kreling

Dennis Reigle

Toni Warren

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Tuesday, October 28, 2025

6:00 PM

**1025 Escobar St., Martinez, Conference
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Conference Code #3073276**

1. Roll Call and Introductions

Present

Eizo Kobayashi, James Mellander, Dennis Reigle, and Toni Warren

Absent

Charles Kreling

2. Consent Item

Approve the September 23, 2025 Meeting Minutes.

[25-4482](#)

Attachments:

[MB Meeting Minutes 9.23.25 Final](#)

Motion:

Warren

Second:

Kobayashi

Aye:

Kobayashi, Mellander, Reigle, and Warren

Absent:

Kreling

Result:

Passed

3. Public Comment

Persons who wish to address the Board during public comment may address matters within the Merit Board's jurisdiction but that are not listed as items on the agenda.

There was no public comment.

4. New Business

A. Consider the appeal of Michael Woodley from rejection on probation as a Clerk Senior Level from the Risk Management Department.

[25-4483](#)

After some discussion, Member Kobayashi moved and Member Warren seconded, to refer the appeal to an Administrative Law Judge for review.

Motion: Kobayashi

Second: Warren

Aye: Kobayashi, Mellander, Reigle, and Warren

Absent: Kreling

Result: Passed

The meeting adjourned at 6:22 pm.

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