



CONTRA COSTA COUNTY

Committee Meeting Minutes - Draft

Public Protection Committee

Supervisor Candace Andersen, Chair
Supervisor Ken Carlson, Vice Chair

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Monday, November 17, 2025	1:30 PM	309 Diablo Road, Danville, CA 94526
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		Pleasant Hill, CA 94523

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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 the public comment period.

3. CONSIDER accepting the Record of Action for the October 20, 2025 meeting of the Public Protection Committee (PPC). (Enid Mendoza, PPC Staff)

[25-4875](#)

Attachments: [MeetingMinutes20-Oct-2025](#)

Approved as presented.

Aye: Chair Candace Andersen and Vice Chair Ken Carlson

Result: Passed

4. CONSIDER accepting the report on additional data, analysis, and key findings on the Familiar Faces project as presented by Contra Costa Health Services. (Daniel Brown, and Juliette Kelley) [25-4876](#)

Attachments: [Familiar Faces Report to PPC](#)

Juliette Kelley and Daniel Brown, from Contra Costa Health Services, presented the Familiar Faces report, which included data, analysis, and key findings.

The Committee acknowledged the report, and Chair Andersen inquired about any other programs or services to better serve high utilization groups' needs that would also minimize cost impacts. Vice Chair Carlson further inquired on whether these data sources could be used when considering preventative services. Both members noted the numbers being significantly high and Health staff acknowledged the current data as a starting point and how their continuing efforts to further explore these populations could render considerations for alternatives with the potential to reduce some costs.

The Committee accepted the report and directed Health staff to present the report to the Board of Supervisors. The timing of the report would be in 2026, and with any further developments regarding program and service alternatives for the Cluster 3 populations (the Familiar Faces group). Once the report has been presented to the Board, Chair Andersen requested that the report also be presented to the Behavioral Health Commission.

During the public comment period, public members inquired on the cost breakdown and asked whether this information was available.

Aye: Chair Candace Andersen and Vice Chair Ken Carlson

Result: Passed

5. CONSIDER receiving a report with additional information and data on the A3 (Anyone, Anywhere, Anytime) program as presented by Contra Costa Health Services. (Dr. Chad Pierce, Mental Health Program Chief) [25-4877](#)

Attachments: [A3 Report to PPC](#)

Dr. Chad Pierce, Mental Health Program Chief, presented the report on the A3 (Anyone, Anywhere, Anytime) program, which included information on response levels, call volume and type of calls, law enforcement partnerships, and an overview of the A3 Data Dashboard that is available online for the public. The A3 Data Dashboard is an online resource that provides real time data on quality and outcomes, as well as demographics information and call service types.

A3 program updates included partnering with ConFire for dispatch services and the developments of the Oak Grove Rd. facility in Concord to include the call center, rapid access clinic, and respite center.

During the public comment period, there was discussion from other county partners and public members.

Aye: Chair Candace Andersen and Vice Chair Ken Carlson

Result: Passed

6. The next meeting is currently scheduled for December 15, 2025.
7. Adjourn

The Chair adjourned the meeting at 3:00 p.m.

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