

Pacheco Municipal Advisory Council



**Supervisor Shanelle Preston-
Scales, District V**

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5800 Pacheco Boulevard
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Contra Costa County Board of Supervisors and the County Planning Agency.*

RECORD OF ACTION (MINUTES)

February 11, 2026

6:30 PM

1. CALL TO ORDER/ROLL CALL

The meeting was called to order at 6:38 pm.

Members Present: Garcia, Pope, Trinh and Chair Robb.

Member Absent: Joslin

2. PUBLIC COMMENTS

A. Pacheco Boulevard / Crosswalk Safety Concerns

Residents raised ongoing concerns regarding pedestrian safety at intersections near Pacheco Boulevard, including unsafe crosswalk conditions, speeding vehicles, and prior incidents involving serious injury or fatality. Speakers emphasized the need for improved pedestrian safety infrastructure, including flashing crosswalk beacons and improved signage. Concerns were also raised regarding limited prior follow-up and communication on reported issues.

The Supervisor's Office indicated follow-up with Public Works regarding crosswalk safety improvements and potential grant funding opportunities.

B. Homeless Encampments and Public Safety Concerns

Residents expressed concerns regarding unhoused populations located near freeway underpasses, canal trails, and industrial corridors. Issues raised included safety risks for pedestrians and cyclists, enforcement challenges across multiple jurisdictions (County, Caltrans, Sheriff, and flood control districts), and impacts on community use of public spaces.

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C. Canal Trail Safety and Connectivity Concerns

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3. APPROVAL OF AGENDA – April 8, 2026, 2026

M/Garcia
S/Trinh

Pacheco Municipal Advisory Council Present Approved the April 8, 2026 Agenda as Submitted. VOTE: 4-0; Ayes: Garcia, Pope, Trinh, and Chair Robb; Noes: None; Abstain: None; Absent: Joslin.

4. APPROVAL OF MINUTES – February 11, 2026

M/Pope
S/Garcia

Pacheco Municipal Advisory Council Present Approved the Minutes of February 11, 2026, as Submitted. VOTE: 4-0; Ayes: Garcia, Pope, Trinh, and Chair Robb; Noes: None; Abstain: None; Absent: Joslin.

5. OFFICER ELECTIONS

The Pacheco Municipal Advisory Council approved the following 2026 Officer:

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Chair: Robb
Vice Chair: Pope
Secretary: Trinh

VOTE: 4-0; Ayes: Garcia, Pope, Robb, and Trinh; Noes: None; Abstain: None;
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6. AGENCY REPORTS

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7. DISCUSSION AND/OR ACTION

A. Contra Costa Transportation Authority (CCTA) Presentation – Trail Connectivity Study

A presentation was provided regarding a feasibility study evaluating potential trail connections between the Iron Horse Trail and Contra Costa Canal Trail corridor.

Key discussion points included:

- Multiple route alternatives under consideration (including options along Marsh Drive, Imhoff Drive, Pacheco Boulevard, and freeway-adjacent alignments).
- Community feedback focused heavily on safety concerns, particularly near industrial areas, freeway underpasses, and locations with high vehicle traffic.
- Concerns were raised regarding unhoused encampments along proposed routes and potential impacts on trail usability and safety.
- Discussion of jurisdictional complexity involving County Public Works, Caltrans, flood control districts, and East Bay Regional Park District.
- Clarification that no final project has been selected; the study is in a feasibility and public input phase.
- Future steps include narrowing route options over the next approximately 6 months based on stakeholder input and technical review.

8. ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business before the Pacheco Municipal Advisory Council, Chair Robb adjourned the meeting at 7:55 pm to the next regular meeting of May 13, 2026, at 6:30 pm to be held at the Pacheco Community Center Board Room.

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