# AGENDA ITEM 1



**REPORT** 

Southern California Association of Governments

March 6, 2025

# MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING COMMUNITY, ECONOMIC AND HUMAN DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE (CEHD) THURSDAY, DECEMBER 5, 2024

THE FOLLOWING MINUTES ARE A SUMMARY OF ACTIONS TAKEN BY THE COMMUNITY, ECONOMIC AND HUMAN DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE (CEHD). A VIDEO AND AUDIO RECORDING OF THE FULL MEETING IS AVAILABLE AT: <a href="http://scag.igm2.com/Citizens/">http://scag.igm2.com/Citizens/</a>.

The Community, Human and Development Committee (CEHD) of the Southern California Association of Governments (SCAG) held its regular meeting both in person and virtually (telephonically and electronically). A quorum was present.

# **Members Present**

Hon. David Shapiro, Chair	Calabasas	District 44			
Hon. Rocky Rhodes, Vice Chair	Simi Valley	District 46			
Hon. Gary Boyer	Glendora	District 33			
Hon. Wendy Bucknum	Mission Viejo	District 13			
Hon. Don Caskey	Laguna Hills	OCCOG			
Hon. Tanya D. Doby	Los Alamitos	occog			
Hon. Keith Eich	La Cañada Flintridge	District 36			
Hon. Bob Engler	Thousand Oaks	VCOG			
Hon. Rose Espinoza	La Habra	OCCOG			
Hon. Margaret E. Finlay	Duarte	District 35			
Hon. John Gabbard	Dana Point	District 12			
Hon. Marshall Goodman	La Palma	District 18			
Hon. Mike Goodsell	Holtville	ICTC			
Hon. Mark Henderson	Gardena	District 28			
Hon. Cecilia Hupp	Brea	OCCOG			
Hon. William Hussey	Grand Terrace	SBCTA			
Hon. Lynda Johnson	Cerritos	GCCOG			
Hon. Kathleen Kelly	Palm Desert	District 2			
Sup. Matt LaVere	Ventura County	CoC			
Hon. Jed Leano	Claremont	SGVCOG			
Hon. Carlos A. Leon	Anaheim	District 19			
Hon. Anni Marshall	Avalon	GCCOG			
Hon. Andrew Masiel, Sr.	Tribal Gov't Reg'l Planning Rep.				





Hon. John Mirisch	Beverly Hills, Pres. Appt.	Member at Large
Hon. Joseph Morabito	Wildomar	WRCOG
Hon. Zizette Mullins	Burbank	AVCJPA
Hon. Marisela Nava	Perris	District 69
Hon. Freddy Puza	Culver City	WCCOG
Hon. Sonny Santa Ines	Bellflower	GCCOG
Hon. Becky Shevlin	Monrovia	SGVCOG
Hon. Mary Solorio	San Fernando	SFVCOG
Hon. Helen Tran	San Bernardino	SBCTA
Hon. Mark Waronek	Lomita	SBCCOG
Hon. Acquanetta Warren	Fontana	SBCTA
Hon. Jeff Wood	Lakewood	District 24
Hon. Tony Wu	West Covina	SGVCOG
Hon. Frank Yokoyama	Cerritos	District 23

# **Members Not Present**

Hon. Cindy Allen	Long Beach	District 30
Hon. Valerie Amezcua	Santa Ana	District 16
Hon. Drew Boyles	El Segundo	District 40

Hon. Debra Dorst-Porada Ontario, Pres. Appt. Member at Large

Ms. Lucy Dunn

Ex-Officio Hon. Waymond Fermon **CVAG** Indio Hon. Claudia M. Frometa Downey District 25 Hon. Martin Fuentes **GCCOG** Cudahy Hon. Camilo Garcia **Imperial County** CoCHon. Tammy Kim Irvine District 14

Hon. Lauren Kleiman Newport Beach District 15 Hon. Casey McKeon **Huntington Beach** District 64

Hon. Geneva Mojado Soboba Band of Luiseño Indians Hon. Joseph Murphy Pechanga Band of Luiseno Indians

**ICTC** Hon. George A. Nava Brawley

Port Hueneme, Pres. Appt. Hon. Misty Perez Member at Large

Hon. Nithya Raman Los Angeles District 51 Rolling Hills Estates SBCCOG Hon. Frank Zerunyan

## CALL TO ORDER AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The Honorable David Shapiro called the meeting to order at 10:00 a.m. and asked Councilmember Marshall Goodman, La Palma, District 18, to lead the Pledge of Allegiance.



#### **PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD**

Chair Shapiro provided detailed instructions and general information on how to provide public comments. Additionally, he noted that public comments received via email to <a href="mailto:cehbpublicComment@scag.ca.gov">CEHDPublicComment@scag.ca.gov</a> after 5:00 p.m. on Wednesday, December 4, 2024, would be announced and included as part of the official record of the meeting.

Chair Shapiro opened the public comment period and noted this was the time for members of the public to offer comment for matters that are within SCAG's jurisdiction but are not listed on the agenda.

SCAG staff noted there were no written public comments received via email before or after the 5pm deadline on 5:00 p.m. on Wednesday, December 4, 2024. SCAG staff also noted that there were no public comments for matters not listed on the agenda.

Seeing no Public Comment speakers, Chair Shapiro closed the public comment period for matters not listed on the agenda.

#### **REVIEW AND PRIORITIZE AGENDA ITEMS**

There were no reprioritizations made.

#### **CONSENT CALENDAR**

# Approval Items

1. Minutes of the Meeting - November 7, 2024

## Receive and File

- 2. CEHD Agenda Outlook and Future Agenda Items
- 3. Status Update on the South Coast Air Quality Management District (AQMD) California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) Guidance for Evaluating Cumulative Impacts from Air Toxics

MOTION was made (Finlay) to approve Consent Calendar Items 1; and Receive and File Items 2 and 3. Motion was SECONDED (Bucknum) and passed by the following roll call vote:





AYES: Boyer, Bucknum, Caskey, Eich, Engler, Finlay, Gabbard, Goodman, Goodsell,

Henderson, Hupp, Hussey, Johnson, Kelly, LaVere, Leano, Marshall, Masiel, Mirisch, Morabito, Mullins, M. Nava, Puza, Rhodes, Santa Ines, Shapiro, Shevlin, Solorio, Tran,

Waronek, Warren, Wood and Wu (33)

**NOES:** (0)

ABSTAIN: (0)

There were no public comments on the Consent Calendar.

#### **INFORMATION ITEMS**

# 4. REAP 1.0 Biannual Report

Chair Shapiro provided background information on the REAP 1.0 state funding program which allocated SCAG \$47 million in one-time funding to help local jurisdictions meet their housing goals and increase housing production. He asked Ma'Ayn Johnson and Mike Dietz, SCAG staff, to provide an overview, best practices and final update of the REAP 1.0 funding program and introduce a panel of grant recipients to share outcomes and highlight lessons learned.

Presentations were provided by guest speakers, Joseph Dieguez, Senior Vice President at Kosmont Companies, presentation: Enhanced Infrastructure Financing District projects funded through the program; Wells Lawson, Deputy Executive Officer of Joint Development at LA Metro, presentation: The Partnership for Housing Acceleration program; Mairany Anaya, Multimodal Mobility Administrator at the San Bernardino County Council of Governments, presentation: Subregional Partnership Program projects; and Melani Smith, Director of Regional Development at Gateway Cities Council of Governments (GCCOG), presentation: The formation of the Gateway Housing Trust Fund and other housing projects and tools.

Staff responded to the comments and questions expressed by the Councilmembers, including responses to comments on effective outreach, the importance of Nexus studies in understanding the actual costs of sustaining new development and housing in cities, and the need for tax increment financing (TIF) funding. Additional comments focused on funding impediments to local housing, and the continuation of legislative advocacy for more state funding for affordable housing projects, not just regulatory changes.

The CEHD members thanked the presenters for their presentations.



The comprehensive staff report was provided in the agenda packet. Copies of the presentations are located on SCAG's website.

There were no public comments on Item No. 1.

#### **CHAIR'S REPORT**

Chair Shapiro recognized the outgoing members of the CEHD and thanked them for their dedication to the CEHD Committee:

- Marshall Goodman (La Palma)
- Tammy Kim (Irvine)
- Kathleen Kelly (Palm Desert)
- Bobby Duncan (Yuciapa)
- Camilo Garcia (Calexico)
- George Nava (Brawley)
- Gary Boyer (Glendora)

Chair Shapiro reported on the following SCAG activities and noted that additional information can be found on SCAG's website.

Updates included the release of the "Racial Equity Early Action Plan Final Update" a guide for sustaining SCAG's regional and organizational leadership in service of equity and social justice. The final update provides a summary of each of the 32 early actions included in the plan, detailing accomplishments and laying the groundwork for a sustainable approach to equitable planning for the long term.

#### **STAFF REPORT**

Jonathan Davis, SCAG Government Affairs Officer, reported that SCAG was hosting its 60th Annual Regional Conference and General Assembly on May 1-2, 2025, in Palm Desert, which was SCAG's diamond anniversary. He indicated that the General Assembly was an opportunity to gather with local and regional leaders and collaborate on solutions for mobility, housing, the environment, and our economy. He noted that additional information was available on the website and if anyone was interested in sponsorship opportunities to contact SCAG Special Events Producer Perla Lopez.

#### **ADJOURNMENT**

Seeing no further business, Chair Shapiro adjourned the meeting of the Community, Economic and Human Development Committee at 11:44 a.m.





Respectfully submitted by: Carmen Summers Community, Economic and Human Development Committee Clerk

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	COMMUNITY, ECONOM	IC AND H	UMAN			COMMI	TTEE ATT	ENDANC	E REPO	RT				
				2024-2	25									
MEMBERS	Representing	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Total Mtgs Attended To Date
Allen, Cindy	Long Beach, RC District 30	1					1							2
Amezcua, Valarie	Santa Ana, RC District 16	1												1
Boyer, Gary	Glendora, RC District 33				1			1						2
Boyles, Drew	El Segundo, RC District 40													
Bucknum, Wendy	Mission Viejo, RC District 13	1			1		1	1						4
Caskey, Don	Laguna Hills, OCCOG	1					1	1						3
Doby, Tanya D.	Los Alamitos, OCCOG	1			1		1	1						4
Dorst-Porada, Debra	Ontario, Pres. Appt. (Member at Large)						1							1
Dunn, Lucy	Business Representative	1			1		1							3
Eich, Keith	La Cañada Flintridge, RC District 36	1	D	D	1	D	1	1						4
Engler, Bob	Thousand Oaks, VCOG	1					1	1						3
Espinoza, Rose	La Habra, OCCOG	1						1						2
Fermon, Waymond	Indio, CVAG	1					1							2
Finlay, Margaret E.	Duarte, RC District 35	1					1	1						3
Frometa, Claudia M.	Downey, RC District 25	1												1
Fuentes, Martin	Cudahy, GCCOG	1												1
Gabbard, John	Dana Point, District 12				1		1	1						3
Garcia, Camilo	Imperial County CoC	1	Α	Α	1	Α	1	_						3
Goodman, Marshall R.	LaPalma, RC District 18	1					1	1						3
Goodsell. Mike	ICTC	4					1	1						2
Henderson, Mark E.	Gardena, RC District 28	1			_			1						2
Hupp, Cecilia	Brea, OCCOG	1			1		1	1						4
Hussey William	Grand Terrace, SBCTA							1						3
Johnson, Lynda	Cerritos, GCCOG	1			1		1	1						2
Kelly, Kathleen	Palm Desert, RC District 2	1					1	1						1
Kim, Tammy	Irvine, RC District 14					В								1
Kleiman, Lauren LaVere, Matt	Newport Beach, RC District 15  Ventura County CoC	1	R	R	1	R	1	1						4
Leano, Jed	Claremont, SGVCOG	1			1		1	1						4
Leon, Carlos A.	Anaheim, RC District 19							1						1
Marshall, Anni	Avalon, GCCOG				1			1						2
	Pechanga Band of Luiseno Indians Tribal							1						2
Masiel, Sr., Andrew	Gov Reg Planning Board				1			_						
McKeon, Casey	Huntington Beach, RC District 64	1												1
Mirisch, John	Beverly Hills, Pres. Appt. (Member at Lar	1					1	1						3
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Morabito, Joseph	Wildomar, WRCOG	1			1		1	1						4
Mullins, Zizette	Burbank, AVCJPA	1			1		1	1						4
Murphy, Joseph	Pechanga Band of Luiseno Indians	1												1
Nava, George A.	Brawley, ICTC	1			4		_							1
Nava, Marisela	Perris, RC District 69	1			1		1	1						4
Perez, Misty	Port Hueneme, Pres. Appt. (Member at L	arge)			1									_
Puza, Freddy	Culver City, WCCOG						1	1						3
Raman, Nithya	Los Angeles, RC District 51	1			1		1	4						4
Rhodes, Rocky	Simi Valley, RC District 46	1			1		1	1						3
Santa Ines, Sonny Shapiro, David J.	Bellflower, GCCOG Calabasas, RC District 44	1			1		1	1						4
Shevlin, Becky A.	Monrovia, SGVCOG	1			1		1	1						3
Solorio, Mary	San Fernando, SFVCOG	-			-		1	1						2
Tran, Helen	San Bernardino, SBCTA						1	1						2
Waronek, Mark	Lomita, SBCCOG						-	1						1
Warren, Acquanetta	Fontana, SBCTA	1			1			1						3
Wood, Jeff	Lakewood, RC District 24				1		1	1						3
Wu, Tony	West Covina, SGVCOG	1			1		-	1						3
Yokoyama, Frank A.	Cerritos, RC District 23	1					1	1						3
Zerunyan, Frank	Rolling Hills Estates, SBCCOG				1		1							2
TOTAL ATTENDANCE	3	37			27		31	37						_
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