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Meeting Agenda

MTC ABAG Community Advisory Council

Carina Vinh Lieu, Chair
Diana Benitez, Vice Chair

Friday, August 7, 2026

10:00 AM

Yerba Buena Conference Room – 1st Floor

The MTC ABAG Community Advisory Council is scheduled to meet at 10:00 a.m.

This meeting shall consist of a simultaneous teleconference call at the following location(s):
None

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Clerk: Jessica Lewis

Roster

Victorina Arvelo, Padma Balaji, Michael Baldini, Diana Benitez, Chuck Cantrell, Amanda Chang, Warren Cushman, Ashton Desmangles, Bryant Duong, Julia Gerasimenko, Dwayne Hankerson, Wendi Kallins, Charles Lavery, Alexander Madrid, R. Shay Miles, Louis Mirante, Karen Nemsick, Peter Saathoff-Harshfield, Marlene Salazar, Joshua Saunders, Tim Sbranti, Sonja Shephard, Gaetano Trachtenberg, Carina Vinh Lieu, Janelle Wong, Gabriela Yamilet Orantes

1. Call to Order / Roll Call / Confirm Quorum / Compensation Announcement

A quorum shall consist of a majority of members present (14).

2. Council Member Announcements**3. Chair's Report****4. Consent Calendar**

- 4a. [26-0838](#) Approval of MTC ABAG Community Advisory Council minutes of June 5, 2026

Action: MTC ABAG Community Advisory Council Approval

Presenter: Clerk

Attachments: [4a 26-0838 06-05-2026 Draft Meeting Minutes.pdf](#)

5. Information

- 5a. [26-0837](#) Community-Based Transportation Planning Program Overview, Evaluation and Draft Guidelines

Overview of MTC's Community-Based Transportation Planning (CBTP) program - an initiative that funds community-led transportation planning in Equity Priority Communities (EPCs) - including recent evaluation findings and draft guidelines for the upcoming CBTP program cycle.

Action: Information

Presenter: Janica Mendillo

Attachments: [5a 26-0837 1 -SummarySheet CBTP.pdf](#)

[5a 26-0837 2 Attachment A CBTP Deck.pdf](#)

[5a 26-0837 3 Attachment B CBTP Guidelines Change Summary.pdf](#)

[5a 26-0837 4 Attachment C CBTP 2026 Guidelines.pdf](#)

[5a 26-0837 5 Attachment D CBTP Map Letter.pdf](#)

5b. [26-0875](#) Equity Priority Communities (EPC) Refresh Phase One Evaluation: Internal Listening Session Findings

Preliminary update summarizing key themes of internal listening sessions with MTC-ABAG staff in spring 2026.

Action: Information

Presenter: Natasha Opfell

Attachments: [5b 26-0875 1 Summary Sheet EPC Refresh POE Internal Engagement Fi](#)
[5b 26-0875 2 Attachment A Presentation EPC Refresh POE Internal Findir](#)

5c. [26-0845](#) Updated Council Work Plan

In response to feedback from the Council at the June 2026 meeting, staff revised the Council Work Plan to elevate equity as a foundational principle throughout the document, centering MTC and ABAG's commitment to equity, and strengthening the Council's role in advancing inclusive and equitable regional outcomes.

Action: Information

Presenter: Ky-Nam Miller

Attachments: [5c 26-0845 2026 1 Work Plan Summary Sheet August 2026 Updated.pdf](#)
[5c 26-0845 2026 2 Updated Council Work Plan August 2026.pdf](#)

6. Staff Liaison Report

6a. [26-0897](#) Staff Liaison Report

Overview of recent MTC and ABAG policy decisions and other activities.

Action: Information

Presenter: Ky-Nam Miller

Attachments: [6a 26-0897 1 Staff Liaison Report Summarysheet August 2026.pdf](#)
[6a 26-0897 2 Attachment A Staff Liaison Report August 2026.pdf](#)

7. New Business

8. Public Comment

8a. [26-0963](#) Public comment

Attachments: [8a Public Comment Jayden Zimmerman Transit Equity Analysis Redacted.](#)

9. Adjournment / Next Meeting

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