



CITY COUNCIL MEETING

March 17, 2026 at 6:00 PM

Angels Fire House – 1404 Vallecito Road

DRAFT MINUTES

THE CITY COUNCIL appreciates your interest and encourages your participation. Regularly scheduled meetings are held the 1st and 3rd Tuesday of each month. The Agenda is divided into two sections:

CONSENT AGENDA: These matters include routine financial and administration actions and are usually approved by a single majority vote.

REGULAR AGENDA: These items include significant financial and administration actions of special interest, hearings and work sessions. The numerical order of the items on this Agenda is for convenience of reference. Items may be taken out of order upon request of the Mayor or Council Members. All questions shall be directed to the Mayor who, at his/her discretion, will refer to City Staff.

Mayor Caroline Schirato **(PRESENT)** | **Vice Mayor** Michael Chimente **(PRESENT)**

Council Members Alvin Broglio **(PRESENT)**, Kara Scott **(PRESENT)**, and Scott Behiel **(PRESENT)**

Interim City Administrator Steve Williams **(PRESENT)** | **City Attorney** Will Creger, White Brenner LLP **(PRESENT)**

5:00 P.M. CLOSED SESSION

1. ROLL CALL
2. PUBLIC COMMENT PRIOR TO ADJOURNMENT TO CLOSED SESSION
3. ADJOURN TO CLOSED SESSION
 - A. Public Employee Employment (Govt. Code Section 54957(b)(1).)

6:00 PM REGULAR MEETING

4. ROLL CALL
5. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
6. REPORT OUT OF CLOSED SESSION

Direction was given to staff.
7. PRESENTATIONS / COMMENDATIONS
 - **The Resource Connection:** Mia Huss (Resource and Referral Specialist) and Sheri Noble (Director of Child Care Resources) provided an overview of their organization and services.
 - **Historic Downtown Merchants of Angels Camp:** Jesse Gibbs presented on current efforts and initiatives to support and revitalize the downtown area.
8. APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA AS POSTED (OR AMENDED)

ACTION: MOTION TO APPROVE THE AGENDA AS POSTED, BY COUNCIL MEMBER BROGLIO, SECONDED BY COUNCIL MEMBER BEHIEL, PASSED 5-0
9. PUBLIC COMMENT

- **Ayesha Williamson**, Sierra Hope, announced that services for veterans will be offered on the second Monday of each month from 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM. Additional support groups will meet on the second and fourth Thursdays: women's group from 4:00 PM to 5:30 PM and men's group from 6:00 PM to 7:30 PM at the Sierra Hope offices in Angels Camp.
- **Christopher Buttner**, publisher of Calaveras2026Election.com, spoke regarding a conflict with the Calaveras Visitors Bureau.
- **Jessica Self**, on behalf of her grandmother, discussed a commemorative plaque previously located on a drinking fountain at the park. She requested that if the plaque is not reinstated, the family be included in decisions regarding its relocation.
- **Ellie**, representing Calaveras Cycle and the Angels Camp Business Association, spoke about upcoming events.

10. CONSENT ITEMS

- Approve** Draft Minutes of February 25, 2026 (Michelle Gonzalez, Deputy City Clerk)
- Approve** Draft Minutes of March 3, 2026 (Michelle Gonzalez, Deputy City Clerk)
- Approve** Draft Minutes of March 5, 2026 (Michelle Gonzalez, Deputy City Clerk)
- Approve** Draft Minutes of March 10, 2026 (Michelle Gonzalez, Deputy City Clerk)
- Receive and File** Accounts Payable (A/P) Checks and Treasurer's Report February 2026 (Michelle Gonzalez, Finance Director)

ACTION: MOTION TO APPROVE CONSENT ITEMS A–D BY COUNCIL MEMBER BROGLIO, SECONDED BY COUNCIL MEMBER BEHIEL; PASSED 5–0.

ACTION: MOTION TO APPROVE CONSENT ITEM E, WITH FOLLOW-UP REQUESTED FROM FINANCE REGARDING THE NATURE OF THE REFINANCE LOAN PAYMENT ON THE A/P CHECK REPORT, BY COUNCIL MEMBER BROGLIO, SECONDED BY VICE MAYOR CHIMENTE; PASSED 5–0.

11. ACTION ITEMS

- Resolution 26-39** - Preparation of the Engineer's Report for the Continuation of the Landscaping and Lighting District No. 2 - Greenhorn Creek for FY 2026-27, Greenhorn Creek: Levy Administration, Kyle Tankard, SCI Consulting Group

ACTION: MOTION TO APPROVE BY COUNCIL MEMBER BROGLIO, SECONDED BY COUNCIL MEMBER SCOTT; PASSED 5–0.

- Resolution 26-37** - Letter of Agreement to partner with the San Joaquin Small Business Development Center for Assistance with the City's Community Development Block Grant Economic Development Program subject to securing CDBG funds, Amy Augustine, City Planner

ACTION: MOTION TO APPROVE BY VICE MAYOR CHIMENTE, SECONDED BY COUNCIL MEMBER SCOTT; PASSED 5–0.

- Resolution 26-38** Capital Equipment and Vehicle Replacement Policy and Establishing a Capital Equipment and Vehicle Replacement Fund, Michelle Gonzalez, Finance Director

ACTION: MOTION TO APPROVE BY COUNCIL MEMBER BEHIEL, SECONDED BY MAYOR SCHIRATO; PASSED 5–0.

- Resolution 26-40** - Approving a Memorandum of Understanding for the Implementation of the Highway 4 Corridor Regional Water Supply Long-term Water Study Needs, Steve Williams, Interim City Administrator

ACTION: MOTION TO APPROVE AND APPOINT AN AD HOC MEMBER TO THE CONSULTANT SELECTION COMMITTEE BY COUNCIL MEMBER BROGLIO, SECONDED BY VICE MAYOR CHIMENTE; PASSED 5–0.

- E. Resolution 26-41** - Approving an Employment Agreement between the City of Angels and Michael Hodson for the position of City Administrator, Steve Williams, Interim City Administrator

ACTION: MOTION TO APPROVE BY VICE MAYOR CHIMENTE, SECONDED BY COUNCIL MEMBER SCOTT; PASSED 5-0.

INFORMATIONAL ITEMS

2016 Space Needs Assessment, Steve Williams, Interim City Administrator

12. ADMINISTRATION REPORT – NO REPORT

13. CITY COUNCIL REPORT – ALL MEMBERS REPORTED OUT

CORRESPONDENCE

14. CITY COUNCIL CALENDAR

- A. Receive, review, and provide feedback regarding the Calendar March and April 2026

15. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS - NONE

16. ADJOURNMENT

ACTION: MOTION TO ADJOURN THE MEETING AT 7:44 PM BY COUNCIL MEMBER SCOTT, SECONDED BY VICE MAYOR CHIMENTE, PASSED 5-0

Caroline Schirato, Mayor

Michael Chimente, Vice Mayor