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May 27, 2026

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING TO ALL RECOGNIZED EMPLOYEE ORGANIZATIONS

To: All Recognized Labor Bargaining Units
 From: City of Grass Valley
 Subject: Notice of Public Hearing Pursuant to AB 2561 – Government Code §3502.3

Hearing Date & Time: Tuesday, June 9, 2026, at 6:00 PM
 Location: Grass Valley City Council Chambers, 125 E. Main Street, Grass Valley, CA 95945

Purpose of the Hearing

This public hearing is intended to:

- Present vacancy, recruitment, and retention data
- Identify potential changes to City policies or procedures that may impact hiring
- Provide recognized employee organizations the opportunity to address the City Council regarding staffing concerns within their respective bargaining units.

Summary of Current Vacancies by Bargaining Unit

Bargaining Unit	Authorized Positions	Vacancies	Vacancy Rate	Vacant Positions
Non-Union	11	1	9%	City Manager
Unit 1	13	0	0%	None
Unit 10	7	0	0%	None
Unit 2 (Local 39)	23.5	1	4%	Maintenance Worker I/II (Water/Sewer)
Unit 3 (Local 39)	11	1	9%	Community Services Officer (CSO)(Animal Control)
Unit 6	25.5	1	4%	Police Sergeant
Unit 8 (Local 3800)	30	1	3%	Fire Fighter

Participation and Request Deadlines

- Presentation Requests: If your organization wishes to present at the hearing, please notify City Clerk by Wednesday, June 4, 2026.
- Requests for Additional Vacancy Data: Must be submitted by June 4, 2026 if applicable.

Each presentation will be limited to 10 minutes per bargaining unit.

Contact

Please direct all responses and requests to:
Taylor Whittingslow, Deputy City Manager/City Clerk
Email: taylorw@cityofgrassvalley.com
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We appreciate your continued collaboration and look forward to your participation.

Sincerely,
Taylor Whittingslow
Deputy City Manager/City Clerk

Attachment: CITY OF GRASS VALLEY – PROCEDURES FOR AB 2561 PUBLIC HEARINGS