City of Oakland

Meeting Minutes - DRAFT

*Rules & Legislation Committee

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Thursday, October 22, 2026 | **10:30 AM** | **City Council Chamber, 3rd Floor**

The Oakland City Council Rules And Legislation Committee Convened At 10:31 A.M., With Council President Jenkins Presiding As Chairperson

COMMITTEE MEMBERSHIP:

Roll Call / Call To Order

Present 3 - Rowena Brown, Janani Ramachandran, and Kevin Jenkins

Excused 1 - Carroll Fife

1 Approval Of The Draft Minutes From The Committee Meeting Of October 8, 2026

27-0089

Attachments: View Report

A motion was made by Rowena Brown, seconded by Janani Ramachandran, that this matter be Accepted. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye: 3 - Brown, Ramachandran, and Jenkins

Excused: 1 - Fife

NO VOTE: 0

2 Determination Of Schedule Of Outstanding Committee Items

27-0090

Attachments: View Report

View Supplemental Report - 10/16/2026

A motion was made by Janani Ramachandran, seconded by Rowena Brown, that this matter be Accepted. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye: 3 - Brown, Ramachandran, and Jenkins

Excused: 1 - Fife

NO VOTE: 0

Roll Call Modified To Note Councilmember Fife As Present At 10:33 A.M.

3 New Scheduling Items

2 Speakers Spoke On This Item

A motion was made by Janani Ramachandran, seconded by Rowena Brown, that this matter be Accepted. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye: 4 - Brown, Fife, Ramachandran, and Jenkins

NO VOTE: 0

3.1 Subject: Minimum Wage Ballot Measure
From: Office Of The City Clerk
Recommendation: Adopt The Following Pieces Of Legislation:

1) A Resolution Accepting The Certification Of The Results Of The Examination Of The Initiative Petition Proposing An Ordinance Entitled “Oakland Living Wage For All Act Of 2026”; And
27-0173

On Non-Consent

Pursuant To Rule 24, A Statement Was Made On Record As To The Item Bypassing Committee

This City Resolution be Scheduled.to go before the * Concurrent Meeting of the Oakland Redevelopment Successor Agency and the City Council to be heard 12/1/2026

2) Pursuant To California Elections Code Section 9215, The City Council Shall Adopt One Of The Following Items Of Legislation:

A) An Ordinance Adopting The Citizen Sponsored Initiative Entitled “Oakland Living Wage For All Act Of 2026,” Without Alteration, To Amend Oakland’s Minimum Wage Ordinances To Increase The Minimum Wage To $30 For Oakland Employees By July 1, 2037, Among Other Things; Or
27-0174

On Non-Consent

Pursuant To Rule 24, A Statement Was Made On Record As To The Item Bypassing Committee

This Ordinance be Scheduled.to go before the * Concurrent Meeting of the Oakland Redevelopment Successor Agency and the City Council to be heard 12/1/2026

B) A Resolution Submitting The Citizen Sponsored Initiative Entitled “Oakland Living Wage For All Act Of 2026” To The Voters At The Next General Municipal Election (November 7, 2028); Or At A Special Election To Be Held 88-103 Days After The Call Of The Election, And Calling And Giving Notice For Such Special Election; Or
27-0175

On Non-Consent

Pursuant To Rule 24, A Statement Was Made On Record As To The Item Bypassing Committee

This City Resolution be Scheduled.to go before the * Concurrent Meeting of the Oakland Redevelopment Successor Agency and the City Council to be heard 12/1/2026

C) A Resolution Ordering The Preparation Of A Report Pursuant To California Elections Code Section 9212 On The Effects Of The Citizen Sponsored Initiative Entitled “Oakland Living Wage For All Act Of 2026,” To Be Presented To Council Within 30 Days; On The December 1, 2026 City Council Agenda On Non-Consent
27-0176

On Non-Consent

Pursuant To Rule 24, A Statement Was Made On Record As To The Item Bypassing Committee

This City Resolution be Scheduled.to go before the * Concurrent Meeting of the Oakland Redevelopment Successor Agency and the City Council to be heard 12/1/2026

3.2 Subject: Data Center Moratorium Report And Extension
From: Councilmember Fife And Planning And Building Department
Recommendation: Adopt The Following Pieces Of Legislation:

1) A Resolution Adopting And Issuing The Written Report Required By Government Code Section 65858, Subdivision (D), Within Thirty-Five (35) Days Of The Passage Of The Forty-Five (45) Day Interim Emergency Moratorium, Describing The Measures Taken To Alleviate The Conditions That Led To The Adoption Of Interim Emergency Ordinance No. 13899 C.M.S.; And Making Appropriate California Environmental Quality Act Findings; And
27-0177

As A Public Hearing

Pursuant To Rule 24, A Statement Was Made On Record As To The Item Bypassing Committee

This City Resolution be Scheduled.to go before the Special Concurrent Meeting of the Oakland Redevelopment Successor Agency/City Council to be heard 11/10/2026

2) An Interim Emergency Ordinance, Pursuant To Oakland City Charter Section 213 And California Government Code Section 65858, Extending Interim Emergency Ordinance No. 13899 C.M.S., The Temporary Moratorium On The Approval Of Any Land Use Entitlements And/Or Agreements On The Development Or Operation Of Data Centers In The City Of Oakland, For Ten (10) Months And Fifteen (15) Days; On The November 10, 2026 Special City Council Agenda As A Public Hearing
27-0178

As A Public Hearing

Pursuant To Rule 24, A Statement Was Made On Record As To The Item Bypassing Committee

This Ordinance be Scheduled.to go before the Special Concurrent Meeting of the Oakland Redevelopment Successor Agency/City Council to be heard 11/10/2026

4 Review Of Draft Agendas, Pending Lists, City Council And Committee Meetings
27-0127

Attachments:
October 27, 2026 Special Finance And Management Committee Agenda
October 27, 2026 Public Works And Transportation Committee Agenda
October 27, 2026 Community And Economic Development Committee Agenda
October 27, 2026 Life Enrichment Committee Agenda
October 27, 2026 Public Safety Committee Agenda
October 29, 2026 Rules And Legislation Committee Agenda
Finance And Management Committee Pending List
Public Works And Transportation Committee Pending List
Community And Economic Development Committee Pending List
Life Enrichment Committee Pending List
Education Partnership Committee Pending List
Public Safety Committee Pending List
Rules And Legislation Committee Pending List
Port Liason Committee Pending List
Draft November 5, 2026 Rules And Legislation Committee Agenda

A motion was made by Rowena Brown, seconded by Janani Ramachandran, that this matter be Accepted as Amended. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye: 4 - Brown, Fife, Ramachandran, and Jenkins

NO VOTE: 0

Changes Made To The October 27, 2026 Public Safety Committee Agenda

Subject: 2025 Safe Oakland Streets Informational Report
From: Department Of Transportation
Recommendation: Receive The 2025 Safe Oakland Streets (SOS) Annual Informational Report From The Department Of Transportation, In Coordination With The Oakland Police Department, The Department Of Race And Equity, And The City Administrator's Office
26-0861

Attachments: NO WRITTEN MATERIALS

This Informational Report be * Withdrawn and Rescheduled.to go before the *Special Public Safety Committee to be heard 11/17/2026

Open Forum

0 Speakers Spoke During Open Forum

Adjournment

There Being No Further Business, The Oakland City Council Rules And Legislation Committee Adjourned The Meeting At 10:43 A.M.

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