



MINUTES
Community Services Commission Meeting
April 22, 2026 @ 7:00 pm

Hayward City Hall, 777 B Street, Hayward, CA 94541 – Conference Room 2A & Zoom

ANNOUNCEMENT OF MEETING AVAILABILITY

Webinar ID: 857 1631 6790 – Password: 49&@pAPR – Passcode for “Dial-in Option” 01693964

CALL TO ORDER

Meeting called to order at 7:01pm by Chair Lenita Wheeler

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Led by Commissioner Wheeler

AB 2449 Teleconference Notification and Consideration

ROLL CALL

Members Present:

- Guadalupe Angulo, Commissioner
- Hoang Dao, Commissioner
- Jesse Gunn, Commissioner & Vice Chair
- Yoshiko Kimura, Commissioner
- Daisy Maxion, Commissioner
- Jagdeep Singh, Commissioner – joined meeting at 7:09pm
- Elvin Sledge, Commissioner
- Lenita Wheeler, Commissioner & Chair
- Calvin Wong, Commissioner

Absent:

- Barbara Madeiros, Commissioner
- Jayendra Singh, Commissioner

Staff:

- Emily Hwang, Management Analyst and Staff Liasion
- Mary Thomas, Assistant City Manager
- Ember Padro, Management Analyst (online)
- Evelyn R. Olivera, Senior Secretary

PUBLIC COMMENT (not on the agenda)

None

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Approval of the Minutes of the Community Services Commission Meeting on March 18, 2026

- Commissioner Daisy Maxion made a motion to approve the minutes. Commissioner Lupe Angulo seconded the motion. The motion was approved unanimously. See *Figure 1: Action Item Votes for the roll call vote.*

REPORT ITEMS

Informational item: End of Public Comment Period (3/20/2026 – 4/22/2026)

Staff Liaison Ms. Emily Hwang announced the end of the Public Comment Period for CDBG Funding Recommendations, opening on 3/20/2026 and closing on 4/22/2026.

Informational Item: 30-Day Notice of City Council Public Hearing on FY 2026 – 2027 CDBG Funding Recommendations

Staff Liaison Ms. Emily Hwang announced the 30-Day Notice of City Council Public Hearing on FY 2026 – 2027 CDBG Funding Recommendations.

ACTION ITEM (1)

FY 2026-2027 CDBG Allocations and Annual Action Plan Final Funding Recommendations. (Discussion occurred before Work Session Item)

Prior to discussing the CDBG allocation recommendations, Staff Liaison Ms. Emily Hwang provided a recap of previous discussions and outlined next steps for developing the recommendations for the upcoming fiscal year.

Ms. Hwang announced that the final award amount was slightly higher than anticipated. Staff recommended allocating the additional funds to public services, specifically the Hayward Navigation Center, as well as to administration and planning activities related to staffing costs.

Staff also responded to commissioners' clarifying questions regarding the recommendations prior to the final vote.

- Commissioner Jesse Gunn made a motion to approve the recommendations as-is. It was seconded by Commissioner Elvin Sledge. The motion was approved with eight (8) Yay and one (1) No. See *Figure 1: Action Item Votes for roll call vote.*

WORK SESSION

CSC Working Groups

Staff and commissioners discussed findings from the working groups and explored options for advancing the Commission’s priorities considering the known absence of CAF funding in the upcoming fiscal year.

ACTION ITEM (2)

CSC Agenda Planning Calendar

- Commissioner Jesse Gunn made a motion to adopt the calendar with the addition of renaming the Work Session Item. It was seconded by Commissioner Lenita Wheeler. The motion was approved unanimously. See *Figure 1: Action Item Votes for roll call vote.*

Council Liaison / Commissioner / Staff Announcements

- Commissioner Jesse Gunn announced Saturday, April 25th at 2pm at the Heritage Plaza is the 5th Annual Hayward Lit Hop celebrating literary culture and books.
- Assistant City Manager, Mary Thomas, announced the Annual Earth Day event beginning at 830 am, Saturday, April 25th at Weeke’s Park.
- Ms. Emily Hwang announced a funding opportunity through Union Pacific’s Community Ties Giving Program. A QR code with additional information was provided to the group to access further information.

ADJOURNMENT

Chair Lenita Wheeler adjourned the meeting at 8:52 pm

Figure 1: Action Item Votes

Commissioner	Roll Call	Minutes - March 18, 2026 CSC Meeting	Item 9I FY26-27 CDBG Funding Recommendations	Item 9II CSC Agenda Planning Calendar
Chair Lenita Wheeler	Present	Yay	Yay	Second, Yay
Vice Chair Jesse Gunn	Present	Yay	First, Yay	First, Yay
Guadalupe Angulo	Present	Second, Yay	Yay	Yay
Hoang Dao	Present	Yay	Yay	Yay
Yoshiko Kimura	Present	Yay	Yay	Yay
Barbara Madeiros	Absent	Absent	Absent	Absent
Daisy Maxion	Present	First, Yay	Yay	Yay
Jagdeep Singh	Absent arrived 7:09p	Absent	Yay	Yay
Jayendra Singh	Absent	Absent	Absent	Absent
Elvin Sledge	Present	Yay	Second, Yay	Yay
Calvin Wong	Present	Yay	No	Yay