

# **Special Meeting of the Approval Authority**

Thursday, December 11, 2025 10:00 A.M

Alameda County Sheriff's Office 4985 Broder Blvd., Dublin, CA 94568

## Agenda

#### CALL TO ORDER AND ROLL CALL

Chair Mary Ellen Carroll, City and County of San Francisco

Vice-Chair April Luckett-Fahimi, County of Alameda

Member Erica Brown, City and County of San Francisco

Member Jessica Feil, City of Oakland

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Member Daniel Perea, County of San Mateo
Member Jeff DuVall, County of Sonoma

Interim General Manager Mikyung Kim-Molina

## 1. APPROVAL OF REVISED 2025 REGULAR MEETING SCHEDULE (Discussion, Action)

Mikyung Kim Molina, Interim General Manager, will present a revised 2025 meeting calendar. (Supplemental documentation to support this item includes a revised meeting calendar for 2025)

## 2. GENERAL PUBLIC COMMENT

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(There is no supplemental documentation for this item)

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## 1. APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES (Discussion, Action)

Mary Ellen Carroll, Approval Authority Chair, will lead a discussion and possible action to approve the draft minutes from the September 18, 2025 special meeting of the Approval Authority.

(Supplemental documentation to support this item includes draft minutes from September 18, 2025.)

## 2. GENERAL MANAGER'S REPORT (Discussion)

Mikyung Kim-Molina, Interim General Manager, will present her report to include discussion on the following topics:

- a. Status of Grant Applications, Awards, and Modifications
- b. Management Team Update
- c. 2025 UASI Public Safety Preparedness Summit
- d. Bay Area UASI Website
- e. Governing MOU Reminder
- f. Priorities and Strategy for 2026

(Document for this item is a report from Mikyung Kim-Molina)

# 3. ELECTION OF OFFICERS (Discussion, Action)

The Chair will receive nominations and conduct two votes on the positions of Bay Area UASI Approval Authority Chair and Vice Chair for the 2026-2027 two-year term. Discussion as requested by Approval Authority members will be followed by action to approve nominations. (Document for this item is a report from Interim General Manager Mikyung Kim-Molina.)

# 4. 2026 MEETING CALENDAR (Discussion, Action)

Mikyung Kim-Molina, Interim General Manager, will propose maintaining the existing schedule of four in-person meetings per year in 2026, to be held on March 12, June 11, September 10, and November 12. Discussion will be followed by action to either approve proposed recommended meeting dates or select alternative dates for 2026.

(Document for this item is a report from Mikyung Kim-Molina)

# 5. SUBCOMMITTEE FORMATION FOR REVIEWING AND APPROVING PROJECT AMENDMENTS AND APPOINTMENTS TO SUBCOMMITTEE (Discussion, Action)

Juliet Vaughn, Associate from Redwood Public Law, will present options for (1) establishing a subcommittee for reviewing and approving urgent project amendments over \$150,000, and (2) selecting one representative from each Hub to be on said subcommittee, for discussion and action. (Documents for this item are a report and presentation from Juliet Vaughn)

## 6. FINANCIAL UPDATE ON GRANT EXPENDITURES (Discussion)

Tristan Levardo, Chief Financial Officer, will present an update on all Bay Area UASI grant expenditures.

(Document for this item is a report from Tristan Levardo)

## 7. 2025 THIRA/SPR (Discussion, Action)

Jason Carroll, Director of Public Sector Programs at Secure Passage, will present the Bay Area UASI's 2025 THIRA for submission to FEMA for approval, as well as an overview of the 2025 SPR. (Documents for this item are a report and appendix from Jason Carroll)

## 8. FY26 HUB FUNDING FORMULA APPROVAL (Discussion, Action)

Jason Carroll, Director of Public Sector Programs at Secure Passage, will present the Bay Area UASI's 2025 risk formula for the region to take effect in FY2026.

(Documents for this item are a report and a presentation from Jason Carroll)

# 9. FY26-FY27 UASI APPLICATION PROCESS AND TIMELINE (Discussion, Action)

Molly Giesen-Fields, Grant Administration and Compliance Manager, will explain key changes to the FY26 & FY27 UASI grant application process as well as the timeline to develop and submit proposals from prospective applicants.

(Documents for this item are a report and a presentation from Molly Giesen-Fields)

## 10. ANNOUNCEMENTS – GOOD OF THE ORDER (Discussion)

Members of the Approval Authority may provide announcements or suggest agenda items for future Approval Authority meetings.

(There is no supplemental documentation for this item)

# 11. CLOSED SESSION – PUBLIC EMPLOYEE APPOINTMENT (Action)

Pursuant to Government Code No. 54957, members of the Approval Authority will enter into closed session to discuss and take potential action regarding appointment of one (1) public employee. The position is the General Manager.

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