METROPOLITAN TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

ASSOCIATION OF BAY AREA GOVERNMENTS

Bay Area Metro Center
375 Beale Street
San Francisco, CA 94105

Board Room, 1st Floor

MEETING MINUTES

Date: Friday, October 2, 2026 | **Time:** 10 a.m.

MTC ABAG Community Advisory Council

Clerk: Jessica Lewis

Roster

Carina Vinh Lieu
Chair

Diana Benitez
Vice Chair

Victorina Arvelo
Chuck Cantrell
Warren Cushman
Julia Gerasimenko
Charles Lavery
Karen Nemsick
Joshua Saunders
Sonja Shephard
Gabriela Yamilet Orantes
Padma Balaji
Kathleen Cha
Ashton Desmangles
Dwayne Hankerson
Alexander Madrid
Peter Saathoff-Harshfield
Tim Sbranti
Gaetano Trachtenberg
Michael Baldini
Amanda Chang
Bryant Duong
Wendi Kallins
Louis Mirante
Marlene Salazar
R. Shay Miles
Janelle Wong

**Non-Voting Members*

Agenda

1. Call to Order / Roll Call / Confirm Quorum / Compensation Announcement

A quorum shall consist of a majority of members present (14).

Present: 20 - Member Balaji, Member Baldini, Member Cantrell, Member Cha, Member Chang, Member Cushman, Member Desmangles, Member Duong, Member Hankerson, Member Kallins, Member Lavery, Member Madrid, Member Saathoff-Harshfield, Member Saunders, Member Shay Miles, Member Shephard, Member Trachtenberg, Chair Vinh Lieu, Member Wong, Member Yamilet Orantes

Absent: 7 - Member Arvelo, Vice Chair Benitez, Member Gerasimenko, Member Mirante, Member Nemsick, Member Salazar, Member Sbranti

Member Hankerson, Member Madrid, and Member Yamilet Orantes participated remotely pursuant to Gov. Code Section 54953.8.3(2).

Chair Lieu called the meeting to order at 10:08 AM . Quorum was present.

2. Council Member Announcements

3. Chair's Report

4. Consent Calendar

Upon the motion by Member Baldini and second by Member Saunders, the Consent Calendar was unanimously approved. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye:	17 -	Chair Vinh Lieu, Member Balaji, Member Baldini, Member Cantrell, Member Chang, Member Cushman, Member Desmangles, Member Duong, Member Hankerson, Member Lavery, Member Saathoff-Harshfield, Member Saunders, Member Shay Miles, Member Shephard, Member Wong, Member Yamilet Orantes, and Member Cha
Abstain:	1 -	Member Kallins
Absent:	9 -	Vice Chair Benitez, Member Arvelo, Member Gerasimenko, Member Madrid, Member Mirante, Member Nemsick, Member Salazar, Member Sbranti, and Member Trachtenberg

4a. **Approval of MTC ABAG Community Advisory Council minutes of September 4, 2026** 26-2090

Action: Committee Approval

Presenter(s): Jessica Lewis

5. Information

5a. **Plan Bay Area 2060 Foundations: The Bay Area Today (Preview)** 26-2091

Foundational, data-driven context on existing conditions in the Bay Area.

Action: Information

Presenter(s): Anup Tapase, Breitling Snyder

The following members of the public were called to speak: Aleta Dupree (Team Folds) and Walter Park.

Member Gaetano Trachtenberg arrived during agenda item 5a, Member Alex Madrid arrived remotely during agenda item 5a

5b. **Update on State and Federal 2026 Legislative Sessions** 26-2092

Overview of outcomes related to MTC-ABAG's 2026 Legislative Advocacy Program priorities.

Action: Information

Presenter(s): Georgia Gann Dohrmann

Aleta Dupree (Team Folds) was called to speak.

5c. **Regional Network Management Customer Advisory Group Report Out** 26-2093

Action: Information

Presenter(s): Councilmember Wendi Kallins

Aleta Dupree (Team Folds) was called to speak.

6. Staff Liaison Report

6a. **Staff Liaison Report** 26-2094

Overview of recent MTC and ABAG policy decisions and other activities.

Action: Information

Presenter(s): Ky-Nam Miller

7. New Business

8. Public Comment

The following members of the public were called to speak: Aleta Dupree (Team Folds) and Jane Kramer.

9. Adjournment / Next Meeting

Chair Lieu adjourned the meeting at 12:32 PM. The next regular meeting of the MTC ABAG Community Advisory Council is on November 6, 2026.