



# ALAMEDA COUNTY EARLY CARE & EDUCATION PLANNING COUNCIL PUBLIC POLICY COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES

July 2, 2025

10:00 - 12:00 p.m.

Location: BANANAS, 5232 Claremont Ave., Oakland, CA

Zoom Meeting: <https://us06web.zoom.us/j/82150692976>

**In Person Attendees:** Diana Garcia, *First 5 Alameda County*; Lucero Irizarry, *ACOE*; Eric Peterson, Kym Johnson, *BANANAS*; Trish Murillo, *Davis St*

**Virtual Attendees:** Alondra Briseno, Caroline Christman, *ACOE*; Jennifer Cabán, *City of Oakland*; Makinya Ward, *Kids Konnect*; Mona Shirk, *Hively*; Page Tomblin, *Oakland Starting Smart and Strong*; Paulina Campos, *First 5 Alameda County*; Tatiana Smith, *Social Worker*; Shruti Agarwal, *Shruti's Family Day Care*

- **CALL TO ORDER**

**Action:** Diana Garcia initiated the meeting 10:05 am

- **WELCOME, ATTENDANCE, AND INTRODUCTIONS**

Attendees introduced themselves and shared their 4th of July weekend plans.

- **REVIEW AND APPROVAL OF AGENDA – July 2, 2025**

No Action was taken.

- **REVIEW AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES – May 21, 2025**

No Action was taken.

- **PUBLIC COMMENT**

None at this time.

- **FEDERAL UPDATES**

- Executive Orders
- Budget Reconciliation

- **STATE UPDATE**

- Legislation
- ACOE Legislative Updates
- No update
- 2025 Legislation Tracker
  - AB 1123
  - AB 49
  - AB 495
  - AB 753
  - AB 563
  - AB 752
  - AB 904
  - SB 792



- **LOCAL UPDATES**

- [First 5 Alameda - Measure C](#)
  - The 5 year plan was approved.
  - Measure W-general purpose funds.
  - Jonathan Russel, the administrator for the homelessness program, is hosting an opportunity for advocacy on July 22nd to ensure the funds are used for the stated purpose.
- [Alameda County Early Childhood Policy Committee \(ACECPC\)](#)
  - Has wrapped up the season and is planning for the upcoming fiscal year.
- [Oakland Children's Initiative \(OCI\)](#)
  - The last commission meeting with the last existing commissioners on July 24th at 4pm in City Hall.
  - OCI City Council will be on recess for a month.
  - Brand new website for the [City of Oakland](#).
- SB 404- ACOE is opposing this bill

- **COORDINATOR REPORT**

- The Planning Council is meeting July 18th.
- A soft launch was made for the [AlamedaCountyPreK](#) website.
- July 23rd- Tri-COE Leadership Symposium in Concord

- **AGENDA ITEMS FOR NEXT MEETING**

- August 6th, 2025

- **PARTNER UPDATES**

- **ADJOURNMENT**

The meeting was adjourned at 11:48 am.