



REGULAR MEETING AGENDA
EAST KERN HEALTH CARE DISTRICT
BOARD OF DIRECTORS

5:30PM September 1st, 2026

(In Person and Zoom)

9278 N Loop Blvd, California City, CA 93505

MISSION STATEMENT: “Building health, well-being, and resiliency”

PLEASE CLICK THE LINK BELOW TO JOIN THE MEETING:

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ZOOM ID: 86179921607

MEETING PASSCODE: 120485

I. OPEN MEETING

A. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE/INVOCATION

B. ROLL CALL AND CALL TO ORDER

Per the Grand Jury Report Dated April 29, 2024. R4 under Recommendations, states, ...” Follow Robert’s Rules of Order, eliminate cell phone usage, and reduce side bar conversation during the meeting...”

C. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Board members can amend the agenda in compliance with the Brown Act, before or after someone makes a motion to adopt the agenda. To do this, any board member can motion to add emergency items, delete items, or change things around. Once someone motions to amend the agenda, the board takes a vote, and

the majority rules. The meeting will proceed according to the approved agenda.

II. CLOSED SESSION

a. **CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL- ANTICIPATED LITIGATION**

(Paragraph (2) or (3) of subdivision (d) of Gov. Code § 54956.9(d)(2)

Significant exposure to litigation: One Case

III. NEW BUSINESS

- a. Discussion and Direction Regarding Potential Engagement of Kiley & Associates for Government Affairs Services and Proposed Action Plan
- b. Eva Hebebrand -Financials
 - 1. Budget vs Actual Unaudited July 2026
 - 2. Check Detail Unaudited July 2026
 - 3. Balance Sheet Unaudited July 2026
 - 4. Profit and Loss YTD Comparison Unaudited July 2026
- c. Consideration and Possible Approval of Compensation Adjustment and First Amendment to the At-Will Employment Agreement for the Office Assistant and Maintenance Technician
- d. Discussion and possible Action to adopt Proposed East Kern Health Care District Strategic Plan and Resolution No. 2026 -3, or Provide Direction Regarding Further Revisions

PUBLIC COMMENTS

Members of the public are welcome to address the board on any matter NOT on the agenda and over which the Board has authority. If you wish to speak, please state your name for the record and limit your comments to 1 minute.

IV. COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

V. STAFF REPORT

- a. Rubi Rizo

VI. CONSENT CALENDAR

All items on the Consent Calendar are considered routine, non-controversial, and will be approved by one (1) motion if no member of the Board, Staff, or Public wishes to comment or ask questions. Public comment to be limited to one (1)

minute. Roll Call votes are required.

A. Vendor Payments Debit Payment (INFORMATION ONLY)

B. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

1. Regular Meeting August 4th, 2026
2. Regular Meeting August 18th, 2026
3. **Special** Meeting August 26th, 2026

VI. CLOSE MEETING

A. PRESIDENTS COMMENTS

B. DIRECTORS COMMENTS – AB 1234

C. DIRECTOR REPORTS

D. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS –

1. Summer Programs
2. Review CLASS and Mission Bank Proposals
3. Board Review and possible action to approve Cancer Fund Policies, Procedure and By-Law
4. Board Discussion and possible action to review Mission and Vision Statement to align with development of Strategic Plan
5. Good Faith Conflict Meeting Amendment
6. R. Rizo presents homework and progress review of MJHMP
7. Policies and Procedures for Sponsorships, Memberships and Subscriptions
8. Board Discussion and possible Action for Yearly Membership and Sponsorship of the Desert Rose Garden Club

E. ADJOURNMENT

Next Regular Meeting: Tuesday September 15th, 2026, at 5:30 p.m. In person and (ZOOM) 9278 N Loop Blvd., California City, CA 93505

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