Lake Local Agency Formation Commission (LAFCo)

Regular Meeting Agenda

Wednesday, November 18, 2026 -- 9:30 am

City of Lakeport – City Council Chambers
225 Park Street Lakeport, CA 95453

Website: www.lakelafco.org

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Commissioners

Stacey Mattina, Chair (City)
Dirk Slooten, Vice Chair (City)
Bruno Sabatier (County)
Jessica Pyska (County)
Jim Scholz (Special District)
Stan Archacki (Special District)
Ed Robey (Public Member)

Commission Alternate Members

Kirsten Priebe (Special District Alternate)
Brad Rasmussen (County Alternate)
Kenneth Parlet (City Alternate)
Dennis Darling (Public Alternate)

Staff

Larkyn Feiler, Executive Officer
P. Scott Browne, Legal Counsel

1. Call to Order – Roll Call

2. Public Comment

The public may address the Commission on any matter within LAFCo jurisdiction that is not on the agenda. There is a three-minute limit, and no action will be taken.

ACTION ITEMS:

3. Approval of Minutes

Consider approval of the minutes of the September 16, 2026 LAFCo meeting.

4. Approval of Claims

Consider approval of the payment of claims for September and October 2026.

5. Proposed Bylaws Amendment - Conflict of Interest Code and Financial Disclosure

a. Second reading of the proposed bylaws amendment, unless waived.

b. Discuss any final modifications to the bylaws amendment language.
c. Consider adoption of Resolution No. 2026-06 to establish the bylaws amendment.

6. Butte-Lake LAFCo Staffing Services Agreement
Consider approving a Staffing Services Agreement with Butte LAFCo and authorizing the Commission Chair and Executive Officer to execute the agreement.

7. Approval of Regular Meeting Schedule for 2027
Consider approval of the 2027 Regular Meeting Schedule.

8. Approval of Chair and Vice-Chair for 2027
Consider approval of the 2027 Chair and Vice-Chair.

OTHER ITEMS:

9. Correspondence
a. CALAFCO Board and Conference Calendar 2026-2027.

10. CALAFCO Conference Discussion
Discussion of the 2026 CALAFCO Conference (Oct. 21 - 23 in Sacramento).

11. Certificate of Appreciation for Dirk Slooten
Present a Certificate of Appreciation to Dirk Slooten for 8 years of dedicated service on the Commission.

12. Executive Officer's Report

13. LAFCo Counsel's Report

14. Commissioner Reports
Commissioners may discuss items and issues of concern to their constituency, LAFCo, and legislative matters.

15. Adjourn to the next meeting on January 20, 2026 at 9:30 AM in Clearlake

The Commission may take action on any item listed on the agenda. Unless otherwise noted, items may be taken up at any time during the meeting.

Any member appointed on behalf of local government shall represent the interests of the public as a whole and not solely the interest of the appointing authority (GOV § 56325).

Public Comment

Members of the public may address the Commission on items within LAFCo jurisdiction not appearing on the agenda, as well as any item that does appear on the agenda, subject to the following restrictions:

- No action shall be taken on items not appearing on the agenda unless otherwise authorized by Government Code Section 54954.2 (known as the Brown Act, or California Open Meeting Law).
- The total amount of time allotted for receiving public comment may be limited to 15 minutes.
- Any individual's testimony may be limited to 3 minutes. Time to address the Commission will be allocated on the basis of the number of requests received.

Public Hearings

Members of the public may address the Commission on any item appearing on the agenda as a Public Hearing. The Commission may limit any person's testimony to 3 minutes. Written statements may be submitted in lieu of or to supplement oral statements made during a public hearing.

Agenda Materials

Agenda packets are located on the LAFCo website at www.lakelafco.org. Materials related to an item on the agenda submitted after distribution are available, to the extent feasible, on the LAFCo website.

Accessibility

An interpreter for the hearing-impaired may be made available upon request to the Executive Officer 72 hours before a meeting. The location of this meeting is wheelchair accessible.

Contact LAFCo Staff

LAFCo staff may be contacted at: (530) 632-4406, PO Box 348, Yuba City, CA 95992, or lake.lafco@gmail.com.

Disclosure & Disqualification Requirements

Any person or group of persons acting in concert who directly or indirectly contribute $1,000 or more in support of or in opposition to a change of organization or reorganization that has been submitted to LAFCo must comply with the disclosure requirements of the Political Reform Act of 1974 applicable to local initiative measures to be submitted to the electorate. These requirements contain provisions for making disclosures of contributions and expenditures at specified intervals; they may be reviewed at Government Code §§56700.1 and 81000 et seq. Additional information about the requirements pertaining to local initiative measures to be presented to the electorate can be obtained by calling the Fair Political Practices Commission at (916) 322-5660.

A LAFCo Commissioner must disqualify herself or himself from voting on an application involving an "entitlement for use" (such as an annexation or sphere amendment) if, within the last twelve months, the Commissioner has received $250 or more in campaign contributions from the applicant, any financially interested person who actively supports or opposes the application, or an agency (such as an attorney, engineer, or planning consultant) representing the applicant or an interested party. The law (Government Code Section 84308) also requires any applicant or other participant in a LAFCo proceeding to disclose the contribution amount and name of the recipient Commissioner on the official record of the proceeding.

Lake Local Agency Formation Commission (LAFCo)

DRAFT Meeting Minutes
Wednesday, September 16, 2026 at 9:30 AM

City of Clearlake – City Council Chambers
14050 Olympic Drive, Clearlake, CA 95422

1. Call to Order – Roll Call
The meeting was called to order at 9:33 am. Commissioners Mattina, Slooten, Sabatier, Pyska, Robey, Scholz, and Archacki and Alternates Parlet and Priebe were present. Alternate Commissioners Rasmussen and Darling were absent. Larkyn Feiler, Executive Officer (EO) and Scott Browne, Legal Counsel (via Zoom) were present.

2. Public Comment None

ACTION ITEMS:

3. Approval of Minutes
Upon motion of Vice-Chair Slooten and second by Commissioner Robey, the minutes of the June 17, 2026 LAFCo meeting were unanimously approved.

4. Approval of Claims
Upon motion of Commissioner Sabatier and second by Vice-Chair Slooten, the payment of claims for June, July, and August 2026 were unanimously approved.

PROTEST HEARING:

5. Protest Hearing and Determination of the Value of Written Protests for the Scotts Valley Water Conservation District Dissolution (File No. DIS-2026-01)
Chair Mattina opened the Protest Hearing on the proposal for dissolution of the Scotts Valley Water Conservation District at 9:36 am. EO Feiler summarized the Commission's resolution making determinations, noted that zero written protests were received prior to the hearing, and confirmed that the purpose of the Protest Hearing was limited in scope to receiving and counting written protests against an already approved proposal.

Chair Mattina called for any oral protests, objections, or evidence. None were received.
Chair Mattina called for any written protests against the proposal. None were received.
Chair Mattina called for any withdrawals of filed written protests. None were received.

Chair Mattina closed the Protest Hearing at 9:39 am.

EO Feiler determined the value of written protests received and not withdrawn by the close of the hearing, which was zero, found that insufficient written protests were received to order an election or terminate the proceedings, and recommended that the Commission consider the first recommendation to order the dissolution.

Upon motion of Vice-Chair Slooten and second by Commissioner Robey, adoption of Resolution No. 2026-05 ordering the Scotts Valley WCD Dissolution (File No. DIS-2026-01) change of organization without an election was unanimously approved.

ACTION ITEMS:

6. Proposed Bylaws Amendment - Conflict of Interest Code and Financial Disclosure
EO Feiler presented the item to review and discuss a proposed bylaws amendment to designate the FPPC as the filing officer for LAFCo and file the Statement of Economic Interests (Form 700) via their electronic system under Senate Bill 852, update the prior campaign contribution amount of $250 to $500, and address outdated information.

Upon motion by Vice-Chair Slooten and second by Commissioner Robey, waiver of the first reading of the proposed bylaws amendment, direction to staff to circulate the proposed amendment without modification for comments, and setting a second reading at the November 18, 2026 LAFCo meeting, were unanimously approved.

7. Potential Butte LAFCo On-call Staffing Services Arrangement
EO Feiler presented the item to discuss a potential arrangement with Butte LAFCo for on-call staffing services for MSR/SOI preparation, application processing, and other LAFCo tasks as needed at a reasonable rate. EO Feiler noted that this arrangement has been in place with Colusa LAFCo since April and has been helpful and resulted in high quality and timely work product. The Commission confirmed interest in pursuing an arrangement with Butte LAFCo and directed staff to return with an agreement for consideration.

OTHER ITEMS:

8. Correspondence None

9. Executive Officer's Report
EO Feiler reported on submittal of two applications, the Hidden Valley Lake CSD application for the Valley Oaks annexation and LACOSAN detachment and an Upper Lake CWD annexation, Commissioner Robey serving as the voting delegate for the CALAFCO conference, and an upcoming LAFCo 101 presentation at the City of Clearlake City Council meeting.

10. LAFCo Counsel's Report None

11. Commissioner Reports None

12. Adjourn to the next meeting on November 18, 2026 at 9:30 AM in Lakeport
The meeting was adjourned at 9:54 am.

Lake Local Agency Formation Commission

CLAIMS – September and October 2026

FY 2026-27 Expenses

September 2026

Reference #	Recipient	Account	Description	Subtotal	Total
September 16 meeting	Commissioners	500-101	Commissioners Stipend		$900.00
Invoice #1518	Law Office of P. Scott Browne	750-564	Attorney Contracts		$2,046.43
Invoice #2026-09	Larkyn Feiler	750-560	Staff Services	$4,275.00	$4,525.71
		750-560	Office Expenses	$250.71	
				Total Claims	$7,472.14

October 2026

Reference #	Recipient	Account	Description	Subtotal	Total
Invoice #1521	Law Office of P. Scott Browne	750-564	Attorney Contracts		$2,046.43
Invoice #2026-10	Larkyn Feiler	750-560	Staff Services	$1,788.75	$3,116.40
		750-560	Office Expenses	$62.47	
CALAFCO Conference	Hotel room, parking, meals	700-453	Transportation and Travel	$1,265.18	
CALAFCO Conference	Commissioner (mileage)	700-453	Transportation and Travel		$151.09
				Total Claims	$5,313.92

APPROVED: November 18, 2026

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Stacey Mattina, Chair
or Dirk Slooten, Vice-Chair

Attest:

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Larkyn Feiler
Executive Officer

Lake LAFCo FY 2026-27
General Services and Supplies Budget Expenditure Summary

Fund/Dept. 419-5020

Expenditure Classification		Budget	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Total	%	Remaining
500-101	Commissioners Stipend	$6,600			$900.00		$900.00	14%	$5,700.00
600-235	Supplies	$250					$0.00	0%	$250.00
700-451	Memberships	$2,336	$2,335.00				$2,335.00	100%	$1.00
700-450	Books and Periodicals	$200					$0.00	0%	$200.00
750-564	Attorney Contracts	$30,000	$2,046.43	$2,046.43	$2,046.43	$2,046.43	$8,185.72	27%	$21,814.28
750-560	LAFCo Clerk Services	$4,460					$0.00	0%	$4,460.00
750-560	Office Expenses	$2,500	$180.40		$250.71	$62.47	$493.58	20%	$2,006.42
750-560	Staff Office Services	$54,067	$3,420.00	$1,745.00	$4,275.00	$1,788.75	$11,228.75	21%	$42,838.25
750-564	Legal Notices/Publications	$1,400	$253.39				$253.39	18%	$1,146.61
700-453	Transportation and Travel	$6,600				$1,416.27	$1,416.27	21%	$5,183.73
700-453	Conference Registration/Training	$3,050		$1,580.00			$1,580.00	52%	$1,470.00
960-995	Insurance	$1,400					$0.00	0%	$1,400.00
750-560	Records Retention and Mapping	$4,000					$0.00	0%	$4,000.00
750-560	Web Page	$6,090	$4,200.00	$1,886.40			$6,086.40	100%	$3.60
750-560	Auditor/City - Agreement	$2,500		$2,500.00			$2,500.00	100%	$0.00
750-560	Spheres of Influence (SOI)	$100,000					$0.00	0%	$100,000.00
	Municipal Service Reviews (MSR)								
750-560	Special/Complex projects	$24,500	$2,000.00	$2,750.00			$4,750.00	19%	$19,750.00
	TOTAL	$249,953	$14,435.22	$12,507.83	$7,472.14	$5,313.92	$39,729.11	16%	$210,223.89

Lake Local Agency Formation Commission

MEMORANDUM

DATE:	November 18, 2026
TO:	Commissioners
FROM:	Larkyn Feiler, Executive Officer
RE:	Proposed Bylaws Amendment - Conflict of Interest Code and Financial Disclosure

Recommendation:

1. Waive the second reading of the proposed bylaws amendment.
2. Discuss any final modifications to the bylaws amendment language.
3. Adopt Resolution No. 2026-06 to establish the bylaws amendment.

Background:

The Political Reform Act requires every local government agency to review its conflict of interest code biennially. A conflict of interest code specifies what financial interests must be disclosed on the Statement of Economic Interests (Form 700) for public officials, governmental employees, and consultants.

During the 2026 biennial review of current LAFCo programs and organizational structure, LAFCo staff determined that a bylaws amendment is necessary related to the conflict of interest code, to address the following items.

- Designate the Fair Political Practices Commission (FPPC) and/or other agency as required by law as the filing officer for the Statement of Economic Interests (Form 700).
- Include the new Senate Bill 852 requirement to file directly with the FPPC via their electronic system.
- Update the prior campaign contribution amount of $250 to $500.
- Remove the outdated reference to subdivision (d) of Government Code Section 56332.
- Update the reference of Form 730 to Form 700.

At the September 16, 2026 meeting, the Commission waived the first reading of the proposed bylaws amendment and set it for a second reading at the next meeting, without any requested modifications. Staff circulated the proposed bylaws amendment for agency comments. No modifications to the bylaws amendment language have been requested.

Adoption of Resolution No. 2026-06 (Attachment 1) would amend the Lake LAFCo Bylaws effective immediately related to updates to the conflict of interest code and financial disclosure.

Attachments:

1. LAFCo Resolution No. 2026-06

Resolution No. 2026-06
of the Lake Local Agency Formation Commission

Adopting a Bylaws Amendment to Update the
Conflict of Interest Code and Financial Disclosure

WHEREAS, the Lake Local Agency Formation Commission (LAFCo) was created as an independent regulatory authority of the State under GOV § 56000 et seq. with the power to adopt policies and procedures to carry out its functions (GOV § 56300); and

WHEREAS, the proposed bylaws amendment is necessary to guide the Commission's operations in compliance with the Cortese-Knox-Hertzberg Local Government Reorganization Act of 2000; and

WHEREAS, on September 16, 2026, the Commission had the first reading of the bylaws amendment to address the new Senate Bill 852 requirements and outdated information; and

WHEREAS, on November 18, 2026, the Commission had the second reading of the proposed bylaws amendment and considered the staff report and all public and agency comments provided.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Lake Local Agency Formation Commission determine, resolve, and order the following:

1. The Lake LAFCo Bylaws shall be amended according to the language changes as shown in Exhibit A, attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference.
2. Adoption of this amendment shall take effect as of November 18, 2026.
3. Any conflicting provisions regarding the Conflict of Interest Code and Financial Disclosure previously approved by the Commission are hereby repealed in favor of this amendment.

PASSED and ADOPTED by the Lake Local Agency Formation Commission at a regular meeting on the 18th day of November 2026 by the following roll call vote:

AYES: -
NOES: -
ABSTAIN: -
ABSENT: -

Signed by me after its passage on November 18, 2026.

_____
Stacey Mattina, Chair
Lake Local Agency Formation Commission

ATTEST:

_____
Larkyn Feiler, Executive Officer
Lake Local Agency Formation Commission

Exhibit A

Bylaws Amendment Language

Key:
1. Underline represents language proposed to be added.
2. ~~Strikethrough~~ represents language proposed to be removed.
3. Regular or **bold** text represents existing language proposed to remain.

Amend Section 4.8 Financial Disclosure, as follows:

a) LAFCO members and alternate members are subject to the requirements of the California Fair Political Practices Commission (FPPC), including annual electronic filing with the FPPC and/or other agency as required by law ~~Lake County Elections Office~~ of the Statement of Economic Interests (Form #700) by the date determined by the FPPC and/or other agency as required by law ~~before April of each year~~. The Lake Local Agency Formation Commission **Conflict of Interest Code** is attached to these Bylaws and incorporated herein as Appendix 3.

Amend Section 6 Conflict of Interest, as follows:

b) Government Code Section 84308 requires that a Commissioner disqualify themselves from voting on an application involving an "entitlement for use" (such as an annexation or sphere amendment) if, within the last twelve months, the Commissioner has accepted campaign contributions of $500 ~~$250~~ or more from an individual or firm who actively supports or opposes such application or from an agent (e.g., attorney, engineer, or planning consultant) representing an applicant or other interested participant.

d) Unless provided by the appointing authority pursuant to Sections 56332 ~~subdivision (d)~~ or 56335 of the Government Code, no member shall be disqualified from participation in the consideration of a matter as a result his membership in an agency affected by the Commission's decision on the matter (Gov. Code 56336).

Amend Appendix 3 Conflict of Interest Code, as follows:

Designated officers and employees shall file Statements of Economic Interest (Form 700 ~~730~~) with the California Fair Political Practices Commission (FPPC) and/or other agency as required by law pursuant to applicable State regulations ~~LAFCO, who will retain copies, and forward the original Statements for all Commissioners and the Executive Officer to the Lake County Clerk. The original statements for all other designated employees will be retained by LAFCO.~~

Lake Local Agency Formation Commission

MEMORANDUM

DATE:	November 18, 2026
TO:	Commissioners
FROM:	Larkyn Feiler, Executive Officer
RE:	Butte-Lake LAFCo Staffing Services Agreement

Recommendation:

1. Approve a Staffing Services Agreement with Butte LAFCo.
2. Authorize the Commission Chair and Executive Officer to execute the agreement.

Background:

At the September 16, 2026 meeting, the Commission confirmed interest in pursuing an arrangement with Butte LAFCo for on-call extra help for MSR/SOI preparation, application processing, and other LAFCo tasks as needed. This arrangement has been in place with Colusa LAFCo since April and has been helpful and resulted in high quality and timely work product.

For comparison, in preparing for drafting an RFP for MSR/SOI Update services, LAFCo staff researched hourly rates for multiple qualified consultants in Northern California. For principal level consultants, the hourly rate ranges from $155 to $195. Therefore, the Butte LAFCo fully loaded reimbursement of $145 per hour is a reasonable rate.

A Staffing Services Agreement (Attachment 1) has been developed, in coordination with joint Legal Counsel, to establish a flexible staffing arrangement which allows either agency to request and receive professional services from the other. If the agreement is approved, then Butte LAFCo will consider the agreement at their December Commission meeting. Below are the key terms of the agreement:

1. Either party may request services from the other on an as-needed, part-time basis, subject to staff availability and mutual agreement regarding scope and timing.
2. The agreement would remain in effect on an ongoing basis unless terminated by either party, with or without cause, by providing 90-days written notice to the other party.
3. No minimum level of service is guaranteed, and no obligation exists for either party to provide services if staff availability or operational needs do not permit.
4. Services may be provided by the Executive Officer or other qualified staff of the providing agency, as determined appropriate by that agency.
5. Compensation for services under the agreement will be invoiced no more than monthly at the following hourly rates: Lake LAFCo $125.00 and Butte LAFCo $145.00 (fully loaded cost of staff time).
6. Nothing in the agreement authorizes expenditures beyond those permitted by the requesting agency's adopted budget and policies.
7. Staff providing services under the agreement remain employees or contractors of the providing agency and are not considered employees of the requesting agency.

Attachments:

1. Butte-Lake LAFCo Staffing Services Agreement

Staffing Services Agreement

(Mutual Services Agreement)

This Staffing Services Agreement ("Agreement") is entered into and effective as of _____, 2026, by and between the Local Agency Formation Commission of Butte County ("Butte LAFCO") and the Local Agency Formation Commission of Lake County ("Lake LAFCO"), collectively referred to as the "Parties."

RECITALS

WHEREAS, both Butte LAFCO and Lake LAFCO are small agencies with limited staffing resources; and

WHEREAS, the Executive Officers and/or staff of each agency possess distinct professional skills, experience, and subject matter expertise that may be beneficial to the other agency on a part time, as needed basis; and

WHEREAS, the Parties desire to establish a mutual staffing arrangement under which either agency may request and receive professional services from the other, subject to availability and mutual agreement; and

WHEREAS, the Parties desire that this Agreement remain in effect on an ongoing basis unless terminated by either Party upon advance notice.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Parties agree as follows:

1. Services

Either Party may request services from the other on an as needed, part time basis, subject to staff availability and mutual agreement regarding scope and timing. Services may include, but are not limited to:

- Executive Officer support and consultation
- Administrative and clerking services
- Municipal Service Reviews and Sphere of Influence work
- Boundary change analysis and application processing
- Policy development and implementation
- CEQA review and coordination
- Records management and compliance support
- Budgeting, fiscal administration, and audit coordination
- Training, mentorship, and technical assistance
- Other related LAFCO functions consistent with state law and adopted policies
- No minimum level of service is guaranteed, and no obligation exists for either Party to provide services if staff availability or operational needs do not permit.

2. Direction and Oversight

Services provided under this Agreement shall be performed under the direction of the requesting agency's Executive Officer, or designee. Each Party agrees to provide reasonable cooperation and timely information necessary for the performance of requested services.

3. Staffing

Services may be provided by the Executive Officer or other qualified staff of the providing agency, as determined appropriate by that agency. Nothing in this Agreement requires the assignment of any specific individual.

4. Compensation and Invoicing

The providing agency shall submit invoices to the requesting agency no more than monthly, identifying the hours worked and a brief description of the services provided.

Compensation for services rendered under this Agreement shall be as follows:

- Services provided by Lake LAFCO staff shall be reimbursed at a rate of one hundred twenty-fire dollars ($125.00) per hour.
- Services provided by Butte LAFCO staff shall be reimbursed at a rate of one hundred forty-five dollars ($145.00) per hour.

The hourly rates stated above are intended to reflect each agency's fully loaded cost of staff time and shall remain in effect unless modified by mutual written agreement of the Parties.

Reimbursable expenses, including travel time or mileage, shall be billed only if preapproved by the requesting agency.

5. Fiscal Limitations

Nothing in this Agreement authorizes expenditures beyond those permitted by the requesting agency's adopted budget and policies. If Commission approval is required due to fiscal thresholds, services shall not be provided beyond those limits unless such approval is obtained.

6. Term and Termination

This Agreement shall remain in effect on an ongoing basis unless terminated.

Either Party may terminate this Agreement with or without cause by providing ninety (90) days written notice to the other Party.

Upon termination, the requesting agency shall compensate the providing agency for all services satisfactorily rendered prior to the effective termination date.

7. Independent Contractor Status

Staff providing services under this Agreement shall remain employees or contractors of the providing agency and shall not be considered employees of the requesting agency. Nothing herein creates a partnership, joint venture, or employer and employee relationship between the Parties.

Any report or document prepared by a provider to the requesting agency shall state: “This work was prepared by (Provider Agency) under contract with (Requesting Agency) and solely reflects the views of (Requesting Agency).”

8. Assignment

Neither Party may assign or transfer its rights or obligations under this Agreement without the prior written consent of the other Party.

9. Insurance and Indemnification

This Agreement makes no provision for insurance or indemnification. Each Party shall remain responsible for its own acts, omissions, and employees to the extent required by law.

10. Nondiscrimination

The Parties shall comply with all applicable federal and state nondiscrimination laws in the performance of this Agreement.

11. Conflict of Interest

If a conflict of interest arises that precludes the providing agency from performing a requested service, that agency shall promptly notify the requesting agency in writing.

12. Governing Law

This Agreement shall be governed and construed in accordance with the laws of the State of California.

13. Entire Agreement

This Agreement constitutes the entire agreement between the Parties and may be amended only by written agreement executed by both Parties.

14. Severability

If any provision of this Agreement is held invalid, the remaining provisions shall continue in full force and effect.

15. Execution

The individuals executing this Agreement represent that they are authorized to bind their respective agencies.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Parties have executed this Agreement as of the date first written above.

LOCAL AGENCY FORMATION COMMISSION OF BUTTE COUNTY

By: _____ By: _____

Commission Chair Executive Officer

Date: _____ Date: _____

LOCAL AGENCY FORMATION COMMISSION OF LAKE COUNTY

By: _____ By: _____

Commission Chair Executive Officer

Date: _____ Date: _____

Conflict Waiver

This agreement has been reviewed by legal Counsel Scott Browne who is legal counsel for both agencies entering into this agreement. The parties have been fully informed of the potential for conflict of interest and have knowingly and voluntarily waived the conflict as their interests are largely aligned in this agreement.

Lake Local Agency Formation Commission (LAFCo)

2027

LAFCo Regular Meeting Schedule

Third Wednesday of odd-numbered months at 9:30 AM

Regular Meeting Dates	Potential Special Meeting Dates
January 20 - Clearlake	
	February 17 - Lakeport
March 17 - Lakeport	
	April 21 - Clearlake
May 19 - Clearlake	
	June 16 - Lakeport
July 21 - Lakeport	
	August 18 - Clearlake
September 15 - Clearlake	
	October 20 - Lakeport
November 17 - Lakeport	
	December 15 - Clearlake

Regular meetings of the Commission are held on the third Wednesday of odd-numbered months at 9:30 am. Potential special meeting dates on even-numbered months are included for scheduling purposes but are only held as needed. The meeting location alternates between the following two locations, based on this meeting schedule adopted by the Commission.

Clearlake City Council Chambers at 14050 Olympic Drive, Clearlake, CA 95422

Lakeport City Council Chambers at 225 Park Street, Lakeport, CA 95453

For meetings in Lakeport, if the Council Chambers is not available, the meeting will be held at the Lake County Board of Supervisors Chambers at 255 N. Forbes Street, Lakeport, CA 95453.

The Commission may, at its own discretion, meet at a different time or place from time to time, provided that public notice of such time and place is given in accordance with the Open Meeting Law, Government Code Section 54954, and any applicable provisions of LAFCo law.

The Chair or Executive Officer may call a special meeting of the Commission. The Chair shall call a special meeting if requested by two or more Commissioners. Any special meeting of the Commission shall be called in the manner provided by Section 54956 of the Government Code. The order calling the special meeting shall specify the time and place of the meeting and the business to be conducted and no other business shall be conducted at that meeting. The special meeting may be called for any day prior to the date established for the next regular meeting of the Commission.

California Association of Local Agency Formation Commissions
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BOARD AND CONFERENCE CALENDAR

Updated September 10, 2026



DATES TO HOLD

The following calendar includes CALAFCO Board meetings and annual conference dates through the end of 2027. All times are Pacific. Board meeting dates remain subject to change by Board action.

2026

OCTOBER 21-23, 2026

CALAFCO Annual Conference

IN PERSON

Sheraton Grand Sacramento Hotel
1230 J Street, Sacramento, CA 95814
Regional caucus elections: October 22 at 8:00 a.m. | Annual Business Meeting: 9:00 a.m.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 11, 2026 | 9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Regular Board Meeting

HYBRID

CALAFCO Office
1000 G Street, Suite 380, Sacramento, CA 95814
Contact CALAFCO staff at info@calafco.org for Zoom information.

2027

FRIDAY, JANUARY 22, 2027 | 9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Regular Board Meeting

HYBRID

CALAFCO Office
1000 G Street, Suite 380, Sacramento, CA 95814
Contact CALAFCO staff at info@calafco.org for Zoom information.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 2027 | 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Board Strategic Planning Workshop

IN PERSON

CALAFCO Office
1000 G Street, Suite 380, Sacramento, CA 95814

BOARD AND CONFERENCE CALENDAR

Updated September 10, 2026

2027 CONTINUED

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 26, 2027 | 9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Regular Board Meeting

HYBRID

CALAFCO Office
1000 G Street, Suite 380, Sacramento, CA 95814
Contact CALAFCO staff at info@calafco.org for Zoom information.

FRIDAY, MAY 14, 2027 | 9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Regular Board Meeting

HYBRID

CALAFCO Office
1000 G Street, Suite 380, Sacramento, CA 95814
Contact CALAFCO staff at info@calafco.org for Zoom information.

FRIDAY, AUGUST 27, 2027 | 9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Regular Board Meeting

HYBRID

CALAFCO Office
1000 G Street, Suite 380, Sacramento, CA 95814
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FRIDAY, OCTOBER 22, 2027 | 9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

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OCTOBER 21 – 23, 2026
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2:00 p.m.	Beyond Growth: What's Next for LAFCO?
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WELCOME

TO THE 2026 CALAFCO CONFERENCE!



Message from the Chair of the Board

Welcome to the 2026 CALAFCO Annual Conference!

Every Annual Conference is an opportunity to strengthen our professional connections and share the knowledge and experiences that help us better serve our communities. No two LAFCOs face the same challenges, but each has valuable perspectives and lessons to share. CALAFCO provides a network where we can exchange ideas, solve problems, mentor one another, and strengthen the practice of local governance.

I hope you make the most of this year's conference and find plenty of opportunities to learn, connect, and build relationships with colleagues from across California. Thank you for the time, expertise, and public service you bring to your communities. I look forward to continuing to build a stronger CALAFCO with you. Enjoy the conference!

Wendy Root Askew, *Chair*
Monterey County Supervisor – District 4, Monterey LAFCO Commissioner, Chair, *CALAFCO Board of Directors*

Welcome from the Conference Chair



Serving as Chair of the Conference Planning Committee for this year's Annual Conference has, once again, been a rewarding experience. I am inspired by the new and seasoned volunteers who step up with the shared goal of making each year "the best conference yet."

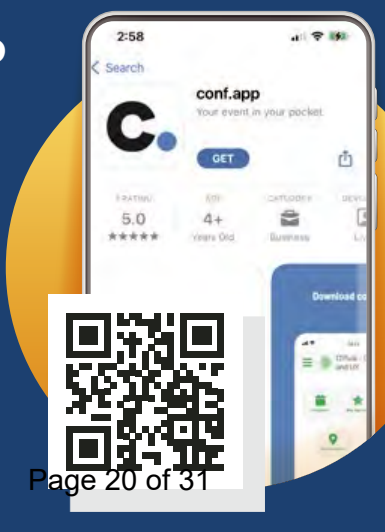
Pulling a session together is not always easy, but members consistently answer the call. I encourage everyone to step out of their comfort zone and onto the stage. You do not need to be a seasoned speaker to share a lesson that benefits colleagues statewide.

Thank you to every committee member, moderator, and speaker who made this year's conference a success. I look forward to seeing new faces on the stage next year.

Shannon Costa
Executive Officer, Butte LAFCO Executive Officer, Board Member, CALAFCO Board of Directors

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WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 21

8:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. | **Mobile Workshop**

Sacramento's history and development have long been shaped by water. This mobile workshop will explore how the city responded to devastating nineteenth-century floods and how decisions made then continue to influence land use, development, flood protection, water supply, and regional planning today.

PRESENTERS: *Scott Brown, District Manager, Reclamation District No. 1000; Lisa Kaplan, Sacramento City Councilmember and Sacramento LAFCO Commissioner; José C. Henríquez, Executive Officer, Sacramento LAFCO*

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10:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. | **What is LAFCO?: The Game Show** *Location: Camellia/Gardenia*

Step up to the challenge in this fast-paced, Jeopardy-style game show covering LAFCO fundamentals, history, powers and responsibilities, terminology, and a few surprises along the way. Contestants will face off while audience members can play along, test their knowledge, and maybe learn a thing or two. Come ready to play, learn, and put your LAFCO expertise to the test. Bragging rights are very much on the table.

PRESENTERS: *Paula de Sousa, Partner, Best Best & Krieger LLP and CALAFCO General Counsel; Joe Serrano, Executive Officer, Santa Cruz LAFCO; and Shane Stark, Commissioner, Santa Barbara LAFCO*

1:30 p.m. – 1:50 p.m. | **Conference Opening** *Location: Camellia/Gardenia*

Join CALAFCO as we officially open the 2026 Annual Conference in Sacramento. CALAFCO Chair Wendy Root Askew will open the conference, followed by a welcome from Sacramento LAFCO Chair Chris Little and Sacramento County Board of Supervisors Chair Rosario Rodriguez. The opening program will also include the presentation of colors by the Sacramento County Sheriff's Office and the City of Sacramento Police Department.

2:00 p.m. – 3:15 p.m. | **Beyond Growth: What's Next for LAFCO?** *Location: Camellia/Gardenia*

For decades, LAFCOs have helped communities manage growth, coordinate services, and promote orderly development. As California faces changing demographic and economic conditions, many regions are experiencing slower population growth, aging infrastructure, workforce shortages, and increasing challenges to the long-term sustainability of local government services. This session will explore what these shifts mean for LAFCOs and the communities they serve. Through statewide trends and local examples, panelists will examine the evolving role of LAFCOs in service sustainability, regional collaboration, special district governance, infrastructure planning, and other emerging issues facing local government.

MODERATOR: *JD Hightower, Executive Officer, San Joaquin LAFCO*

PRESENTERS: *Dr. Thomas Pogue, Executive Director, Center for Business and Policy Research, University of the Pacific; Jim Simon, Principal and President, RSG; and Bernadette Austin, CEO, CivicWell*

1.25 CM Credits

3:15 p.m. – 3:45 p.m. | **Refreshment Break with Sponsors** *Location: Grand Nave Foyer*

3:45 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. | **Balancing Competing Priorities: Housing, Agriculture, Infrastructure, and the LAFCO Perspective** *Location: Camellia/Gardenia*

Few LAFCO decisions involve a single consideration. Proposals may bring together the need for housing, agricultural land preservation, infrastructure and water availability, economic development, and a community's long-term plans for growth and services. Using examples from across California, this session will explore how LAFCOs evaluate proposals when important public interests compete. Panelists will discuss the questions commissioners and staff should consider, how short-term needs can be weighed against long-term impacts, and how LAFCO's unique perspective can contribute to thoughtful and well-informed decisions when there is no simple answer.

MODERATOR: *Wendy Root Askew, Chair, CALAFCO*

PRESENTERS: *Katie Simmons, Deputy Chief Administrative Officer, Butte County; Cheryle Hodge, Principal Planner, City of Sacramento; and Maryam Bral, Ph.D., Assistant General Manager, United Water Conservation District*

1.25 CM Credits

5:15 p.m. – 6:45 p.m. | **Semi-hosted Welcome Reception with Appetizers** *Location: Grand Nave Foyer*

After 6:45 p.m. | **Dinner on Your Own**

7:00 a.m. – 8:45 a.m. | **Breakfast** *Location: Camellia/Gardenia*

8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m. | **Regional Caucuses and Elections**

CAUCUS FACILITATORS: *Neelima Palacherla, JD Hightower, Gary Thompson, and Shannon Costa*

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 22

SCHEDULE

9:15 a.m. – 10:00 a.m. | CALAFCO Annual Business Meeting *Location: Camellia/Gardenia*

CALAFCO members will gather for the Annual Business Meeting to hear an update on the Association's work, conduct business, and offer comments and input.

PRESIDING: *Wendy Root Askew, Chair, CALAFCO* | **ASSOCIATION UPDATE:** *Michelle McIntyre, Executive Director, CALAFCO*
ELECTION RESULTS: *José C. Henríquez, Executive Officer, CALAFCO and Sacramento LAFCO*

10:15 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. | BREAKOUT SESSIONS

1) What Your Reports Are Really Saying: And the Questions You Should Be Asking *Location: Magnolia*

A good staff report should help decision-makers understand the issue, evaluate the evidence, and focus on what matters most. But lengthy or technical reports can make that difficult. This session will explore how to read staff reports critically, evaluate supporting evidence and analysis, identify missing information, and ask better questions before making decisions. Using practical examples, Alicia Meyer will share tools for getting beyond the words on the page and using staff reports to make informed decisions.

INTRODUCTION: *Shannon Costa, Executive Officer, Butte LAFCO and Board Member, CALAFCO*
PRESENTER: *Alicia Meyer, Senior Internal Auditor*

1.25 CM Credits

2) California Public Utilities Commission 101: Where State Regulation and LAFCO Intersect *Location: Camillia/Gardenia*

The California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC) regulates privately owned utilities throughout the state, while LAFCOs oversee local government boundaries, organization, and service considerations. Although their responsibilities are different, their work can intersect when communities face questions about how essential services are provided. This session will provide an overview of the CPUC's role and examine where state utility regulation and LAFCO responsibilities may come together. Using issues such as struggling private water systems, panelists will discuss the responsibilities of each agency, when coordination may be helpful, and what LAFCO commissioners and staff should understand when regulated utilities become part of a local service or governance discussion.

MODERATOR AND PANELIST: *Joe Serrano, Executive Officer, Santa Cruz LAFCO*
PRESENTERS: *Wilson Tsai, Program and Project Supervisor, Water Division, California Public Utilities Commission; and Jennifer Capitolo, Executive Director, California Water Association*

1.25 CM Credits

3) Legal Counsel Roundtables *Location: Compagno*

Join Clark Alsop and Paula de Sousa for an informal discussion of current and emerging legal issues affecting LAFCOs. This roundtable for LAFCO legal counsel provides a venue for comparing notes, sharing experiences, and discussing the legal issues they are encountering in their work.

FACILITATORS: *Clark Alsop, Partner, Best Best & Krieger LLP; and Paula de Sousa, Partner, Best Best & Krieger LLP and CALAFCO General Counsel*

12:00 p.m. – 1:15 p.m. | Lunch and Keynote Address: California Assembly Majority Leader Cecilia Aguiar-Curry *Location: Camillia/Gardenia*

California's local governments play an essential role in meeting community needs, shaping regional priorities, and delivering services to residents. Assembly Majority Leader Cecilia Aguiar-Curry brings a unique perspective shaped by her experience in local government, including her service as mayor of Winters, and her leadership in the California State Legislature. In this keynote address, she will share insights on the priorities shaping California's legislative landscape, the relationship between state and local government, and what these developments may mean for local governments and LAFCOs. Attendees will hear from a legislative leader whose experience spans both levels of government and whose work reflects the importance of strong local leadership in building thriving communities.

INTRODUCTION: *José C. Henríquez, Executive Officer, Sacramento LAFCO*
KEYNOTE SPEAKER: *California Assembly Majority Leader Cecilia Aguiar-Curry, District 4 (D-Winters)*

2:00 p.m. – 3:15 p.m. | BREAKOUT SESSIONS

1) Strategic Public Engagement: A Plan for Any Scenario *Location: Magnolia*

Significant policy decisions require more than meeting noticing requirements; they call for thoughtful, well-coordinated public engagement. Whitney Szentesi will share how the City of San Luis Obispo prepares elected officials and executive staff to lead these efforts, using tools such as the City's five-step engagement playbook and targeted staff training. The session will cover what effective public engagement looks like, why it matters, and common challenges, with real examples of successful outreach and missed audiences. Participants will explore four guiding principles for strong engagement and practical ways leaders can support better planning, quality, and community connection.

MODERATOR: *Rob Fitzroy, Executive Officer, San Luis Obispo LAFCO*
PRESENTER: *Whitney Szentesi, Public Communications Manager, City of San Luis Obispo*

1.25 CM Credits

2) Fire Services Under Pressure: What Should LAFCOs Be Watching? *Location: Camellia/Gardenia*

Fire agencies throughout California face rising costs, staffing shortages, aging infrastructure, increasing service demands, and growing expectations for emergency preparedness and wildfire response. While these pressures affect communities differently, they raise important concerns about the long-term sustainability of fire protection services that LAFCOs may need to consider. Panelists will discuss how communities are responding to these challenges and the role LAFCOs can play in recognizing potential service issues. The session will also explore how municipal service reviews, spheres of influence, and other LAFCO tools can help communities evaluate their options and take action before challenges become crises.

MODERATOR: *Amanda Ross, Principal, South Fork Consulting, LLC and CivicBound*
PRESENTERS: *Lewis Broschard, Fire Chief (Retired), Contra Costa Fire Protection District; Joe Serrano, Executive Officer, Santa Cruz LAFCO; Gay Jones, Commissioner, Sacramento LAFCO; and Jeffrey Small, General Manager, Capitol Public Finance Group, LLC*

1.25 CM Credits

SCHEDULE THURSDAY, OCTOBER 22

3:15 p.m. – 3:45 p.m.	**Refreshment Break with Sponsors** *Location: Grand Nave Foyer*
3:45 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.	**BREAKOUT SESSIONS**

1) Telling It Straight: Delivering Tough News About a Project Concept *Location: Magnolia*

Not every project concept is ready or appropriate for a formal LAFCO application. An early conversation can help potential applicants understand requirements, identify possible obstacles, and consider key legal, financial, operational, and policy issues before investing significant time and resources. This session will explore how LAFCO staff can approach these discussions constructively while providing clear information about potential challenges. Through real-world examples, panelists will discuss managing expectations, communicating difficult messages, and lessons learned from proposals that changed course or never moved forward. Attendees will gain practical approaches for helping applicants understand the LAFCO process and make informed decisions about how to proceed.

MODERATOR: *Rob Fitzroy, Executive Officer, San Luis Obispo LAFCO*

PRESENTERS: *Kai Luoma, Executive Officer, Ventura LAFCO; Adriana Romo, Deputy Executive Officer, Los Angeles LAFCO; José C. Henríquez, Executive Officer, Sacramento LAFCO*

1.25 CM Credits

2) Disadvantaged Unincorporated Communities: What Have We Learned? *Location: Camellia/Gardenia*

More than a decade after California established requirements for disadvantaged unincorporated communities (DUCs), LAFCOs have gained valuable experience putting those requirements into practice. That experience has raised practical questions about how DUCs are identified, what data and methodologies are used, acreage thresholds, routine annexations, and how the requirements apply across different communities. This session will take a look at what LAFCOs have learned over the past decade. Panelists will share experiences from across the state, discuss what has worked well and where challenges remain, and consider how LAFCO practices, guidance, or state law could evolve to better address these issues.

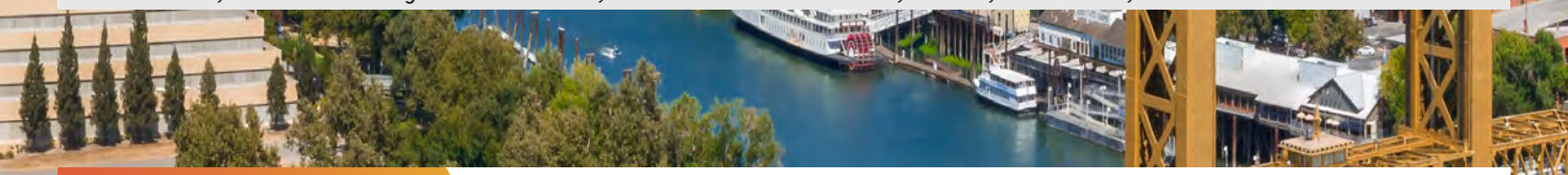
MODERATOR AND PANELIST: *Paul Novak, Executive Officer, Los Angeles LAFCO*

PRESENTERS: *Shannon Costa, Executive Officer, Butte LAFCO; Phoebe Seaton, Co-Director, Leadership Counsel for Justice and Accountability*

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6:00 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.	**Semi-hosted Reception** *Location: Grand Nave Foyer*
6:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.	**CALAFCO Awards Banquet** *Location: Camellia/Gardenia*

EMCEES: *Wendy Root Askew, Chair and Conference Planning Committee Co-Chair, CALAFCO; Commissioner, Monterey LAFCO; Virginia Chang Kiraly, Board Director, Conference Planning Committee Member, and Awards Committee Member, CALAFCO; Commissioner, San Mateo LAFCO*



SCHEDULE FRIDAY, OCTOBER 23

7:15 a.m. – 8:45 a.m.	**Breakfast** *Location: Camellia/Gardenia*
7:30 a.m. – 8:45 a.m.	**CALAFCO Board of Directors Meeting + Breakfast** *Location: Compagno*
9:00 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.	**AI and Local Government: What LAFCO Leaders Need to Know** *Location: Camellia/Gardenia*

Artificial intelligence is becoming part of local government operations, with agencies using it for research, report preparation, public communication, and other administrative functions. This session will examine the opportunities and challenges AI presents for LAFCOs and local governments, including accuracy, transparency, public records, privacy, accountability, and public trust. Panelists will discuss practical applications and limitations, emerging legal considerations, and agency policies and safeguards. They will also share what public officials and staff should consider as AI becomes more widely used in public agencies.

MODERATOR AND PANELIST: *Jennifer Stephenson, Executive Officer, Calaveras, Lassen, Modoc, Plumas, and San Benito LAFCOs*

PRESENTERS: *Joe King, Technical Director, George Mason University Rapid Prototyping Research Center; and Paula de Sousa, Partner, Best Best & Krieger LLP and CALAFCO General Counsel*

1.25 CM Credits

10:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.	**Legislative Update: What LAFCOs Should Be Watching** *Location: Camellia/Gardenia*

Each year brings new legislation, policy issues, and shifting priorities that can affect LAFCOs and the communities they serve. This session will provide an update on the 2026 legislative session and look beyond individual bills to the broader policy landscape in Sacramento. Drawing on perspectives from the Senate and Assembly Local Government Committees and CALAFCO's Legislative Committee, panelists will discuss key developments at the Capitol, what may be on the horizon, and what they could mean for LAFCOs statewide.

MODERATOR: *Paul Novak, Executive Officer, Los Angeles LAFCO*

PRESENTERS: *Anton Favorini-Csorba, Chief Consultant, Senate Local Government Committee; Jimmy MacDonald, Consultant, Assembly Local Government Committee; Kai Luoma, Executive Officer, Ventura LAFCO; and Geoff Neill, Senior Legislative Advocate, Nielsen Merksamer, LLP*

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11:30 a.m.	**Raffle, Closing Remarks and Conference Adjournment** *Location: Camellia/Gardenia*

CLOSING REMARKS: *Wendy Root Askew, Chair and Conference Planning Committee Co-Chair, CALAFCO; Commissioner, Monterey LAFCO*

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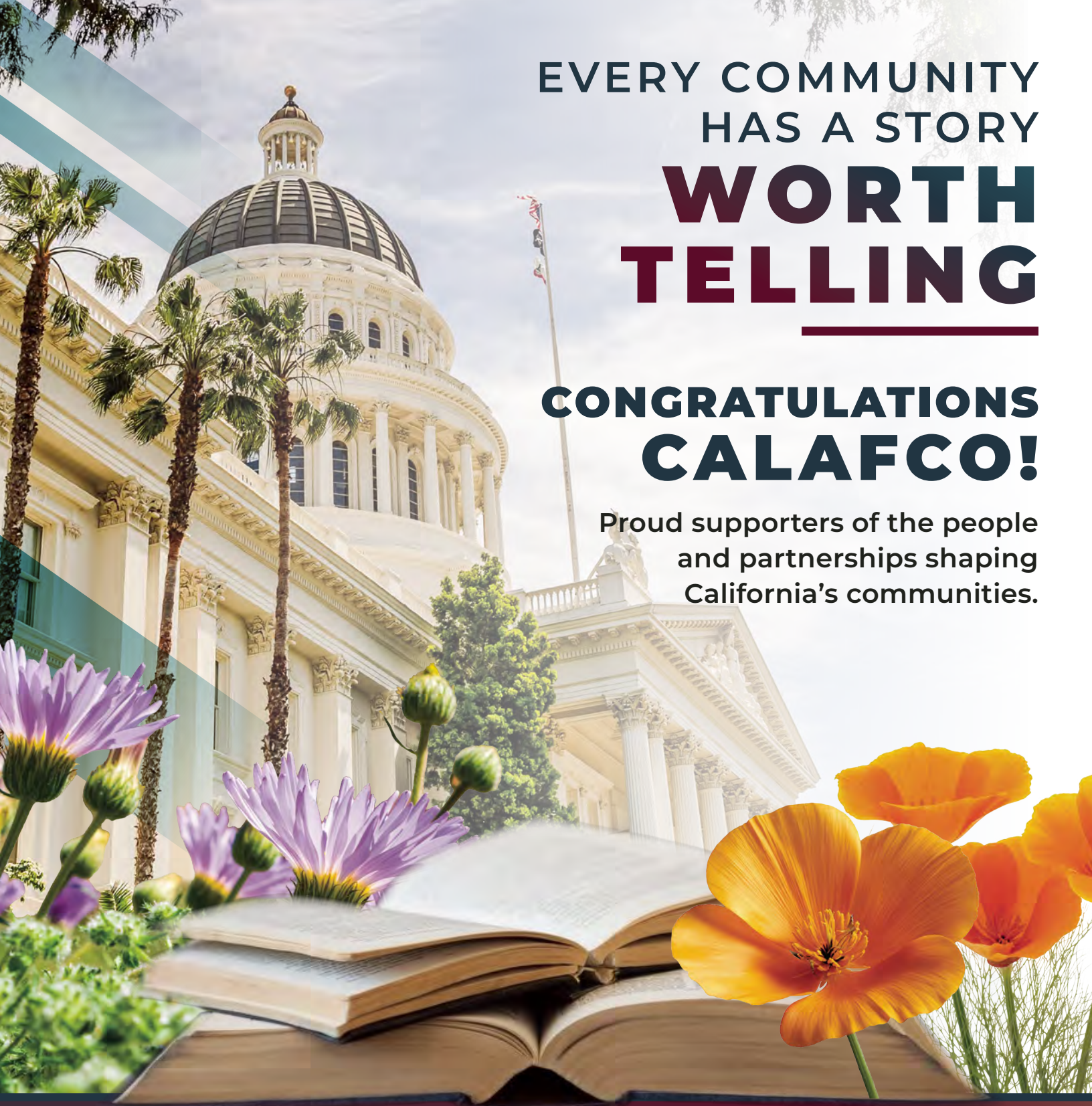
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