



**SPECIAL MEETING  
COMMISSION ON HOMELESSNESS**

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**Agenda**

**Wednesday, January 31, 2024**

**5:00 PM**

Oakland City Hall

Hearing Room 1

1 Frank H. Ogawa Plaza, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor

**All public bodies subject to the Brown Act were temporarily allowed by Assembly Bill 361 to have online-only meetings during the state of emergency. As the emergency order was lifted by the State of California on February 28, 2023, all public meetings including Oakland City Council and Boards and Commission meetings are required to now be held in-person under California state law.**

**PUBLIC PARTICIPATION**

The Oakland Commission on Homelessness encourages public participation in the meetings. The public may observe and/or participate in this meeting in several ways.

**NO PUBLIC COMMENT IS TAKEN VIA ZOOM.**

- **To observe the meeting by video conference**, please click on this link:

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<https://support.zoom.us/hc/en-us/articles/201362193>, which is a webpage entitled “Joining a Meeting.”

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- **PUBLIC COMMENT:** There are **two ways** to comment on agenda items.
- **COMMENT IN ADVANCE.** Send your comments to [commissiononhomelessness@oaklandca.gov](mailto:commissiononhomelessness@oaklandca.gov) no later than one (1) hour **BEFORE** the meeting starts, along with your full name and the agenda item number related to your comments. Please note that eComment submissions close one (1) hour before the posted meeting time. All submitted public comments will be provided to the Commissioners prior to the meeting.



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- **In-person at the Meeting by SPEAKER CARD.** To comment at the meeting in-person, you must submit a speaker card for each item before the item is called. Speaker cards will be accepted by Admin Staff until the item is called. Once your name is called, you will be allowed to speak. Speakers are generally limited to two minutes at the discretion of the Chair.

If you have questions about these protocols, please e-mail  
[commissiononhomelessness@oaklandca.gov](mailto:commissiononhomelessness@oaklandca.gov)

- **Parking** While attending Homelessness Commission meetings, you may park for free in the Dalziel Building Garage (located on 16th Street between San Pablo Avenue and Clay Street). As of September 2023, parkers must use the [ParkMobile](#) parking app on a mobile device to manage their parking, and the promotion code for free parking will be provided at the meeting.

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**1. Call to Order and Roll Call**

Commission Members: Yolanda Anderson, Janny Castillo, Marcus Christmas, Candice Elder, Joey Harrison, Marlene Hurd, Alexis Lozano, Mark Walker.

**2. Public Comment**

Attendees must fill out a speaker card for each item they wish to comment on. Speaker cards will be accepted up until Public Comment for each item begins. Please submit your cards to the Admin Staff before being recognized by the presiding officer.

**3. Approval of Draft Minutes for the meeting of October 25, 2023.**

**4. Motion to Approve the Selection of Officers Pursuant to the Commission on Homelessness Bylaws**

**5. Discussion and Action on the Proposed Commission on Homelessness Work Plan**

**6. Discussion and Action on the Proposed Schedule of Future Meetings and Agenda Topics**

**7. Oral presentation of 2024 PIT Count – LaTonda Simmons Assistant City Administrator**

**8. Open Forum**

Speaker cards for open forum will be accepted until open forums begin. Please submit your cards to the Admin Staff before being recognized by the presiding officer

**9. Adjournment**

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