



County of Santa Cruz

IN-HOME SUPPORTIVE SERVICES PUBLIC AUTHORITY

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IHSS Advisory Commission Meeting Minutes

Date: Friday, June 27, 2025
Time: 1:00PM to 3:00PM
Location: 1400 Emeline AVE, Building K, Room 206. Santa Cruz, CA
Present: Michael Molesky (Chair, Consumer), Stephanie Auld (Consumer), Becky Taylor (Vice-Chair, Commission on Disabilities), Lois Sones (Seniors Commission), Foster Anderson (Consumer)
Excused: Maria Arreola (Provider), Charlie Walker (Provider)
Absent: None
Staff: Elizabeth Byrd (Staff), Julie Gabriel (Staff), Andre Samayoa (Guest)

Agenda

1. Call to Order
 - a. Meeting was called to order at 1:12 pm; a quorum was present
2. Roll Call
3. Agenda Review
 - a. No changes made to agenda.
4. Public Comment:
 - a. None
5. Consent Agenda
 - a. Meeting Minutes
 - i. April 25, 2025 Meeting
 - b. Commission Vacancies
 - i. Three (3) – Consumer Representatives (A)
 - ii. One (1) – Representative of Advocate Organization (C)
 - c. Chair indicated that this item would be voted at the August meeting.
6. Regular Agenda – Action Items
 - a. August Meeting – Reschedule or Cancel
 - i. Staff reported there is a conflict with the scheduled 08/22/2025 IHSS Advisory Commission, the staff representative will not be present to attend and would like the commission to consider moving to an alternate date or cancelling
 - ii. The commission discussed and agreed to reschedule to August 15, 2025

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- iii. Motion to reschedule the August 22 meeting to August 15 was called by:
 - 1. First/Second: Taylor/Sones
 - 2. Ayes: All in favor
 - 3. Noes: None
 - 4. Abstains: None
 - 5. Motion passed unanimously
 - b. Chairperson updates and reports
 - i. Would the commission like to have a closed meeting in July?
 - 1. Molesky inquired if the commissioners would like to have a July retreat (not a Brown Act meeting)?
 - ii. Conflict Resolution Center of Santa Cruz County
 - 1. Staff reported that Conflict Resolution Center will charge \$250 for a 3-hour session
 - 2. Could be at the retreat/closed meeting
 - a. Stephanie, Lois, Becky and Michael are available
 - b. Staff will email the rest of the group
 - 3. What dates and times are people available?
 - iii. IHSS handbook
 - 1. Info to be added to website
 - c. Recruitment Strategies: IHSS Advisory Commission Vacancies
 - i. A suggestion was made to reduce the stipends amount.
- 7. Regular Agenda – Information Items
 - a. Information Sharing
 - i. Announcements
 - ii. Topics & Speakers
 - 1. Tentative Schedule
 - a. To be scheduled:
 - i. Goal Setting Facilitator/Data Collection
 - ii. Alicia Rodriguez, Golden PACE Health
 - iii. Jessica Cirkseña, IHSS Program Manager
 - b. IHSS Consumers
 - i. No concerns
 - c. IHSS Providers
 - i. No providers present
 - d. IHSS Program and Public Authority Updates
 - i. None

8. Report Outs

- a. Legislative
 - i. No report out
- b. CICA Conference Calls
 - i. No report out
- c. Commission on Disabilities
 - i. No report out
- d. Seniors Commission
 - i. No report out

9. Future Agenda Items

- a. None added

10. Correspondence

- a. None

11. Adjournment

Next Regular Meeting: August 15, 2025, 1:00PM – 3:00PM @ 1400 Emeline AVE,
Building K, Room 206, Santa Cruz.

**Approved by Commission on August 15, 2025; Submitted to Board of Supervisors on
August 15, 2025**