

ALAMEDA COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS' SOCIAL SERVICES COMMITTEE

Monday, February 23, 2026
2:30 p.m.

SUMMARY ACTION MINUTES

The Social Services Committee meeting convened at 2:32 p.m. with Supervisor Tam presiding as Chair.

Supervisor Fortunato Bas and Supervisor Tam were present.

I. INFORMATIONAL ITEM: Advisory Commission on Aging

Presenters: Laura McMichael-Cady, Chair, Advisory Commission on Aging

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Laura McMichael-Cady, Chair, Advisory Commission on Aging, provided an overview of the Advisory Commission on Aging and its activities over 2025-2026.

Action

This item was informational only and did not require action. No action was taken.

II. INFORMATIONAL ITEM: Disaster Preparedness and Emergency Management Updates

Presenters: Andrea Ford, Director, Social Services Agency

Pamela Powell, Executive Program Coordinator, Program Planning and Support, Social Services Agency

Lorena Briseno, Senior Management Analyst, Program Planning and Support, Social Services Agency

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Lorena Briseno, Senior Management Analyst, Program Planning and Support, Social Services Agency, provided an update on Disaster Preparedness & Emergency Management at Alameda County Social Services.

Action

The item was informational only and did not require action. No action was taken.

III. INFORMATIONAL ITEM: Refugee Resettlement Agencies and Support Services Updates

Presenters: Andrea Ford, Director, Social Services Agency

Rahman Zamani, Program Specialist, Program Planning and Support, Social Services Agency

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Rahman Zamani, Program Specialist, Program Planning and Support, Social Services Agency, provided an update on Refugee Resettlement Agencies and Support Services.

One person provided public comment on this item.

Action

The item was informational only and did not require action. No action was taken.

IV. INFORMATIONAL ITEM: Department of Children and Family Services Status Update on Findings of the State Auditor's Report to the Joint Committee on Legislative Audits

Presenters: Andrea Ford, Director, Social Services Agency

Michelle Love, Assistant Agency Director, Department of Children and Family Services, Social Services Agency

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Andrea Ford, Director, Social Services Agency, and Michelle Love, Assistant Agency Director, Department of Children and Family Services, Social Services Agency, provided an update on actions the Department of Children and Family Services has taken to address the findings of the State Auditor's Report to the Joint Committee on Legislative Audits.

Two people commented on this item.

Action

This item was informational only and did not require action. No action was taken.

PUBLIC COMMENT

One person provided public comment.

The meeting adjourned at 5:00 p.m.

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