

**CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN DIEGO
THE CLOSED SESSION MEETING REPORT
FOR MONDAY, MARCH 16, 2026
CITY ADMINISTRATION BUILDING
COMMITTEE ROOM – 12TH FLOOR
202 ‘C’ STREET
SAN DIEGO, CA 92101**

REPORTING THE RESULTS OF THE CLOSED SESSION MEETING

Note: Information on any actions taken in closed session that were publicly reported in the Open Session may be found in the City Clerk’s minutes. David J. Karlin, Senior Deputy City Attorney, reports the results of the Closed Session meeting of March 16, 2026, as follows:

CLOSED SESSION MEETING FOR MONDAY, MARCH 16, 2026, AT 10:00 A.M.

ROLL CALL:

Present: Mayor Gloria, Council President LaCava, Council President Pro Tem Lee, and Councilmembers Campbell, Whitburn, Foster III, Campillo, Moreno and Elo-Rivera.

Absent: Councilmember von Wilpert, Council District 5, absent for CS-3.

CLOSED SESSION ITEMS:

Conference with Legal Counsel – Existing Litigation, pursuant to California Government Code section 54956.9(d)(1):

CS-1 January 22, 2024 Flooding Litigation

Cases:

1. *Montoya, Gregory, et al. v. City of San Diego*, San Diego Superior Court (SDSC) Case No. 37-2024-00021327
2. *Aguilar, Cecilio, et al. v. City of San Diego*, SDSC Case No. 24CU031479C
3. *Aguirre, Manuel, et al. v. City of San Diego*, SDSC Case No. 24CU017722C
4. *Aguirre, Rosa, et al. v. City of San Diego*, SDSC Case No. 24CU011981C
5. *Alliance San Diego, et al. v. City of San Diego*, SDSC Case No. 24CU010679C
6. *Allstate Insurance Company, et al. v. City of San Diego* SDSC Case No. 25CU020790C
7. *Apgar, Lloyd, et al. v. City of San Diego*, SDSC Case No. 37-2024-00024491
8. *Arroyo Rodriguez, et al v. City of San Diego*, SDSC Case No. 24CU025594N

9. *Avila, Daniela, et al. v. City of San Diego*, SDSC Case No. 24CU028107C
10. *Banks, Robert, et al. v. City of San Diego*, SDSC Case No. 24CU031161C
11. *Baptista, Matthew v. City of San Diego*, SDSC Case No. 25CU005305C
12. *Bethke, et al v. City of San Diego*, SDSC Case No. 24CU027524N
13. *Bloom, Stuart, et al. v. City of San Diego*, SDSC Case No. 25CU003502C
14. *Bryant, Nautica v. City of San Diego*, SDSC Case No. 25CU022360C
15. *Buenrostro, Edder, et al v. City of San Diego*, SDSC Case No. 37-2024-00030791-CU-PO-NC
16. *Buchannan, Darnell, et al v. City of San Diego*, SDSC Case No. 26CU000930C
17. *Chicano Federation v. City of San Diego*, SDSC Case No. 25CU030363C
18. *Coastal Pride Towing, Inc. v. City of San Diego*, SDSC Case No. 37-2024-00023296
19. *Cortez, Yasmin, et al. v. City of San Diego*, SDSC Case No. 24CU026011C
20. *Croft, Brian, et al. v. City of San Diego*, SDSC Case No. 37-2024-00029980
21. *Cruz, Evelyn, et al. v. City of San Diego*, SDSC Case No. 24CU022804C
22. *Dandoy, Renato, et al. v. City of San Diego*, SDSC Case No. 37-2024-00030662
23. *Delgado, Rosaura et al. v City of National City, City of San Diego, et al.*, SDSC Case No. 24CU013086C
24. *Faria, Vanessa v. City of San Diego*, SDSC Case No. 24CU013871C
25. *Fisher, Aberzine v. City of San Diego*, SDSC Case No. 24CU020170C
26. *Galibut, et al v. City of San Diego*, SDSC Case No. 25CU011323C
27. *Garcia, Baldomero, et al. v. City of San Diego*, SDSC Case No. 24CU000234C
28. *Gerber, et al.v. City of San Diego*, SDSC Case No. 25CU059494C
29. *Gomez, Carlos, et al. v. City of San Diego*, SDSC Case No. 24CU024045N
30. *Gonzales, Francisco, et al. v. City of San Diego*, SDSC Case No. 24CU000231C
31. *Gonzales, Teresa, et al v. City of San Diego*, SDSC Case No. 25CU013885C
32. *Hampton, Angela v. City of San Diego*, SDSC Case No. 24CU000134C

33. *Hansaya, Keuavanh, et al. v. City of San Diego*, SDSC Case No. 25CU001312C
34. *Hesser, Brett et al. v. City of San Diego*, SDSC Case No. 24CU013892C
35. *Leisureland v. City of San Diego*, SDSC Case No. 24CU018166C
36. *Lloyds of London v. City of San Diego*, SDSC Case No. 25CU016268C
37. *Logan Development II, LP v. City of San Diego*, SDSC Case No. 25CU022816C
38. *Manzano v. City of San Diego*, SDSC Case No. 25CU057861C
39. *Melchor, Amalio, et al. v. City of San Diego*, SDSC Case No. 37-2024-00030743
40. *Mercury Insurance Company, et al. v. City of San Diego*, SDSC Case No. 25CU018745C
41. *National Black Contractors Foundation of America, Inc., et al. v. City of San Diego*, SDSC Case No. 24CU012118C
42. *Navarro, Alberto, et al. v. City of San Diego*, SDSC Case No. 37-24-00028601
43. *Navarro, Jose, et al. v. City of San Diego*, SDSC Case No. 24CU026650C
44. *Navarro, Martha, et al. v. City of San Diego*, SDSC Case No. 37-24-00029789
45. *Ortiz, Misael, et al. v. City of San Diego*, SDSC Case No. 24CU000267C
46. *Palomar Specialty Insurance Co, et al. v. City of San Diego*, SDSC Case No. 24CU024342C
47. *Perez, Elena, et al. v. City of San Diego*, SDSC Case No. 37-2024-00030795
48. *Perez, Irma v. City of San Diego*, SDSC Case No. 25CU003596C
49. *Rivera, Fernando, et al. v. City of San Diego*, SDSC Case No. 37-2024-00030688
50. *Rodriguez, Cristian, et al. v. County of San Diego, et al.*, SDSC Case No. 24CU000273C
51. *Rodriguez, Timoteo, et al. v. County of San Diego, et al.*, SDSC Case No. 24CU000278C
52. *Saunders, Karin, et al. v. City of San Diego, et al*, SDSC Case No. 24CU026759C
53. *SDC Parts, LLC, et al. v. City of San Diego*, SDSC Case No. 25CU003270C
54. *Silva, Patricia, et al v. City of San Diego*, SDSC Case No. 24CU001997C

55. *Turner, Angela v. City of San Diego*, SDSC Case No. 25CU002366C

56. *Wakeland Village Green Apartments LP v. City of San Diego* SDSC Case No. 25CU025026C

57. *Zeidan v. City of San Diego*, SDSC Case No. 25CU043769C

Risk Management Department Claim File Nos. Multiple

SDCA Assigned: M. T. Phelps

SDCA Assigned: S. M. Robinson

Outside Counsel:

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M. Dean and S. Gazzo, Dean Gazzo Roistacher;

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C. Miller and R. Caplan, Buchalter, APC

Report: Nothing to report.

Consultation with City of San Diego's Chief Information Security Officer, pursuant to California Government Code section 54957(a):

CS-2 Critical Infrastructure Information Relating to Cybersecurity

Risk Management Department Claim File No. N/A

SDCA Assigned: S. R. Lastomirsky

Report: Nothing to report.

Conference with Legal Counsel – Significant Exposure to Litigation, pursuant to California Government Code section 54956.9(d)(2):

CS-3 Number of Cases: One

Risk Management Department Claim File No. NA

ACA Assigned: L. FitzGerald

Report: Nothing to report.

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