



**Minutes for the Meeting of
Thursday, August 13, 2026**

Item 1: Call to Order.

The Commission Chair called the meeting to order at 5:00 p.m.

Item 2: Roll Call.

Present – Commission Chair Jimmie Slack, Vice Chair Hon. Laura W. Halgren, and Commissioners Paul Cooper, James Hauser, Tom Lincoln, Caridad Sanchez, and Deval Zaveri

Staff – Executive Director Bryn Kirvin, General Counsel Christina Cameron, Investigative Program Manager Kristina Gagné, and Administration & Training Compliance Program Manager Victoria Bermudez

Item 3: Approval of Commission Minutes of June 11, 2026.

Motion:	Approve Minutes
Moved/Seconded:	Lincoln/Cooper
Vote:	Carried Unanimously
Abstained:	Sanchez

Item 4: Non-Agenda Public Comment.

None.

Item 5: Commissioner Comment.

Commissioners Cooper, Zaveri, and Sanchez welcomed Commission Chair Jimmie Slack and Vice Chair Hon. Laura W. Halgren to their new positions.

Item 6: Executive Director Comment.

Executive Director Kirvin updated the Commission on the status of the proposed changes to the Municipal Code. She noted that the changes will be presented to the Rules Committee on August 26, 2026.

She also informed the Commission that the City Council and the Mayor's offices would receive ethics training over the next few months. Staff also added two in-person ethics training courses for unclassified employees in the next calendar year, bringing the total number of courses offered to this group to six. Changes to the Commission's website also included additional information on the training program.

Ms. Kirvin reported that staff have narrowed the vendors for the Commission's new case management system to two, with hopes of moving the project along over the next few months.

Lastly, Ms. Kirvin mentioned that Investigative Program Manager Kristina Gagné celebrated her tenth anniversary with the Commission.

Item 7: Informational Item: Enforcement Program Update.

Investigative Program Manager Kristina Gagné presented the monthly Enforcement Program Report.

Item 8: Announcement of Closed Session Items / Adjourn to Closed Session.

Commission Chair Slack adjourned the meeting to closed session at 5:15 p.m. He stated the Commission would reconvene into open session following the conclusion of closed session to report any action taken during the closed session portion of the meeting.

Reconvene to Open Session.

Commission Chair Slack called the meeting back into open session at approximately 5:41 p.m.

Reporting Results of Closed Session Meeting of August 13, 2026.

Ms. Cameron reported the results of the closed session meeting of August 13, 2026:

Item 1: Conference with Legal Counsel – Anticipated Litigation.

No reportable action.

Item 2: Conference with Legal Counsel.

Case No. 2024-27 – Filing Deadline for Quarterly Disclosure Report

Motion: Approve Stipulation
Moved/Seconded: Hauser/Cooper
Vote: Carried Unanimously

Item 3: Conference with Legal Counsel.

Case No. 2026-17 – Filing Deadline for Quarterly Disclosure Report

Motion: Take no further action
Moved/Seconded: Cooper/Hauser
Vote: Carried Unanimously

Item 4: Conference with Legal Counsel.

Case Nos. 2026-01, 2026-02, 2026-09 – Campaign Ads

Motion: Take no further action
Moved/Seconded: Lincoln/Cooper
Vote: Carried Unanimously

The meeting concluded at 5:42 p.m.

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Jimmie Slack, Chair
Ethics Commission

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Victoria Bermudez, Program Manager
Ethics Commission

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